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TENDERS for the construction of an 8-inch tile sewer on Waterloo street, will be eived at this office up to 3 o'clock, on Mon-ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

### NOTICE.

COMPETITIVE plans and specifications for heating and ventilating of the Victoria Hospital, accompanied by estimate of cost of same, will be received at the office of the undersigned architect on or before July 25, 1898. Such plans and specifications to be submitted without cost to the city, and the committee does not bind itself to accept any plan or plans that may

ALD. R. A. CARROTHERS, Chairman Hospital Building Committee. H. C. McBRIDE,

### Architect Victoria Hospital. TENDERS FOR SEWER.

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D. A. MACDONALD, Lieut.-Colonel,
Chief Superintendent of Stores.
Department of Militia and Defence,
Ottawa. July 12, 1898.
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## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Sharks are being caught and eaten in Havana harbor. The Imperial Bank will open branch in Hamilton. David Campbell, a well known Weland farmer, is dead. John Midwinter, Hamilton, eighteen

years old, was badly crushed in a gravel Mr. Jonas Wagner, of Floradale, is dead, the result of a fall from a load

Geo. Lish, aged 60, an Oxford county farmer, attempted to cut his throat at Detroit.

Various industries in Toronto are taking on over two thousand additional At the Manitoba high court, I. O. F.

is was decided that ladies be admitted to the order as members. It is estimated that 22,000 people were admitted to the Winnipeg fair grounds on Thursday afternoon. Ernest Donaghy, an Ottawa lad, died

from injuries received by being run over by an express wagon. W. J. Coleman, the St. Catharines iceman whose head was run over by his wagon, died, lockjaw having result-

George Urquhart, formerly porter at a Fort William hotel, committed suicide at Scribner by jumping from the trestle bridge.

In Moulton the buckwheat, potatoes and corn are totally destroyed by frost. The immediate neighborhood is saved. Neighboring towns have suffered.

A terrific storm passed over White Water, Man., at 9 o'clock Wednesday night. Fred D. Peters, C. P. R. agent, was struck by lightning and his right

leg paralyzed. The Dominion court of appeals will begin its next sitting on Tuesday, Sept. 13, instead of Tuesday, the 6th. The last day for setting down appeals will be Friday, Sept. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLean, adjutant and captain of the Salvation Army at Ottawa, left on Thursday for Fredericton, where they will be in charge of the army forces there.

George Teal, 12 years, was flying a kite on the flat roof of a row of cottages in the rear of his father's residence, Yorkville avenue, Toronto, on Thursday morning, when he fell a distance of 35 feet. His recovery is doubt-

### A POINTER.

Harry-I don't know what to make of that Miss Dandy. She is awfully cool with me; she doesn't treat me at all the way she treats the other fel

Harriet-Don't you know, silly, a girl is always cool with the fellow for whom she has a strong regard? . TLES SINKING. "Man overboard!" cried the sailor,

seeing a passenger fall into the sea. "What do you mean with your 'Man overboard?" gasped the unfortunate, bobbing up. Councilor von Felgiestock is overboard." Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother

gist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

# The Territory Uncle Sam Gets

By the Surrender Embraces 5,000 Square Miles.

Retrospect of the Two Weeks Siege of Santiago.

Heavy Losses Sustained | sonal interview with Gen. Toral, his by Both the Land Forces.

Remarkable Immunity of the U S. Navy, While Spain's Fleet Was Annihilated.

Comments of the British Press on the Results of the Campaign-Reported Landing of U. S. Troops at Cienfuegos-"Porto Rico Next" -A Talk W.th Toral.

Washington, July 15.-The territory surrendered by General Toral makes about 5,000 square miles. The Spanish soldiers to be sent to Zpain are estimated at about ten thousand men. Ma-TENDERS for painting Market Bazar will be received at this office up to 3 o'clock, on Monday, 18th July.

jor Hopkins, the military aide to Secretary Alger, yesterday, had spread retary Alger, yesterday, had spread for peace. before him a huge map of Cuba showing the surrendered zone turned over to the American troops. The extreme miles, and the extreme width about 50 Books of all kinds finished in any style required. Binding in all its branches given the best of attention. Estimates furnished if desired.

miles, tapering to a less width, making of the menace of yellow fever the of Santiago does not come any style furnished if desired. very few towns of any size. Santiago, with its fine harbor, is the main point, while Guantanamo is second in im-

Mr. H. J. Allen, of Kansas City, who has just come from Santiago, gave some interesting details as to the character of the country now surrendered to the troops. He said the country is so wild and rocky that it afforded practically no camping ground for any considerable number of troops, and in his opinion there was not a point in this sweep suitable as a base of operations for an

anmy. Except the Spanish force at Santiago. numbering about 10,000 men, Mr. Allen says there are no Spanish troops within the surrendered zone, as it has been overrun by Garcia's forces. The Spanish garrisons are at Manzanillo and Holguin, to the west of the sur-rendered zone. Mr. Allen says these Spanish garrisons do not exceed 6,000 men. This. he says, is Gen. Garcia's estimate. Mr. Allen left Santiago only last Saturday. At that time, he says, there were two suspicious cases thought

to be yellow fever in the hospital at Siboney. The territory surrendered by Gen. Toral includes a population exceeding 125,000 when the country is in its normal state. It includes the important cities of Santiago de Cuba, Guantanamo, Sagua de Panama and Jaracoa. It is exceedingly rich in minerals, sugar and coffee. The large iron and copper mines at Jaragua, Baiquiri and vicinity are owned by American companies. In the Guantanamo district are the extensive plantations of Soleda Esperanza, Los Canos, Santa Cecila and others. Baracoa carried on an extensive fruit trade with the United States.

FIRST CHAPTER ENDED. The first chapter of the land campaign of the United States against Spain closed yesterday, when the Spanish colors gave place over Santiago to the American flag. Next will follow the transportation of Spanish troops back to their native land and the capture of the Island of Porto Rico, unless peace soon intervenes.

The siege of Santiago has lasted two weeks, and was remarkable in many respects, and in none more than the heavy percentage of loss through back over the record of these two weeks, it is seen that a great ironclad squadron has been destroyed, that near-1,000 Spanish sailors have been drowned or killed by shell and flame, and that an untold number of Spanish soldiers have died in the trenches of Santiago. On the other hand, about 250 and in round numbers 2,000 more have been sent to the hospitals from wounds, fevers and other ailments. The United States fleet had a remarkable exemption from disaster in the many engagements it has had with the forts at the entrance of the harbor, and with the Spanish squadron.

### End of the Siege.

THE SURRENDER. Before Santiago, July 15.-After Santiago surrendered, a commission of two Spaniards, one Englishman and three Americans was appointed to arrange terms. Our army will remain outside the city; but our sick will be taken in, and a general hospital headquarters will be immediately estab-lished. The truce was prolonged by a flag sent out from the Spanish lines at 9:30 in the morning. Gen. Toral's acting on Captain-General Blanco's instructions, asked time to communicate by cable with Madrid, the surrender of Santiago being too importauthority. In the meantime Gen. "and then, if need be, Havana." The Gen. Blanco offered to appoint a com- secretary said that the Porto Rican The Fly has come to the front. 3ttf and Shafter declined to call for a per- lv. It will comprise new men entirely leless of workmen.

message being ambiguous. They rode out before the lines shortly before noon, and met Gen. Toral, who said he had received a few minutes before authority from Capt. Gen. Blanco to capitulate, and to make the work of the commission final.

THE COMMISSION.

Gen. Toral named Mr. Robert Mason, British vice-consul, Gen. Toleon and his own chief of staff. Gen. Shafter and Gen. Miles named Gen. Wheeler, Gen. Lawton and Capt. Miley, of Gen. Shafter's staff. The news was received with enthusiasm in the American lines. The American warships are expected to pass under the guns of El Morro, and will command the town from the upper bay.

BRITISH NEWSPAPER COMMENTS London, July 15 .- All of the London papers tender ample meed of praise for the success of American strategy in securing possession of Eastern Cuba with so little bloodshed. They recognize that further resistance on the part of Spain is hopeless, since, in all probability, famine will soon com-pel Gen. Blanco to surrender. Therefore, they say Spain ought to profit by the pause in hostilities to sue at once

Santiago resulting from the admirable condition, that the latter would problength of this surrendered trace is 10 manner in which the naval and military forces supplemented one another. The Daily News says that in view miles, tapering to a less width, making of the menace of yellow fever the fall rugged, mountainous country, with soon for the American troops. It adds:
very few towns of any size. Santiago.
The severely criticised strategy of President McKinley and his advisers is justified by results. The United States Government has used its immense power with a full sense of responsibility and with a due regard for humanity. The American generals may not be men of military genius, they deserve the utmost credit for prudence and consideration. Gen. Shafter may be congratulated in finishing the work before Gen. Miles had

time to interfere.

The Daily Mail says the terms are equal to walking out with all the hon-ors of war. The most sensitive mill-tary pride may well be hitisfied with this tribute to the respect in which the Spanish troops are held by their foe. Thus the chief obstacle in the way of peace is removed if the army the situation. There is no reason to fear trouble from Don Carlos

### outside the Basque provinces. Spanish Losses.

U. S. TROOPS LANDED AT CIEN-FUEGOS. London, July 15 .- The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: A dispatch from Havana to El Imparcial says that 3,000 Americans have landed near Cienfuegos under cover of the guns of the United States cruiser Montgomery. El Corrieo doubts the truth of this report. The government has no news on the subject. Gen. Toral cables that the losses for the last few days have been 400 killed,

wounded and taken prisoners. says that he has 12,000 troops left in the Cuban fevers will have passed.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES SUS-PENDED. According to a dispatch from Madrid to the Correspondicia Militar, the government has decided to suspend the payment of salaries to all civil and military servants, as the money is needed for war expenses. Feverish preparations continue at the coast towns for the advent of the Americans. The governor of Ceuta complains of the unfitness of the guns and defenses there. All the guns that can be spared are being shipped to the Balearic Islands. Admiral Camara's squadron, it is said, will be sent to

TEXAS SPY. death and sickness of soldiers and London, July 15.—A dispatch to the sailors engaged on both sides. Looking Daily News from Gibralter has a long story of a psuedo wealthy American who was lionized for six weeks at Madrid and Cadiz, where he dined with Admiral Camara, who inspected the fleet and defenses and in every way won the confidence of the officials, only to disappear the moment a warrant was issued for his arrest. He turned American soldiers have been killed, up afterwards in Tangier, and confessed to the correspondent of the Daily News that his name was Fernandez, and that he was a captain in the Second Texas Rangers. His Spanish descent, he said, enabled him to deceive all the Spaniards, while acting as the confidential agent of the American

### A BIG TASK.

washington, July 15.-To transport the surrendered army will require no less than 45 large steamers, but the Spanish forces involved in the capitulation will not be taken back Spain in American vessels unless there is an official pledge for the safety of the craft and their crews. Secretary Alger has no hesitation in saying that he doubted if Spain wanted the prisoners brought back there, and that if transported in American vessels without some agreement with the Spanish representatives Spain would not refrain from seizing them.

"NEXT IS PORTO RICO." said Secretary Alger after receiving ant a step to be taken without royal news of Santiago's formal surrender, mission to arrange terms. Gens. Miles expedition will go forward immediate-

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The warriors in the trenches before Santiago have distinguished them-selves, and it is not deemed prudent to bring them in unnecessary contact with new troops, in view of the dan-ger of spreading contagion. The sick soldiers will be nursed back to health, and then brought to the United States as soon as they can be safely removed. Immune regulars will be ordered to Santiago to garrison the town, and, as stated before,, two of these regiments are already under orders to proceed. The Porto Rican expedition will be

commanded by Gen. Miles in person. A TALK WITH TORAL. Gen. Wheeler's headquarters, July 15.—Without saying so in words, Gen. Miles said the tenor of Gen. Toral's remarks all betrayed his realization that he could not hold out long. When Gen. Shafter explained that his reinforcements were coming up, that he was completely surrounded, and that new batteries were being posted, Gen. Toral simply shrugged his shoulders. "I am but a subordinate," said he, "and I obey my government. If it is necessary, we can die at our posts."
During the course of an interview, Gen. Toral said the bombardment of Sunday and Monday had done little damage. He admitted the shells from the guns of the fleet had destroyed four houses, but he asserted that only half a dozen soldiers of the garrison The Morning Post editorially congratulates the United States upon the speedy success of the operations at gallantly inquired after Gen. Miles gallantly inquired after Gen. Mi had been injured. He also volunteerably be compelled to suffer the amou

## tation of his left arm at the shoulder.

Washington, July 15 .- Adjutant-Gen. Corbin last night received the following telegram from Hon. William J. Bryan: "Omaha. July 14 .- Adjutant-general, U. S. A., Washington, D. C.: I have honor to report that I was mustered into the service today, and await orders. The command will be uniformed, equipped and ready to move within a few days. I beg to testify to the efficiency of Lieut. Duff, mustering officer, and Lieut. Morgan, acting quartermaster. (Signed) Bryan, colonel Third Regiment of Nebraska

### PORTO RICO HEALTHY.

The reported appearance of yellow fever is almost certain to result in the temporary removal of practically all our land forces from Cuba. The question of withholding for the present the expedition now being fitted out against Porto Rico has been under serious consideration, but up to this time no positive conclusion, it is thought, has been

reached. Investigation has convinced the officials that there would be practically no danger at San Juan to our troops San Juan, which is built on high ground, is said to be exceptionally clean for a Spanish town. The water is said to be good, and it is not believed that the present arrangements for the invasion of the island will be interfered

with. Santiago, it is understood, will take part in this expedition, but will be brought north to remain until October, when it is expected the danger from

INCENDIARY PROJECTILES. Madrid, July 14.-The newspapers ere publish a statement to the effect that the Spanish minister of marine has secured proofs that the Americans used incendiary projectiles, thus explaining the burning of the Spanish ships at Cavite and Santiago de Cuba. Some of the papers urge the government "not to protest to the powers on

### this subject, but to use the same weapons in Spanish ports against American ships.'

AUSTINI'S STATEMENT. A dispatch from Governor-General Austini, dated from Manila, says the insurgents are divided into two parties advocating independence or autonomy. He adds that a majority of the inhabitants of the Philippines are opposed to the American occupation of the islands, and he expresses the belief that by the concession of reforms the confidence of the natives can still be

### At Manilla WHOLE UNITED STATES EXPEDI-

TION EXPECTED THERE ON JULY 30. London, July 15 .- The special correspondent of the Times at Cavite writes under date of July 10: The American troops are a fine-looking body of men, but the discipline is easy, and not at all comparable to that of an English volunteer corps. Their clothing is heavy for a warm climate, and I fear the men will suffer from heat, should field operations be necessary for the capture of Manila. There are about 160 cases in the hospital, chiefly of dysentery. A steamer arrived on the

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WHAT SHE SAW. Mr. Mekton thought he would dispel his wife's cold and haughty demeanor by an effort to be facetious.
"Well," said he, "did you see any

mermaids while you were at the sea "No," she answered in her habitual tone of superiority, "but I saw a num-ber of mere men."

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Armament One of the Features.

The new naval programme of the

British Government is soon to be presented to Parliament. It is said that

the programme will include important

additions to the British navy in the

number and armament of the vessels

to be constructed. The proposals will

not be of a very exacting character financially, and they will not call for

an addition to the burdens of the tax-

payer; therefore there should be very

little difficulty in carrying them

through Parliament. The programme

will be based principally on the new conditions arising out of the recent

changes in China, and in connection

with the acquisitions of Wei Hai Wei

become a naval base of the first order.

The details of the additions to be

made to the British navy have been

worked out in secret thus far, Mr.

Goschen having said that he had no

intention of giving foreign govern-

ments the opportunity of getting an

even start in the construction of the

special kind of ships that were con-

templated. From this it may be con-

juctured that it is intended to produce

a fleet of vesels with many noveities

in design and armament adapted to

the exigencies of a new line of policy.

From the hints dropped by Mr.

