

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED. WILSON-FRASER-On July 25, at the residence of the bride's parents, 233 Dundas street, London, by the Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church...

Amusements and Lectures

Week of 23rd. Every Night During the Week. Leon Roman, ring expert. La Mare, grotesque acrobat.

WE SUPPLY YOUR TABLE

TEA AND COFFEE. The kind you get at home, and you will enjoy the beverage more when served on the green in the color of the shade trees.

BASEBALL-TROUBSDH PARK

Canadian Championship JULY 27, 28, London vs. Hamilton. Games 4 p.m.; double-header Saturday.

MEETINGS.

MACCABEES-LONDON TRINT. II, WILL meet this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock, Knights of Pythias Hall, Dundas street.

Domestic Help Wanted.

WANTED-AT ONCE-50 GIRLS FOR general cooks and housemaids. Hotel help please call. Mrs. Lockhart, 362 Dundas street.

Male Help Wanted.

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Teacher Wanted.

Wanted - male teacher for S. S. No. 7, East Williams; duties common to 10, 20, second or third class certificate; personal application to 400 King street, E. W. J. King, Springbank, Ont. 1200

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Wanted - cigar packers and cigar rollers. Line, McDonald & Co. 20c

Spiritualism.

MEDIUM - 362 COLBORNE STREET - Out of the city. See notice of return here.

A Piano Snap... A new American Piano, which we have used as a sample, can be bought now for \$250

The Nordheimer Piano and Music Co., Limited, 188 DUNDAS STREET.

POCOCK BROS.

OUR TRUNK AND VALISE SALE

We mention two lines - a Trunk and Valise - to show you how we have reduced prices for our special Trunk Sale.

Pocock Bros.

Agents Wanted.

AGENTS WANTED FOR EACH TOWN. SHEIL Middlesex county, to sell, wholesale to farmers, for each or on credit, full line articles daily consumption. Apply Cooper, Drawer 531, London.

First in the Dance



The street, shop, store or office, as well as for every outdoor employment. Our footwear affords comfort and satisfaction to hundreds of pleased customers in London and vicinity.

Brown's Shoe Store

145 DUNDAS STREET.

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MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN WANTS SITUATION as housekeeper in small family; do all kinds of work or tend grocery. Town preferred. Address Mrs. M. M. H., Toronto, Ont.

Miscellaneous

TO SELL - BUILDING LOTS. NEAR new Normal School. Will sell on easy terms. Apply 758 Dundas street, 107 yw

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FOR SALE - BUILDING LOTS. NEAR new Normal School. Will sell on easy terms. Apply 758 Dundas street, 107 yw

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET - AT 711 QUEEN'S AVENUE, nice brick cottage, roomy, comfortable; convenient to city and street car; gas stoves; \$12 per month. Apply Dobbins & Co., 206 Dundas street. 160t

Lost and Found.

LOST - LADY'S SILVER WATCH - REWARD by leaving at Wilmot's Jewelry Store, 27 Dundas street. b

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE RESIDENCE. UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM MRS. F. Robinson, Joe. Brown will sell on Wednesday, August 1, at 2 o'clock, on the premises, corner of Horton and Waterloo streets, a two-story brick house, well built, having eleven rooms and modern conveniences. Terms cash. 20a wt

Simply Scheme to Gain Time

The Chinese Fabric of Dispatches So Regarded. Extensive Preparations for Hostilities Being Made by the Chinese Authorities - The Situation in Manchuria Serious - An Army Corps Gathering at Odessa to Sail for Taku - President McKinley's Action Adversely Viewed by London Newspapers.

London, July 26 - 4 a.m. - Mr. Conger's letter, the substance of which has been transmitted to the United States secretary of the navy, through Capt. Thomas, of the United States cruiser Brooklyn, has increased the belief in London that there is no hope for the foreign legations in Pekin, and that the elaborate fabric of dispatches which the Chinese are building to persuade the civilized world that the ministers are still alive, is only intended to enable them to gain time to complete preparations for warfare.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail asserts that a Chinaman who was employed at the British legation as a writer and interpreter, has escaped from Pekin to Niu Chwang, and that he declares that at the time he left Pekin most of the members of the legations were dead, and the condition of the others was hopeless. He says that Sir Robert Hart, director of Chinese imperial maritime customs, died on July 2. The correspondent goes on to say: "No other dates are given in the message from Niu Chwang. The leading Chinese newspapers here published yesterday a dispatch, declaring that it was all over with the members of the legations. The president of a minor board at Pekin wrote to a relative in Shanghai, under date of July 2, saying the foreign legations were still uncaptured, but owing to the daily fighting it is reported that only about 300 persons are left alive in the legations, and if there is any delay in the arrival of the relief force, I fear that none will be left to receive it."

