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MYSTERY STILL SURROUNDS THE CITY'S DRAFT AGREEMENT

Manager Brownlee Has as Yet Read Nothing of Elevated Tracks, But He Apparently "As 'Ops"
—Elevation Will Come, He Says.

Manager Brownlee, of the Grand Trunk Railway, was in this city today, and was interviewed by an Advertiser reporter regarding several matters.

Mr. Brownlee was asked if he knew anything of what had been done regarding the city's draft agreement re elevated tracks, which was sent to Montreal several months ago, and which has not been heard of since.

"I know nothing of these papers, or what has become of them," he said. "In fact, I know nothing of any communication having been sent to the company by the city, and cannot say anything regarding the steps likely to be taken by the company regarding the elevation of the tracks through London."

Took Timbers Away.

He was next questioned regarding the statements which had been made to the effect that the company had at one time brought timbers here for the purpose of using them in the construction of the track elevation through the city, but had recently removed them to Toronto.

Mr. Brownlee admitted that the timbers had been brought here, but denied that their removal to Toronto, which he admitted, could be taken to indicate that the company had given up all intention of elevating the tracks through the city.

"Yes," he said, "the company did bring some timbers to London some time ago for the purpose of using them in the construction of the overhead track, but the demand for such timbers was so great that for its own convenience the company removed them to other points, where they were used. They were not all taken to Toronto. The removing of the timbers cannot be taken to mean that the company does not intend to go on with the elevation of the tracks at some future date, as the move was simply made for our own accommodation."

Did Not Raise Rails.

The interviewer then interrogated Mr. Brownlee regarding the charges that had been made to the effect that the company had been raising its tracks east of Ridout street, for the purpose of easing off the grade toward the higher elevation to the west of that street.

Mr. Brownlee, however, denied that the rails had been raised.

"Our tracks have been set and new ties put under them," Mr. Brownlee said, "but they have not been elevated more than an inch or two. This is the custom when resetting tracks, so that when they settle into the roadbed they will be at the same level as they were before being repaired."

Inspected Elevation.

Mr. Brownlee inspected the elevation to the west of the city this morning, and found everything in good order, and the work progressing favorably. He stated that within ten days the double tracks will be in use and that the work will be practically complete. The old cove bridge, which has been used while the new structure was being built, will by that time have been taken away. Mr. Brownlee, while saying that the work would be completed within ten days, stated that it would be necessary to keep a gang of men working on the elevation for some months, because the earth would be continually settling, and a great deal of filling in would have to be done.

WILL ASK \$2,500 FOR USE OF 10 ROOMS TO DISCUSS WATER

Board of Education Has Practically Decided Model School Agreement. Called by the Commissioners—Ballots Are Coming in Slowly.

It is understood that the board of education, at its meeting tomorrow, will ask the Ontario department of education for \$2,500 for the providing of the board of fifteen rooms for model school purposes.

At present the board allows the Normal School students to have the use of ten rooms for the sum of \$1,500 per year, and it is proposed to add five rooms to the ten now in use.

As it will be necessary to provide furnishings, etc., for the rooms, it is claimed that the board should be paid not less than \$2,500 a year, though, pro rata, the board would be only entitled to \$2,250.

MAY BE OF BURKE'S GANG

The Toronto Police Captured an Alleged Counterfeiter.

Toronto, July 11.—An added sensation in the round-up of counterfeiters was afforded in this city yesterday, when Robert Logie was arrested in the act of boarding a C. P. R. train with a ticket to Black Rock, N. Y. He is in No. 3 police station, charged with passing counterfeit bills at Montreal.

Logie is alleged to be the sixth of the big men of the Lindsay haul, whose duty, in company with John Eveleigh, was to "shove the queer."

Ireland's Old Capital Cheers Their Majesties

Dublin, July 10.—The first day of the visit to Ireland of King Edward and Queen Alexandra was a great success. The weather was fine and the city gave the sovereigns an enthusiastic and royal reception.

Both wore the national color of Ireland, the King a green necktie and the Queen a moss-green and mauve tulle. His majesty delivered brief speeches at the various functions of the day, in which he expressed his grateful thanks for the warm reception accorded himself and the Queen, and congratulated the country upon its progress and prosperity indicated in the Exhibition. He said his stay must be brief, but he intended to make the most of it, the happiness and contentment of the people being objects very near to the hearts of both himself and the Queen.

Their majesties arrived here from Kingston this afternoon. After visiting the exhibition they passed in procession through the streets of Dublin and everywhere dense crowds of people accorded them most hearty receptions.

The Earl of Aberdeen, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, and his countess, gave a garden party at the lodge in honor of their majesties tonight, at which all the nobility and many prominent men of the country were present.



The Late Dr. King, of Kingsville.

HOLD-UP STORY FROM THE GORE

Farmer Kilbourne Tells Thrilling Tale of Meeting Road Agent.

Seldom has a petty county magistrate's court case been productive of as much excitement and humor as the one of Isaac Kilbourne, an aged Westminister Township farmer, who appeared before Squire Chittick yesterday on a charge of having blocked the public highway. The charge was preferred by John Shore, a neighbor of the defendant, and the taking of testimony occupied nearly the entire day. Squire Chittick reserved his decision.

The complainant himself and a number of witnesses testified that Kilbourne had carried a revolver on the day of the alleged offense, and had threatened to make use of it if any effort were made to drive past his team, which was standing across the road. Yesterday afternoon, in attempting to prove that he never carried a weapon, the defendant told a little hold-up story, of which the county constabulary were never notified. According to the story Kilbourne was held up by a vicious-looking tramp one night several weeks ago as he was driving along the Gore road near Dorchester.

"Hands up!" shouted the amateur Jesse James, and as the demand was emphasized by a huge revolver, Kilbourne complied quickly. "Shell out your money," came next. "I'm a desperate man, and what is more I'm so hungry that I could eat a pair of shoes."

Now at the time the victim of the alleged outrage had \$30 in his inside vest pocket. To gain time he started to argue with the man and finally succeeded in being permitted to continue his journey without giving up his money.

At the conclusion of the hearing, according to one of the county constables, Kilbourne and one of the county officers became engaged in a heated discussion, during which the officer was accused of having intimate knowledge of a bunch of turkeys which the other man had lost some time ago. The assertion was heatedly denied, and for several moments there appeared to be an excellent chance for a scrimmage. Eventually, all difficulties were smoothed over.

The constable afterward stated that Kilbourne had it in for him because he had testified against him in the case yesterday, while Kilbourne himself said that the officer had been responsible for the loss of his turkeys even if he didn't take them himself.

ASK SANCTION OF ONTARIO BOARD

Chairman Screation Wants Health Guardians to Come and Look Over Isolation Hospital.

Chairman Screation, of the hospital trust, stated to The Advertiser today that the city council and the trust are now waiting for the official sanction of the provincial board of health before proceeding with the construction of the new isolation hospital.

In order to secure the sanction as speedily as possible, Mr. Screation, on behalf of the trust, has written to Toronto asking the provincial board to meet in this city as soon as possible, and to take up the matter finally with the local authorities.

It is felt that if the members of the board were to come here they could overlook the ground and the city's plans, and that the building of the hospital, which is very badly needed, would thus be expedited.

INCREASE IN BANK CLEARINGS

Week Ending July 11, 1907, Exceeds Same Week of 1906.

Local bank clearings for the week ending July 11, 1907, totaled \$1,334,109. For the corresponding week last year the clearings aggregated \$1,439,313. Increase this year, \$94,796.

DOUBLE MURDER AT BUFFALO

Saloon Keeper and a Waitress Slabbed to Death.

DEED PROMPTED BY JEALOUSY

Well-Known Sporting Man and an Employee Killed Early This Morning.

Buffalo, July 11.—Peter Forrestal, a well-known saloonkeeper and sporting man, and Marie Smith, 32 years old, a waitress in his saloon-restaurant, were murdered early today. George Hodson, a painter, is accused of the crime. The Smith woman formerly lived with Hodson, and her refusal to leave his place, and resume her relations with him, are the alleged causes of the double murder. Hodson was arrested a few minutes after the crime was committed. He was covered with blood, but declared that he had no recollection of what occurred.

Forrestal was sitting in front of his saloon at Elm and South Division streets, at 1:30 this morning, when, it is alleged, Hodson rushed up and stabbed him with a butcher knife. Forrestal sank to the ground and his assailant again plunged the nine-inch blade of the knife into his chest. Hodson, it is alleged, then rushed upstairs to Marie Smith's room. She was in bed asleep, but was awakened by the bursting open of the door. As she sprang from bed Hodson, it is alleged, stabbed her twice, inflicting terrible wounds. Forrestal died in five minutes. The woman was taken to a hospital, where she died on the operating table.

Hodson was arrested and taken to police headquarters. He stated that he had been living with the Smith woman for two weeks ago. She had promised to leave Forrestal and return to him, but he had been unable to see her since July 4. Hodson declared that he had been drinking, and had no recollection of what happened at Forrestal's.

Forrestal was 60 years old. His brother, Edward J. Forrestal, is a captain on the Buffalo police force.

RAIN BLOCKS PLAY AT NIAGARA TOURNEY

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., July 11.—A steady downpour of rain since the tournament. It is doubtful if any games will be played this afternoon, as the green will not be in shape. The delay things up badly, as owing to the large entry, even with continuous playing, it would have been difficult to complete the contests this week.

The probability is the games will be shortened in an effort to get the matches pulled off before the rain sets in. The doubles and the singles, and in the consolation series. Willison, of the Canadas, and Warren, of Parkdale, are pretty general favorites for the final in the trophy.

ARRESTS CONTINUE IN WEST LONDON CASE

Chas. Burton Taken Into Custody Re Assault Charge Made by Woman.

Charles Burton was arrested this morning in connection with the alleged assault on Mrs. Burton, of Dundas street, and was allowed out on bail until Monday. Burton, although of the same name is no relation to Mrs. Burton, the complainant, and is being held on a charge of rape.

AT THE HAGUE.

The Hague, July 11.—A discussion of the Anglo-German propositions regarding the establishment of the proposed international prize court today occupied most of the time of the subcommittee to which the matter was referred. Considerable opposition developed, and ultimately Joseph H. Choate moved the appointment of a small commission to harmonize the different proposals. N. Bourgeois (France) heartily seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, July 11—8 a.m.

Today—Easterly winds, with rain.

Friday—Fresh northwesterly winds; fair and cool.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary. 54. 52. Fair.

Winnipeg. 64. 50. Clear.

Port Arthur. 60. 54. Fair.

Parry Sound. 62. 44. Cloudy.

Toronto. 62. 62. Rain.

Ottawa. 62. 56. Fair.

Quebec. 62. 56. Fair.

Montreal. 60. 48. Clear.

Father Point. 54. 48. Clear.

The first column records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours preceding.

WETTER NOTES.

Rain is falling in Southern Ontario.

Elsewhere in Canada the weather is fine. Great heat still prevails in the interior of British Columbia, and a fairly high temperature in other parts of the Dominion.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Toronto, July 10—8 a.m.—With the exception of some showers in Eastern Quebec, the weather today has been fine throughout the Dominion.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 55-79; Atlin, 48-72; Victoria, 52-76; Kamloops, 64-82; Calgary, 46-84; Edmonton, 50-80; Winnipeg, 52-80; Port Arthur, 54-76; Parry Sound, 54-72; Toronto, 56-80; Ottawa, 54-78; Montreal, 52-74; Quebec, 52-68; St. John, 56-70; Halifax, 52-58.

Italian Labor Imported Owing to Scarcity of Men

Contractors Cannot Carry on Work as They Want to With Local Supply.

The scarcity of laboring men in London has led Contractor W. C. Dill to import a large number of Italian laborers from Toronto to work on the Ottawa avenue sewer.

Mr. Dill claims that it is practically impossible to secure good laboring men in London. He has been here since the first of May, and he says that if he had experienced laborers he could have made much better progress than he has on the sewer.

He has kept half a dozen good men at work all the time, together with from two to four others whom he hired as they came looking for work. Two of his good men he got in Toronto, and the others were Londoners. Now he is in a position to go ahead at a rapid rate with the big sewer, as he has passed the worst of the quicksand, but he finds it impossible to secure the class of men he is looking for.