Goschen a few months ago, in present-

ing the ordinary naval estimates to

additions to be made to the British

navy will comprise a class of vessels

between the battleship and the arm-

ored cruiser, in which advantage will

manufacture of armor to diminish the

weight saved in the hull to the arma-

ment. Efforts will also be made to se-

cure a high rate of speed with, at the

same time, a maximum coal-carrying

capacity, it having come to be recog-

the details of the style of construc-

any length of time after they are be-

gun remains to be seen; but it is cer-

tain that other countries that are giv-

ing attention to their naval arma-

ments are only waiting the first in-

dication to start building similar ves-

The great question in England now

is as to the value of the older armor-clads, so many of which still figure

Charles Beresford, who has made this

subject particularly his own, has con-

clusively shown that as at present

armed they are useless for purposes

of modern warfare, and he calls for

the complete rearmament of no less than 45 of these ships. The muzzle-

loaders, with which they are at pres-

ent furnished, are of no more use than

so many pop-guns, and to send them

to sea to meet the ships of France,

Russia, or Germany would be a crim-

inal act. Of these 45, 37 figure on the

last parliamentary return, which shows

the armored vessels of the British navy

to comprise 64 battleships, 26 armored

cruisers and 15 coast defense ships,

as against 57 battleships, 30 armored

cruisers and 30 coast defense ships

which are included in the united

French and Russian navies, all armed

with the best modern guns.

Hitherto it has been considered that

all vessels built since 1880 might be

classed as effective, but it is now held

to be doubtful whether, through the

advance made in the manipulation of

high explosives, and in consequence of

the power and rapidity of fire of mod-

ern guns, those vessels built before

1888 may not also have to be relegat-

ed to the list of those classed as ob-

solete for the battle line. In that

case a large number of the French

and Russian ships pass off the effec-

tive list also, though they, as well as

the matter of coast and harbor de-

the new British programme come up

to the expectations formed of them.

we may be entering on an entirely new

period of naval construction, that will

soon place the latest built war ves-

sels where those of ten years back are

now. For designers and inventors it

will be a highly interesting time, and

in the new stimulus to produce the

ideal warship we may arrive at some-thing that will place at the disposal

of some one country the power of imposing peace on all others. That country will undoubtedly be the one where

on the list of effective ships.

of an enemy's cruisers.

Parliament, it seems likely that

lence.

# THE IRISH BILL

Occupies Parliament's Attention All Night,

and Finally Passes Through the "Report" Stage.

Britain to Arbitrate in the Chili-Argentine Dispute.

Jerman Doctors Refuse to Admit Wo en to Their Profession-Lady Salisbury's Illness.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT SAT ALL NIGHT.

London, July 15 .- The House of Commons sat until five o'clock this morning, when it passed the report stage of the Irish local government bill.

BRITAIN FOR ARBITRATOR. London, July 15 .- The St. James Gazette says it learns from an authoritative source that the British Government has formally consented to arbitrate the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina, if the matter is not mutually settled by Aug. 15. NO CHANCE FOR WOMEN.

Berlin, July 15 .- The movement in favor of the higher education of women in Germany has just received a severe check. At the conference at Wiesbaden of the German Medical Association, numbering over 15,000 members, a motion was adopted against the admission of women to the study

LADY SALISBURY'S ILLNESS. London, July 15 .- A critical surgical operation was performed Wednesday morning upon Lady Salisbury, wife of the prime minister. The operation successful. Six doctors assisted, including Sir William H. Broadbent, physician in ordinary to the Prince of Wales, and Dr. Charles Theodore Williams, physician extraordinary to the Queen. Lady Salisbury has long been afflicted with dropsy. The Queen was immediately informed of the result of the operation.

CABLE NOTES. London cabl says: The proposed

A London cable says: The proposed volunteer artillerymen to compete with the gunners of the Dominion has been put off until next year. The encouragement to the scheme, both from the war office and elsewhere, was of the slenderest description.

The well known Liverpool shipping firm of Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co., have just insured a portion of their lines for £3,000,000, taking about a fifth of the risk themselves. The rate is 5 per cent, consequently the yearly pre-mium figures out at £150,000.

### **FATEFUL FLAMES**

Five and Possibly Eleven Persons Perish in a Burning Building.

Racine, Wis., July 15.—By the burning of the Racine Malleable and Wrought Iron Company's work at Racine, Wis., Wednesday, three lives were lost, and eight persons are missing. The dead as far as known are: John Keefe, Gus Knefski, an unidentified body, supposed to be Adelbert Hollis-Fight others are missing, and supposed to be dead. Among the injured

The fire started in the varnish room, and suddenly leaped out into the main shop, and enveloped the whole building. which were a hundred men. Those on the ground floor had no trouble in escaping, and most of the men on the second floor got out without injury, but the workmen on the third floor were caught as in a trap. Many of them appeared in windows crying for help, alle others jumped to the street be-Two hundred men will be thrown out

Loss. \$100,000. Forest, Ont., July 15.-Yesterday morming the brick residence of Alexander Love was destroyed by fire, most of the contents being saved. There was \$500 insurance on the building.
St. Catharines, July 15.—The hand-

some two-story brick residence of Mrs. Catharine Donoghue, on Welland avenue, was badly damaged by fire yesterday, Total loss about \$2,500; co insur-

Durham, Ont., July 15 .- Fire in Charter Smith's foundry caused a loss, including patterns, damage to building and machinery, of about \$2,500; insured

## **CURNER DOWNED**

The British Columbia Government Defeated Several Seats Protested.

Winnipeg, July 15 .- Numerous private telegrams received here from Van-couver leave little or no room to doubt that the Turner government is defeated.

PROTESTS THERE, TOO. Protests have been lodged to void the election of Dean in North Yale, Ellison in East Yale, and Kelly in Revelstoke. Bribery and corruption in each case are alleged. The opposition is preparing to make a hard fight for Cassiar, where the election is yet to be held. Messrs. Sword and Brown go up as nominees of the straight opposition party, and D. W. Higgins as independ-

ELECTION PROTESTS. .

Toronto, July 15 .- Mr. Justice Mac-Lennan has been appointed an addi-tional judge on the rota for the trial of provincial election protests. APPENDICITIS DUE TO CYCLING. Belleville, Ont., July 15.—Lawson W. Russell, aged 14, died at his home in Rednerville from appendicitis, brought

on by cycling. FORTUNE IN BINDER TWINE. Detroit, July 15.—Dealers in binding twine, who were fortunate enough to make their purchases of manila twine last year are going to make fortunes out of their deals. Twine purchased for 6 cents last year is selling to the farmers today for 12 to 18 cents. G. A. Woodford, a local broker, has netted • profit of \$140 per ton on his sales, which aggregate about 1,000 tons.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which effect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclecric Oil-a pulmonic of acknowledged meacy. It cures soreness and lamewhen applied externally, as well swelled neck and crick in the back, ant, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claim to public confidence

## WORK AND WAGES

Three Hundred Men Are Out of Two Institutions in Walkerville,

Illinois Labor Union Choose a Label on Coal.

Windsor, July 15.-The employes of the Malleable Iron Company, and the Kerr Engine Company, Walkerville, are out on strike. The trouble started with the molders in the malleable iron works, who demanded a raise of 20 per cent in the prices paid them. Manager Frees, told them that such an increase was altogether out of the ques-tion now, but he would do something later on. The men were not satisfied with this, and went out, taking with them the coremakers, laborers and others. There are over 100 of the Engine Company's men out, and 200 of the Iron Company's men. Springfield, July 15.—It now looks as though the difference between the coal

miners and operators throughout Illinois might be decided by arbitration. The operators at Pana have informed the state board of arbitration that they would agree to arbitration. The miners' executive board chose a union label to be placed on all union mined coal.

## JAIL FOR LIFE

Bram, the Mate of the Herbert Fuller. Waives an Appeal.

Boston, Mass., July 15.-Thomas M. Bram, formerly mate of the bark-entine Herebrt Fuller, and who was cused of the murder of Capt. Chas. I. Nash. Mrs. Nash, and the Second Mate Blomberg, on board the vessel, in July, 1896, and who, after two sensational trials, was found guilty "with-out capital punishment" of the murder of Capt. Nash, was yesterday sentenced to a life term at hard labor in the state prison in Charlestown. Counsel for prisoner waived an appeal. Bram addressed the court, declaring that he was a victim of circumstance and not guilty of the crime. He said: "I have nothing to lay at my lawyers' feet but my thanks for the manner in which they have truthfully laid my case before you. May God

bless them and all those that have in jured me. When Bram was seated, Judge Colt pronounced sentence. The prisoner's demeanor did not change as he heard the sentence of the court.

### **GROSS BLUNDERS**

Caused Needless Losses at Santiago.

Chicago, July 14. - The Record has a special from the seat of war in Cuba in which it says: E. P. Nuttall, war correspondent for the London Telegraph, who accompanied the army from Tampa to Santiago, was also a In an interview he corroborated the

statements made by Capt. Kerr and the other wounded officers and soldiers sent back from the field. Mr. Nuttall was at the front, and was in the midst of the battle of El Caney. He said: "There has been gross mismanagement on the part of whoever is re-sponsible for the condition of the American army now in Cuba. The people of the United States do not know the extent of their loss. I believe the Chris Poulson, fatal; Geo. Casey, number estimated in this country as having been killed and wounded will fall far short of the actual number. I do not hesitate to say that 90 per cent of the lives sacrificed and the suffer-

to enormous blunders. "When I left Baiquiri most of the slege guns, which were advertised in this country as having played an important part in the fighting at Santiago, were still on the transports, and low, receiving fatal or serious injuries. no one knew where to find any particular part of one. It will doubtless The plant will be rebuilt. be asserted by the commander of the American army in Cuba when explanations are in order that the reason for not sending the siege guns to the front and covering the infantry was the bad

ings of the wounded are attributable

condition of the roads. "However eight days intervened between the time of our arrival and debarkation and the beginning of the nized that circumstances might arise rain. After the eighth day it rained incessantly, and great ponds formed in places across the roads, and to cross many low places one was compelled to wade knee-deep in mire. Then, of course, the movement of the heavy guns was an impossibility, but during those eight days of splendid weather which succeeded our landing every gun should have been hauled to a position commanding Santiago."

## DRY AND HOT

The Country Much in Need of Rain-Fruit Suffering.

Toronto, Ont., July 15 .- Rain is very badly needed all through the country. The fruit is suffering a great deal. Raspberries were expected to be a record crop, but they are drying up with amazing rapidity. A man from the country said that the raspberries would be done in no time if rain did not come. "Blackberries will be very scarce," said he. "Other small fruit will also suffer. According to the officials at the ob

servatory there is no sign of rain. The heat may bring about a thunderstorm late today or on Saturday, but nothing more. The weather will, in all probability, be hot for a few days.

ANOTHER FOURTH OF JULY VICTIM. Flint, Mich., July 15.-Norman Ab-

raham, aged 9, died this morning from

lockjaw. He was wounded on the 4th

by the explosion of a toy cannon. NAPANEE ROBBERY-ANOTHER ARREST. Napanee, Ont., July 15 .- Detectives Carpenter and Dougherty, of the Pinkerton Detective Agency, arrested Robt. Mackie, son of a well-known hotel-

keeper at Belleville, as being one of the men who helped to make the Dominion Bank robbery here last fall. The game of chess is taught in all

the Austrian schools. Look Cut for Her. You can easily tell the woman who takes Merrill's System Tonic. Her complexion is clear, her cheeks rosy and her step light and firm. There is none of that "don't care to live" air about her. For all female troubles, and for worn-out, run-down feelings, Merrill's System Tonic is worth its weight in gold. 50 doses for 50c. Sold by W. T.

Strong, the druggist. Explanatory pam-

phlet free. Did you see the Fly? Yes. the mechanical faculty and the in-telligent handling of its productions are the most highly developed.—New

THE CITY OF CADIZ

Is a Most Interesting Relie of Antiquity. Considered the Key to Spain-Her Ad-

venturous Sons-Battles in Her Harbor.

[Collier's Weekly.]

The president's rumored intention of carrying the war into Spain is inspirit-ing. It presents the triple advantage of being practical, popular and pictur-One does not need to be a prophet to assume that unless there is a general smash-up in the meantime it would also be productive of peace. Cadiz once captured, war would cease precisely as it did after the French expedition in 1823. In that instance the siege lasted three months. Previously the city had been ineffectually blockaded for a period which exceeded two years. In the last century again and again it was unsuccessfully attacked. Cadiz is a stronghold. Founded by Pygmalion, King of Tyr, its arms still represent lions strangled by Hercules. Under the latter's care and protection the city was placed. But Cadiz is not merely a stronghold; it is a very beautiful place. It is famous, too. It is there that as simple quaestor Caesar At the time it was renowned for the sheen of its purple, for wine smoother than Falernian, for honey more aromatic than that of Hymettus bricks. and for girls that had the Orient in their eyes and lips that said "Drink me." But Cadiz—or, rather, to be ex-act, Gaddiz—had other charms. Known as the Ship of Stone, its sons were immemorial explorers. The presentment of a land across the sea was hereditary. They were in love with the sunset. They sailed as near it as they could, returned for more provisions and sailed again, nearer and nearer this way will be one of the curiosities of history should our guns bombard that port, should Hercules and Sampson

In Cadiz the presentment mentioned of a land across the sea stalked the streets. To antiquity the idea was a dream. To prehistoric Europe it was a tradition, to primeval humanity a fact. The disappearance of a world coincided with the advent of man. At that time Spain and the United States were one. Geologists have shown that in the nebulous days that extend behind the beginning of time a continent was engulfed. Catalogued in mythography as Atlantis, it connected this country with the Iberian peninsula. Of it the Azores, Madeira and the Canaries remain. Everything being possible, it may be that there were those who stood about and beheld the convulsion in which it disappeared. It must have startled them. Even in the post-pliocene epoch a spectacle such as that could not have been an ordinary event

The circumstance, already sufficiently quaint, becomes marvelous not merely through the endurance of a memory aic but through and the territory on the mainland in monstration of its truth. proximity to Hong Kong, which will the lost Atlantis Plate told Concerning the lost Atlantis Plato told. The country which stretched beyond it, Theopompus described. According to Plato information on the subject was gather ed by Solon when rummaging in Memphian crypts. In connection with which it may be noted that if the inscriptions on the walls of Uxmal are not of Egyptian origin, then Egyptian civilization originated in Yucatan. But that is a detail. Solon's story was to the effect that over against the Pillars of Herucles in anterior days a continent greater than Asia extended to another remoter still. It was the other onethis country-which Theopompus described. According to him, there were here immense cities watered by two great streams, the River of Pleasure and the River of Pain. He added that the garments of the inhabitants were the down of feathers and that they lived on the scent of the rose. Theobe taken of the improvements in the pompus may have been right, yet in that case how customs have changed But no matter about that. In the rethickness and consequent weight of the plating and to add some of the citals of these historians is the account of the first rupture we had with Spain Cadiz has been considered the key to Spain. It is one of three cities which Charles V. recommended Philip to keep an eye on. Once upon a time the latter where the supply of fuel at a British coaling station might be destroyed or fail to be kept up through the action tegic. Whether it will be possible to keep that. tion of these new ships a secret for

prepared a fleet there. Its destination was England. Its object was to punish Elizabeth for her wicked refusal to marry. But that lady was highly stra-She knew a trick worth two of Raleigh, Essex, other little dears, gentlemen adventurers and choice persons were sent in advance to argue. They took with them over 7,000 pikemen, more than 6,000 cannoniers, and 150 sail. On Essex was enjoined the duty of not exposing himself to danger. For the rest there were com-mon prayers twice daily, and a general inhibition against swearing, brawling and diceing, likewise against picking and stealing. When the fleet reached Cadiz the harbor was found fully furnished with men-of-war, galleys, galmerchantment and caracks. leons, Then the historic fight was pulled off. There was the punching of the galleys, the hulling of the men-of-war, the scurrying, the scuttling, the attack by land and sea, the storming of the citadels, a fall which followed, a sack which ensued, and the reduction of Cadiz to a heap of cinders on a wreckstrewn shore. Many choice persons were knighted on the spot. Others were allowed to ransom their prisoners for all they were worth. Those were the good old days. But not for Philip. His part of the entertainment cost him 20,000,000 ducats and a great deal of his desire to punish the contumacious queen. If Cadiz is to be besieged again,

### may profitably consider. Steamship Arrivals, From. At July 14. Derwentholme.. .Quebec...... .Heath Point.... Liverpoo Laurentian.... Lake Winnipeg Kastalia. Memnon..... Montevidean.. ather Point.... Montrea Devonia..... ontrose..... zelmoor .. Liverpool msterdam.... lamburg..... Faval.