While these brief sidelights as to the fate of the Europeans leave little ground for hope, Shanghai sends a batch of reports, indicative of preparations for hostilities on the part of the Chinese. It is alleged that the Yang Tse viceroys have sent deputies to Shanghai to inquire as to the prospect of raising a foreign loan, ostensibly to pursue military operations against the Boxers, whose movement is extending rapidly southward, with constantly growing strength, and has reached a point where the provinces of Shan Tung, Honan and Szechwan meet, leaving behind it a trail of burned missions and murdered Chinese. Simultaneously there is a movement northward of South Chinese troops to join the main army gathered to oppose the foreign advance on Pekin. The strength of this principal force is now estimated at 300,000 men. It is believed that another two or three weeks must elapse before the Chinese preparations are completed. It is reported that 3,000 Chinese troops and more guns are being sent to reinforce the garrison of the Kiang Yan forts, commanding the entrance to the Yang Tse Kiang, 90 miles east of Nanking.

Chang Tui Tang, viceroy of Yu Ching, on the Yang Tse Kiang, telegraphs that he is apprehensive that he will not be able to restrain his troops for more than another ten days. He says he has thrown the breech-blocks of the guns commanding Hankow into the river. These signs of unrest in the southern provinces are corroborated by the Chinese press. The Imperial Decree. In this connection the Canton correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, writing Tuesday, sends the following important news: "Yikovy Tak Su today published the following mandate. An important Imperial decree was issued on the 23rd day of the sixth month. It says: 'We have lost Tien Tsin, and great precautions are taken in Peking. No peace can be obtained without going through a war. In the time of Chung an agreement was made that no murder could be inflicted upon ministers from abroad. It is a month since the minister of Germany was assassinated by Boxers, and strict orders have been given for the arrest of the murderers. We are trying our utmost to preserve the lives of the other ministers, and they are still in Peking. 'We fear that the viceroys and governors may misunderstand the intention of the decree, relying upon the safety of these ministers as a ground for making peace and taking no heed whatever to prepare for attack and defence. The neglect to fortify the districts under their jurisdiction will bring endless calamity. Viceroys are to pay all attention and to urge on preparations for attack and defence. They are to take the consequences in case of any territory being lost elsewhere, though their delay and mismanagement have brought this upon us. We fear that the viceroys and governors may misunderstand the intention of the decree, relying upon the safety of these ministers as a ground for making peace and taking no heed whatever to prepare for attack and defence. The neglect to fortify the districts under their jurisdiction will bring endless calamity. Viceroys are to pay all attention and to urge on preparations for attack and defence. They are to take the consequences in case of any territory being lost elsewhere, though their delay and mismanagement have brought this upon us. We fear that the viceroys and governors may misunderstand the intention of the decree, relying upon the safety of these ministers as a ground for making peace and taking no heed whatever to prepare for attack and defence. The neglect to fortify the districts under their jurisdiction will bring endless calamity. Viceroys are to pay all attention and to urge on preparations for attack and defence. They are to take the consequences in case of any territory being lost elsewhere, though their delay and mismanagement have brought this upon us.

Board and Lodging.

TO LET - THREE ROOMS TO RENT. Address Box 93, Advertiser. 18c

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The Advertiser will assist you to dispose of readily. This paper reaches people who have money to spend. Our rates are very reasonable. One cent per word first insertion, then half a cent each subsequent insertion.

Hazeline

An Invaluable Article For the Toilet.

The most elegant preparation known for general use upon the face and hands. Keeps the cuticle soft, pliant and silky; renders the use of all forms of cold cream, etc., entirely unnecessary.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists, 216 Dundas street, London.