Italians Imported.

As a consequence he has brought up a gang of Italians, who have been working for him in Toronto and other places, and it is said, will, with the aid of Mr. Dill's foremen, rush the work in the way he wants it.

All the local contractors are complaining of a shortage of men. It is understood they are paying 20 cents an hour, but this figure appears to be no inducement.

A man will hire for a day and then quit without giving a minute's notice. Work is so plentiful, not alone in London, but all over the country, that men can afford to be independent. All they have to do is walk from one job to the other.

The Barber Company, which has begun work on Clarence street, snapped up whatever good help was lying about so that now other contractors are declaring that they may yet find it necessary to import Italian labor to help them out.

Blight & Fielder, it is alleged, were induced to throw up the contract, which he would move the house, which is situated on Quebec street, without bothering about a permit from the city.

"If you attempt it, you'll find your self in jail so quickly you won't know what happened," replied his worship.

"We'll not stand for anything like that."

Davidson didn't say anything, but he went away with a promise that the matter would be laid before the chairman of the board of works at once. The board does not meet till next week.

Mr. Graydon claims that the house-mover has caused the city hundreds of dollars damage since he began work here, through the breaking of walks, wires, etc. On the other hand, Mr. Davidson declares that the companies which have franchises in London have wires so close to the ground that they are endangering the public, and he thinks they are not entitled to damages when the wires are broken.

MR. JUDD'S REPORT BEHEADS ANOTHER

Provincial Govt. Axe Swings Again—Dundas Registrar the Victim.

Toronto, July 11.—Again the axe has fallen, and Mr. Thomas MacDonald, registrar of Dundas County, has been dismissed. Mr. J. Dillon, of Morrisburg, has been appointed in his place.

Political partisanship is the crime of which Mr. MacDonald is said to have been found guilty. Charges were laid some weeks ago, and Mayor Judd, of London, was appointed commissioner to make inquiries. On the strength of his report, it is understood, the Government took action.

He has conducted three inquiries, and a dismissal has followed each.

London Orangemen Are to Celebrate at Ingersoll

The 217th Anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne—Good Time Expected.

There will be no Orange celebration in London tomorrow, which is the 217th anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne. Instead, the four local lodges, with their crews, will leave for Ingersoll in the morning, where a monster procession of all the Orangemen of the district will be held.

Amongst those whom leave London will be members of Ahoghill, Hackett and Forest City lodges. They will go via the Grand Trunk Railway, leaving at 10 o'clock, and returning from Ingersoll at 7 p.m.

A return fare of 60 cents from the Richmond street depot has been secured, and 55 cents from the East London depot.

On their arrival at Ingersoll, all the Orangemen will be met by the marshals and a brass band, and escorted to their hotels. At 1 o'clock the big parade will take place.

Music will be furnished by the Ingersoll L. O. L. Brass Band and the Twenty-second Regiment Band, of Woodstock.

In addition to a sports programme, there will be a brass-band competition, for which a first prize of \$60, a second prize of \$25, and a third prize of \$15 will be offered. A life and drum band competition is also on the programme.

With good weather it is expected that the celebration will prove very successful, as a large crowd is assured, rain or shine.

SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT

Labatt Mfg. Co. Molders May Return to Work at Any Time.

The sixteen brass molders who yesterday afternoon quit work at the works of the Labatt Manufacturing Company, because the company persisted in keeping on a man who was a non-unionist, and who was distasteful to them, are still out on strike, but it is understood that there is every prospect of a settlement being reached.

NO PERMIT FOR THIS HOUSEMOVER

Engineer Graydon Puts His Foot Down—Appeal to Mayor Fails.

Housemover Davidson, of this city, with whom the city officials have had quite a little trouble this summer, is tied up in drydock with a house on his hands, for which he cannot get a permit to move.

Mr. Graydon has now five claims for damages against Davidson from companies and people, who claim they suffered damage at the hands of the housemover.

Mr. Graydon claims that he has repeatedly warned Mr. Davidson that unless he improved his housemoving ethics he would have to refuse him a permit. Mr. Davidson kept right on, however, and today when he came for a permit he was refused.

The housemover then carried the case to a higher court, and appealed to the mayor. His worship refused to interfere, and Davidson declared that he would move the house, which is situated on Quebec street, without bothering about a permit from the city.

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PREMIER WHITNEY OFF FOR LIVERPOOL

Toronto, July 11.—Premier Whitney sails for Liverpool by the Campania, leaving New York on Saturday.

He stated that he was going on public business and would attend to two or three matters of interest to Ontario.

He expects to return about the first week in September.

During the absence of Hon. Mr. Whitney, Hon. J. J. F. Attorney-General, will be acting Premier, an order-in-council having been passed to that effect.

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CORONER'S INQUIRY IN RUSSELL CASE

Investigation Into the Death of Miss Russell Opens.

THE STOMACH TO BE ANALYZED

Friends of the Deceased and Her Physicians Tell of the Fatal Illness.

An inquest was opened last night at the police station under Coroner MacLaren, in connection with the death of the late Miss Agnes Russell, who died on Wednesday, July 3, at the Brown Hotel, after a brief illness. After hearing the testimony of several witnesses, including the statements of Doctors Campbell and Mason, who attended Miss Russell, the jury adjourned to meet on the evening of Tuesday, July 23, at the police station, when the result of the analysis of the stomach and other tissues, sent to Toronto to be analyzed, will be made known to the jury.

Health Generally Good.

Miss Laura Judd, an employee at the Brown House, was the first witness called. She stated that during the two years that she had been at the hotel Miss Russell had been employed as cook there, so far as she knew the woman had never been away from the hotel for any length of time with the exception of one week, when she had gone to Owen Sound. She had never heard her complain of being very ill at any time, and always understood that she had been enjoying the best of health. The fact that Mr. Brown had not been living steadily with his wife was known to witness, and she also knew that Miss Russell was Mr. Brown's wife's sister.

Miss Judd was questioned to ascertain whether deceased had complained of being ill within a few days preceding her death, and she stated that she had not, and had appeared to be in the best of health and cheerful.

On Wednesday, the day preceding Miss Russell's death, witness, as first seen her at dinner time, when she was waiting on the table. At both times she appeared to be in exceedingly good health, and was even more cheerful than was her custom.

Witness was then questioned as to what sleeping apartments were occupied by Miss Russell while at the hotel, and described the arrangement of the interior of the building. The room occupied by Miss Brown was off the private parlor, while next to it was the room occupied by Mr. Brown's children, and just across the parlor was the room occupied by Mr. Brown.

Mr. McKillop then cross-questioned Miss Judd, to make sure that she had not heard Miss Russell complain during the week prior to her death, or had known her to be sick.

The Fatal Illness.

Miss Judd then went on to tell of going into the laundry room, adjoining the kitchen, to iron, after dinner, and of seeing Miss Russell in the kitchen. About 2 o'clock Miss Russell went upstairs, and she did not see any more of her until she heard Mr. Brown call down to Mrs. Staley to come upstairs. This was about 2:30, she thinking that there was something wrong. She ran upstairs, and when up there found Miss Russell lying on the bed in her room. Mr. Brown and Mrs. Staley were in the room.

Mr. McKillop, at this juncture, subjected Miss Judd to a rigid cross-questioning about what clothing Miss Russell had worn, who was in the room at the time when she had entered, and what had become of Miss Russell's clothes if she was not wearing them. The witness, however, did not know much about any of the questions, and claimed to have paid little attention to any of the particulars on which she was questioned.

Witness was next questioned about Miss Russell's condition, and she stated that she was mourning, but acknowledged that she had worn downstairs immediately after her entry and telephoned for a doctor. While he was gone Mrs. McKnight came into the room. Dr. Mason arrived presently, and witness stayed in the room until Continued on Page Ten.

ENTICED GIRL FROM S. A. HOME

A Young Man Said to Have Taken Her to Port Stanley.

Detective Rider left this afternoon for Port Stanley to locate a young girl who, it is alleged, was taken away from the Salvation Army Rescue Home by an unknown young man.

The Salvation Army officials refuse to make known the name of the girl, and also refuse to tell the name of the man who is suspected of having enticed her away.

Just what method the man in the case used to induce the girl to leave is a mystery. From information received by the Salvation Army officials it is understood that he left for Port Stanley with her the same day and that they are both there now.

The local detective force was called upon to help the army officials in locating the girl after she had been missed from the home, and Detective Rider went down to the lakeside this afternoon to look her up.

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NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Librarian Carson announces the following additions to the public library list:

Churchill—London to Ladysmith.
Handford—The Beautiful Life of Queen Victoria.
Denison—Soldiering in Canada.
Anonymous—An Englishman's Love Letters.
Mackay—Pioneer Life in Zorra.
Adams—Harper's Outdoor Book for Boys.
McCook—Nature's Craftsmen.
Sanderson—Great Britain in Modern Africa.
Wright—Scientific Confirmations of Old Testament History.
Gordon—The Social Ideals of Alfred Dennyson.
Beams—Notable Trials.
Robertson—Personal Adventures and Anecdotes.
Parry—Britain's Roll of Glory.
Greenwood—Edward's Wars.
Boulton—Preservation of Timber.
Masterlinck—The Buried Temple.
City of London Council Proceedings, 1906.
Civil Reports, etc.
Are—The Horse: Its Treatment in Health and Disease.
Brown—A Literary History of Persia.
Two volumes.
Sweetnam—British Malaya.
Wrong—Review of Historical Publications Relating to Canada. Vol. II.
Redford—Four Seasons in the Garden.
Sedgwick—The Garden Month by Month.
French—The Book of Vegetables.
Statutes of Ontario, 1907.
International Library—Qualitative and Quantitative Analysis.
International Library—Packing House Industries: Cottonseed Oil, Leather, Soap.
Tichner—Experimental Psychology. Qualitative students' manual. Psychology. Qualitative students' manual.
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Grossman—The Elements of Chemical Engineering.
Fletcher—The Philosophy of Rest.
Armstrong—The Museums and Ruins of Rome. Two volumes.
Woodbury—Photographic Amusements.

Educational Sociology Dealt With by Prof. Barnes

Dangers of Infection in Schools Pointed Out—England Awake to the Matter.

"Educational Sociology" was the subject discussed by Professor Barnes yesterday afternoon at the Public Library. The subject was treated in a very scholarly way, and was of great interest to the large number of teachers present.

Professor Barnes traced the development of the world ideas. For years people never even thought of the natural phenomena to be seen on all sides. This period of ignorance was followed by one of superstition, this again giving way to the period of larger knowledge.

"The period of superstition passed," remarked the speaker, "and this is true in medical lines. Now we realize that if one is sick, all the physicians can do is to put him under the conditions that nature can cure him. Yet, though there is intelligence in the objective world, we are just beginning to get an intelligent outlook on sociological subjects."

The speaker related a circumstance in connection with the great university at Cairo. The plague had broken out among the students, and, owing to the ignorance of the people, the English had to break into the university and carry off those affected.

Danger of Infection.

"We are doing practically the same thing here," continued Prof. Barnes, "in allowing children with tubercular trouble to sit by healthy ones in our schools. Yet for nine years, the state compels me to send my children where these conditions exist."

"England is the most wide-awake nation in this respect," stated the professor, and he went on to show the way the Boer war had roused the English people to this crying danger.

"England," he said, "exerts the widest influence since the Roman Empire. Every Englishman is virtually responsible for 10 colored people in dependence; and to protect these a huge army is necessary. So England must draft out her best men to manage these countries."

Professor Barnes went on to show how this exportation of England's best lowered her standard of manhood at home. In India the climate is such that a white man cannot work there, even in the most favorable parts for more than 20 years. The climate, also, is ruinous to the children of Europeans born in the country. Thus, at the beginning of the South African war, England found herself face to face with the fact that her manhood had declined.

Keep Up the Men.

Rome failed because the harvest of men failed; and England has to look to it to see that she suffers no similar fate. With this end in view a committee was appointed in 1901 to report on the "Physical deterioration in England."

With the report of this committee the speaker dealt largely in the remainder of the lecture, showing how the evils mentioned applied to conditions existing here, and in a good many cases pointing out the remedy.