there are tactics which the war board

the British ships similarly placed, could still render effective defense in Dr. Chase Cures Catarrh After Oper-But if the ships to be built under

ations Fail. Toronto, March 16, 1897. My boy, aged 14 has been a sufferen from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a

prompt and complete cure.
H. G. FORD, Foreman, Cowan Avenue Fire Hall. Thirty million oysters are annually sent to England from the basi Archachon, in the Bay of Biscay. basin of

### **MANY VICTIMS**

Disastrous Boiler Explosion in

Six Persons Killed Outright, Twenty-Six Injured and Two Missing,

Buffalo, N. Y., July 15.—By the explosion of a boiler in the Niagara starch works at 5 o'clock yesterday, the building was wrecked, six persons killed, 26 injured and two others are missing, who are supposed to have perish-

THE VICTIMS The dead-Wm. Kelley, engineer; Henry Scheffernstein, fireman; Cashier Walter Miller; Charles Entermaun, a

teamster; Mrs. Joseph W. Hoyt, Baby Fatally injured-Bobby Sloss, skull fractured. Injured-John Dingfelder, head cut; Philip Wesp, head cut; Alexander Sloss, shoulder fractured; Mrs. Michael Meirs, ribs broken; Albert Beukert, leg broken; Mrs. Hattie Beukert, hands crushed; Mrs. J. Woller, head cut; Wm. P. Fanns, severely bruised; Mrs. Anderson, arm broken; Wm. Schefton. head and hands cut; Mrs. George Mostberger, injured by shock; Geo. Smith, head cut; Wm. Bauer, head gashed; Ida McFarlane, leg crushed; Mrs. Philip Darion, head and arm cut; Alexander Fohner, back injured; John Summers, back injured; Hattie Thompson, face cut; Mrs. Penny, hip torn;

CAUSE UNKNOWN. The causes which led to the explosion of the boiler will never be known. The engineer and fireman, who were both killed, were the only persons who could have possessed any knowledge on the subject. Of the five tubular boilers not a fragment could be found. At 5 o'clock everyone in the neighborhood was startled by a hissing sound coming from the factory. This was followed instantly by a deep roar and a jarring of the earth, and then the ripping of timbers, the wrenching of iron and the showering of falling bricks. As the cloud of dust rolled back from the ruins it was seen that a large sec-tion of the building and the boiler-

Maud Penny, arms crushed; Benjamin

Penny, scalded by steam; Geo. Penny,

bruised by bricks; Baby Penny, badly

crushed; Hildred Minger, bruised by

Mamie Stressinger, foot

bruised:

house were in ruins. ONLY TWO ESCAPED INJURY. Of the six persons who were in the building only two escaped. Mrs. Hoyt and her baby were crushed by bricks while passing the building. Most of the injured were persons outside of the works. Scarcely a house within 1,000 feet escaped being hit with bricks, twisted iron or heavy timbers, and it was these flying missiles that caused

### **BOILER COLLAPSED**

Terrible Explosion at Sycamore, Kent County.

Two Men Killed and Several Badly

Wounded.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Blenheim, Ont., July 15.-A terrible boiler explosion took place shortly after 7 o'clock this morning at Sycamore, a short distance from Coatsworth station, on the L. E. and D. R. Railway,

killing two men and badly wounding several others.
Sycamore is a small place with two stave mills and a lumber yard. Dr. Oliver, of Merlin, attended to the njuries of the wounded. The names of the killed are said to be John Rambo, of Wheatley, killed outright, and Charles Betts, owner of the mill, hurt so badly that he died

## BURNED OUT

Destruction of a Quebec Summer Resort.

Guests Have Barely Time to Escape-

Loss \$30,000. G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser. Georgeville, Quebec, July 15 .- Early his morning fire broke out from a lamp explosion in the Hotel Elephantis, a summer resort owned by N. A. Beach. The building was destroyed. The guests and inmates had barely time to save their lives. The fire spread to the large Camperdown Hotel opposite, unoccupied, save for a caretaker's family, destroying it together with W. N. Ives, grocery; Miss E. Chamberlain's millinery and drygoods store; Wm. Wright's tailor shop and residence; Charles Burbank's shop, and several other buildings. Loss

between \$25,000 and \$30,000. THOSE PRICELESS BOXES

Of Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Mr. Colwell of Bright's Disease.

Windsor, July 11 .- "Is it true, Mr. Colwell, that you have been cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills?" our reporter asked Mr. R. F. Colwell, jeweler, of No. 9, Oulette street, today.
"It is indeed," was the answer. "I

suffered two years with Bright's Disease. My back ached all the time, and I had awful aching pains in my loins, a puffiness under my eyes, and my urine was very dark-colored. "For a time I could find no remedy to do any good. But one day a friend told me he had been cured of the same

disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. I bought a supply. A few boxes cured me thoroughly." Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all kidney complaints. The customs authorities have decided that the Chinese tom-tom is a musical

Instrument. A DINNER PILL. - Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food of their Glencoe friends. A partaken of is like a ball of lead upon joyable afternoon was spent. the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poi-son to the system. Dr. Parmelee's falo and other points east. Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indiges-

tion. One out of every six inhabitants in France has an account at the state savings banks.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Brome-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

The Terrible Havoc It Wrought On an American Cruiser,

The Texas-Every Man in Its Path Wounded.

The navy is stall talking of the damage done by one of the very few Spanish shells that have hit anything more solid than water. The shell in question was one of six inches in diameter; it was fired from a battery at the west of Santiago harbor, while our troops were landing in Baiquiri, and it succeeded in striking the battleship Texas, and entering her forward compartment between the gun-deck and spar-deck; it also killed one man and wounded eight others. The correspondent of the London Telegraph says:

"Although the shell was only a small

one, six inches in diameter, and there-

fore not weighing more than 70 pounds,

it practically wrecked the big compartment in which it burst, while the smoke from it forced itself down the ammunition hoists and into the forward compartments of the ship, so that for a few minutes the crew were almost suffocated. The stanchion was shivered into atoms for two feet of its length, and the fragments of the shell burst, flying forward against the star-board side, bulged the stout steel plates outward to a depth of three inches. Just at this point one of the big doubleheaded angle-irons of the ship's frame was situated. This great rib of steel, nearly twice as thick and heavy as a railroad rail, was cut through in two pleces as if it had been made of cheese, and nearly two feet of it was carried away bodily in minute pieces. The base of the shell plowed a furrow down the steel deck just as a plow would cut through the soft soil of a fallow field. "It hit and broke another rib of the ship, and, breaking itself in two, both pieces lodged in a cable reel standing close to the starboard side. The core of this reel was a prism of oak over two feet in circumference, and there was wound on it at the time a coil of hemp hawser that made a cylinder about four feet in diameter. The hemp rope was cut through to the wood, and the stout oaken prism was shivered to splinters. This one fact alone would be sufficient to give an idea of the appalling energy of modern projectiles.

"Every man in its path was wound-One gunner was hit with no fewer than fifteen pieces of steel, each about the size of a hazel nut. At the moment the shell exploded one man was standing right in its path. He was literally blown to fragments. He was talking to a comrade, and, strange as it may seem, the latter, although less than arms-length away, was unhurt, save for being knocked down by the shock of the explosion. Others of the men, 30 feet from the fatal shot, had a dozen pieces of the shell plunged into their bodies.

"A remarkable feature of the explosion was the smallness of the pieces in-to which the shell burst. It shivered into fragments weighing about an ounce. The only piece of any size picked up was rather less than half of the base, just enough to enable it to be ascertained that it had been a six-inch shell, fired from a high-power, breed loading gun."-Collier's Weekly.

### MIDDLESEX.

Wednesday, Aug. 3, has been appointed the civic holiday for Strath-At a recent special meeting of the

Strathroy Collegiate Institute board, A. Paterson, B.A., was appointed mathematical master for 1898-

Charles F. Dodd, principal of high school, Denver, Colorado, was married last month to Miss Nettie Christian, of Plainville, Mich., formerly of Dela-

ware, Ont. Wray & Hawkshaw, of Lucan, have decided to rebuild the flour mill recently destroyed by fire, and work will be commenced at once. They will build on the old site.

Dr. Frank Johnston, of Delaware, who has for the last year practiced at Gaspe Basin, Atlantic coast, is visting at Richard Gibson's, Delaware, and calling on friends.

### MOUNT BRYDGES.

Mount Brydges, July 15 .- Messrs. Trott Bros. shipped a large carload of hogs this week to the Canadian Packing Company, London. R. E. Howlett shipped two cars of ex-

tra fine cattle, averaging 1,415 pounds

each, for Glasgow, this week, and will have another lot ready for the next steamer on July 21. Miss Emily Ridgeway goes to Liverpool. England by the Allan Line steamship Parisian. Tickets were sold by our popular G. T. R. agent, Mr. George D. Baxter. Miss Dunn and Miss Grenfell, of

London, are visiting Mrs. E. Henderson for a few weeks. The brickwork of the new Methodist Church is nearly completed, the trussthe roof will be raised Friday, and the work is being pushed rapidly

Miss Jessie Walker leaves on Saturday for Bay City, Mich. Miss Walker, of Toronto, who has been on a visit here for some time, left Sunday for Montreal, accompanied by her nieces, Misses Susie and Elexa Walker and Jessie Smith. ir California for the last two years,

Mr George Ringrose, who has been returned home for a short visit last week, and while out in the country visiting he helped with the hay, and lost the ends of two of his fingers in a pulley of a hayfork.

### DUTTON.

Dutton, July 15 .- Miss Nellie Brown s home for her holidays. Our public school principal, Mr. Shepley, leaves to spend his holidays at his home in Charing Cross. Mr. Randal McLean has recently been renewing acquaintances in Dutton and Wallacetown It is rumored that the Rodney boys want another game of baseball with our town. Mr. J. C. Hertel and family are

spending a few weeks in St. Thomas and Brantford. A number of Dutton young people wheeled to the river Wednesday after-noon, where a picnic was held by some of their Glencoe friends. A very en-Miss Maggie and Miss Mary McLean, falo and other points east.

To Cure a Corn.

There is no lack of so called cures for the common ailment known as corns. The vegetable, animal and mineral kingdom have been ransacked for cures. It is a simple matter to remove corns without pain, for if you will go to any druggist or medicine dealer and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor and apply it as directed the thing is done.
"Putnam's," and no other,

Game at St. Thomas.

Chatham Outplayed by the Hamilton Nine.

Montreal Shuts Out Providence in Yesterday's Game.

Progress of the Lawn Tennis Tournament at Niagara.

Racing at Montreal and Other Points -Various Sporting Events.

BASEBALL. CANADIAN LEAGUE STANDING.

St. Inomas		6	2	.000
London				
Chatham		0	2	.000
HAMI	ILTON Y	WIN	S.	
Hamilton, On	t July	15	-Chatl	ham's
new fielders cou	ald not g	get h	ere fo	or the
game yesterda;	y and H	lamil	lton l	nad a
walkover. Wh	ite pitch	ed f	or the	e vis-

itors, and his work was good en but when he saw every ball knocked to the outfield go as a hit he eased up and the Hamiltons got tired of running bases. Score: HAMILTON. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E.

Hagerty, 3b	. 3	1	1	1	6	1
Elton, 1b		1	2	13	0	0
Congalton, c.f		2	2	1	1	0
Phillips, s.s		4	3	1	6	3
Schrall, I.f	. 4	2	4	2	0	0
McKevitt, r.f		1	3	0	0	1
Dean, 2b		0	0	2	1	0
Conwell, c	. 5	2	2	7	1	1
Bradford, p	. 5	0	1	0	2	0
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	A.B	. R.	B.H	P.0	. A.	E.
Snyder, 3b	. 4	0	0	0	1	1
Miles, 2b		0	0	3	1	0
Jones, s.s		1	1	2	2	0
Popkay, 1b		0	1	7	0	0
Phelps, c	. 4	0	0	4	1	1
Humphrey, c.f	. 4	2	3	8	0	0
Hicklin, l.f	. 4	1	0	3	0	0
Van Giesen, r.f						
	. 2	0	0	1	0	0
White, p	. 2	0	0	0	0	0

Two-base hits-Congalton, Schrall, McKevitt, Conwell. Three-base hits-Elton, McKevitt. Sacrifice hits-Dean, Van Giesen. Stolen bases-Humphrey, Hagerty, Congalton, Phillips (2), Jones. First on balls-By Bradford 3, by White 2. Passed ball-Conwell. Um-

\*Hagerty out; hit by batted ball.

pire-Grim. Time, 1:45. LONDON LOST.

St. Thomas, July 15.-The local team downed the London nine in the second and last game of the series here yester-day. Kelb was in the box for the visitors, and although hit rather freely, pitched a steady game. Pears twirled for the home team and seemed to have the Londons at his mercy. Neither pitcher issued a pass. Score: R. H. E. St. Thomas..1 1 0 3 1 1 0 1 0-8 11 1 London .....000001000-1 6 1 Batteries-Pears and Reid: Kelb and

Reuning. Umpire, Beal, Attendance, GUELPH FEELS SORE.

A number of the baseball cranks in this city feel very sore over the fact that Guelph is entirely in the cold as far as baseball is concerned for this season. It is said several who were anxious and willing to take hold of matters here held back, thinking other gentlemen in the city were taking steps to bring a team. There is no doubt that if the representative from this city had been present at the London meeting a few days ago, and shown a disposition in behalf of Gueiph for a place in the league, the other cities would have been favorable to let us in instead of Chatham. It also looks as if Bay City had been offered anything worth accepting they would have at least given Guelph a trial before disbanding. For the present baseball will sleep in Guelph, and perhaps it as just as well.-Guelph Mercury.

ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE SUGGESTED.

Globe: With three Canadian cities In the Eastern League, it wouldn't be a bad dea to revive the old International League, now that the organization of that name has gone out of existence. Toronto and Montreal will have a rival for Canadian championship bonors in Ottawa, and a formidable on at that. The ex-Rochester team is stronger now than ever it was, and stands an excellent chance of finishing in the first bunch. It is significant that the team won its first game playing under the Ottawa management vester-There is no question that the capital can support a ball team if the people "warm up" to the game. The Ottawalans are good sports, and the en-thusiasts in this part of the country would be tickled to death to see base ball become popular in that city.

THE WESTERN LEAGUE. In President Johnson's bulletin of the Western League is noted the release of Nicholl by Detroit and his being claimed by Minneapolis. The Millers had a man named Dennis playing in Campau's field on Wednesday at Columbus, while it has been supposed that Indianapolis would get Nicholl. Among 6-1, 6-2. the list of claimed are the following opposite the Detroit club's name: Shortstop Bone, Outfielder Sharritt, Second Baseman Dean, Shortstop Clancy, and Pitcher Friske. Dean and Friske are with Hamilton, and it is said Boston has secured Clancy. St. Paul has claimed Pitcher Smith and Third Baseman Hickey, of the Western Association; Kansas City has claimed Pitcher Foley and Outfielders Ladd and News. Ladd has signed with Pittsburg, and News with Providence. St. Joseph has released Denny Lyons, and Indianapolis has released J. Weimer and P. Kostal, the players who were farmed in the Western Association before it broke up.

STRATFORD WON. Strathroy played at Stratford yesterday, the home team winning in the seventh, when by bunching their hits, and owing to costly errors, they piled up eight runs. Outside of this the

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The Londons Lose Another game was a fine exhibition of ball. The features were McBeth's throwing, catching and base running. Strathroy plays Newbury at Strathroy tomorrow R. H. E. (Friday). Score: 
 Stratford
 .11
 9
 3

 Strathroy
 .4
 7
 5

and McBeth. Umpire, Haggarty. THE AMATEURS. The Alerts defeated the Stars last 

 night.
 Score:
 R. H. E.

 Alerts
 .18 20 4

 Stars
 .13 2 6

Batteries-Coyne and Tierney; Gan-

Newbury, 10. EASTERN LEAGUE - THURSDAY. At Wilkesbarre—

Wilkesbarre 2 8 1 Brooks 3. By George, Wreath, Mouse.

Buffalo 4 11 1 taff and Rebus also ran. Time, 1:02½.

Buffalo 5 Third race, selling, purse \$250, for 3-At Wilkesbarre-

ton and Gunson. At Springfield- 
 Springfield
 5
 8
 4

 Toronto
 4
 6
 1
 Batteries - Korwan and Nichols;

Baker and Snyder. At Providence-Montreal ...... 2 10 0 McFlarland and Butler.