Arrested!

Gerald Sifton and His Hired Man in Custody.

Charged With the Murder of Joseph Sifton.

A Strong Chain of Evidence Said to Have Been Secured - The Elder Sifton's Proposed Marital Venture and How It Terminated - The Son's Statement - Result of the Post-mortem Examination.

The reports and rumors which have been current for the past three days in relation to the mystery of Joseph Sifton's death, on Saturday, June 30, reached a culmination this morning. About 7 a.m. Provincial Detective John Murray and High Constable McLeod arrested and lodged in jail here, on a charge of murder, Gerald Sifton, the son of the dead man, and Walter Herbert, the hired man who was at the barn on the morning of the elder Sifton's death, and who ran to the house with the news of the accident.

The chain of evidence which has been woven around the two accused men is said to be exceptionally strong, so strong that a prominent official who is in possession of the facts so far known declares that a conviction will surely follow. The examination of the accused men will take place at the court house tomorrow morning, at 10 o'clock, before Squire J. B. Smyth.

The post-mortem on the body of the elder Sifton was performed at the graveside at Arva yesterday by Drs. Williams, Waugh and Eccles, on behalf of the crown; Dr. John D. Wilson and Dr. H. J. Stevenson being present in the interests of Gerald Sifton. The body was, of course, much decomposed. The skull was found to be badly fractured. The organs of the body were all in a healthy condition. Upon the autopsy, which was held at the morgue, it was ascertained that the victim was exceptionally vigorous and well known one of the most industrious landowners in the county. He was twice a widower, and had an only son, Gerald, who some years ago married a young lady from the city. For a time he lived with his son and daughter-in-law, and the two men managed the father's property, until differences arose between him and the son's wife. Then he left the son's home to go back to live alone in the house in which he had spent his early married life. While in the son's home, however, he had formed an attachment for a domestic, Maggie McFarlane, and he had made repeated visits to see her. Miss McFarlane was at the time thought to be affianced to a young carpenter, Martin Morden, and the attentions which were being paid her by the old man were apparently kept a secret between them. (Continued on Page 5.)

SUMMER COMFORTABLES FOR MEN.

What could be cooler and lighter than a neat Flannel Suit in an almost invisible stripe or a mixture? We leave it to yourself whether its lined or unlined. These goods for hot weather will please the most careful dresser.

SLATER BROS., Fashionable Tailors, 309 Richmond Street.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION

At the rooms of Mr. J. W. Jones, 213 Dundas street, London, on Monday, the 27th day of July, at 2:30 p.m., the stock of W. H. Morris, Waterloo, as follows: Tweeds, tailors' trimmings, etc. \$319 79 Shop furniture, etc. 213 10 Total \$532 79 Terms - One-quarter down, balance 2 1/2 and 6 months, approved indorsed paper, with interest at 5 per cent. Stock list on premises with C. B. ARMSTRONG, London, Ont., Trustee. Trustee's Solicitors, 181 yw

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THE ADVANCE ON PEKIN. London, July 26. - There is some fear (Continued on page 5.)







After Dinner
To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily...

Hood's Pills
Sold every where. 25 cents.

THE MARKETS

Local Market.
London, Thursday, July 26.
Anything of a noteworthy character was hard to find on the market this morning...

The trade in poultry was decidedly slow today, but it is anticipated that the supply will be more plentiful after the harvest is completed...

Meats were supplied abundantly in fact, beef was too plentiful. The demand was fair and prices remained firm.

Dairy Produce—Supply fair; demand good; prices unchanged. In other lines quotations rule.

A. M. HAMILTON & SONS' REPORT.
Wheat, white, per bu. . . 69c to 69c
Wheat, red, per bu. . . 69c to 69c

Wheat, spring, per bu. . . 69c to 69c
Oats, per bu. . . 29c to 29c

Peas, per bu. . . 69c to 69c
Corn, per bu. . . 43c to 43c

Barley, per bu. . . 35c to 35c
Rye, per bu. . . 55c to 55c

Buckwheat, per bu. . . 60c to 60c
Oats formed the bulk of the grain delivered today; price steady at 92c to 92c...