"England's wear was not coal, soil, and forests, but men," said Professor Barnes. "With good men they could

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Conservatory of Music Examination Results

Names of Successful Students in the Recent Tests Held Here.

Following are the results of the examinations recently held by the London Conservatory of Music. Mr. Rudolph Ganz, the noted Swiss pianist, acted as examiner of the senior piano students, and later wrote Mr. Barron, complimenting him on the excellent work of the staff, and expressing his delight with Mr. Barron's compositions, which he intends to play. Mr. Ganz will examine next year.

The Medalists.
 The medals and scholarships awarded are as follows:
Honorary—J. Barron, Miss E. Bunt, London.
McCorkill gold medal—Miss M. Mooney, London.
O'Donnell scholarship—Miss I. Campbell, Belmont.
Steele gold medal—Miss F. Finnegan, London.
Steele silver medal—Miss A. Regan, London.

Pianoforte.
 Senior examination, artists' course—**E. Bunt, London; J. Dewar, Kertch; F. Finnegan, London; Grace Maxwell, St. Marys; M. Matheson, London; A. Regan, London; G. Shortill, London.**
 Senior examination, teachers' normal course—**N. Cleghorn, Woodstock; F. Finnegan, London; I. Gray, London; M. Hicks, Barnholm; C. Harding, St. Marys; E. McCrimmon, London; G. Shortill, London.**

Intermediate Piano.
 First-class honors—**G. Andrus, London; M. Bowby, Watford; M. Callaghan, Kertch; A. Christopher, London; P. Culbert, Wyoming; B. Beason, Colleston; M. Gibb, Stratford; L. Leach, Watford; P. Maynard, London; A. Malcolmson, Dutton; G. Moyer, Ingersoll; A. McIntosh, Stratford; M. Nairn, Motherwell; R. Parkin, Stratford; G. Rennie, London; P. Saunders, Watford; H. Tait, K. Wilson, London; E. Wilson, Arkona; A. Worden, St. Marys, Springbank; B. McMillan, M. Shannon, E. Smith, London. Pass—**M. Draper, London; M. Dewar, Watford; M. Hamilton, Watford; D. Monroe, R. Phillips, London.****

Junior Piano.
 First-Class honors—**J. Anderson, St. Thomas; L. Arnold, Kinlough; S. Ball, London; O. Barber, St. Thomas; B. Beason, Watford; E. Berry, St. Marys; G. Choyens, Parkhill; W. Wainstead; E. Conners, Parkhill; M. Dale, Ingersoll; A. Dodge, Beachville; A. Foster, Varna; E. Grant, Granton; B. Hawkey, Parkhill; L. Higginell, Mitchell; E. Hill, Wyoming; K. Kirby, Tresswater; M. Leitch, Dutton; K. Leslie, St. Marys; Y. Munroe, Parkhill; R. Morrison, Colleston; K. McKinnell, Kertch; R. McIntosh, I. McKinnell, Wyoming; S. M. Lagan, Mitchell; A. McLean, St. Marys; J. McPhedran, Wainstead; E. Rennie, Zurich; N. Robinson, Alisa Craig; M. Spearin, St. Marys; E. White, Alisa Craig.**
 Honors—**G. Boyd, London; I. Coppin, Mitchell; E. Flood, London; P. Horsman, Ingersoll; L. Muxworthy, Watford; E. Phillips, E. Robinson, M. Smith, London; E. Smith, Glasgow; Pass—E. Miller, Port Elgin; G. McLean, G. Phillips, London.**

Primary Piano.
 First-Class honors—**H. Ashman, London; A. Barbour, Staffa; N. Blanch, London; O. B. Blanch, Staffa; A. Constable, St. Marys; L. Coppin, Mitchell; E. Climo, Stratford; D. Craig, Clinton; E. Dunn, Hensall; V. Edgar, Ingersoll; B. Edwards, Watford; A. Griffin, Wingham; I. Gibson, Petrolia; G. Gray, St. Marys; K. Glenn, Glasgow; G. Hastings, Wingham; E. Hall, Wingham; L. Kennedy, Clinton; G. Kennedy, I. Kennedy, Wingham; P. Kitchen, Colleston; N. Lamont, Blake; H. Legg, Walnut; C. Little, St. Thomas; G. Mann, St. Thomas; E. Maxwell, St. Marys; E. Mooney, Stratford; F. McDonald, Florence; M. McKinley, Blake; M. Farmer, Woodstock; M. Russell, Carlingford; M. Simpson, London; H. Smith, Ingersoll; I. Stewart, Motherwell; G. Short, Woodstock; G. Stedwell, St. Thomas; N. Sprout, Egmondville; G. Stokes, Parkhill; C. Taylor, Belmont; B. Turner, Carlingford; M. Ward, Kennicott; L. Yungblut, Hensall. Honors—**E. Ellwood, Brinsley; R. Fisher, London; C. Kerr, Ingersoll; M. Leach, Petrolia; H. Montzambert, St. Marys; M. McGill, V. McPherson, London; G. Parrish, Colleston; A. Phillips, London; L. Robb, Mitchell; M. Soole, Blake; D. Walker, Derwent; G. Wilson, St. Marys. Pass—**E. Edgar, Ingersoll; D. Carrothers, Belmont; P. E. Ingersoll; M. Lucas, London; E. O'Meara, Ingersoll; L. Purdon, M. Purdon, C. Snyder, M. Struthers, R. Westell, London.******

St. Joseph's Convent, Goderich.
 Primary piano, first-class honors—**L. Carey, E. Webb, E. Doyle.**

HOSPITAL TRUST

Short Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon to Transact Routine Business.

The hospital trust met yesterday afternoon and held a fifteen-minute session.

It was stated that the hospital's share of the Mkhado benefit receipts amounted to \$154.50, and the money has been paid over to the trust.

The maternity ward, which was closed some time ago, as the result of an outbreak of erysipelas, was opened again today.

Superintendent Heard's report for the month of June showed that 139 patients had been admitted during the month, 45 of whom were males, 64 females, and 30 children. During the same period, 183 were discharged—87 males, 62 females and 48 children.

During June there were 7 deaths and twenty-five cents

Sacred Heart Convent, London.
 Primary practical harmony, first-class honors—**A. Fitzgerald, Brooklyn, N. Y.; E. Pococke, London; M. Pococke, St. Thomas; E. Rice, Detroit, Mich. Honors—M. Hagan, Owensboro, Ky.; L. Hickey, St. Thomas, Intermediate first-class honors—E. Pococke, London; Junior piano, first-class honors—M. Pococke, St. Thomas. Primary piano, honors—M. Brady, St. Thomas; N. Murphy, London.**

Vocal.
 Intermediate vocal, first-class honors—**E. Corcoran, London.**
 Honors—**M. McChesney, White Oak.**
 Junior vocal, first-class honors—**M. Bowby, Watford.**
 Honors—**Jas. P. Abram, W. Collins, London.**

Elocution.
 Senior elocution (oral), first-class honors—**J. Carmichael, London; J. MacDonald, Ridgeway; H. Smith, London.**
 Elocution (written), first-class honors—**J. Carmichael, J. MacDonald, H. Smith.**

Physical Culture.
 First-class honors—**J. Carmichael, Honors—J. MacDonald, H. Smith.**
Gestures and Voice Culture.
 First-class honors—**J. Carmichael, J. MacDonald, H. Smith.**
Violin.
 Junior violin, first-class honors—**C. L. Laing, Bayham.**
 Primary violin, first-class honors—**H. Anthistia, F. Buck, London; A. Booker, Aylmer; J. Gwyer, London; H. Hemingway, M. Hughes, Aylmer; M. Lawton, St. Thomas; E. Masuret, R. Masuret, London; B. Trim, M. Wilson, Aylmer.**

Harmony.
 Past graduate harmony, first-class honors—**L. Cade, N. Howard, St. Marys.**
 Applied counterpoint, first-class honors—**L. Cade, N. Howard.**
 Orchestration, honors—**L. Cade, N. Howard.**
 Acoustics, first-class honors—**L. Cade, N. Howard.**
 Extemporization, honors—**L. Cade, N. Howard.**
 Senior harmony, first-class honors—**M. Mooney, London. Honors—I. Campbell, Belmont.**
 Counterpoint, first-class honors—**M. Mooney, Honors—I. Campbell.**
 Canon and fugue, first-class honors—**I. Campbell, M. Mooney.**
 Orchestration, first-class honors—**I. Campbell, Honors—M. Mooney.**
 Acoustics, first-class honors—**I. Campbell, M. Mooney.**
 History, first-class honors—**I. Campbell, M. Mooney.**

Intermediates.
 Practical harmony, first-class honors—**M. Dobbyn, Sheland; J. Galbraith, St. Marys; M. Hicks, Barnholm; Georgia Maxwell, St. Marys.**
 Counterpoint, first-class honors—**M. Dobbyn, Sheland; I. Gray, London; J. Galbraith, St. Marys; M. Hicks, Barnholm; Georgia Maxwell, St. Marys; E. Quick, L. Ward, London. Honors—J. Perrin, London.**

Musical form, first-class honors—J. Dewar, Kertch; M. Dobbyn, Sheland; I. Gray, London; J. Galbraith, Georgia Maxwell, St. Marys; E. Quick, N. Tytler, London.
 Junior practical harmony, first-class honors—**G. Andrus, London; C. Harding, St. Marys; B. McMillan, London; V. Patterson, St. Marys; B. Steele, London; Y. Thorne, Mitchell. Honors—J. Collins, Woodstock; I. Foster, London; E. Gregory, St. Marys; M. Shannon, London.**
 Theoretical harmony, first-class honors—**H. Carnell, London.**
 Counterpoint, first-class honors—**C. Harding, St. Marys; H. Maguire, A. Regan, E. Steele, London.**
 History first-class honors—**M. Bragg, J. C. Fitzgerald, I. Gray, London; H. Hill Mitchell; H. Maguire, A. Regan, N. Tytler, H. Carnell, London.**
 Honors—**A. Malcolmson, Dutton.**
 Primary practical harmony, honors—**I. Jackson, London; A. McLean, M. Spearin, St. Marys.**
 Theoretical harmony, first-class honors—**M. Caddey, Ingersoll; J. C. Fitzgerald, London. Honors—A. Malcolmson, Dutton; K. McDougall, Kertch; E. Wilson, Arkona; A. Worden, St. Pauls. Pass—V. Branton, E. Marshall, London.**

Rudiments.
 First-class honors—**B. Beason, Warwick; I. Coppin, Mitchell; M. Manning, Clinton; E. Miller, Port Elgin; R. Morrison, Colleston; M. McChesney, White Oak; A. Rawson, Colleston; M. Smith, E. Smith, London.**
 Honors—**A. Barbour, Staffa; B. Begg, St. Thomas; K. Cooper, Wainstead; M. Caddey, Ingersoll; J. Dickinson, St. Marys; E. Hollingshead, Dutton; L. Robb, Mitchell; E. Robinson, F. Woolley, M. Weir, London.**
 Pass—**M. Anthistia, London; J. Anderson, St. Thomas; G. Auld, Watford; O. Barber, St. Thomas; G. Boyd, London; P. Horsman, Ingersoll; M. Leitch, Dutton; N. Sprout, Egmondville; D. Wordsworth, Watford.**

15 births in the institution. Number of operations performed, 29. Number of patients treated on June 30, was 80. Mr. Heard's report also showed that the receipts for the month had been \$2,371.90. Accounts passed by the trust yesterday totaled \$4,549.61.

Chairman Scream, Mayor Judd, Trustees Graham, Harris, Jackson, and Superintendent Heard were present.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, JULY 11.

UNWORTHY TACTICS.