OTTAWA'S CHANCE. chise, still the necessary amount has Colena, Springal and Martello also not been forthcoming to meet salaries. etc. Strong efforts, however, are being made to raise the necessary funds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE - THURSDAY. At Brooklyn-R. H. E. Batteries-Kennedy and Grim; Gardner and Bowerman.

New York ...... 12 14 1 St. Louis ...... 5 5 2 Batteries-Rusie and Warner; Taylor Second game-New York ..... 5 7 4 hoff and Sugden.

At Philadelphia- 

 Cleveland
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 Philadelphia
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 and McFarland. At Washington-

At Baltimore-Baltimore .... 5 13 Cincinnati ..... 5 13 0 Batteries-Maul and Robinson; Breitenstein and Peitz. At Boston-

trock, Todd and Kittridge. Second game-Boston ...... 8 11

Louisville ..... 7 18 1

Mohler, a new player from Illinois, has been signed by London, and will report for duty today. Mohler is booked to play second base, it is stood and LaRoque will go to first, meaning the eventual release of Grim-

Smink, outfielder and catcher, has reported at St. Thomas. Wilkesbarre has released Pitcher Keenan and Fielders Knight and Wright, all of whom objected to the salary cut. The team will now get along with eleven men, using a catch-, er or pitcher in the field. Odwell has been recalled from Rome.

Fox has signed with Syracuse and on Wednesday: "The most significant will cover third base, Richter going to remark which was made at the meetcenter field. Wingham and Brussels played for a \$50 purse and the championship of the western district yesterday, Wingham winning by a score of 16 to 13. The Chatham team has been dubbed "The Coons." They have a Black They have a Black manager just now.

The Torontos have 24 straight games at home, commencing next Tuesday. LAWN TENNIS.

CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP. Niagara, Ont., July 15 .- Favored by another fine day, another series of championships, the morning being de-voted to handicaps, with the following results: A. C. Master, owe half 15. Toronto, beat A. A. Stagg, received 15, Chicago, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4; C. W. Bell, scratch, Trinity, beat O. Horstman, received half 30, Harvard, 6-2, 6-3; Leo Ware, owe half 40, Harvard, beat Scott Griffin, scratch, Toronto, 6-4, 6-3; Beals Wright, owe 15, Boston, beat E. Osborne, owe half 15. Toronto, 6-2, 6-1; B. H. Carleton, owe half 30, Harvard, beat E. Harris, owe half 15, To-

ronto, 6—3, 6—2. Doubles—R. W. P. Matthews and Scott Griffin, Toronto, beat C. Whitbeck and O. Horstman, 6-4, 8-6. The afternoon play included: Allcomers, third round-M. D. Whitman,

Harvard, beat J. G. Forbes, Harvard, Semi-finals-E. P. Fisher, New York, beat D. H. Carleton, Harvard, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2; M. D. Whitman, Harvard, beat Beals Wright Boston, 6-4, 6-2. Ladies' singles-Miss Wimer, Washington, beat Mrs. A. A. Stagg, 6-1,

NEWMARKET RACES.

London, July 14 .- At today's racing of the Newmarket 2nd July meeting the Lorillard-Beresford stables threeyear-old bay filly Jiffy II. won the high weight handicap; Form was sec-

ond and Carradale third. TROTTING AT DETROIT. Detroit, Mich., July 15.-After much splitting up of heats, Newton W captured the 2:15 pace at Highland Park yesterday. Harry Omer, the Ohio gelding, was in the race at all stages, the first heat being so close between him and Newton W that none but the judges could see the result. Many people thought the judges erred in decid-

ing this race, but they were firm, saying Newton had the best of it. Summary: 2:40 trot-Gray Darling won second, third and fourth heats. Time, 2:241/4, 2:21¼, 2:22¼. Startella won first heat in 2:25. Clark, William C K, Gertie, Lulu M and Nona B also started. 2:15 pace—Newton W won second.

sixth and seventh heats. Time, 2:114, 2:144, 2:154. Harry Omer won fourth and fifth heats in 2:1514, 2:124. Rhoda Ferrands won third heat in 2:11% Minnettow won first heat in 2:10%. J. D. Kirkwood, Edgar Ross and Dick

Vail also started.

2:28 trot—Major Chew won in straight heats. Time, 2:15¼, 2:14½, 2:15¼. Mountaineer, Valpa, Knoxena, Eva S and Mindora also started. THE BEL-AIR RACES.

Montreal, Que., July 15.-The big fifteen days' racing meet of the Bel-Air track was opened auspiciously yesterday afternoon, with a large turn-out. The event of the day was the Batteries-Donley and Boyd; Lucas race for the Queen's Plate, which was won easily by Dr. Cronk's horse, Play. Mr. J. P. Daw's horse did not make as good a showing as was expected, coming in third. Summary:

First race, purse \$250, 5½ furlongs—
A. Beck's b. g. South Africa 1, H.
McLaren, jun., ch. g. Skillman 2, J.
P. Dawe's b. m. Steppy Belle 3. Jessie, At Petrolia yesterday—Petrolia, 12; Aunt Lida, Disturbance, Forfeit, Lady
Maud also ran. Time, 1:10.

HURSDAY.

R. H. E.

Cheesemite 2, Ed. Morris' b. f. Ocie

1. 2 8 1 Brooks 3. By George, Wreath, Mousle
Brooks 4. By George, Wreath, Mousle
Bro year-olds and upwards, 7 furlongs-W. H. Roller's b. f. Ten Pins 1, G. her body.
M. Miller's ch. b. Headlight II. 2, Jas.
Redfield's b. h. Little Ocean 3. Longage, and hurst, Overella, Quack-Quack, V. R. Batteries-Becker and Burrill; Hor- Customs, Tokio, Josephine K and Dorothy W also ran. Time, 1:311/4.

Queen's Plate, of 50 guineas, 1¼ miler's Stables b. m. Quebec 2, J. P. Dawe's b. f. Acoota 3. Time, 2:24½. Fifth race, purse \$250, 1 mile—Mrs. M. C. Lyle's ch. g. Brighton 1, C. H. Williams' b. h. What Next 2, White her time and means to charitable Stafford's b. c. Simon D 3. Red Monk work. She had been president of the and Stray Step also ran. Time, 1:451/4. Batteries—Rudderham and Leahy; Sixth race, handicap, steeplechase, purse \$250, 214 miles—Rice & Burrows' ch. m. Imp. Alfonsena 1, W. R. Roller's b. h. Aoerezzo 2, Campbell C. Hen-While enough of money has been got drie's ch. g. Longbrook 3. The Kelp, to secure the Rochester baseball fran-Mr. Dunlop, Red Pat, Lady Stella, La

> WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS. Washington Park, Chicago—Found, Afamada, Canace, W. Overton, Bing Binger, David Tenny and Hurly-

Burly. St. Louis, Mo.-Tutila, Chancery III., Lady Callahan, Mamie G, Belle Bramble. Lady of the West. Brighton Beach, New York-Continental, Tender, Murillo, Winged Foot, Gloriana, Charentus.

# M'LEAY'S SUCCESS

the Great English Actor, Beerbohm Tree.

New York, July 15 .- The London cor-Batteries—Jones and Criger; Platt respondent of the New York Telegraph excellence. and tand McFarland. you last week how chagrined Beer bohm Tree was with the success made by Charles Warner and Franklyn Mc-by Charles Warner and Franklyn Mc-feet without any pain. What it has Leay in Ragged Robin, but this little done once it will do again. Batteries—Dineen and McGuire; Calahan and Donahue.

Leay in Ragged Room, at the Green Room Club last night. At the end of Room Club last night. the performance the audience shouted themselves hoarse for McLeay after Warner had taken his call. The storm lasted for ten minutes, during which time Mr. Tree refrained from sending for McLeay to go before the curtain, while McLeay was waiting for fully five minutes to be called by his man-Boston ..... 9 13 1 five minutes to be called by his man-Louisville ..... 1 7 3 ager, this being the etiquette. Dis-Batteries-Willis and Yeager; Al- gusted at not being asked to respond to the call for him, McLeay went up to his dressing-room, and, while changing. Mr. Tree, in consequence of the audience refusing to go away until McLeay appeared, sent for the actor, the messenger saying: "Mr. Tree's compliments, and will Mr. McLeay go before the curtain?" McLeay replied to the same message as follows: "Mr. McLeay's compliments, and will Mr. Tree go to the ——"

THE OPEN DOOR

Britain's Principle in the Development of Her Empire.

New York, July 14.-The Tribune prints the following from its London correspondent with reference to the meeting of the Anglo-American League ing was Lord Farrar's declaration that prudence was as necessary as enthusiasm in the direction of the movement for the promotion of better relations between the two countries. He emphasized the statement by an implicit reference to the policy of expansion upon which the American people were entering, and by a pointed reminder that the "open door" was England's principle in the development of her commercial empire; whereas other nations closed the door in establishing colonies. Consequently, he urged that it was a matter of the utmost importmatches were played in the Canadian ance for England to ascertain whether the Americans, in their career of expansion, would keep the door open or closed."

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### SHOCKING DEATH

One of Detroit's Best Known and Most Useful Women Decapitated by a Train.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 15.-Mrs. Hannah Schloss, wife of Seligman Schloss, a retired merchant of wealth, whose home is in Detroit, met death in a shocking manner Wednesday morning at Okauchee Station, a summer resort about 25 miles north of Milwaukee. The family were spending the summer at Okauchee Lake, and Mrs. Schloss started for Milwaukee, in company with her son-in-law to do some shopping. The approach to the station is very steep. Mrs. Schloss, who is quite stout, was out of breath when she arrived at the summit, and apparently did not have strength to hurry across the tracks, when she saw a train coming. Noticing the danger, her son-in-law, F. D. Adler, turned

fell squarely across the other rail, and the next moment the engine had decapitated her, and shockingly mangled

Mrs. Schloss was about 55 years of age, and besides her husband, who was at the summer home at the time of the accident, leaves a daughter, Mrs. F. D. Adler, of Milwaukee, and two sons, the elder Albert W., in Detroit, and the younger, Murray, who is a student at the University of Chicago. Mrs. Schloss was probably the most prominent Hebrew woman in Detroit Mrs. Schloss gave a large share of Hebrew Women's Auxiliary Relief and Sewing Society since its organization in 1882. The name of Seligman Schloss is known to the clothing trade in every city and village of Michigan and a good share of the surrounding states.

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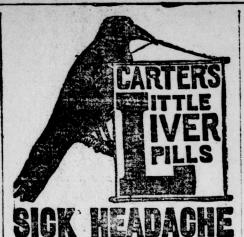
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### Santiago's Surrender.

The Spaniards have averted the bloody arbitrament which was impendend have surrendered Santiago. is the most sensible thing they have done since the outbreak of war. Hemmed in as they were by land and sea, famine would have ultimately dictated this course, no matter how bravely they resisted siege. Spanish "honor" should be satisfied with the valor adready displayed by its arms, and require no more such terrible sac-

The victo: 7 rests wholly with the Americans. General Toral surrenders thirty thousand troops, and the entire Province of Santiago, which comprises nearly all of Eastern Cuba. The Span ish soldiers are to be deported to Spain This is just as effective as slaughtering them. Once home, they will be absolutely harmless. It is safe to say Spain will never again embark troops for Cuba

The beleaguering Americans also save further shedding of their own blood, which must have flowed freely if the enemy fought as well as at the first engagement. Nearly all of Shafter's men will be withdrawn from Cuba until the fall, and they will leave with as much alacrity as they landed on its shores. The climate was a worse foe than the Spaniards, and some respite

The Americans will now proceed to invest Porto Rico with 30,000 troops, assisted by Admiral Sampson's fleet. It should be a much easier task than that at Santiago, the defense being comparatively weak. Watson's squadron will also carry the war into Europe, and Dewey is about to begin his long-deferred operations at Manila.

If these measures do not frighten Spain into peace, nothing remains but the siege of Havana. It is one of the most strongly fortified ports in the world, and if Blanco's supply of food commensurate may still have a sanguinary finish.

### The Real Cause.

It is useless to think of trying to

the wheels of educational The subjects which have one after another, found place on the public school curriculum have, in almost every case, come to stay. Not only so, but it goes almost without saying that the list will still grow Such things as agriculture, manual training, sewing, cooking-in a word, those sciences whereby brain training is practically correlated to the bread and butter industries of every day sure to come more and more scope of the public school without, to any great extent. dropping the old standbys which learning and culture, and to the higher pleasures and refinements of life. The two are by so incompatible with each trouble, so far as there is the outcome of our too great The children need more time more deliberate methods of mingling study with industrial activity-brain work with hand work. This means of school, and less crowdng of subjects. We do not mean, of course, that every child must necessarily take every subject set down in the curriculum. But parents will continue to insist more and more on room for choice. Mr. Brown is not going to give up his "fads," if you so choose them, to suit the ideas of Mr. But the chief cause, or at one of the chief causes which of children, is to be found in the inambition, or parsimony, of and the consequent overand unhealthy cramming by We are persuaded from observation that the parents are oftener to blame for the cruel and injurious over-work at home than any other parties. So many parents allow thempelve to be ruled by a weak vanity to havetheir children stand high in their classe. Others are in a hurry to have them complete the prescribed courses, orer that they may have their rice in some sphere of labor. Almost inariably in cities and towns the numer of teachers employed is

chnical inability to give

study becomes a fruitful source of over-work at home. An incident railway war holds out. which came under the writer's notice one of the best public schools in one of our cities, became convinced, by observation, that his children were being required to do far too much home-work for the good of either body or mind. When he requested a few moments' conversation with the teacher upon the subject, the latter without waiting for him to state his views or request, immediately entered upon an elaborate explanation and apology for the comparatively small amount of homework which had been given his children of late. Something unusual had prevented, but the defect would be remedied immediately. Her surprise may be imagined when the parent found a chance to explain his real errand. She was so used, she said, to have the parents complain that their children had not enough work to do to keep them busy, or out of mischief, at home that she took it for granted

### Unnecessary Opposition Excitement.

that he came with a similar complaint.

It is strange, but we are persuaded

very often true, that unthinking par-

ents are, in collusion, it may be, with

teachers, often the most unfeeling

task-masters in this matter, making

their own children miserable with

over-work at home. It is the duty of

parents to apply the remedy, and they

can easily do so by acting in concert.

We observe that among the three matters for which the Ontario Legislature has been called to meet on Aug. 3, the Opposition press is most exercised over the intended legislation which proposes to make it clear that constables employed in connection with provincial elections have the right to

We have not seen stated a single ground upon which it would be reasonable to deprive constables of the right to vote. Were we disposed to imitate the frothy demagoguery of one or two Opposition journals, we would call on all who ever have been constables, and the duty. all who ever hope to be constables, to henceforth against those tyranni cal politicians who seek to deprive freemen of the opportunity of exercising the franchise.

It is sufficient to draw attention to the fact that the Liberal Government of Ontario propose to make clear as moonday the right of constables to vote; and the other fact, that Opposition journals and legislators fill the air objections and objurgations against allowing constables to vote. They even go so far as to threaten to talk against time in the House, and run the whole gamut of obstruction

from Halifax to Hades. Those who so threaten have threatened before. They will find, when they meet in Toronto on the 3rd of August, that the just rights of all classes of the electorate, in accordance with what was the clear intention of the Legislature, will be placed beyond question or touch. They will find, if they try tactics of obstruction, that they are confronted by veterans who for a quarter of a century have known how to return shot for shot and gun for gun.

## The Torpedo.

The naval battles at Manila and Santiago prove that the torpedo boat is not so terrible a factor as was thought. At Santiago a mere pleasure yacht sank two of them before they got near enough to discharge their death bolts. It is to be hoped this was a true test of the torpedo's merits. It is a despicable instrument at the best-the midnight assassin of the navy. The British admiralty has just equipped the channel fleet with steel nets, which are guaranteed to foil a torpedo attack if gunnery fails. Altogether, it would seem as if the millions spent on torpedo boats had been almost thrown way, and it is better so. The Spanish dum-dum bullet and the American dy namite cruiser used in this war ar even in a worse class. There should be a convention of the powers to eliminate such barbarous methods, but mutual distrust and jealousy stand in the way. Red Cross societies, improved hospital service, and generous treatment of prisoners are the only witnesses in warfare of a better age. Science has not been civilizing in other military respects, although there are those who

The Conservative papers are workvera, Napoleon and a Mohawk satrap. The weather must be partly to blame, out a warrant.