Wheat sold from \$1.10 to \$1.15; demand good, supply light.

Hay was slow of sale at \$5 to \$7.50, according to quality.

Live hogs sold at \$5.50 for Monday, and the dressed hogs, \$7.25, immediate delivery. No young pigs offered.

Quotations:
GRAIN
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. . . 110 @ 115

Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs. . . 110 @ 115
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. . . 110 @ 115

Oats, per 100 lbs. . . 90 @ 95
Corn, per 100 lbs. . . 80 @ 85

Barley, per 100 lbs. . . 80 @ 85
Rye, per 100 lbs. . . 100 @ 105

Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. . . 100 @ 120
Beans, per bu. . . 190 @ 130

PROVISIONS
Cheese, per lb. . . 12 @ 13
Eggs, single dozen, per doz. . . 12 @ 13

Eggs, fresh, per dozen . . . 12 @ 13
Butter, large rolls, per cwt. . . 20 @ 20

Butter, pound rolls, retail . . . 2 @ 20
Lard, per lb. . . 7 @ 8

Lard, 20 lb. lots . . . 7 @ 8
WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES
Eggs, store lots, doz. . . 11 @ 11

Butter, store lots, doz. . . 11 @ 11
Butter, crock, doz. . . 11 @ 11

Butter, rolls, store lots . . . 16 @ 17
Plymouth Binder Wine
Is the cheapest, because it will do more and better work than any other. Buy it at HAMILTON'S Flour and Seed Store.

The Oil Market.
Petrolia Advertiser: Latest all figures—Petrolia crude, \$1.07, net; Oil Springs crude, \$1.06, net; refined, in bulk, 11/10 to 11/10; refined, in barrels, 11/10 to 11/10.

American Markets.
CHICAGO, July 25.—Big shipping sales and a reduction in the estimated French yield came to the aid of the previously weak wheat market today, and September closed 1/2 to 3/4 over yesterday.

White Men Go Gunning For Negroes.
Three Killed, Three Fatally Wounded and a Dozen Injured.
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RUSSELL, Ont., July 25.—Russell cheese board, 547 boxes board 397 white and 150 colored; 9c offered; none sold on board.

Live Stock Markets.
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ANCHARY AT THE CAPITAL.
Che Foo, July 26.—Gen. Li, commanding the Pei Tang forts, near Taku, reports to the British officer commanding at Taku that a runner who left Pekin on July 14 reports that Pekin was in a state of absolute anarchy.

IN A BAD WAY.
St. Petersburg, July 25.—In the opinion of the Russian general staff, the protective force on the railway between Chabin and Tielin must be in a critical position, since no definite news of the situation has been received.

PROMISCUOUS GUNNING.
Small bands of men and boys were soon formed, and scattered to several parts of the city. Many negroes who were on the streets and riding on cars were fired upon with more or less success.

MARCH UPON THE PARISH PRISON.
and demand the Negro Pierce, who was with Charles when the police officers were sent strong reinforcements to the prison, and when the mob made its appearance its leaders were told that an effort to secure the prisoner would be resisted to the bitter end.

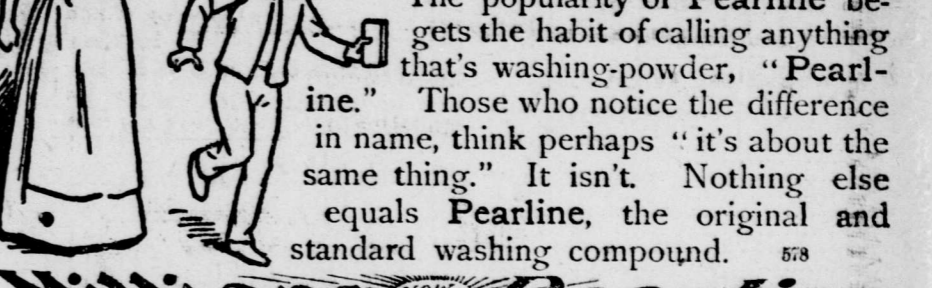
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DOUBT GROWS.
Washington, D. C., July 25.—The recollections at Tien Tsin of an undoubtedly genuine and authoritative message from Minister Conger has done nothing to dissipate the doubt as to the situation at Pekin.