By installing meters as proposed
in the independent fire-fighting
scheme, the workmen will help to
pay for a system that will give pro-
tection only to the downtown section
and the manufacturers.—Free Press.This is sheer misrepresentation, and
an unworthy appeal to class-feeling. It
is not the spirit in which a question
of vital importance to the citizens of
London should be discussed. Manu-
facturers, merchants, and workmen
have a common concern in the solution
of the water problem. Any attempt to
array one section of the community
against the other in this matter is a
crime against the interests of the city.The benefits of the high-pressure
system are not limited to the business-
men and the owners of down-town
property, although the latter would be
required to pay the larger part of the
cost. The river water in the high-
pressure mains would be used for street
watering, for the cleansing of pave-
ments, and the flushing of sewers. An
unlimited supply of water for these
purposes would be an untold benefit to
the whole community. River water
would be immediately available also
for watering lawns on thirteen miles
of streets, and a system of pipes for
this purpose could be extended in-
definitely if needed.Furthermore, the use of river water
for street watering, sewer cleaning,
lawns, factories, live stock, etc.,
would save at least half a million gal-
lons daily in the summer months, and
this saving would be greater every
year. The workmen are as much
interested as any other class in the
conservation of London's splendid
spring water supply for drinking pur-
poses. This is one of the strong
features of the dual system.It is folly to argue that the work-
men have no direct interest in the
efficiency of fire protection in the
down-town and manufacturing dis-
tricts. If the city were swept by a con-
flagration, and one or more of its great
industries wiped out, would the work-
men not be sufferers?It will be seen that the advantages
of the dual system would be diffused
through the whole city. The criticism
of the meter system is as un-
truthful as the statement that the
high-pressure system is for the
benefit of one class. The ad-
vocates of the independent scheme
gradually in the larger premises where
most of the waste of water occurs.
Whether meters would be placed on all
the services would be a question to be
decided some years hence, in the light
of experience. It is also unfair and
misleading to assert that meters will
increase the cost of water. They merely
decrease the cost of pumping,
and the water rates may be so ad-
justed that the consumer will get the
benefit of this saving, or will not be
required to pay on the average more
than under the old system. The only
person who will pay more for water
under the new method is the one who
allows water to go to waste, carelessly
or wantonly. This is the class of
consumers who increase the water-
works expenses and consequently the
water rates. They can be effectively
checked only by the meter.

LEGISLATING FOR CANADA.

Canada's legislative dependence is
again brought forcibly to mind by the
Imperial Parliament. The Dominion
Government and eight of the nine pro-
vincial governments of this country
agreed at the recent inter-provincial
conference upon financial terms which
were to be a final and unalterable
settlement, but the British Government
struck the words "final and unalter-
able" from the bill. The result will
be that when the provinces again be-
come squeezed for money they will be
free to organize another raid on the
federal treasury. A more curious il-
lustration of Canada's subordinate
status was the attempt of a single
member of the British Parliament, Sir
Frederick Banbury, to amend the bill.
He moved that the additional grant of
\$100,000 annually to British Columbia,
which the inter-provincial conference
conceded in view of the special claims
of the coast province, be extended
from ten to thirty years. The spectacle
of this British legislator, who prob-
ably has never set foot on Canadian
soil, trying to override the Federal
Government and eight provincial gov-
ernments of the Dominion, would be
ridiculous if it were not for the fact
that his resolution was perfectly con-
stitutional.These incidents remind Canadians
that Canada is not a self-governing
country in the full sense of the word,
but in the last analysis is subordinate
to the British people, through their
parliament. We Canadians have notthe power to amend our own constitu-
tion. Is there any Canadian so foolish
as to think that if this power were in
our own hands it would imperil Brit-
ish connection, or so un-Canadian as
to question our right and ability to
control a purely domestic affair? The
nearer Canada approaches a position
of perfect equality within the Empire,
the stronger will be the imperial tie.

THE HAGUE CONFERENCE.

While it seems settled that the ques-
tion of the reduction of armaments will
not be discussed at the present con-
ference at The Hague, there is good
reason to hope that something will be
accomplished toward the amelioration
of war. There is strong probability
that the Russian proposal for an arbi-
tration court that will meet annually,
which in turn will appoint a smaller
court to sit permanently, will be
adopted. Such a court might prove the
entering wedge for a permanent in-
ternational peace congress, which has
long been urged by peace advocates.The proposition put forward by Mr.
Choate on behalf of the United States
delegates in favor of the exempting of
all private property in war time, has
not been favorably received. The
head of the Russian delegation, M.
Neldford, urged that such exemption
would render war more frequent, and
thus destroy the peace purpose of the
proposition. Today every navy has its
commerce destroyers—some avowedly
so built, others constructed as fast
armed cruisers, but both kinds for the
purpose of capturing or sinking un-
armed merchantmen in war time. The
main defence of this is the claim that
the way to end war is to make your
enemy suffer as much as possible, or,
as Capt. Mahan, of the U. S. navy,
says, "to stop maritime transportation—
the increase of the enemy's wealth by
circulation." The capture of private
property at sea is also defended on the
ground that a country at war is no
more entitled to receive supplies than
is the beleaguered garrison of a city.But the abolition of the capture of
private property at sea would not pre-
vent the blocking of harbors nor the
prohibition of the importation of im-
munitions of war. The primary aim
is the safeguarding of the merchant
vessel of a non-combatant carrying a
non-contraband cargo from one country
to another. It is pretty safe to
assume that whatever makes for
civilization also makes for peace, and
beyond all question the ex-
emption of private property at sea
would be a great step in that direction.It is disappointing to find Great
Britain and Germany opposing the
principle advocated by the United
States. Resort to coercion in the collection
of debts from South American republics
is another matter which has been put
forward by the United States delegates,
who claim that so long as the practice
is continued there is a possibility of
their country becoming involved. But
it is to be feared that until some
equally effective method of making
such people as the Venezuelans meet
their obligations can be found, coercion
will have to be resorted to. Experience
has proven this.The filtered river water scheme is a
good one for the ice-man. His wares
are not needed to cool London's spring
water.It is said that Mr. Bourassa will en-
ter provincial politics in Quebec. As he
is entirely provincial in his outlook, he
may do better there than in the federal
arena.London is growing faster relatively
than any other city in Eastern Cana-
da. This will surprise some of its
more conceited and vociferous rivals,
who dub it London-in-the-Woods.Canada's population is estimated by
the census department at 6,504,000.
The Dominion has more people than
Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Holland,
Scotland, Ireland, Servia, Roumania or
Bulgaria and almost as many as Bel-
gium. Before the end of this century
Canada should take rank among the
great powers.The King and Queen are being en-
thusiastically welcomed in Dublin. The
Irish race is rich in the elements of
loyalty and the present King is the

WHY NOT TRY STOPPING THE WASTE?

[From The Finances of Cleveland,
by Charles C. Williamson, Ph.D., Uni-
versity of Columbia, Fellow in Political
Economy, New York: the Colum-
bia University Press.]The present policy of introducing
meters lends special interest to the
administration of the Cleveland water-
works.The introduction of meters to re-
duce waste was urged for many years.
In 1884 it was asserted that by a
proper elimination of waste pumpage
it could be reduced one-half.From 1880 to 1890, pumpage in-
creased 173 per cent, and in the next
decade 141 per cent, population in the
meanwhile increasing 63 per cent in
the first period and 46 per cent in the
second.A general introduction of meters
set at the expense of the city began
in 1901. At the beginning of 1901, 2,012
meters were in use; the number was
increased to 2,981 during the year; in
1902 it was further increased to 11,099,first British monarch who has tried
to touch a responsive chord.It is cheering to hear that so far
there has been no approach to a short-
age of water at Springbank, although
there has been a dry spell. When the
spring water supply may be so largely
conserved or extended, it is folly to
talk of an immediate resort to river
water for drinking.

REVENGE.

[Exchange.]

Mrs. A.—That woman next door bought
a hat exactly like mine.
Mr. A.—Did it make you mad?Mrs. A.—Not a bit; I gave mine to the
cook.

TOO DEAR.

[Harper's Bazar.]

"I hear your prospective sister-in-law is
a dear girl?"

"Yes; she's more than Tom can afford."

CAUTIOUS.

[Cleveland Leader.]

The Judge—Well, sir, have you anything
to say?
The Lawyer—No, sir. But if your honor
were a mind reader, you would find me for
contempt of court.

FINE DISTINCTION.

[Washington Star.]

"Why did you leave the room so hurried-
ly?""Because," answered young Mrs. Torkins,
"Charles is beginning to talk about the
weather. I approve of what he is going to
say, though I don't think it proper for me
to hear it."

BY WAY OF ADVICE.

[R. L. Stevenson.]

Children, you are very little.
And your bones are very brittle;
If you would grow great and stately,
You must try to walk sedately.You must still be bright and quiet,
And content with simple diet,
And remain through all bewildering
Innocent and honest children.Happy hearts and happy faces,
Happy play in grassy places;
That is how in ancient ages
Children grew to kings and sages.But the unkind or the untruthful,
And the sort who eat unduly,
They must never hope for glory—
Theirs is quite a different story.Cruel children, crying babies,
All grow up as geese and gibes,
Hated as their age increases
By their nephews and their nieces.

MOCK DEMOCRACY.

[Toronto Star.]

William Jennings Bryan does not wear a
nightshirt. That he wears this device of
esoteric luxury only serves to endear him
to the democracy.

A SURE THING.

[Philadelphia Press.]

"Of course," said the optimist, "if a man
gets into the habit of hunting trouble he's
sure to find it."
"Yes," replied the pessimist, "and if he's
lazy that he always tries to avoid it,
it will find him. So what's the difference?"

BELOW PAR.

[Philadelphia Press.]

"No," said Kadey, "I never associate
with my inferiors. Do you?"
"Really, I can't agree," replied Miss Cut-
ting. "I don't think I ever met any of
your inferiors."

THE POWER OF MUSIC.

[Chicago News.]

The Missus (crossly)—Oh, I do wish I
could be alone for a while, now and then.
The Mister (brutally)—Why don't you
play the piano when you feel that way?

KITTY'S LITTLE SUPPER.

[Woman's Home Companion.]

When Kitty brings her chafing-dish
To make an oyster stew,
It bubbles once—a hasty stir—
And lo! the task is through.My share I eat with relish, and
I'm careful not to grin;
Dear Kitty's mother made that stew
Ere Kitty brought it in.

EVEN THE SPEC. SQUIRMS.

[Hamilton Spectator, Ont.]

The more we hear of the case of Magis-
trate Woodruff, of Brantford, and the more
we are convinced that he is entitled to a
staunch. The story, as published, seems to
be almost entirely in the magistrate's
favor. But, of course, there may be some
phases of the case which have not yet
been made known to the public.

COMPROMISE.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]

"And you will give us your blessing?"
asked the eloping bride, returned to the
parental roof.
"Freely," replied the old man; "no trou-
ble about the blessing, but board and
lodgings will be at regular rates."

ABUSING THE HORSE.

[Goldwin Smith, in The Farmers' Sun.]

The Horse Show at Toronto on Dominion
Day was a great success, and hearty
thanks are due to those by whom, with
no small effort we may be sure, the show
has been set on foot. The value of the
horse has not been lowered by the auction;
the price of horses, at least, has greatly
risen. Our treatment of the animal is,
may hope, improving. He has long ceased
to be "hogged" or "nicked." The silly trickand to 24,583 in 1903. At the close of
1906, exclusive of free metered con-
nections, 43,256 out of 64,137 connec-
tions in use were metered. A little less
than one-half of the 1,009 free con-
nections were also provided with
meters.In the four years, 1902-1905, outlay
for this purpose was \$728,613, the
present value of all meters in use
being estimated at \$735,553.It is calculated that for every
dollar spent on meters two dollars
have been saved in machinery, build-
ings and other construction which the
rapid increase in pumpage would have
necessitated.Consumers also have benefited; in
April, 1904, 20,443 metered consumers
were paying 73.2 per cent of what
they had paid under assessment. Over
nine out of ten, the superintendent
says, "are saving money from
meters."A beneficial effect on the health of
the city is also obtained.The Food
That BuildsMaybe you think of
Mooney's Sodas only as a
toothsome tidbit. Don't
overlook their food valueMooney's
Perfection
Cream Sodasare made of finest Cana-
dian wheat flour, pure but-
ter and rich cream. There's
nothing else of equal size
and cost that contains so
much wholesome nour-
ishment.
An ideal food.All grocers have them—fresh
and crisp in air-tight packages.of docking his tail to deprive him of de-
fense against flies seems going out. That
cruel and senseless instrument of torture,
the check-rein, is rather less common than
it was. The last apology for it heard by
the Bystander is that in a close race it
may make the horse winner by a head.
On the other hand, the practice of buying
broken-down horses, using them up, and
then selling them to the knacker, seems
to be coming in with a certain class of
immigrants. When will man feel the grati-
tude which he owes to the robber of his
mute partners in the work of civilization?