Two-cent Imperial postage will help to lick other postal reforms into shape.

The New York Journal has started to publish an edition in Cuba. As if yellow fever wasn't enough without vellow journalism!

For a man so badly defeated, it is very generous of Premier Hardy to allow the Opposition to gather the fruits of their victory so soon

United States exports to South America fell off large's in the last twelve months. Uncle Sam cannot apply his Monroe doctrine to South American

The Ontario Opposition assail the constables' right to vote. We don't think they have cause to complain about the vote of the "special constables" in London on March 1.

With Hawaii, the United States annexes 5,000 lepers. This is a "leperous distillment" to quote Hamlet, that Americans will hardly relish having injected into the blood of the nation.

When are Mr. Ross' critics going to amend the public school curriculum? When they tackle the first reader, and meet that historic query, "Is it an ass?" they should pause and re-

New South Wales, the free trade colony of Australia, gets the benefit of Canada's preferential tariff. If the Australian colonies federate, Canada will be in a position to negotiate for the most favorable terms.

Italy has become tired of dunning her debt by seizing a Colombian house and pocketing the duties. Great Britain brought Nicaragua to time a few years ago in the same way. Maybe South American consider it a stroke of genius to settle their bills in this man-Having imbibed their political philosophy from their northern patron, they may imagine the foreigner pays

THAT'S RIGHT. [Dufferin Advertiser.] Hardy has nerve.

ONLY ONE BITE. [Hamilton Herald.] It is not likely that Uncle Sam's land-hunger will be appeased by such a hand-out as the Sandwich Islands,

AN EXPLODED HUMBUG. [Montreal Herald.] What an old humbug that ultra. loyal Conservative Government was

anyway. All the things its members said could not be done are being done by the Liberals. THE REAL IMPERIALISTS. [Sarnia Observer.] And so another step has been taken at the instance of the Canadian Lib-

### eral Government to unite Great Britain and the colonies by ties of mutual preference in all matters of domestic intercourse. Score another victory for the Laurier imperial policy.

LIGHT AND SHADE MAN WHO WINS THE BATTLE.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] You may praise the proud command But when all is said and done The man who wins th' battles / Is th' man behind th' gun.

There's th' gold lace on th' bridges, An' th' cap'ns in th' tower. They press th' ready buttons

An' they have a lot o' power. An' th' men who gauge th' bilers, An' th' lively chaps who steer. They're sure to do their duty

But, o' course, that isn't fighting, An' when all is said an' done Th' man who wins th' battles Is th' man behind th' gun.

[Washington Star.] "Is his mind clear?" "It's as clear as usual-a

[Washington Star.] "Some of those summer young men," remarked Miss Cayenne pensively, "remind me of Dresden china." "Because they are beautiful?"

"Yes. And they get broke so easily." [Washington Star.] "What is the first thing to do in order to equip myself for service in our navy?" inquired the Spanish youth.

"Well," replied a member of the cabinet, "for a starter I should advise you to take swimming lessons.

[Judge.] Mr. Bunting—Young Grimsby is going to marry old Miss Brodakers.
Mrs. Bunting (astonished)—For the land's sake! Mr. Bunting-Partly, and partly for

EX-TREASURER WELDON'S CASE. Windsor, July 15 .- Charles E. Weldon, ex-treasurer of the township of misappropriating about \$3,000 of the township funds, was brought before Magistrate Bartlet and remanded until July 21, bail amounting to \$2,000 befor years, but resigned soon after a shortage was discovered in his accounts. There was some talk of legal proceedings being dropped on condition of the shortage being made up, but Deputy Reeve Kennedy decided to bring the case to an issue and swore

## WESTERN ONTARIO

Rev. J. C. Smith, D.D., Guelph, is in Mayor Reid, of Walkerville, has pro-

laimed Aug. 11 as the civic holiday. The Chatham presbytery, at Berlin, sustained the call to Rev. G.A. Gregory, Toronto, by the Tilbury Presbyterians. The child of Peter Belleperche, of Walkerville, who was badly scalded with water the other day, died on

Wednesday. A Morpeth correspondent says: We have had no rain in this locality for over two weeks, and the beans, corn

and potatoes are suffering. Wm. Thalbert, who was extradited from Michigan on a charge of stealing a watch at Colchester two years ago, was acquitted by Judge Horne.

Mr. T. A. Brown, teacher of music in he public schools of Stratford, has resigned his position, to accept a similar situation at the Ottawa Normal School Mr. George Grawburg, of the twelfth concession of Morpeth, has sold his farm and has purchased a farm near Brown City, Mich., where he will move with his family.

Mr. A. Stage was married on Wednesday evening to Miss A. Taylor by Rev. W. E. Prescott, in the presence of a number of friends at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. W. Taylor, of Metcalfe street, Simcoe

O. M. Baune, the Belle River merchant who was reported as missing since July 4, has been located. He vrote to his wife, saying he was in Hull, Que., and intended locating in that place. He is a tailor.

Commissioner Eva C. Booth, of Toronto, leader of the Salvation Army in Canada and the Northwest, her first public visit to Windsor on Monday next, when she speaks at the opera house in the evening. The revival meetings which Messrs.

Crossley and Hunter opened at Waterdown about the middle of June, have been brought to a close, and the evan-gelists have gone to Delhi. The Waterdown series was considered a most sucessful one. Conversions numbering 203 were reported.

Galt Reporter: The frost of Sunday night was evidently a great respector of persons, and did not, as the good book says, visit the just as well as the unjust. One of its peculiar freaks occurred in the southwestern part of the town, when it just touched, but did not damage, a strip about twenty feet wide, from the northwest to the southeast. in the garden of Mr. A. M. Newlands, and blackened entirely the crop of potatoes of his neighbor to the south of him. Instances of the same nature happened in several parts of the town On Monday afternoon Mr. Charles Mullen, of Petrolia, was seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler. He was drilling on the Finch farm, near unable to stand the pressure, something over 60 pounds being on at the time. The boiling water struck Mr. Mullen in the back, carrying him about 30 feet. He was badly scalded about the waist and considerably shaken and bruised. Glen McDermid and Robert Mullen, employed on the drilling rig, sustained slight injuries.

### Mr. Montague, DUNNVILLE, Ont.

Has an Interesting Chat about

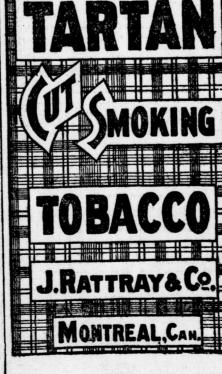
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# THE MARKETS.

Local	Market.

Tocal mem For.
London, Friday, July 15.
Wheat, white fall, per bu 81c to 81c
Wheat, red fall, per bu 81c to 81c
Wheat, spring, per bu81c to 81c
Peas, per bu
Oats, per bu301/2e to 321/2e
Corn, per bu 44%c to 47%c
Barley. per bu381/2c to 40%/4.c
Rye, per bu39c to 39c
Beans, per bu40c to 60c

The only receipts of any conse-uence today ware hay; sales were quence today ware hay; very slow, and \$5 to \$6 was the price paid. Grain, vegetables, fruit and \$4 75; lambs, \$4 to \$6 65. Receipts—Cat-provisions show no change. Quota-tle, 9,500; hogs, 2,800; sheep, 9,000.

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St. Thomas Market. ST. THOMAS, July 14.-Wheat, per bu, 80c; oats, per bu, 34c to 35c; peas, per bu, 55c to 60c; barley, per bu, 40c; corn, per bu, 40c; beans, 60c to 80c; clover seed, \$2 50 to \$2 75.

Oil Markets.

PHTROLIA, July 15.-Oil opened and closed

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 15 .- Oil opened 94c.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 15.—Oil closed 94c. English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days-The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given:

| July | July | July | July | 11. | 12. | 13. | 14.

WHEAT-						-		
Red Winter	6	9	6	9	6	9	6	9
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6		6	81/2	6	8 2	6	8
No. 1 Cal	7	3	7	3	7		7	2
July	6	71/4	6	736	6		6	63/4
Sept		10%	5	111/2	5	117/8	5	111/2
Dec	5	81/4	5	81/2	5	87/8	5	83/4
CORN-					100			
New	3	11/2	3	11/2	3	1	3	33/4
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	3	11/4	0	0	0	0	0	0
June	0	0	3	1	3	11/8	3	11/8
Sept	3	23/4	3	23/8	3	21/2	3	21/2
Oct		35/8	3	31/8	3	31/4	3	33/2
Flour		9	24	3	24	0	24	3
Peas		10	4	10	4	10	4	11
Pork	51	3	51	3	51	3	51	3
Lard		6	27	6	28	0	28	0
Tallow		6	18	6	18	6	18	8
Bacon, light			30	6	30	6	30	0
Cheese, white			35	0	36	0	86	0
Cheese colored			35	0	36	0	36	0
Li	vei	pool	, J	uly 1	5-	12:30	) p.	m.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal., 7s to 7s 1d; No. 2 red western, winter; 6s 8d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 8d.

Corn—Spot, dull; American mixed. new,
3s 3½d; do, old. nominal; July, quiet, 3s 1½d;
Sept., quiet, 3s 2½d; Oct., quiet, 3s 3½d.

Peas—Canadian. 5s.

Beef—Extra India mess, 72s 6d; prime mess,

68 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 52s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm,
27s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs,
30s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 30s;
long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 31s;
short ribs, 20 to 21 lbs, firm, 30s; clear bellies,
14 to 16 lbs, firm, 31s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s.
Lard—Prime western, 28s.
Butter—Finest United States, 78s; good, 65s.
Cheese—American, finest white and colored, Cheese-American, finest white and colored.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s.
Turpentine spirits—21s 9d.
Rosin—Common, 4s 7½d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6½d.
Linseed oil—I/s 9d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 4teady,

American Markets. American Markets.

CHICAGO, July 14.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—July, 73%c; Sept., 67%c to 67%c. Corn.—July, 31%c to 67%c. Corn.—July, 31%c to 31%c; Sept., 32c to 32%c: Dec., 32%c: May, 31%c to 31%c; Sept., 32c to 32%c: Dec., 32%c: May, 31%c to 31%c. Oats—July, 22%c; Sept., 19%e to 19%c; May, 21%c to 21%c. Mess pork.—July, 99 77%; Sept., \$9 92%. Lard.—Sept., \$5 65; Oct., \$5 70. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 67%; Oct., \$5 70. Cash quotations: Flour, steady. No. 2 spring wheat (old), 80c; No. 3 spring wheat, 75c to 82c; No. 2 red (new), 75c. No. 2 yellow corn, 32%c to 32%c. No. 2 oats, 23c; No. 2 white, 26%c to 26%; No. 3 white, 25c to 26c. No. 2 rye, 46c to 46%c. No. 2 barley, 31c to 34c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$104%. Prime timothy seed, \$2 55. Mess pork, \$9 80 to \$9 85. Lard, \$5 55 to \$6 60. Short ribs, \$5 45 to \$5 75. Shoulders, 4%c to 5c. Short clear sides, \$6 to \$6 20. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm; fresh, 11%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 5.800 barrels; wheat, \$,400 bushels; corn, 191,300 bushels; oats, 131,300 bushels; barley, 1,500 bushels.

# Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 490; one car of steers sold at \$5 20; feeling firm. Cables low and steady. Exports none, tomorrow none; Calves—Receipts, 20; on sale, 320; market low and steady; prices barely steady; 150 unsold; veals, \$4 50 to \$6 25; no buttermilks or westerns on sale. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,133; on sale. 10 cars; sheep firm; good stock a sale, 10 cars; sheep firm; good stock a shade higher; lambs, 25c higher; two cars held over; sheep, medium to good; \$4 to \$4 50; lambs, good to prime, \$6 75 to \$7 25. Hogs—Receipts, 3,217; on sale,

2 cars; firm at \$4 20 to \$4 50. CHICAGO, July 14.-There was an active demand for cattle today, and prices ruled strong for desirable offerings; choice steers, \$5 to \$5 50; medium, \$4 65 to \$4 80; beef steers, \$4 15 to \$4 60; stockers and feeders, \$2 90 to \$4 75; bulls, \$3 to \$4 25; cows and heifers,\$3 15 to \$4; calves, \$3 50 to \$7; western steers, \$4 20 to \$5 15; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$4 75. Trade in hogs fairly active, but buyers forced prices 5 cents lower on average; fair to choice, \$3 87½ to \$4 05; packers, \$3 75 to \$3 85; butchers, \$3 80 to \$4; mixed, \$3 75 to \$3 90; light, \$3 70 to \$3 95; pigs, \$1 75 to \$3 80. Business in sheep was good, and the prices steady; choice sheep, \$5 to \$5 25; rams, \$2 25 to \$3 50; western sheep, \$3 75 to

MONTREAL, July 14.-About 450 head of butchers' cattle, 150 calves and 400 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abbattoir today. Butchers were present in large numbers; trade fair, with fine prices all round. Prime beeves sold at 4%c to 5c per lb., but some of them were of better quality than any offered here on Monday. Large fat cows sold at 41/2c to 43/4c per Ib; pretty good stock at 3%c to 41/2c and common animals at 2%c to 31/2c per 1b. Good calves sold at \$5 to \$8 each and common ones at \$2 to \$4 50 Shippers pay 34c per lb. for good large sheep; others sell at 2% c to 3% c per lb. Lambs were decidedly higher in price, good lots selling about \$350 each and common ones about \$3 each. Fat hogs sold at 5c to 54c per

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., July 14.today; nothing of note doing. Stockers and feeders-Receipts very heavy this week, both of Canadas and natives; market dull and all 25c lower for good to best lots, and closed up fully 35c to 40c off for the only fair and common kind; good to extra stockers, \$3 75 to \$4 15; common to good, \$3 25 to \$3 65; yearlings and calves, \$4 15 to \$4 40; feeders, good to choice, \$3 75 to \$4 10; feeders, common to fair, \$3 25 to \$3 65. Hogs-Moderate; good to choice Yorkers, \$4 12 to \$4 15; prime light Yorkers, \$4 10 to \$4 12; mixed packers grades, \$4 12: medium, \$4 12 to \$4 15: heavy hogs, \$4 12 to \$4 15; roughs, \$3 35 to \$3 50; stags, \$2 75 to \$3; pigs, \$3 85. Sheep and lambs-Supply continues exceedingly light; the market for desirable handy grades was strong to higher: choice to extra ewes and wethers. \$6 40 to \$6 65; buckey and fair, \$5 75 to \$6 25; culls, fair to good; \$4 75 to \$5 50; common to choice yearlings, \$4 50 to \$5 25; native clipped sheep, choice to choice mixed sheep, \$4 25 to \$4 65; culls and common ewe sheep, \$2 25 to \$3 75.

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Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Butter firm; western creamery, 13½c to 17c; do factory, 11c to 12½c; Elgins, 17c; imitation creamery, 12c to 14½c; state dairy, 12½c to 16c; do creamery, 14c. Cheese quiet; large white, fancy, 7c; small do, 71/4c; large colored, fancy, 7c to 7½s; small do, 7½c; part skims, 4¾c to 5¼c; full skims, 2c to 2½c. CHICAGO, July 14.-Butter-Brisk demand: creameries, 12c to 16c; dairies,

BARRIE, Ont., July 14 .- At the meeting of the cheese board here today there was a good attendance of both salesmen and buyers; 2,096 boxes of cheese, all colored, and principally last of June, were on the board, and the market was decidedly strong and active, all being sold at prices ranging from 74c to 74c, the ruling price being 7 7-16c. Six buyers were in attendance. Factorymen complain of the great drought prevailing over the entire district, and are unanimous on the point that a light make of cheese for the balance of the season will follow. The board adjourned, to meet on Aug.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., July 14.-At the cheese board today 53 factories offered 1,503 white and 3,120 colored, a total of 3,623; about 400 sold at 7%c; balance

4. at 1 o'clock.

KINGSTON, Ont., July 14.—At the cheese board today 1,200 colored and 500 white were boarded. Sales, a few at 7%c, and the balance at 7 9-16c.