“Take it back”
go to some grocer who will give you Pearl-ine. That's the only way to do when they send you an imitation.



DR. HAMMOND-HALL'S
English Teething Syrup
Comforts Crying Children.
POSITIVELY PREVENTS CHOLERA INFANTUM.
CURES COLIC, DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, HIVES and all TEETHING TROUBLES.
LARGEST SALE IN THE WORLD.
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The London afternoon papers regret that the President of the United States has taken a line that can hardly fall to encourage the Chinese to further duplicity.

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When your grocer says to you, “Yes, Madam, this is made by Tillson,” he is simply expressing the confidence he feels and which he believes you share—that when Tillson makes it must be right. The way in which Molina has supplanted the expensive package foods is a good proof that Tillson's name begets confidence. MOLINA is sold by the pound.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Table with columns for Market, Ask, Bid, and various stock prices including Toronto Stock Market and New York Stocks.

Table with columns for Close, Open, High, Low, and 2 p.m. prices for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, and Flour.

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Strong's Drug Store

FOR PURITY, ACCURACY AND DISPATCH. TELEPHONE 56. A prompt delivery to all parts of the city.

W. T. STRONG & CO. DISPENSING CHEMISTS. 184 Dundas St., London.

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, July 26-10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Moderate to fresh northerly to westerly winds; fine.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. A. Fortner, of 60 Mount Pleasant avenue, is visiting friends in Toronto. Miss Lawerson, of St. George, is visiting Miss Margaret Schram, South London.

clency largely through the efforts of his leader, Mr. J. F. Hombrowsky, who is an old London boy himself. Some 20 years ago he played with Bandmaster Hiscott in this city.

HAD AN OUTING

London Builders the Guests of Their Cleveland Brethren—Hearty Reception and a General Good Time.

The excursionists who went to Cleveland with the builders returned home this morning. They speak in appreciative terms about the hearty reception that was tendered them by their Cleveland hosts.

Confessed!

It Is Said That the Boy Herbert Told of the Plans to Kill Sifton.

The Crime Said to Have Been Pre-arranged Between the Son and Himself—Sifton Alleged to Have Struck His Father With the Axe.

PAINTS and OILS

We are selling Linseed Oil and White Lead at extra low prices, having bought before the advance. REFRIGERATORS—"Challenge" at reduced prices to clear out.

Cowan's Cash Hardware, 127 Dundas Street, London.

of burning houses or looting Tien Tsin. (Signed) REMEY. TERRIBLE UNCERTAINTY. Cleveland, Ohio, July 26.—Secretary of State John Hay left Cleveland this forenoon for Canton to confer with President McKinley on the Chinese situation.

Burns Better, More Warmth, Less Waste. KOAL. If you stock up early, come and see our stock.

PHONE 348. DALY 19 York Street.

A DAINTY DESSERT: Cream Puffs

20c per dozen, at Friend's. MEN'S CLOTHING

Stockwell's Dye Works, 250 Dundas Street.

Cannom Summer Stove

A NEW IDEA IN CHEAP COOKING. SHOWROOM AND FACTORY.... 197 King Street.

CANADIAN STEAM LAUNDRY

DUNN & WILSON, PROPRIETORS. 264 Dundas Street. Telephone 905.

LABOR NEWS

Editor of the Dominion Labor Gazette Takes Hold—Secretary Glocking Indorsed. W. L. M. King, of Toronto, who has been appointed to take charge of the Labor Gazette in connection with the Dominion department of labor, has arrived at Ottawa.

FORCED BACK!

British Forced to Retire From Some of Their Positions. London, July 26.—Lord Roberts reports to the war office today that Gen. Archibald Hunter's command was heavily engaged on July 24, in the hills south of Bethlehem.

WITH PITCHFORKS

Russian Farmers Fight to the Death in North Dakota. St. Paul, Minn., July 25.—Meager news has reached here of a terrible duel with pitchforks which took place in Emmons county, just over the line in North Dakota, between two Russian farmers, and which resulted in the death of both men.

Guessing

As to the Status of the Pekin Prisoners.

Advance of the Allies the Only Way to Solve the Mystery.