THE HONEYMOON.

[Tit-Bits.]

He—So they got married and went off
in their new motor car.
She—And where did they spend their
honeymoon?
He—In the hospital.

IT HAS MANY NAMES.

[Ottawa Journal.]

Psychic epilepsy is the latest American
excuse for pure cussedness.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]

To go to the root of the matter, is it
not possible, may be probable, that empty
pews are to a considerable extent the re-
sult of empty sermons?

THE NEXT ACHIEVEMENT.

[Punch.]

Glancy (with paper)—Glory be! I won-
der if miracles'll ever cease? They've
wondered th' air, weighed th' soul, an'
now, beaded, they've photographed th'
brain! I wonder whether they'll do next?
Connolly—Faith, it ain't too much to
predict that in a month or so they'll be
radin' th' unwritten law!

THE ONE WAY OUT.

[Tales.]

Little Girl (after a domestic scene with
her mother)—The best thing for us to do,
mamma, is to agree to a separation.

THE BLOODHOUNDS.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

He was to make his first appearance on
any stage in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
Just before the curtain went up he turn-
ed to the stage manager.
"Are those the bloodhounds howling?"he asked.
The stage manager looked around.
"No," he replied, "that's the audience."

WHAT HE WOULD TAKE.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Being very close-fisted, Mason had never
allowed himself the costly habit of smok-
ing. He always felt himself a loser when
anyone treated to cigars. But on one oc-
casion, when the party he was with entered
a stationery and cigar store, he made up
his mind to have his share of the treat.
"Won't you have a smoke this time?"
asked the leader.
"No, thank you," replied Mason; "but
if you don't mind I believe I'll take a
penoil."VETERANS OF '66
ELECT OFFICERSMr. E. T. Essery Again Chosen
President—A Picnic to Be
Held Shortly.The annual meeting of the London
Veterans Association of 1866 was held
in the city hall last night, and the
following officers were elected for the
ensuing year:President—Comrade E. T. Essery.
First vice-president—R. McBride.
Second vice-president—H. Dreaney.
Secretary—H. Pratt.
Treasurer—J. Hilsop.
Executive committee—W. Fairbairn,
E. Fitzgerald, J. Screamon, J. Bushby.
The veterans intend holding an ex-
cursion during the summer.PETER'S
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Sustaining,
Wholesome
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SUMMER SALETHIS IS THE MONTH OF DEEPLY CUT PRICES--It is the
clearing sale month. It is the time when we do not hesitate to lose money on seasonable merchandise
in order to reduce stocks and clear out the lines that will not be reordered this season. These cut
prices are on things that will be required in use for several months. It gives you the opportunity
right in mid-season to buy things at much below regular prices. The things advertised below are
hardly more than suggestions. Nearly every department now quotes cut prices on goods not adver-
tised. Take advantage of this business condition and buy now. It will well repay you.

EXTRA SPECIAL

50c and 75c Belts, 33c

Fancy Roman Stripes and Plaid Silk
Belts, with front and back buckle
and buckles to match, regular 50c
and 75c, tomorrow 33c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Hand-Bags, 25 per

cent off

No reserve on our \$2.00 to \$6.00
lines of Handbags, which include the
latest novelties in leather goods. To-
morrow at 25 per cent off.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Handkerchief Snap

10 dozen Ladies' Embroidered
Handkerchiefs, for, Friday, each 15c
Fancy Jap Fans, each 5c
Children's Parasols, different colors,
choice 25c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Children's Waists, 21c

Hygiene Health Waists, made of
sateen, buttoned and strapped,
sizes 2 to 12, our price 21c
Children's Ribbed Cotton Vests, in
small sizes only, while they last,
..... 2 for 5c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Boys' Knickers, 25c

Cotton and Tweed Knickers, for boys,
3 to 7 years, Friday, Bargain Day,
price 25c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Linen

We are going to create a stir in our
linen department in the center aisle by
offering the following specials. Be
sure and take advantage of them. A
line of Bath Towels, size 24x48, regu-
larly sold at 25c each, or 50c pair. On
sale at 18c each, or 35c a pair.Half-Bleached Table Linen, 72 inches
wide, regular 40c value. Sale price 34c
Half-Bleached Table Linen, choice of 4
patterns, 60 inches wide, regular price
35c per yard; quantity sufficient for
Friday and Saturday only. Per yard
..... 29c20 dozen All Linen Table Napkins,
22 inches square, regular value \$1.25
a dozen. Sale price 99c25 dozen Linen Table Napkins,
18x16. These are suitable for lunch,
restaurant and boarding-house use.
Regular 75c value. Sale price 65cOne Line of Pure Linen Huck Tow-
els, 12 dozen to clear; size 18x36. Regu-
lar 18c value. Each 15cAnother Line Bleached Linen Huck
Toweling, plain and fleur de lis pat-
tern. Our regular selling 12 1/2c goods.
Per yard 11cKeep an eye on our advertisements
for further Linen Specials.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Men's Black Cotton Half

Hose, 20c per pair

These socks have halbrigan soles,
just what you want for tired and hot
feet. Worth 25c a pair. At 20c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Boys' Suits, \$2.75 and

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50 only. Boys' 2-piece Norfolk Suits,
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portunity to keep the youngsters well-
dressed during vacation days. Sale
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different patterns of good washing
materials. Regular price \$1.50. Sale
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Ends of Millinery Ribbon, per
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Ends of Colored Straw Braid, 2 to
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Linen Hats at 75c

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A table of fancy China and orna-
ments, regularly priced from 20c to
\$5.00. Tomorrow at half-price, 10c
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tainly they are cheaper than ever for
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tions in Wash FabricsIf you are in the market for low priced wash goods we can
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wonderfully complete, notwithstanding the tremendous selling.
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In stripes, spots and figures,
suitable for waists and shirt-
waist suits. These are of very
fine quality, with mercerized
finish; our regular price was
35c. Green Ticket Sale price 26cParis Tissue, embroidered nov-
elty cloth, in checks and
plaids, suitable for summer
dresses and jumper suits, 27-
inch, in black and white, blue,
green, fawn and any mixture,
regular 35c and 25c per yard,
to clear at 12c/2cWhite Pique, nice quality, three
widths of cord, special value
at, per yard 15c

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SILENT LIPS

By ANNIE O. TIBBITS.

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He fell suddenly on his knees beside the couch.

"Hetty, was I a fool years ago? If I had not made a mistake—if I had not given up my honor—if I had waited, might I have won you from him—from Fanshawe—after all? Oh, Hetty, have I lost everything—through—through that?"

He caught at her thin arm lying against her side, and held it in a hungry grip.

She shook her head, and again the cold sweat swept upon him.

"No—but it might—oh, it might have saved—my father's life," she cried, unsteadily.

"How," he cried harshly, "tell me how it could have done that! How could I have saved your father's life eight years ago?"

Hetty drew back from him. Her face had grown ghastly under the electric lights. It seemed to glow quite suddenly more pinched and worn and sad, and his heart throbbed unsteadily.

"Oh, I can't tell you, Geoffrey," she said at last. "I can't explain. Only you know—you know they called it murder, and thought me guilty? Perhaps you thought me guilty, too?"

"I?" the blood rushed to his face. "Thought all the world said so, I wouldn't believe it?" he cried. "Hetty, I know all about it, I have heard everything, but I don't believe it."

A faint smile crept into her cheeks. He did not realize just then how her heart jumped at her words.

"You have only heard what they say—what outside people say," she faltered, "but you haven't heard the truth. No one has told you the truth."

"Because no one knows it," he answered, bitterly, "Hetty, for heaven's sake tell me what it all means. I came from India, believing that I would find you Lord Fanshawe's wife."

When I left Oldcastle he swore that he would marry you—he gave me his oath, and I never dreamed that he would not keep it, until I got back and found that instead of being Lady Fanshawe you had disappeared—suspected of a foul crime—gone without a word in your own defense. I went to Oldcastle determined to find you, to bring Fanshawe to book, to prove your innocence and find the real murderer."

"To find the real murderer?" she cried wildly.

"Yes. Do you think I can let things rest as they are. You had no one to defend or help you, but you will have me now, and I am going to sift things to the very bottom, to find out the truth, and prove you innocent, Hetty."

She had fallen back again with the look of shrinking fear and anxiety back on her face.

"You can't," she said unsteadily. "You can't. It is no use. You—you mustn't try, Geoffrey. I am not worth it. Oh, you must let me go and forget all about me. I am not worth a minute's thought, Geoffrey."

He gave a sudden sharp cry.

"That I will never do," he cried. "Hetty, you know I can never forget you. I have carried the memory of you

in my heart all these years, and I shall carry it till I die, and now that I have found you I shan't easily let you go again. If Fanshawe has played you false he shall be made to suffer for it."

She threw out one hand as if to stop him, and then suddenly put up the other to her neck where the miniature lay.

"No—no; leave him," she cried. "Let him go. You can do no good. It—it only hurts me, Geoffrey. Oh, it is like a knife in an open wound! Oh, Geoffrey, leave me—let me go."

Her small, thin fingers clutched at her neck, and a faint sick cold ran through him as he saw the gesture.

He could not understand her. Did she still care so much after all those years? Did she still love the man who had failed to keep his promise to her—the man who had promised to marry her? Yet if she did, why was she not anxious to find her father's murderer, and prove her own innocence? In any case, how was it she had allowed him to go unrevenged—the father she had loved, and who had worshipped her?

"I can't tell you, Geoffrey," she cried. "I can't tell you. Oh, if you are kind you will leave me. If you are wise you will forget me, Geoffrey. I am not worth remembering. Oh, why didn't you kill me outright—when you struck me down with your carriage? Why didn't you let me go instead of bringing me here?"

He faced her in silence. Horror and pain held him in its grip. Doubt, for the first time, had crept into his heart.

Through the pale pink of her dressing gown she seemed to see Lord Fanshawe's face—that handsome, dissolute, debauched face, set in diamonds that mocked the poorness of her dress—the face he hated as he had never hated anything before—that she wore against her heart; and a despair, bitterer even than the despair he had felt eight years ago, crept over him as he stood there.

"Can't you explain? Can't you tell me what you mean?" he asked. "I can't believe you guilty, and yet—why did you run away, and why did you not marry Fanshawe? And why—Hetty, why do you still carry his face against your heart?"

She threw up her hands suddenly, catching at her throat as though that hateful face, lying against it, was choking her. Her face whitened sharply.

The last drop of blood left her lips. "I—I—oh, Geoffrey, pity me," she cried, "but go—for heaven's sake don't ask me anything more. I can't bear it."

Her voice dropped suddenly. Her head fell back heavily upon the pillow, and a wave of white went over her face. He gave her a quick, sharp look, and then rushed across the room to the door, dragging it open with shaking hands.

"Nurse—nurse," he called, "come quickly; she is fainting."

CHAPTER XVII.

Flight.

The gray dawn had spread and brightened in the sky before Geoffrey threw himself at last upon his bed, and it was almost daylight before he succeeded at last in shutting his eyes to the pitiful whiteness of Hetty's face and forgetting her for a while in sleep.

But she haunted his dreams. He could not get rid of her even in them. She came to him—torturing him—his poor little Hetty in her working clothes with her terrible white face and her red hands.

He tossed to and fro, walking and sleeping spasmodically. Tomorrow he

would force an explanation from her story, sooner, and meanwhile, if he did not sleep, he would not be fit for anything.

His dreams stopped at last, and he fell into a heavy sleep, only to be awakened sharply. Some one was bending over him, touching him. He opened his eyes and sprang up in bed.

"What is the matter?" he cried, and the next minute gave a short laugh of relief. It was only his valet at his side. "You startled me," he added. "I suppose it is late, is it?"

"No, sir—earlier than you asked me to call you, sir," the nurse in charge of the young lady wished to speak to you, sir, and couldn't make you hear."

Geoffrey sprang out of bed.

"Give me a dressing gown, and I'll go at once," he said. "Is she—the young lady—all right?"

"The young lady has gone, sir. That was why the nurse wanted you," the valet replied.