HIDE MARKET. Toronto, July 14.—Hides—The receipts are small, there is a good demand, and the market is firm at 9c for green; cured are quoted at 9½c. Lamb-skins—The supply is fair, there is a good demand, and the market is firm at 40c for lambskins and shearlings. Calfskins are quiet; No. 1 are quoted at 10c and No. 2 at 8c. Tallow-The market is dull and unchanged. Local dealers are offering 31/2c to 4c and asking

the face, which all the doctors said was incurable. To tell the truth he was so had that I could not bear to look at him. At last I tried a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and before it was half used he was gaining, and by the time he had three bottles used he was completely cured. I cannot say too much in recom-mendation of B.B.B. to all who suffer as he did." JOSEPH P. LABELLE, Maniwake P.O., Que.

There can be no question about it. Burdock Blood Bitters has no equal for the cure of Sores and Ulcers of the most chronic and malignant nature. Through its powerful blood purifying properties, it gets at the source of disease and completely BURDOCK eradicates it from the system.

# UNCLE SAM GETS Saturdays

(Continued from Page 1.)

9th from Australia with 3,000 frozen carcases for the American troops.

The condition of Manila is said to be terrible. It is hoped the town will surrender without necessitating a bombardment; but the Spanish authorities are obstinate, and a capitulation is not likely. The whole American expedition is expected here on July 30. Admiral Dewey, whose attitude has been par-ticularly humane and lenient, has now declared a complete blockade. Yesterday he sent away the British steamer Esmeralda, which wished to take passengers for Hong Kong. The conduct of the Germans still causes grave sus-

WAR NOTES. James Creelman and Edward Marshall, the two New York Journal cor-respondents wounded at Siboney, are slowly improving in the hospital there The first news of the successful landing of the Florida and Fanita expeditions, which left Key West on June 25, was received on Thursday morning. The landing was effected early on the morning of July 3 at Palo Alto, on the south coast of Cuba, but not until after several lively skirmishes with the Span-

The United States steamer Harvard (Capt. Charles F. Cotton) arrived at Portsmouth, N. H., at 6:30 o'clock this morning, having 800 Spanish prisoners on board.

Major-Gen. Brooke has been ordered from Chicamauga to Washington immediately for consultation regarding the Porto Rican expedition. No more troops will be sent to Cuba, save two regiments of immunes from

New Orleans and Galveston. A large part of the United States troops now in Cuba will be withdrawn. A dispatch to the New York Press from Old Point Comfort, Va., telling of the arrival there of the city of Wash-Cattle-Receipts all consigned through ington, a floatitng hospital from the front, says that of those aboard every man in the list of 70 first wounded will

recover unless unexpected complications set in. She Sun's Playa del Este cable says that the wreckers on the Cristobal Co-lon think that she can be taken to the United States under her own steam.

A Washington special says that Gen Shafter has informed the war department that Santiago is reeking with yellow fever. No Cuban soldiers will be allowed to enter the city, Shafter fearing a repetition of the Caney loot-

## SPAIN'S CRISIS

Constitutional Rights Suspended by Royal Decree

selected wethers, \$4 65 to \$4 75; fair to Indications That the Government Will Sue for Peace.

> Madrid, July 15-8 a.m.—The official gazette today publishes a royal decree temporarily suspending throughout the Spanish peninsula the rights of individuals, as guaranteed by the consti-tution. The decree adds that the government will render an account to pariament of the use it may make of this

measure. The publication of the decree is generally accepted as being convincing proof that Spain is now ready to sue for peace, and that negotiations to that effect are actually in progress. government wishes to have full power to suppress any evidence of discontent or rebellion whenever they appear. The Carlists are furious and are sure to attempt to create trouble.

One minister expressed the conviction that official overtures for peace will be made before Sunday, and there is reason to believe France has offered her services to Spain and that Spain has drawn up conditions for peace, which offer a basis for negotiations. Premier Sagasta is quoted as saying Spain wants peace, "but it must be an honorable peace, as Spain deserves."

Continuing, the premier is said to have remarked: "The army is anxious to resist to the last. But the goverment cannot consent to such a useless sacrifice. Had we our fleet, the situation would be very different." NO PEACE NEGOTIATIONS YET. Washington, July 15 .- It is authoritively stated by Secretary Day that there is no truth in the published report that peace negotiations have been opened at Washington led by Sir Julian

other foreign diplomats. THE PRESIDENT FOR PEACE. Washington, July 11.-President Mc-Kinley today in speaking of the fall of Santiago said: "I hope for early peace now."

Paunceforte, assisted by the Russian

ambassador, the Japanese minister and

### DOUBLE LYNCHING

Two Colored Men Shot in an Arkansas Jail.

Little Rock, Arkansas, July 15.—A double lynching in which Jim Rudd and Alexander Johnson, negroes, were the victims, occurred at Monticello, Arkansas, yesterday. A mob broke down the doors of the jail and poured a volley of shots into the cage where the men were confined. Johnson is dead and Rudd is mortally wounded. They were convicted of killing W. F. Skipper, a rich planter and merchant of Baxter, and were sentenced to hang.

THERIAULT COMMITTED. London, July 15 .- J. A. Theriault was from the department of agriculture at Quebec.

BISHOP LAFLECHE DEAD. Montreal, July 15 .- Bishop Lafleche, of Three Rivers, died ot 1:35. He was in his 80th years. He was ordained a priest in Quebec on Jan. 7, 1844. In 1864 he was appointed coadjutor bishop of Three Rivers, and in 1870, on the death of Bishop Cooke, he succeeded to the bishopric. He was dean of the Canadian Episcopacy.

Every week a car of eggs is ship-ped from St. Mary's, Kas., and it takes 61,200 eggs to make up such a

28 Gallons of Blood pass every hour through the heart, liver and kidneys. How vastly important it is that this blood should be pure so that these important organs are not rritated. And also how important it is that each of these organs should be strong and healthy, so that their work may be thoroughly accomplished. Mer-rill's System Tonic is not only a power-

## Best of All.

Of all the bargain fists we have ever prepared for Saturday's trade tomorrow's is the BEST. Stimulated by the great and growing success of Saturday's special sale, and coming to a season when the clearing of odd lines and hot weather goods is desirable, yea, more, a compulsory rule in this store, we have increased the number of lines in the various departments for slaughter on Saturday. We exemplify a few of the best here:

35c Black Lustre, plain and broche, for 25c 25c Solid Leather Belts, new colors, with fashionable buckle, Saturday

only......15e 50c Fancy Hose, fast colors, for ...... 25c 10c All Pure Linen Towling, 18 inch, Saturday only ..... 25c New Plaid Ginghams for......15c

15c-18c Embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs, fine quality, Saturlay only 10c Sc Cambric Embroidery, very special for 3c \$1 00 Ladies' Night Gowns, Saturday only......62½c

15c Fine Cotton Summer Vests, 3 for .... 25c 15c Ladies' Fast Black Hose, Saturday only, 3 for......350 10c Light Silesia Lining, creams,

fawns, etc., for...... 5c 12½c English Oxford Shirting, Saturday only..... 10c Large Lot Cambric Embroideries for 5c

5c Best English Brass Pins, Saturday only, per paper..... 15c Silk Garter Elastic, for ..... 10c \$1 00 White Counterpanes, for ..... 75c 35c Sailor Hats, white, Saturday only ... 15c

Odd lot of Light Flowers, all prices, all qualities, your choice per spray 2c. ALL MILLINERY and Millinery articles doubly dealt with.

Come early for first choice, but lim ited quantities of some lines.

Largest Deposits of Corundum Hver Known

Unearthed Down East-Government Provides That the Milling Must Be Done in Ontario.

Toronto, July 15 .- It is announced that the greatest discovery of corundum deposits ever known has been made in Ontario. Prof. Miller, of Kingston University, had located oc-currences through seven different ownships, and over an area of about 100 square miles. These townships are Carlow, Raglan, Bangor and Radcliffe, in Hastings, and Brudnell, Lynedoch and Sebastopol, in Renfrew.

The length of the corundum belt from east to west is about 30 miles, and its average breadth is about 31/2 miles. It embraces over 60,000 acres, in all but a few thousands of which the mineral rights are held by the crown. Another area has been partially explored in the township of Methuen, in Peterborough, county, where corundum of fine quality has been discovered, but the extent of it has not yet been determined. There is also a probability of it being found in the townships of Dungannon and Farady, where the rock formations are favorable.

At present one of the chief uses for corundum is as an abrasive, yet, owing to its scarcity and cost, no great quantity is available. The best known deposits are in Georgia and North Carolina, but these are limited in extent, and are practically controlled by a combine. Emery has accordingly been the chief natural material used as an abrasive, being found in several countries in large abundance. If cheapness and efficiency can secure the market, the establishment of works in this province may yet drive carborundum and emery to the wall. As an ore of aluminum it has a great future if some present difficulties which appear to be only of a trifling character are surmounted. Pure corundum, which is alumina, is composed of 46.8 per cent of oxygen and 53.2 per cent aluminum, and in the treatment of ore at the Kingston School of Mining corundum has been produced 991/2 per cent fine. The Ontario Government has issued n order in council framing regulations that will insure the carrying on in the province of the manufactures that may be founded upon corundum. remanded at Bow street police could der in council providing for the leasing today on the charge of stealing \$475 of corundum lands gives the govern-from the department of agriculture at ment power to fix the maximum price at which corundum shall be sold, thus effectively preventing combinations to limit output and increase prices. On-taric should speedily develop the man-ufacture of abrasive corundum and of aluminium on a large scale.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson ameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good. The catacombs of Paris contain the remains of about 3,000 persons.

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### AT BISLEY

The Gurnsey Team Won the Kolapore Cup-Canadians in 4th Place.

London, July 15 .- At the meeting of the National Rifle Association at Bisley today the Rajah of Kolapore challenge cup, seven shots at 200, 500 and 600 yards, was won by the Guernsey team, 8 men, with a total of 744. The Victoria team, the winners of this trophy in 1897; scored 741, the British team scored 741, the Canadians scored 735, the Jersey eight had 718 to their credit, and the India riflemen totaled up 700 points. The scores of the Canadians in the shooting for the Kolapore cup were: Hayhurst 96, McVittie 89, Blair 89, Forbes 95, Ross 96, Broadhurst 98, Hutchinson 90, Lieut. Smith

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children

are teething. KAN.—A states before others that when Canada was made a dominion Upper or Western Canada took name of Ontario, that Lower or East-ern Canada took the name of Quebec; that a letter sent to any portion of Canada west should be Ontario; that one sent to Canada east should be adressed Quebec; B flatly contradicts this statement, and says it is wholly incorrect. Ans .- A is correct in every detail mentioned.

In answering advertisements or in inquiring at a store respecting something advertised kindly mention that you saw of a blanket of the same material, may

### THE LISTENER.

Ex-President Cleveland is said to look far from well and has lost a great deal in weight.

Mr. John Morley states that the rumor that he has joined the Roman Catholic church is absolutely without foundation. The first Chinaman to offer his services as a soldier in the present war was Ong Q. Tow, a wealthy merchant of Santa Ana. Cal.

The yearly premium of George W. Vanderbilt's life insurance for \$1,000,000, taken out just before his marriage, amounts to \$35,000. Flag Lieutenant Brumby, Admiral

Dewey's chief of staff, is an officer of fine scientific attainments and the inventor of the Brumby anchor. A loquacious neighbor of the Hobsons

gays Lieutenant Hobson, while instructor at Annapolis, refused an offer of \$10,000 a year from the Cramps. General Joe Wheeler is described by a friend as "a meek looking little man who

looks like the proper kind of person to boss a Sunday school. Admiral Cervera, says the London Chronicle, passed over a year in London about 12 months since, when he resided

with his daughter in Kensington. Henri Maurice Cannon, former inspector of breweries in Switzerland, now on a visit to San Francisco, weighs 613 pounds and measures eight feet around the waist. General Linares, the Spanish commander at Santiago, is 55 years old, and is a man of medium size and of slender build. He seldom smiles, but is an excellent soldier and said to be absolutely without

fear in battle. Patrick Fay, a hotel and restaurant waiter of Boston, 80 years old, who died recently, left his fortune of \$30,000, accumulated by saving tips received while on duty, to Roman Catholic charitable institutions. He was unmarried and without relatives.

D. W. Stevens, the counselor of the Japanese legation at Washington, has received from the emperor of Japan the second order of the Rising Sun. This order has been received by one other foreigner, and is given only to those upon whom the emperor wishes to confer a special mark of his favor.

Lieutenant General von der Goltz, better known as Von der Goltz Pasha, the reorganizer of the Turkish army, has been appointed inspector general of fortresses in the German army in place of General Vogel von Falkenstein. The office is secend in importance only to chief of the

general staff. Dr. J. Grant Cramer, nephew of General U. S. Grant and assistant professor of modern languages at Lehigh university, is traveling in Europe. He is a veteran wheelman and will take a two months cycle tour through Holland, France, Switzerland and Germany, crossing some of the Alpine passes.

United States Consul Smith, of Moscow, reports that a telegram from Tomsk announces the finding of a gold nuggett weighing 70 pounds in the Spasso Preobrajensk mines, situated on the River Chibyek, in the district of

Yeansay. The skin of the reindeer is so impervious to the cold that anyone cloth. ed in such a dress, with the addition the advertisement in this paper | bear the intensest rigors of an Arctic winter's night.

# TODAY'S MARKETS

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Montreal Stock Market.	1
MONTREAL, July 15.	
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Canadian Pacific	16
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Duluth, preferred 7	18
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SALES—Can. Pacific, 25 at 83½, 75 at 83½, 225 at 83½; Com. Cable Coupon Bonds, 10,000 at 104½; Mont. St. Ry, 235 at 264¼, 100 at 264¾; do, new, 25 at 261½; Toronto Ry. 300 at 97; Mont. Gas, 125 at 189½, 295 at 190, 50 at 190½, 25 at 191, 100 at 190; Bank of Commerce, 10 at 141.

Toronto Stock Market.	
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Com. Registered Bonds105½	17
Bell Telephone Company174 Richelieu and Ontario101½	10
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Toronto Street Railway 974	9
London Street Railway	17
London Electric104	10
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G. T. R., Gtd	7
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London and Ontario 80	
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New York Stocks.	

Reported by F. H. I Temple, for The Adver	rtiser.			
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C. & .N W1293/8	12734	128	12714	127 1/2
Bay State Gas			::	::
Chicago Gas 991/2	9914	991/4	97%	97 7/3
Brooklyn Transit 55%	55 1/8		54	541/4
Gen. Electric 39	39	39	381/2	385/8
L. & N 531/8	54 .	54	525/8	523/4
Man1073/8	1071/2	107 1/2	105 1/8	106%
Mo. P 36	35%	363/3	351/2	351/8
Omaha 831/4	831/2	831/2	811/2	811/2
P. M 291/4	2854			285/
R. I 9634	961/2	961/2	955/8	9534
Reading 17	17	17	16%	16%
N. Y. Central 11834	1181/	11814	117%	11714
St. Paul 99%	991/2	991/2	985/84	983/
T. C. I 2514	25	25	25	25
Wabash	19	19	1834	183/4
W. U 93	9234	9234	92	92
W. U	61	61	59%	60
Union Pacific 23%	241/8			231/2
Leather Trust 67	6714		661/2	661
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Lead	1341/4	1341/	13234	1323
Sugar 1343/8	119	1191/2	1183/3	1181
Tobacco121		31	805/8	305
Southern Ry. Pfd 311/8	31		89	
Jersey Central 89%	89	801/4	99	89½ 34
K. & T. Pfd 70%	34	For/	core	
N. P. PId 70%	7058		691/2	691
Can. Southern 5378	531/2			531

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Toronto Produce Markets. TORONTO July 15 .- Wheat-The market quiet and easier, at 77c for red winter, west, for millers', but exporters say the scipping basis is lower than that; Manitoba wheat is easier, at \$1 04 east and \$1 93 or No. 1 hard Toronto and west. Fiour—Is quiet; cars of straight ro'er are quoted at \$3 90 in barrels, west; Manitoba flour is quiet, \$4 20 for patents, and \$3 90 for strong bakers' here. Mill Feed-Shorts nominal; bran, \$9 west. Corn-Steady, at 33c to 35c for Canada yellow, west, and 40c for American, Toronto. Oats-Are in demand and firmer, at 26c to 261/2c for white, west. Peas-Are firmer, at 51c, north and Baled Hay-Quiet: cars on track here, \$8 to \$8 50: baled straw, quiet; cars on track here, \$4. Eggs-Steady, at 11c to 11/2c. Butter-Quiet, at 12c to 13c for the best dairy tub. and 11c to 111/2c for other kinds. Creamery steady, at 17c to 18c for prints, and 16½c to 17c for tubs.