Japan's Division of Troops Likely to Be at Taku by July 31.

London, July 26.—While the latest impression derived from the array of conflicting telegrams from the Far East is that a portion of the foreign colony at Pekin may have escaped slaughter until a recent date, the general consensus of the best informed opinion of Europe seems to continue to favor the acceptance of the worst news and prompt action thereon.

Mysterious Disappearance

Henry Alford, a young Englishman, who has recently been working at Gorman & Eckert, has mysteriously disappeared. Since a week ago Thursday nothing has been seen of him.

ELECTROCUTED IN MID-AIR

Death of a Lineman on Winnipeg Fair Grounds. Winnipeg, July 26.—About 9:50 last evening the light in the exhibition grounds suddenly went out. A man who was standing near the electric street railway company, was electrocuted.

Wiped Out

200 Russians Thought to Have Been Annihilated.

They Were Guarding the Railway at Charbin—More Missions Destroyed.

London, July 26.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that on July 24 Gen. Gacharoff reports he bombarded and destroyed Lauschi and the garrison fled. The dispatch says it is believed the Russian railway guard of 200 at Charbin and Tsin has been annihilated by the hordes of Chinese said to be in that vicinity.

MISSIONS DESTROYED.

A dispatch from missionary sources dated at Shanghai, says: "Rioting has broken out at Ai Yuen Fu, the capital of the province of Shan Si. There are no details. Rioting has also occurred at Hual Luh, south of Chi Li. All the missions have been destroyed. Our friends safely escaped to the country, but are still in danger."

A COREAN DENIAL.

Washington, July 26.—Mr. Ye, the Korean charge here, took to the state department this morning a dispatch from his government denying positively the published stories that the Boxer movement had extended to Korea, or that any Chinese Boxers had crossed the Korean frontier.

BASEBALL.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY GAMES. Following is the line-up of the teams for Friday and Saturday games at Tecumseh Park:

Table with columns for LONDON and HAMILTON, listing players and positions.

LAWYER OWLING.

The score for this morning's bowling at the Western Ontario Bowling Association tournament was as follows: Trophy match, finals—Stratford, Canada, Toronto, J. Steele, skip, 15; London, Ontario, C. Boeckh, skip, 8.

LUCKY ACCIDENT—\$500,000 SAVED.

Pretoria, July 25.—Gen. Dewet evidently had some information before he made his last exploit in the way of capturing a train. A special train, with £100,000 aboard, was coming up from the base. Gen. Dewet evidently knew of this, as he allowed two trains to pass, and seized the third, which was the one the money was coming on.

Steamship Arrivals.

Table with columns for Ship, From, and Arrival Date.

A FATEFUL... DIAMOND

"I do mean to be a good man—I will be a good man," resolved Louis Dumb...

"Louis, what are you going to do this summer?" Mr. Allen asked him on the last day of the spring term...

"I do not intend," resumed his friend. "To retain my position here after the close of this school year..."

HANDY REFERENCE

The Puzzling Chinese News Can Be More Easily Read With This Key.

[From the London Daily Mail]. The following alphabetical key should be kept for reference during the Chinese crisis...

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a twenty-five cent bottle of Dr. Willis' English Pills...

The Fall Fairs.

WESTERN FAIR, London, Sept. 6-15. Industrial, Toronto, Aug. 27 to Sept. 3. Kingston, Kingston, Sept. 10-14.

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Tells how Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills Conquer Disease.

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A teaspoonful of this delightful preparation in a glass of ordinary cool drinking water reduces the temperature of the blood...

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Railways and Navigation

L. E. & D. R. Y. Semi Weekly Excursions to Port Stanley on WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

CPR UPPER LAKE SERVICE. CPR During season of Navigation. CPR Upper Lakes Steamships.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after Monday, June 18, 1906, the trains leaving Union Station, Toronto (via Grand Trunk Railway) at 9 a.m.

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MERCHANT TAILOR Has removed to 212 1/2 DUNDAS ST.

Railways and Navigation

Allan Line Royal Mail Steamships for Liverpool, Calling at Noville.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

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Excursions to Montreal

Via Windsor, Detroit, Cleveland and Toronto, to Montreal. Via the...

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