"Gone!" Geoffrey stopped in the act of huddling into the gown. "Gone!" he repeated harshly. "What do you mean?"

"I mean, sir, that she was all right as nurse thought—she settled down to sleep, and nurse did, too, but when she woke the young lady had gone, sir—dressed and gone without a word."

Geoffrey sprang up, and without a word rushed away in search of the nurse. He found it was all true enough. Hetty was gone—silently and mysteriously, as suddenly as she had come—gone out of life again, to be lost once more in the great whirlpool of London.

He stood, dazed and stupefied; and the nurse looked at him with a weakening interest as a romantic eccentric gentleman, with a mystery in his life. "She wasn't fit to walk from one room to the other, let alone dress and leave the hotel," she told Geoffrey, "and before I roused you I sent downstairs to find her fainting there, but she was nowhere to be seen."

"Then," Geoffrey stammered hoarsely, "then—she might fall ill in the street and be taken to a hospital?"

"Yes, certainly," said the nurse. "It is almost sure to happen. She was dreadfully weak, she can't possibly go far, and even if she was strong enough, her shoes—"

She stopped. Something seemed to grip Geoffrey by the throat.

"What about her shoes?" he asked. The nurse made a gesture of horror. "They were dreadful," she said. "It would have broken her mother's heart to see them, and—and they are enough to kill her in a day like this."

Geoffrey dropped to a chair and covered his face with his hands. His poor Hetty!

The only hope is that she has collapsed at once, that the detective had seen her taken to a hospital. It would be the best thing that could happen to her."

Geoffrey started up again and looked at his watch.

"I'll go at once," he said. "Perhaps I might find her at the Hotel Cross."

The nurse put her hand on his arm. "Have your breakfast first," she said, "and go afterward. You will lose nothing by that. Give them time to attend to her and then go."

He hesitated, and then decided to follow her advice. But his breakfast was tasteless, the coffee bitter, and he realized through his letters, only half realizing their contents.

He seemed to rouse with a start at last to find an official announcement in his hand. It bore the King's arms and seal. He stared at it for a moment and then laughed. So they proposed to make him a baronet now! He was doing great work for the Empire, they said he was a coming man, he was rich, popular, a man of brains and power, and the King wished to recognize him, and his name was to be on the next Honors List!

He threw aside the intimation. Well, let them do as they liked. It did not seem to matter very much while this mystery absorbed him. He would first of all find Hetty and take steps that would prevent him from losing her again, and then Lord Renwick and the ward—well, he was plenty of work to be done out in the east for the King.

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He rose, dictated his letter to the secretary, who waited for him, and then started to search the hospitals for Hetty. He would find her, make her well, then he would go back to Oldcastle and set to work.

As he passed, out of the hotel his doubts had been crushed once more. Once more his faith in the girl he loved had risen strong and true. Hetty guilty? Never. There was something behind it all—something he had to find out and get rid of, and do away with forever. But she was not guilty.

With his thoughts running on the ways and means he should adopt of getting at the truth, he sprang into a cab. He had no fear of not finding Hetty—no thought of failure, and at the Charing Cross Hospital the news that no such patient had been admitted gave him a shock. He could not believe it—he had been so sure, and it was only the repeated assurance that she was not there that persuaded him at last. He went away into the next. There the same news greeted him. Hetty was not there. He went on and on, from one hospital to another, and always with the same result.

He stopped baffled and bewildered and helpless at last. He could not find her, at any rate by himself, and he turned back to his hotel.

A sheet of letters, telegrams and visiting cards awaited him. People had been calling all the morning, some of them were still there, but he put everything aside while he sent for a detective. At any cost, he must find Hetty. Nothing in the world mattered but her—only Hetty, weak and ill and starved, with poor clothing and broken shoes, lost in the midst of this cruel London.

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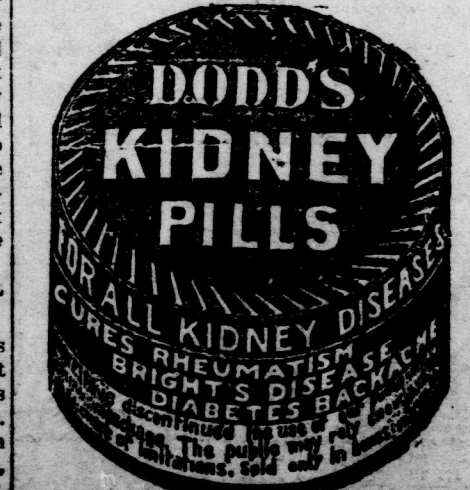
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CORNERSTONES MARK ADVANCE

Impressive and Inspiring Ceremonies at the Askin Street Church.

The three cornerstones of the new Sunday school building and addition to the Askin Street Methodist Church were laid yesterday afternoon with very impressive ceremonies. The new pastor, Rev. Mr. Birks, presided, while on behalf of the trustees, Mr. James Durkin laid the cornerstone, with a trowel presented by Mr. J. A. Childs. Another cornerstone was laid by Mrs. Rowell, in behalf of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, with a trowel presented by Mrs. J. F. Maine. The third cornerstone, that of the Sunday school, was laid by Mr. A. M. Hunt, with a trowel presented by Mr. John Ward. Several splendid addresses marked the ceremonies, which were listened to by a large gathering of members of the congregation and their friends. The temporary floor of the new building formed an excellent platform, from which the singing, speech-making and other features of the ceremony were conducted. Rev. Mr. Birks opened the ceremonies with prayer, which was followed by the singing of a hymn, and the reading of the opening prayer by Dean Davis, of St. James' Church.

Rev. W. J. Ford, LL.B., president of the conference, was then called upon to speak a few words. He complimented the congregation on having the word progress engraved upon the cornerstone, and went on to say that the watchwords of the church should be adaptation and progress. In this connection he pointed out that it had always been the aim of the church to adapt itself to the particular surroundings in which it was placed, and that whenever the church adopted these watchwords, it was sure to progress. He expressed the hope that the church would never be bound to traditions, even Wesleyan traditions. In closing he exhorted the congregation not to be content with allowing the new building to mark progress in mortar and bricks, but to mark extension in Christian work.

At the conclusion of Rev. Mr. Ford's address, the first cornerstone was laid, and into it were put copies of the Bible and church hymn book, and also copies of the following periodicals, Discipline, the Canadian, the Missionary Outlook, the Canadian Epworth Era, Onward and Pleasant Hours. Current copies of the local daily papers and the financial report for the year ending May 31, 1907, giving the names of the former and present pastors, the trustees, the officers of the Sunday school and of the Epworth League, Woman's Missionary Society, Mission Circle, the Mission Band, Cradle Roll, and a lot of the Sunday school teachers were also inserted. The stone also contained a brief history of the Ladies' Aid from its inception, written by Mrs. Burns.

Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., of Toronto, is a son of Mrs. Rowell, who laid the next cornerstone, that of the Ladies' Aid. Mr. Rowell recalled the time when he had been connected with the Askin Street Church, at first as a Sunday school pupil, and then as a teacher. That was sixteen years ago, and he found that great progress had been made. He then went on to speak of the functions of the church. In the first place the church should help as individuals to lead upright and good lives. It should point out the way in which men could overcome temptation, and should call men constantly to lives of great service and to sacrifice.

In closing, he pointed out the great work which lies before the church in Canada, declaring the church stands as the most potent force for good in the community. The great question before Canada today was not that of transportation, or that of education, great as these might be, but was the preaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the millions of foreigners who are flocking into the Canadian west every year.

Mr. Rowell thanked the congregation for having chosen his mother to lay the cornerstone, which, he said, was about as great an honor as they could have conferred upon him. Several other speakers took part, including Rev. E. B. Lancelley, who addressed the gathering briefly. When completed it is estimated that the new Sunday school, and addition to the church will cost in the neighborhood of \$24,000, of which over \$11,000 has been subscribed, while including yesterday's collection, \$3,700 had been paid up. The church auditorium, which is to be extended back some twenty feet, and will have a seating capacity for 1,400, while the new school-room will have a capacity for 800.

During the afternoon the Imperial Male Quartet rendered some excellent music, while the new organist of the church, Mr. Quantz, officiated at the organ.

COLBORNE ST. METH. CHOIR

Held its Annual Picnic at Port Yesterday and Put in a Good Time.

Colborne Street Church choir held its annual picnic at Port Stanley yesterday. There were about 30 present, all engaged in the games that were held. The young people came back on the evening train, and helped materially to enliven the ride by their singing.

Dundas Street Center Sunday School is holding its picnic at Port Stanley today. The inclement weather prevented many going in the morning, but it takes more than rain to spoil the fun of a Sunday school picnic, and no doubt an enjoyable day will be spent.

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Trousers worth \$2.50, at this sale..... \$1.78
Trousers worth \$3.00, at this sale..... \$1.98
Trousers worth \$3.50, at this sale..... \$2.48
Trousers worth \$4.00, at this sale..... \$2.98
Trousers worth \$4.50 to \$5, at this sale \$3.48

The same fixed tenets that made this store such a towering success from the start are in force today, and an ever-widening patronage tells us that the buying public appreciates a policy that insures the lowest price possible to quote compatible with a standard of merchandise that merits the wonderful growth this store has enjoyed.

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Men's 50c Suspenders, Sale Price 35c
Men's 75c Suspenders, Sale Price 50c



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2-garment suits, worth \$2.50, at this sale \$1.48
2-garment suits, worth \$3.00, at this sale \$1.98
2-garment suits, worth \$3.50, at this sale \$2.48
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Two well-known legal lights of this city clashed yesterday during the progress of a minor case, which was in the county magistrate's office, and what threatened to become a battle of fists was only prevented by the prompt interference of the presiding magistrate, who, placing himself between the contending parties, played the role of peacemaker. The trouble all started when one of the gentlemen attempted to have a slight altercation made in a witness' written testimony. The opposing counsel offered strong objections to this, whereupon the party of the first part informed the other that he was a cur. In a moment the pair squared off, apparently ready for action. As they are both athletes serious trouble might have resulted had they clashed. Later another argument ensued and a skirmish seemed inevitable. But again the peacemaker descended and prevented a fight. This time he lectured the offenders severely. Matters were finally smoothed over and ended by the parties shaking hands and exchanging apologies.

MEDICAL COURSE
TO BE EXTENDED

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of late, the sessions have been lengthened from six to eight months, and so the strain on the student is no heavier than before.

Athletic Students Not Best.

When asked if he thought the course too hard, Dr. Waugh gave a negative answer. "The students can get up the work all right, but athletics is one great thing. They are all right in themselves, but are indulged in too freely." The doctor believes from his observations, that the stars in the games get the "stars" at the exams.

Dr. Moorhouse explained clearly the reasons for the contemplated change. He pointed out that the extra year would not really lengthen the students' college course; that is, he will be able to practice as soon under the new regime, if it is introduced, as at present.

"The idea of the medical school," continued the vice-chancellor, "is to combine lectures and clinical work. The fifth year would be clinical work and lectures entirely. The student would take his final council examination after the fifth year, so he would have his license to practice in the same time as under the present system."

Financial Hardship to Student. When asked if he thought the extra year would be a hardship to the student, the doctor pointed out that it would be financially. Under the present system the student can take his fifth year near his home, and so be at a little expense; but with the proposed regulations, he would have to attend some medical school, such as Toronto, Kingston or London, and in addition to his board, would have to pay \$100 to \$120 fees. Dr. Moorhouse evidently thinks that the student would get something for his money. He suggested new subjects that would be added in his probability.

"The fifth year," continued the doctor, "would be a practical course. The student would see the application of his four years' work, and would gain confidence."

London's Students Successful at Council. "The change is bound to come," Dr. Moorhouse went on, "but I can't tell you how soon. All medical schools, of course, have to teach up to the council standard, and if they have it, the fifth year we will have to equate the fifth year with the fourth year."

There was a note of justifiable pride in the vice-chancellor's voice as he said, "The Western University medical faculty stands high at the medical council examinations, usually taking the lead. This success has been attributed to the fact that the number of students is smaller than at other schools, and the student comes more under the immediate supervision of the professors, thus each is known personally to the different instructors."

In conclusion, the doctor again expressed his belief that the change would come in time, but hoped it would not be at once, for as he said, "London is scarcely in a position to take this work up yet, largely owing to the insufficiency of clinical material."