English Markets

Liverpooi, July 15—Closing.

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Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal.. 7s 10½d to
7s 11½d: No 1 cash. firm, 8s 2½d; No. 2 red
western winter, steady, 6s 7½d; spot No. 1 red
northern spring, dull, 6s 3d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new, quiet, 3s
ld; July, quiet, 3s ½d; Sept., quiet, 3s 2½d;
Oct., quiet, 3s 3d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 9s 7d.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 51s 3d;
do, medium, western, dull, 38s 6d.

Boef—Prime mess, dull, 65s; extra India
mess, easy, 75s; do, medium, western, steady,
51s 3d.

Hams—Short cut, firm, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s.

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Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm, 28 to 30, lbs.,
29s; short ribs, firm, 20 to 24 lbs, 31s; long
clear middles, light, 35 to 28 lbs, steady, 31s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady,
30s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs,
no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 14 to 16 lbs, 33s;
short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 30s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 24s.
Lard—Prime western, dull, 27s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 84s; good, 60s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s 3d.
Cheose—American finest white, new and old,
firm, 34s 6d; do, colored, firm, 34s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, dull, 19s.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, dull, 15s
9d. Hams-Short cut, firm, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 21s 6d.
Hops—At London Pacific cond.
to 24.

DE-At London (Pacific coast), dull, £2

American Markets. NEW YORK, July 15 .- Flour-Receipts, 11,685 bbls; sales, 3,100 packages; state and western quiet, but held steady. Rye flour-Quiet, at \$2 60 to Wheat-Receipts, 10,175 bu; sales, 425,000 bu; options opened weak on cable news, but were strengthened by the advance in corn; July, 80½c to 80¾c; Sept. 72 7-16c to 72 15-16c; Dec., 72¼c to 72¾c. Rye—Steady; No. 2 western, 49c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn-Receipts, 10,450 bu; sales, 45,000 bu; options firm and higher on adverse crop news; Sept., 36%c to 374c; Dec., 38%c. Oats-Receipts, 147,100 bu; options dull but steady; on track, white state and western, 281/2c to 35c. Butter-Receipts, 4,194 packages; market steady. Cheese -Receipts, 2,281 packages; steady. Eggs-Receipts, 6,677 packages; steady. Sugar-Raw firm. Coffee-Dull and nominal. Hops-Quiet. Lead-Steady; bullion price, \$3 80: exchange price,

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, July 15. shed by F. H. Butler Phone 1,278.

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Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, July 15 .- Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 23,000; left over, 3,000 head; strong to 5c higher; light, \$3 70 to \$3 97½; mixed, \$3 75 to \$4 02½; heavy, \$3 80 to \$4 10; rough, \$3 80 to \$3 85. Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head; steady; beeves, \$4 20 to \$5 40; cows and heifers, \$2 50 to \$4 75; Texas steers, \$3 60 to \$4 65; stockers and feeders, \$3 10-to \$4 65.

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LATE SPORTING NEWS

Montreal Again at the Top of the Eastern League. BASERAT.I. EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. P.C. Montreal. Syracuse. ..... Buffalo.... Providence.

FLYS. Hamilton Herald: Jones, the Chatham shortstop, seems to be about as good a player in that position as there is in the Canadian League. He is in the game at all stages.

The Scranton papers announce that Dean, whose home is in that city, has ever, that Detroit will draft Dean meanwhile he will continue to captain the Hamilton team and play second

TURF.

LORD ROSEBERY'S LUCK. London, July 15.-Lord Rosebery's 4year-old bay colt Velasquez won the Eclipse stake of 10,000 sovereigns at the Sandown Park second summer meeting

today. London, July 15.—There were ten starters in the event, including James Keene's 4-year-old colt St. Cloud II. The Duke of Westminster's Batt was second, and Leopold de Rothschild's Geletta third. Sir Ernest Paget's 5-year-old chestnut horse won the Cobham Plate. Orange Lily was second and Belosama

ATHLETICS.

CORBETT TO MEET McCOY. New York, July 15 .- Geo. Considine, representing James Corbett, and W. B. Gray, representing Kid McCoy, met yesterday and came to an agreement for the men to meet at Buffalo on Sept. 10, before the Hawthorne Athletic Club, in a 20-round bout. Corbett conceded everything to McCoy, agreeing to no

Honest John Kelly should be the re-

hitting in a clinch, clean break-away, etc. It was agreed by both parties that

WAS THERE A GALILEE ON MOUNT OLIVET? The location of Galilee as mentioned in the closing chapters of several gospels has been a vexing Biblical problem for fifteen hundred years. A comparison of statements concerning the place as the car passes through the gorge where Christ was to meet his disciples and called Galilee has convinced many fascinating ride in America, and should that it is practically impossible to understand by this term the most northern of the four provinces that made up Palestine. A valuable contribution toward the solution of this problem is furnished in a recent publication by the veteran professor of theology at the University of Leipsic, Dr. Rudolf Hof- It is understood that Mr. Beck will mann. The title of his work is "Galliaa auf dem Oelberg." The writer states that he has given a good deal of attention to this problem for forty years, and has come to the conclusion that the Galilee mentioned in the closing chapters of the gospels as the meeting place for Christ and his disciples | S. Emery and E. Beltz returned home is not the Galllee of the earlier chapters of the gospels, but was the most northern of the three peaks that made up the Mount of Olives, over which peak say, and their sunburned appearance the common road from Galilee to Jeris supposed to give countenance to some usalem passed, by which the pilgrims were accustomed to come when going to Jerusalem, and on which an inn or khan was found at which the Galilean pilgrims were accustomed to make their headquarters, and for which reason it was also called "Galilee."

This view, according to Hofmann, was first expressed in 1580 by Soarius, archbishop of Coimbra, and a hundred years later it was again defended by the Jesuit Harduin, and other scholars. In the gospel of Nicodemus, now generally called the Acts of Pilate, the origin of which is set by Tischendorf in the sec-ond century, in reporting the resurrection of the Lord, the statement is made that the Galilee here mentioned is a hill near Jerusalem, and that this hill is the most northern of the three hills of the Mount of Olives. There is nothing in the grammar or interpretation of the passages concerned that would speak against such an explanation. In fact, a number of the New Testament passages receive thereby a new and much more satisfactory interpretation. Among these are Luke, xxi., 27, and John, viii., 1, in connection with which it now becomes plain where Christ had spent the night when it is declared that in the evening he went to the Mount of Olives. He probably spent it at the headquarters of his fellow-Galileans at the inn called "Galilee." This, too, explains the seemingly indefinite references in Luke, xxii.. 39, as also those in Matthew, xxi.. 1, Luke, xix., 29,

Mark, xi., 1, and still more the account of the ascension in Luke, xxi., 50,

and Mark, xvi., 9

### CHILDREN'S DAY

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, July 15-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Moderate winds; generally fair; decidedly warm; a few local thunderstorms.

-Mr. Baker, of Hamilton, an official of the Bell Telephone Company, is in

the city. -Mr. John Pocock will build a twostory brick house on the north side of Wolfe street.

-The employes of J. Gammage & Sons, florists, numbering about 25, pic-nicked at Port Wednesday. -The Hamilton school board has decided to discontinue the teaching of domestic science in the public schools.

Spence will be pleased to learn that she passed with honors for kindergar--Secretary Sayer, of the Y. M. C. A., paid the camp at Kettle Point a visit yesterday. He reports everything in first-class shape.

-"A straight line is the shortest distance between two points." The straight truth in your ads. is the shortest way to your customers' pocket-books. -The annual picnic of the C. P. R. will be held on Aug. 27. The place has not been definitely decided on, but it is generally conceded that it will be

-The impression among the men at Wolseley Barracks is that Col. Buchan will assume charge of the school tomorrow, as Col. Smith's successor in that capacity.

-Mr. Robert McDougall, one of the most popular brakemen on the London division of the C. P. R., has successfully passed a rigid examination, and is promoted to the position of conductor. -Among the successful Londoners at the recent Normal College examinations are the following, which were omitted from the list published yesterday: Misses M. Hills, B.A., E. McDermid, B.A., and Mr. E. E. Gibbs.

-George S. Gibbons, son of Mr. George C. Gibbons, Q.C., and Jenneth Cameron, son of Sheriff Cameron, of this city, have received notice that they have passed the matriculation examination for the Royal Military College, Kingston.

-The Parnell bakery will hereafter be advertised and known as the Parnell-Dean Steam Baking Company Limited. The immense output of bread of this company is now something enormous. They use 125 barrels of flour every week.

-Among those who passed satisfactorily at the recent Normal School examinations, at Toronto, as directors of kindergartens, were two Londoners, namely, Miss H. A. Angus and Miss Katie Laidlaw, daughter of Mr. J. B.

Laidlaw, of this city. -The Children's Aid Society met yesbeen sold to Detroit. This is not exactly correct. It is understood, how-week. During the past month eight wards of the society have been placed in foster homes, and four children have been taken charge of Two of the letter were placed in homes this week. -The regular session of the board

of works was not held last night, but a special meeting has been called for this afternoon, when Mr. McDougall will again press his offer to supply the city with a plant for chemically dis-posing of the city sewage.

-The finance committee of the city council meet as usual tonight. An effort will be made to decide upon a recommendation to the council regarding the telephone franchise. officers of the newly-organized Peoples Company of St. Thomas are expected

to be present. -Col. Levs was in Detroit on Tues day attending his son's wedding. While driving to the station to catch the noon train for home he rode past an Orange procession. A wag circulated the report that the colonel headed the parade, and some newspapers did not see the joke and published it.

-Mr. S. Silcox, of Collingwood, has notified Secretary McElheran that he will was burned a short time ago, and will accept the position of science was being rebuilt. The roof had not master at the London Collegiate Institute, the Collingwood board of education having consented to release him The position was vacated by the resignation of Dr. Hotson.

-Visitors to the Falls tomorrow will have ample time to thoroughly cover early time in which trains leave London. One of the most enjoyable luxuries to be obtained is the ride over the Niagaga Fall and Park River Railroad. The Fails can be seen in their full grandeur, while the whirlpool and other points of interest can be and above the falls. It is the most be taken in by all.

HYMAN PROPERTY SOLD. The beautiful property of Mrs. E. W. Hyman, corner of Richmond and St. James streets, has been purchased by

Mr. Adam Beck. The price is private.

reside there. RETURN OF THE FISHERS. Messrs, T. Gillean, S. Stewart, K. Mc-Cormick, J. S. Walker, John Pope, John Ferguson, H. Beaton, W. H. Skinner, T. Higgins, John Christie, A. this morning, after two weeks' outing at their club house on Main Station Island. They had a grand time, they

PURELY PERSONAL. Miss Ella Nichols, of Galt, is visiting friends in the city.

remarkable fish stories.

Mrs. J. P. Kearns, of this city, visiting her sister, Mrs. Perry, 19 Bold street, Hamilton. Mrs. J. L. Goodburne and son, city,

has accompanied Miss King to her

home at Sparta for a visit. Mrs. and Miss Burke and Miss Celia A. Kildea, of this city, will sail for Montreal tomorrow from Toronto on the Cuba.

J. E. Young, of this city, left this morning for Detroit to spend a few days with his brother Elmer, who is attending the Detroit Dental College. Drs. Hotson, Woolverton and Ovens, city, with their families, are cottaging at Kettle Point, North Bay. Rev. Mr. Baldwin, of Forest, is also stopping

Mrs. Sheldon Ward, of Aylmer, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. N. Curry, 272 Talbot street. Before returning home she will take a two weeks' trip down the St. Lawrence.

Steamship Arrivals July 15. At From ...Father Point....Liverpool Montevidean .

Charman's gale of straw hats-any

A Five-Cent Fare for the Little Ones on Monday Next-Adults Ten-Cents Return,

Monday next, July 18, will be Children's Day at Springbank. The London street railway realizes the fact -The corporation laborers were paid that all parents are not so situated, as to allow their children to take in excursions, nor yet avail themseives of the privileges offered many times during the season to see the outlying country and enjoy the beautiful scenery and the pure air. A day has been set apart for their special bene-fit. On Monday next all children will be carried to Springbank and return for 5 cents, and the fare to be charged adults will be 10 cents return. There will be a fifteen-minute service, and every motor will have a trailer attached. Last year thousands of -The many friends of Miss Ada A. children and their parents visited the beautiful resort on Children's Day. and enjoyed the outing immensely. A pleasant time is assured children on Monday next.

### AN M. P. P. SUED

For Dues to the London Board of Trade -The Case Dismissed.

Judge Edward Elliot presided at the regular sitting of the first division court this morning. There were a large number of cases, but few interesting

The London Board of Trade sued T. D. Hodgens, M.P.P., for three years' dues to that organization, amounting to \$15. Mr. Hodgens' defense was that he was a member without his knowledge. In explanation of this, he said he first became connected with the board in 1886, when he was elected mayor of the city. He paid subscriptions for four years, and then paid two years subscriptions together. In 1894. Mr. Hodgens gave the secretary \$15, and said he did not feel inclined to keep up the principle of giving to the He understood that all the monev he had given Secretary Nelles was in the form of donations, and not as When the last payment was made, it was with the understanding that no more donations were to be made. The judge held that Mr. Hodgens was not liable and dismissed the

## HANGED HERSELF

Sad Suicide of a Despondent Woman in Hamilton.

G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser. Hamilton, July 15.—Mrs. William Beckman, aged 50 years, of 303 Hunter street west, committed suicide this morning just after her children had departed for their daily employment, by hanging herself with a rope to a beam in the kitchen of her house. Her Gen. Shafter and Gen. Miles were still lifeless body was found by a milkman shortly afterward. Mrs. Beckman's husband died some

few weeks since, and she has suffered from despondency since. THREE FATALITIES

Result From the Boiler Explosion at Sycamore, Kent County.

G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser. Blenheim, Ont., July 15.-The names of the killed by the boiler explosion in Coatsworth are James Pain, mill hand, aged 22, and John Rambo, fireman, Charles Betts, proprietor of the mill in which the explosion took place, is fatally injured. He is 53 years old.

Both Betts and Rambo belonged to Wheatley, and leave families. The mill was burned a short time ago, and

B. Y. P. U.

all points of interest on account of the The Buffalo Gathering-Notes From the Annual Report.

> Buffalo, July 15 .- The annual report of the B. Y. P. U. in part is as follows: The Baptist Young Peoples' Union has just completed its first cycle of seven years. Its growth has been phenom-enal; yet it is still in its initial and formative stage. The year just closed has been marked by intensive rather than extensive development. The development of the work in the south has been one of the outstanding features of the year. New unions have been established, and the movement has gained a force which promises to be far-reaching and accumulative.

One of the partial compensations for the strife of war upon which our nation has entered in freedom's name is the quickening of the consciousness of a common life. Differences have been forgotten, dividing lines have been obliterated; in enlistment in a great common cause there has been a gushing of the nation's life. Today, in the face of a common foe, there is no north no south, no east, no west, but one nation loyal and indivisible, all hearts pulsating with noble patriotism. The conditions which have evoked this new manifestation of patriotism have also strengthened the bond of union with our brethren in the land of Canada, Whatever may be the outcome of the present discussion concerning an Anglo-American alliance, the events of the past few months have surely brought the two great branches of English-speaking stock closer together, and will tend towards a mutual good understanding. The Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack will float proudly side by side, as banners of brotherbood, and harbingers of a new era for humanity. In this work of unification, the B. Y. P. U. A. is a factor, weaving bonds of good fellowship

A REGULAR COMMUTER [New York Sun 1

The seclusion which the Suez Canal grants to belligerents is an expensive luxury. Admiral Camara's passage from the Mediterranean to the Red Sea and return has cost the Spanish Government 1,600,000 francs for tolls. At this rate, allowing 20 days for the round trip, the admiral could purchase safety for his fleet for the nert six months for a little less than \$3,000,000, and per-haps he could obtain from the canal administration some reduction as a regular commuter.

Macaroni is taken from a Greek de-Chapman's sale of straw hats—any rivation, which means "the blessed straw hat in stock tomorrow for 25 dead," in allusion to the ancient cuscents. John H. Chapman & Co. b | tom of eating it at feaste of the dead.

# BEFORE THE

Elaborate Preparations for Destroying Santiago.