RETURNED STOLEN PORTRAIT.

Berlin, July 11.—The portrait of Emperor Nicholas of Russia, which was mysteriously stolen from the National gallery of this city, has been returned to the gallery by mail.

DUBLIN GEM STEAL.

Dublin, July 11.—A curious rumor is current here to the effect that the portion of the state regalia, valued at \$250,000, which was stolen from Dublin Castle recently, and for the return of which the Government has offered a reward of \$5,000, was removed by an important officer of the Order of St. Patrick, who has disappeared.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

MARRIAGES. HOLLAND—WALKER—At London, on July 1, 1937, at St. George's manse, by the Rev. Mr. Saxe, Miss Joehine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Walker, to Mr. J. Garfield Holland, both of London.

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CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Miss Howden has left for Vancouver.
—Mr. W. T. Eckert, wife and daughter, are leaving for Beaverton today.

—The English Woolen Mills Company are holding their annual picnic at Port Stanley on Saturday.

—Miss Velma Speller, of Guelph, formerly of this city, is visiting at the residence of John Ross, Brock street.

—Mrs. S. B. Head, of Princess avenue, accompanied by his wife and family, left yesterday for Los Angeles, Cal.

—His Worship Mayor Judd presided at the police court this morning in the absence of Magistrate Love. Several drunks were discharged.

—The garden party under the auspices of the Richmond Street North Mission, announced for this evening, has been postponed until Tuesday evening next.

—Mr. Walter Barkland, formerly proprietor of the Ontario House, city, leaves tonight for a trip to the old country via Montreal.

—Mr. Thomas Marshall died in this city yesterday at the age of 78 years. The funeral will take place from his late residence, 152 Wilson avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

—The death occurred in this city today of Mrs. Annie Frances Baskerville, wife of Mr. William R. Baskerville, of No. 6 Comfort Place, in her 41st year. The funeral will take place at 2:30 on Saturday afternoon from her late residence.

—Messrs. Edward Spencer, of London, and N. S. Spencer, of Edmonton, left last night on the Empress of Ireland for Liverpool. On the same ship were Mrs. S. Stanley, of Waterloo street, and Mr. T. H. Tinnely, wife and family, all of this city.

—A number of the city daddies, including Ald. Saunders, Cooper and Rose, with several of the city officials, ran down to Port Stanley yesterday afternoon and attempted to fish. Bites were scarce, however, and fish were scarce, so the party merely "got back."

—The Retail Grocers' Association have extended invitation to the Market Clerk Charles Baker and James Dean, clerk of the weigh scales, to be their guests next Wednesday at their excursion to Toronto. They are both good officials, and the grocers are glad of the opportunity to entertain them.

—Tony Cappadonia and Graydon Draper, the two youths recently arrested by Officer Downs at Springbank for purse snatching, appeared before Judge Chittick this morning, and were remanded until Saturday next, when they will be given a hearing. Bail was furnished Draper, who is said to have excellent family relations.

Death of James Mann. James Mann, who resided at the corner of Bathurst and Maitland streets, died this morning at Victoria Hospital, after a brief illness.

Meeting Postponed. The council having decided on a long vacation, the board of works has followed suit, and there will be no meeting of that body tonight.

Garden Party Postponed. The garden party which was announced to take place this evening at the residence of Mr. R. Sanders, Hamilton road, under the auspices of the First Congregational Ladies' Aid has been postponed on account of the rain.

Building Permits. Engineer Graydon today issued the following permits: Charles Clayton, 2 Brighton street, for a story and a half brick veneer residence on Bruce street; W. D. McDonald, for a two-story brick veneer residence on Prince avenue, between English and Ontario streets.

The Scottish Picnic. The Scottish picnic and Caledonian games promises to be a great success. Everyone is discussing this big event and the railroad is preparing to handle the monster crowd.

July 25. Large and enthusiastic committees are at work, and nothing will be left undone to make this picnic not only the largest but the most enjoyable ever held at Port Stanley. The list of sports includes every event on a Caledonian games programme. In addition there will be a baseball match between the leaders of the City League, and a road race from St. Thomas. The Scotchmen intend to make this the banner picnic.

THE GROCERS

Want the ladies to go to Toronto next Wednesday. They have a nice souper package for every lady on the train. The D. S. S. Perrin Company and the McCormick Manufacturing Company are putting up something special for the Retail Grocers' Association, and have kindly donated the same to the committee to give away on the train, so be sure and be on hand. The committee have also ordered a dainty little lunch to pass through the train, so if you have not time for breakfast, never mind it. The committee will see that you are well served. The Canadian Pacific is going to give the grocers and their friends the finest excursion train ever run out of London. Every person on the train will get a free ticket to Scarborough Beach, the finest amusement park in America.

MERRY DEL VAL MOTORS.

Rome, July 10.—Great surprise has been caused in Vatican circles by the fact that the papal secretary of state, Cardinal Merry del Val, has bought a powerful automobile. It was generally supposed that the Pope would not countenance the cardinals riding in motor cars.

DR. CLARK RE-ELECTED.

Seattle, Wash., July 11.—Dr. Francis E. Clark, of Boston, Mass., was unanimously re-elected president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor last night. Other officers elected were: Hiram R. Lathrop, of Boston, treasurer; George B. Graff, of Boston, clerk of the corporation; and Fred H. Kidder, of Boston, auditor—a position newly created by the board.

THE FINE HAND
OF GUGGENHEIM

Fomenting Trouble in Cobalt, It
Is Said, to Depress
Prices.

Toronto, July 11.—There is a serious suspicion in some minds that the Cobalt labor troubles are some way traceable to powerful interests, and are simply part of a campaign to give the stock market more bumps, the ultimate object being the accumulation of stocks and properties while prices are depressed.

"Guggenheim," the name of Cobalt since the famous Nipissing slump, is again mentioned in this connection. As it has been the fashion to blame the Guggenheims for nearly all the troubles of Cobalt since that first disastrous slump, it is perhaps not surprising that they should be again blamed.

"What reason have you for thinking the Guggenheims have anything to do with the strike?" asked a reporter of one Cobalt shareholder who was talking in this vein.

"Nothing definite," was his answer. "But I have my opinion just the same. If you will look up the record of some of the strikes in this connection, you will find that they have had labor troubles just like this, and that all the while the trouble was on the Guggenheims were getting control of properties, until they got control practically of the whole field. I believe it is their object to get control of the silver production in the same way, although there is no direct evidence yet that they have obtained any interest in Cobalt."

"One thing we do know is that the Smelting Company, which is another name for the Guggenheims, are doing their best to knock Cobalt, their last circular, stating the terms on which they will smelt ore, is simply outrageous. Here is a sample of their conditions. Arsenic ought to be a valuable by-product of Cobalt ores. 72 per cent, or thereabouts, is, I think, about 39 per cent. Arsenic is worth about 7c a pound, crude, and the smelter, of course, preserves it, and no doubt, makes a good profit on it. Yet they actually charge the owners a premium for taking out the arsenic."

"Again, they have a graded scale of charges, for smelting, depending on the richness, but when ore strikes a certain high concentration they jump the charge to \$25. That is simply a levy on the owners of rich ore."

"Yes, I think there are big influences behind the trouble, I think, too, that the mine owners were very ill-advised in posting their scale of wages as they did on Monday morning. They practically forced the men out. It is more like a lockout than a strike. Certainly the men as a rule were contented with their wages and conditions, as far as my observations went, and I saw a good deal of them. There was no natural discontent there to precipitate a strike."

DISORDERS IN BELFAST

Belfast, July 11.—The anticipated disorders growing out of the strike here have occurred. A van carrying freight to the docks for a Brazilian liner was seized by a mob and burned in the street. Another was thrown from a dock, while still another, loaded with sugar, was held up, the bags ripped open and their contents strewn in the street. One whisky-laden van was seized, but a whisky was not poured into the street, the rioters preferring to take possession of it. Two cases had been looted when the police arrived.

NEW ROLLING STOCK

Government Votes Million for New I. C. R. Cars and Engines.

Ottawa, July 11.—At a meeting of the cabinet yesterday afternoon, contracts were let for about one million dollars' worth of new rolling stock for the Intercolonial Railway, including some 22 locomotives and a large number of freight cars of various kinds. The locomotives will be built by the Kingston, and the Montreal locomotive works, and the cars by the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, of Amherst, N. S. The appropriation for the increased I. C. R. equipment was passed at the last session of Parliament. Like all other Canadian railroads the Intercolonial has been greatly handicapped during the past year or so by lack of sufficient motive power, and cars to promptly handle the rapidly-growing traffic.

HANCOCK CLEARED

Ex-Clergyman Not Responsible for the Death of His Wife.

London, July 11.—A jury in the Kensington's coroner court today, rendered a verdict of death from natural causes in the case of Mrs. Hancock, wife of Walter Swinburne Hancock, formerly an Episcopal clergyman, of Chicago, who died on March 23 last, the cause of death being certified as appendicitis. Owing to the suspicions of Mrs. Hancock's son, who is a lawyer, the body was exhumed, and he testified at the inquest that he thought Hancock poisoned his wife, in order to obtain her property. The analysis of the contents of the stomach, made at the instance of the home office, showed that there was no trace of poison.

Hancock, who was born in England, went to America in the early 80s, and held many pastorates, including that of St. John's Church, Montreal. He was married to Mrs. Grace Jones, widow of Paul Townsend Jones, of New York, in 1908.

ABBOTT—GWYN

Rector of Christ's Church, Hamilton,
Weds a Dundas Lady.

Hamilton, July 11.—At St. James' Church, Dundas, this afternoon, Miss Rachel Caroline Gwynn, eldest daughter of Col. Gwynn, was united in marriage to Rev. Canon Abbott, the popular rector of Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton. The ceremony was assisted by Rev. H. B. Gwynn, of Chicago, a brother of the bride, and the bridesmaids Miss Mona Gwynn, Miss Mary Osler (Toronto), Miss Mary Morris (Hamilton), Miss Alice Macdonald (Chicago), Miss page, and Rev. Gore Barrow, curate at the cathedral, was best man. This evening the bride and groom will leave on a three months' trip to the old country.

THE U. S. AFTER COAL
FOR PACIFIC POINT

Immense Order Placed in Wales for
Steam Fuel.

London, July 11.—The American Government has placed large orders for Welsh steam coal in this country, according to a news agency report. One order is said to amount to 40,000 tons, and it is added, that the coal will be dispatched in specially-chartered steamers to the Philippine Islands, and certain rendezvous on the west coast of the South America.

According to the same report, the underwriters at Lloyd's are asking 30 cents to 60 per cent to cover the war risks of colliers bound from England to Manila.

AS TO BOURASSA

Refuses to Say Whether He Will Enter
Provincial Politics.

Montreal, July 11.—In an interview with Mr. Bourassa, he declared that there was no immediate prospect of the dissolution of the Quebec Legislature, and that the local elections would not be held for some time. He pointed out that it is only three years since the provincial election. In regard to his entry in the provincial arena, he would not give an affirmative answer. He declared that the announcement was somewhat premature. In political circles in this city there has been great interest aroused, and the future Bourassa will be closely watched. It is said that his speech at Montmagny on Saturday will be important.

FIGHT FOR "OPEN MARKET"

Chicago Live-Stock Men Send Ultimatum to the Packers.

Chicago, July 11.—The live stock commissionmen's ultimatum to the big packers on the post-mortem inspection controversy was given out yesterday by the committee appointed at Monday's meeting of the Chicago Live Stock Exchange. They refused to sell cattle of whatever class, subject to post-mortem inspection, as demanded by the packers. The ultimatum is in the form of a tentative agreement, and provides for an absolute "open market." It favors a rigid inspection of all classes of cattle prior to the consummation of sales, and extends to the packers the privilege of selecting and tagging animals "suspected" of being diseased.

"Suspects" then shall be turned over to the inspector of the state to be killed, and handled for the count of the owner on the same terms as are cattle with lumpy jaws and other diseases. A conference between representatives of the packers and of the commissionmen was held, but no definite results were achieved. Another conference probably will be held today or tomorrow, in which several of the heads of the big packing houses are expected to take part.

BOY BATHED DROWNED.

Washburn, Ont., July 11.—Roy Anglin, aged 16 years, the eldest son of Mr. Thomas Anglin, of Pittsburg, was drowned while bathing near Brewster's Mills last evening. The body has not yet been found.

SAVED THE UNION FORCES.

Oconomowoc, Wis., July 11.—Gilbert Kenyon, said to have saved the Union army from defeat at the battle of Shiloh, was killed at a railroad crossing, and the cars were derailed, crossing and St. Paul train. Kenyon was a member of Company B, Sixteenth Wisconsin Infantry, and at the time of the battle was a scout. In an endeavor to gather information, he got within the Confederate lines, and during the night he escaped, returned to headquarters, and told of the closeness of Gen. Johnston's forces. This information, it is said, saved the Union forces a defeat.

DEATH OF H. M. WILKINSON.

Toronto, July 11.—The death of Henry Moore Wilkinson, of Toronto, shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday morning, removed one of the best-known figures in the educational department of the Province.

He has been identified with the department for over 36 years, entering it as a junior, and being chief clerk at the time of his death. He was the youngest son of the late Rev. Henry and Mary Ann Wilkinson, and was born in Toronto. He married Jeanette Sutherland, who, with three children, survives him. The daughters are: Miss Constance Wilkinson, of Toronto, wife of Mr. Aylwin, of Taungs, British Bechuanaland; Mr. H. S. Wilkinson, of Toronto, is a son.

There will be a hop at Hill Crest, Port Stanley, every Wednesday and Saturday nights, with Linke's orchestra. 88bu

The growing use of small, individual towels, instead of roller towels, has brought an increase in the national production. Few hotels now use roller towels, the germ theory having made such an impression on the public mind. Last year about \$4,800,000 was spent for towels.

Don't Go
Away

On your vacation minus the toilet preparations you appreciate so much.
Creams, Sunburn Lotions, Tooth Paste and Toilet Water, are as necessary to the well-groomed traveler as soap and water.
We might suggest "Pompadour" perfume as a dainty toilet luxury for the ladies.

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DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST

EXODUS OF MINERS
FROM THE COBALT

The Union Prepares for a Long
and Bitter Fight—No
Rioting.

Cobalt, July 10.—Although a few small mines are still in operation, the strike has practically resulted in the halt of all operations around Cobalt. About 2,500 men have stopped work in other places, and are moving to the Michipicoten and Sudbury mines, where higher wages are being paid. Over \$1,000 worth of railway tickets out of Cobalt have been purchased each day the week, and even should the strike be settled now, the camp will suffer from the loss of labor.

Among the mines closed down are the Hudson Bay, Coniagos, Trethewey, O'Brien, La Rose, Cobalt Lake, Townsite, Queen, Jacobs, Kerr Lake, Crown Reserve, Leaf, University, Beaver, Nancy Helen, Drummond, Nova Scotia, King Edward, Colonial, Little Nip, Premier Colt, Right of Way, City of Cobalt, Green-Meehan and McKinley-Darragh.

The miners here say that the International Union is prepared to spend \$100,000 on the wage question. If necessary to win, should the mine owners elect to fight.

Officers of the Western Federation are now on their way to the scene of the trouble, though, of course, the organizers have been at work steadily for some time back. The fight is principally for the recognition of the union, though the wage question figures largely also. The union asked for a schedule of wages to be made uniform in all the mines.

The strike is likely to prove a bad blow for the town itself. Stores are preparing to close up, and property, which has been increasing in value every day for months past, is now dull. So far there has been no violence of any kind reported, and the Government has special police officers in readiness to cope with any disturbance.

NEWS FROM EMBRO

Inaugural Meeting of the Women's
Institute—Narrow Escape.

Embryo, July 11.—The Women's Institute held their first meeting on Thursday afternoon in the reading-room of the library. Mrs. E. Cody presided. Mrs. Columbus Ross and Mrs. David J. Ross gave addresses, and Mrs. D. G. A. Sutherland, and Miss Carrie Alleyne gave readings, which were all very instructive. Several members were added to their list. The ladies are desirous of reaching the 100 mark with their membership.

Mr. Alex. M. Ross, on Tuesday morning, escaped a very narrow escape at Beachville on a very narrow railway track, and was struck by a freight. His skull was fractured, and he received other injuries, but it is expected he will soon be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Kibbert (nephew of Mr. John Douglas), are spending part of their honeymoon at Mr. Robert J. Heron's.

Miss Devina Sutherland, of Ayr, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Miss Burnett McLeod, of Beaverton, is visiting at her home.

Mrs. J. E. Knight and children, of Vancouver, are visiting Mrs. Alex. J. Munro, sister of Mrs. Knight.

Mr. Emerson Abernethy is spending a few days with London friends.

Miss E. Ross, of Woodstock, is visiting at her home.

Miss Maggie McLeod, of London, is visiting Miss Kate Sutherland.

Mrs. Askew and little daughter, of Oil Springs, are visiting at Miss Jessie Sutherland's.

Miss Effie Ross has left for a pleasure trip down the St. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Capt. John M. Ross and little daughter, Kathleen, spent Sunday at Mrs. John Douglas's.

Mr. Charles Williams, of Toronto, and Miss Florence Flinnigan, of London, spent over Sunday at Dr. R. H. Green's.

Miss Florence Williams has left for Grand Bend, where she will be a guest at her summer residence.

Mrs. Smith, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Angus Gunn.

Miss Monte Karm and Miss Goulding, of Detroit, are visiting in the village.

The Presbyterian Sunday school hold their annual picnic in Mr. Columbus Ross' grove on Friday.

Mrs. Donald Bruce and little daughter, of South Zorra, are visiting at Mr. Alex. Herd's.

Mrs. Mary McKenzie and her granddaughter, Miss Mamie Kent, have left on a trip to Chicago and Iowa.

Mrs. Elton and daughter Helen, of Woodstock, are visiting at Mrs. Heck McDonald's.

Mrs. Wm. Murray and Miss Flossie are visiting with friends in Seaford.

Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick and children, of Woodstock, are visiting Mrs. John McMurphy.

Mrs. McKay, of Brantford, is the guest of her sisters, the Misses Walsh.

Mrs. El Day, of Thamesford, is visiting at Mrs. A. A. McKinnon's.

Miss Margaret Karm is spending her holidays at home.

Miss May Cody is visiting with friends in Port Elgin.

Mrs. Dodson, of Union, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) F. W. Langford, of the Methodist parsonage.

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BRITISH M.P. STRICKEN

Sir Alfred Bilson Expires During Division in House of Commons.

London, July 10.—During a division in the House of Commons Monday afternoon, Sir Alfred Bilson, member for the north-west division of Staffordshire, died suddenly from apoplexy. The house immediately adjourned. Sir Alfred was born in 1839.

A pathetic feature of the incident was that Sir Alfred's daughter was in the ladies' gallery at the time of her father's death. She was not aware of his seizure, and the news was gently broken to her by John Burns.

Sir Alfred was knighted at the time of the last birthday honors.

STOCK MARKET.

H. C. Becker, stockbroker, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today:

New York, July 11.—Noon.—There was some tendency at the opening for professionals to try a turn on the bull side, but it was not effective and prices drifted down and were dull at noon. Neither one of the statements as to the extent of U. P. or Atchison subscriptions in bond issues can be confirmed. It is not necessary for the syndicate to make any statement, and it may not be made. The market has stood very well, considering the amount of hysteria that is current in the stock market, almost everyone is mad or disappointed at the administration of the stock market, and anything else that comes handy. Money situation still complicated, but should clear in a few days. The London market was an early foreign investors being more clouded than now ever over the condition of affairs here, and one cannot blame them. If the market remains dull and within a small radius stocks should be bought for the main features of improving prices are still operative. Sales to noon 289,000.

NEW YORK.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker.
Market Lane, for The Advertiser.
New York, July 11.

	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Amer. Sugar Co.	88 1/2	89	87 3/4	88 3/4
American Foundry	43	43	42 3/4	42 3/4
American Lumber	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
American Cotton Oil	31 1/4	31 1/4	31	31
Atchison	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/4	89 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/4
Brooklyn Transit	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/4
C. & P. R.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/4
Ches. & Ohio	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/4
Chicago & Northwest	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/4	14 1/4
Disunion	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Erie	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/4
Gen. Elec.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/4	

LOCAL MARKET.

Thursday, July 11.
The market today was small, doubtless the rain kept many of the farmers from putting in their appearance. The buyers seemed keen to make purchases, and the result was that trade was lively during the continuance of the market. Prices were firmer in every line.

Grain—There was only one small load of oats offered, which sold at \$1.45 per cwt. No other kind of grain was offered.

Hay and Straw—Owing to the rain there were only three loads of hay marketed. Sales were made at \$12.50 to \$13 per ton. There is not likely to be much old hay offered after tomorrow, as the farmers will be engaged cutting the new crop. There was no straw offered.

Butter and Eggs—There was a considerable quantity of butter brought in. The demand was good at 18c to 19c for crocks, and 20c to 21c for fancy rolls. In basket lots, the demand is slow at 16c for crocks, and 16 1/2c to 17c per dozen for small lots.

Vegetables and Roots—Old potatoes sold at \$1.25 per bushel. There were only a couple of loads offered. Green peas were more plentiful at 15c to 18c per quart. Cucumbers could be had at 40c, 50c and 75c per dozen, according to size. New home-grown tomatoes sold at 12c per dozen. Lettuce and radishes were dull at 20c per dozen. Onions and beans, 25c to 30c per dozen. There was a fine assortment of vegetables and the hucksters reported that trade was fairly good.

Poultry—The supply was small. No change in prices.

Fruits—There was a good demand for the rather small quantity offered, which sold at 9c to 10c per box wholesale—nearly all at 9c per box. Cherries were offered by the dealers at \$1.10 per 12-quart basket. A few small baskets brought in by the farmers sold at 9c per quart.

A few dressed hogs were offered at \$9.25 per cwt.

CATTLE MARKET.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., July 10.—Offerings on the cattle market today were 2,500 boxes: sold at 11c to 12c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 10.—Butter—Firm; creameries, 19c to 24c; dairies, 17c to 21c. Cheese—Steady; 11c to 12c.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 10.—Butter—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 16,415 packages. Cheese—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 21 boxes.

OIL MARKET.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 10.—Oil opened and sold at \$1.78.

LONDON.

London, July 10.—Petroleum. American refined, 7.2d; spirits, 7.1d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, July 10.—Petroleum. 22 francs.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 10.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 25 points middle uplands, 13.50; middling, 13.45; sales, none. Futures closed barely steady. Closing 4-4c, 5-5c, 6-6c, 7-7c, 8-8c, 9-9c, 10-10c, 11-11c, 12-12c, 13-13c, 14-14c, 15-15c, 16-16c, 17-17c, 18-18c, 19-19c, 20-20c, 21-21c, 22-22c, 23-23c, 24-24c, 25-25c.

SUGAR MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, July 10.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.35c; centrifugal, 96c test, 3.50c; molasses, 5.00c; refined, 11c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, July 10.—Sugar—Unchanged; hiral granulated, 10c 50 per barrel; low, 84c; Ontario beet, 84c 50 in bags.

LONDON.

London, July 10.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 96c; Muscovado, 10c; best sugar, 11c.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, July 11.—Beans—Spot, \$1.50; final, July 11, 50c nominal; October, 55c bid; November, 51c nominal.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, July 10.—Baled hay, \$14 to \$15 for No. 1 timothy, 2, 81c to 82c. Baled straw, 7c to 7 1/2c per ton, in car lots on track here.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 11.—Cattle—Receipts, about 6,500 head; market steady to a shade lower; beefs, \$4.75 to \$5.25; cows, \$4.75 to \$5.25; heifers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; calves, \$4.75 to \$5.25; pigs, \$4.75 to \$5.25; sheep, \$4.75 to \$5.25; lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.25.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, July 11.—Today cattle are steady at 12c to 13c per lb; refrigerator beef is 8 1/2c to 9c per lb.

TORONTO.

Toronto, July 11.—The good, 97 loads offered, including 2,220 cattle, 1,650 sheep and lambs, 1,200 hogs and 411 calves. Quotations:

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