Sampson's Ships Eight Miles Away Ready to Rain Shells on the Doomed City.

The Signal of Capitulation Came as a Surprise.

Shipload of Sick Spanish Prisoners Arrive at Portsmouth, N. H .- Several Deaths on the Way-San Juan in a State of Alarm-The Inhabitants Flee in Panic.

A Surprise.

SANTIAGO'S SURRENDER UNEX-

PECTED BY THE TROOPS. Off Aguadores, July 14, via Port Antonio, July 15.—Santiago de Cuba has surrendered. With the final stroke of the Spanish general's pen, the only stronghold in the province of Santiago has fallen, and the power of Spain in Eastern Cuba is crushed. On board the flagship New York it is believed that the surrendered Spanish officers will be permitted to retain their side-arms, and that the Spanish army will be given safe convoy to Spain. Admiral Sampson does not expect the terms of capitulation to be made public for several

The end came swiftly and unexpectedly. The Santiago campaign, with its deeds of splendid daring, and dark with the record of slaughter, had been believed by men high in rank to have only just begun. The refusal of the Spanish to surrender had been so emphatic and so recent that both army and navy had forsaken the idea of victory without further bloodshed, and and desperate assault upon the stubborn defenses of the city. That its fortifications were strong, and that its forces were brave, all knew, and yes-2 o'clock this afternoon Admiral Sampson received by signal the fact that credited the story. When Toral on Monday last refused

absolutely to consider the proposal of unconditional surrender, and when Gen. Shafter announced negotiations at an end, it was believed that the taking of the city without further fighting was an impossibility. The artillery of the federal forces were ordered to be rushed to the front, the investing line was extended to hem in the town completely, and every preparation was made for the final assault. But while all hard at work in an attempt to avoid the slaughter which would follow an sages to and from Washington, and with either Capt.-Gen. Blanco or with the government at Madrid. At about 11 o'clock Gen. Miles sent an aide-decamp from Juragua to Rear-Admiral Sampson, telling him the chances for surrender were good, and that no shots must be fired from the fleet without

definite orders from shore. Noon came, and when the expected call to quarters was not issued, the men lingered anxiously near their places, eager to begin the work of bombardment. From the bridges of the warships the officers trained their glasses alternately on the signal station ashore and on the fleet of transports

off Juragua. From a hilltop to the right of Aguadores fort the signal of the Spanish surrender was flashed to Admiral

Sampson. Gen. Toral surrendered in the nick of time, for had the plans of battle been carried out the city of Santiago would have been torn to pieces before night. The fleet had the exact range, and although the city was about eight miles away, and hidden by the hills along the coast, Commodore Schley announced that shells could be dropped in the heart of the town every two minutes for as long a time as Gen. Shafter

thought it necessary. Aside from the work of the fleet, seven batteries of artillery were in position, and so placed that 3-inch shells ever, had made careful preparations, and even erected barricades in the streets, ready to fight to the very last. Gen. Shafter and his officers confidently expected the American loss to be heavy if the attempt had to be made to capture the city by assault, and elaborate hospital arrangements were made in anticipation of such an occurrence. A large number of tents have been erected at Siboney since the

buildings there were burned. BLOCKADE-RUNNER CAPTURED. Key West, Fla., July 15.-The British schooner E. R. Nickerson, which was captured on June 30 by the Hornet, Hist and Wampatuck, off Cape Cruz, while attempting to run the blockade into Manzanillo, was brought here this morning by a prize crew under Lieut. Dougal. She has a cargo of provisions, hogs, goats, etc. She had a crew of negroes, and two passengers were on board. She was bound from Jamaica.

THE YELLOW FEVER VICTIMS. Washington, July 15 .- The war department has posted a dispatch from Assistant Adjutant-General Greenleaf, of Gen. Miles' staff, as follows: "Siboney. July 15.—Only 23 new cases of yellow fever and three deaths reported within the 24 hours. Type of disease mild. Camp site moved when-ever practicable. Have taken vigorous sanitary precautions to prevent the spread of the disease.

In Pitiable Plight. NEARLY 500 SICK SPANIARDS ON ONE TRANSPORT-MANY DEATHS.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 15 .- The United States auxiliary steamer Harvard, from Santiago de Cuba, having on board 1.008 Spanish prisoners, arrived in Portsmouth harbor and dronped anchor about three miles from the center of the city this morning. The port physician boarded the vessei at o'clock, and, in company with the Spanish doctor, made an inspection. His visit disclosed the fact that nearly half of those on board are ill. Spaniards died on the passage from Santiago to Portsmouth, another death occurred this afternoon after the cruiser reached this port, and three patients are not expected to live until tonight. There were 40 serious cases in the sick bay and 40 equally as bad in other portions of the ship. All these

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patients are said to be victims of ma-

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larial fever. Owing to these condi-tions nothing has been done in the line of preparations for landing the troops. The trip from Santiago north was without unusual incident aside from the sickness and deaths. SAN JUAN PANIC-STRICKEN.

St. Thomas, Danish West Indies. July 15 .- Advices received here from San Juan de Porto Rico show the inhabitants of that place are greatly alarmed. They expect the port will be attacked by the Americans today. The terrified inhabitants are fleeing into the country, and, it is said, the

city and suburbs are practically de-London, July 15.—It is announced in a special dispatch from Barcelona this afternoon that the inhabitants of that city are panic-stricken. They believe that the Americans will select defenseless Barcelona as the first spot to bombard. The local banks are removing their specie to the country, the merchants are sending their goods to places of safety, and many of the citizens are leaving. The governor of Barcelona has informed the people

that they cannot expect aid from the government noon today had been set for the final NO DETAILS OF THE SURRENDER Washington, July 15 .- The cabinet adjourned without knowledge of the details of the terms of surrender which were to be made at Santiago by terday had been looked forward to as likely to be the bloodiest in the history Shafter in his dispatch. Nothing of the campaign, and when soon after further has been received from the generals on the subject, and the assumption is that the commissioners Gen. Toral had surrendered. Admiral are still at work endeavoring to ar-Sampson and his officers scarcely range the details of the surrender. These are likely to be more complex than are generally supposed.

RELAND'S PEAT BEDS.

Furnished Work and Fuel for Poor of

Green Isle for Centuries. By the law of compensation, Ireland which has not a single ton of coal in her soil, has the finest peat beds in the British islands. One hardly knows what would have been the fate of the Irish not for the presence of the everlasting supply of fuel, lying on the surface of the attack. The telephone and telegraph ground and waiting only to be dug, dried wires from the front to Juragua were and carted or carried to the poor man's burdened all the forenoon with mes- fire. It is hard to understand why it should be only the poor man's fire, for the Gen. Toral was busy in communicating fragant, cleanly fuel might be welcome on the hearth of the rich. Recently a company advertised high-class peat for sale in London, to be burnt in drawing



DUTTING PEAT.

known scent was almost for the first time recognized in the "gilded halls" of Belgravia, bringing back memories of Highland cottages and lodges by Irish salmon rivers. The greatest contributor of all plants to the formation of peat is sphagcould have been hurled into the town num moss. But all kinds of bog plants from all sides. The Spaniards, how- go to make up the ordinary Irish post go to make up the ordinary Irish peat beds.

> The cut shows work going on in one of the reservoirs of fuel. The depth of peat is eight feet and the cutters have as yet merely shaved the top. This is a nice, dry bed, some alteration in the level having drained off the soakage water elsewhere. The men do the cutting and the girls and women wheel the neat to a distance, where they are set up in pairs like an A tent to dry.

> ONE OF DISRAELI'S EPIGRAMS. Disraeli's epigrams were pointed and double-edged, and this one, given by Mr. George Russell in his diary, is about as sharp as Disraell could make, it. Someone had asked Disraell if he had read the Greville memoirs. Now, there never had been much amity be-tween him and the Grevilles, and so he said: "I do not feel attracted to them. I knew the author, and he was the most conceited person with whom have been brought in contact, although I have read Cicero, and know Bulwer

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The Fly has come to the front. 34tf

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This retired spot, like a room with a roof taken off, and an orange-tree for a door, had a somber and mysterious Poor Vittorio had called it the Chapel, and had banished from it every flower but the purple and white of oranges and passion-vine. In a rough niche in the wall he had set a small of some young unknown person that the countess had said resembled him. This face looked out through the Two sides of the wall were draped with the vine: the third was bare, and had been meant to hold white jasmine. Under this bare wall the earth was newly turned. The setting sun shot across the top of the wall without entering, only a dull red glow falling into the shade; and the pointed leaves of the aloes set along the top of the wall seemed dripping in

that light. "The very largest one, by far the finest, is just an inch out of my reach, Adele," her friend said. "I am quite longing for that. As you like to gather flowers, cannot you break it for me! You are taller than I. I am sure there

is no bee here." The Countess Belvedere smiled strangely. The other was looking up at the flower and did not observe her face. She stepped forward, set her foot where her knee had touched the ground before Marco that morning, and stretched her arm for the flower. It grew at the end of a wandering vine that came out on the bare wall.

But her movement was too hasty She snatched violently upward, and, feeling her foot sink in the soft earth, shrieked out, and in trying to extricate herself, fell at full length on Vittorio's

The servants ran, her maid foremos among them. She was lifted, and helped, half fainting, into the house, where she sat shivering, and trying to drink the wine they brought her. Her eyes were staring as if she had seen a ghost. "My dear, what is the matter?" her friend cried. "I cannot imagine why you look so terrified. Are you hurt in

any way?' "It is nothing. I am a fool." The "Is my dress all dust? countess rose. The truth is, staying in Rome has made me nervous. Roman air always does make me nervous, especially in the summer. Do see if I am all covered

with dust. She went to a long mirror and stood turning herself about before it, and her maid shook out her dress, a lace-worked black grenadine made over red satin, and assured her that there was not a

speck on it. "But my shoe and stocking?" she said, and, seating herself, put her foot out, without looking at it, her face

The girl removed the small black satin slipper, and passed her hands over the black silk stockings wrought with red silks.

"There is nothing, countess, not a speck anywhere," she said. "I have half a mind to go away with you tonight, Gabriella," the countess said abruptly. "I have only waited for

you to come, and I meant to leave immediately.' "It would be delightful, my dear, to have your company as far as Florence.' "I will go. There are yet almost

three hours. In three hours one can prepare to go anywhere." The gentlemen came shortly after, and there was a very bright little din-

ner, during which the politics of the east were thoroughly discussed by the two gentlemen, and the fashions of the east by the two ladies.

Three hours after the Countess Belve-

dere was on her way to Florence. CHAPTER XXV.

Valeria took quite as much pains to conceal her experiences of the night as the Countess Belvedere did. As the stroke of 6 rang from a neighboring belfry she slipped, shivering, into bed When coffee was brought to her, she gave her orders for the day as usual. Lock the door well after you when you go out," she said; and was about to add that she would rest a little

the had slept well. "I haven't waked once," she answered, taking the alarm. "I am going to get up directly. Is the bath ready?" When the house door shut, she rose and went to the window to make sure that her servant had really gone out. then to the door to see if it was securely locked. She had locked her study door before ringing the bell.

longer, when the woman asked her if

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DO DIVINING RODS DIVINE?

Sometimes Water Is Located by Their Use and Sometimes Not.

The pros and cons of the theory of the divining rod are again being discussed in the English newspapers.

The superintendent of a fire brigade tes-

It being Saturday, her servant, a tifies to a case within his experience in woman sent to her by Miss Pendleton, had gone to the Campo di Fiori to buy which a water finder was commissioned to perate on an estate of the existence of fruit and vegetables for the week, and which he was previously ignorant. He she would be away two hours; but regot to work, soon found the presence of pose in her absence was out of the water, and, fixing upon the nearest and most conveniently placed spring, gave the probable depth at which water would be question. Every moment Valeria fancied that someone was at the street door, or climbing in at the study windiscovered in sufficient quantities at 75 She was ready to imagine anyfeet. At 70 feet the water came in, and thing. She had a right to expect anyat 77 feet operations had to be stopped, as thing. But what she could never have imagined was how far more powerful the flow became too heavy. Some of the than violence, how perfectly able to dispense with violence, are malice, tools had to be left in the well, as there was not time to remove them all. The subtlety and cowardice combined. Such well supplied the cattle, horses and pigs of people as she had to deal with are the the farm on which it was bored through pet children of Satan, and he teaches the dry summer of 1896, never failing in them his finest diplomacy. They are its flow. Twelve months after a second smiling; they are fond of the society of respectable people; they are eminently well was sunk barely a stone's throw from the first. The water finder was asked prudent; they can talk, at need, with if one stream would affect the other, as such delicacy that their conscience might be a speckless lily, and their heart a thornless rose, both fresh with they were so near. He replied, "No, they are two distinctly different streams, running in different directions." The second the dews of innocence. Above all, they well was as successful as the first. This Valeria had felt herself growing correspondent regards the power to find

But sleep refused to come. There was

that confusion of utter weariness and utter sleeplessness which is a torment

She had but two clear ideas-one, that

she must conceal the events of the

night from everybody with as much secrecy as if she had herself been an

actor in them; the other, that she must

leave the house she was in as soon as

cramped with terror, afraid to move or

resolve upon anything. She threw the

"It is best to be silent," she thought;

Opening her study door, she put back

the curtains, and leaned for a moment

into the garden, just as she might have

done if nothing had ever met her

glance there but flowers and fountains.

full account of all that she had known

in the past few months. The initials

only of the names were given; but the

This paper was securely sealed and

enclosed with directions to a friend in

England. The person to whom it was

sent was to preserve it carefully seal-

ed, and in case Valeria should die with-

out having recalled it, was to open and

print it. She knew that no scruples

nor influence on the part of the person

to whom she confided her message

would interfere with her directions be-

She promised to send later certain

written testimonies to the truth of the

fragmentary parts of her recital. It

would be easy to persuade the persons

concerned to write and sign these testi-

monies for her, as they would seem to

be trifles; and she could make some

laughing pretense of mystery which

would convince them that there was

no mystery whatever. And, insignifi-

cant as these documents would seem

the little fragment that finishes a

broken statue, or the broken letter

letter nor fragment having any sense

except so applied.

of his face moved.

ing up at him.

to be all black.

his left hand.

could not fly from.

waiting for her servant.

which completes an inscription, neither

This done, she dressed herself and

There was a head peeping out around

down the street from the direction op-

posite the door; and when she turned to

gands, to distinguish their dress-per-

haps, also, to distinguish their char-

acters. He wore leather leggins, a peak-

ed cap and a faded red vest. His face

was thin and dark, and might have been called beautiful but for its ex-

pression of somber cruelty. His black

hair fell on his shoulders; the large

were wide open, and fixed upon Valeria

in an unwinking stare. Not a feature

"What do you want there?" she call-

"Come down!" she said. "It is my

ed out, standing in the street and look-

house, and I wish to go in. Come

He slowly descended the stairs with-

out removing his eyes from her face,

coming step by step, as though he

counted in advancing. There was some-

thing chilling in his impassibility, and

"What do you want?" she asked,

looking steadily at him, as she would have looked at a wild beast, whom she

He growled out some inarticulate

reply, and passed her by, turning his

eyes sideways as he passed. He wore

It was hard not to turn, not to run

up the stairs, not to betray any sign of fear; but she succeeded in com-

manding her muscles till they touched

the bell. Then she rang a peal-that

brought her woman instantly to the

[To be Continued.]

men, and owing to

sults of bilious attacks or indigestion are likely to be even more serious and speedy than in the case of men who lead sedentary

lives. The harder a man works, whether at the anvil, or bench or plow handle, the more important is the necessity for a careful watchfulness over health.

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DEATH AT HIS ANVIL.

The blacksmith is usually looked upon as the ideal of robust health. This is fre-

quently the case, but

nevertheless he is subject to the same

ills that afflict other

a handkerchief wrapped loosely around

in those large black eyes, that seemed

black eyes, which devoured his face

the head of it, the door being shut.

a man standing at

ing followed out to the letter.

circumstances rendered them unmis-

Then, seating herself, she wrote a

"but my silence shall not be a night-

are pious.

water produces a marked degree of nervous fatigue in the operator. On the other hand, the discomfiture is announced of a professional water finder who made a tour in the island of Jamaica, where in the dry season water is a precious He traveled through the island, rod in hand, but met with little success. At one village in the Santa Cruz mountains he pegged out part of the course of a subterranean stream and then retired to lunch at a neighboring hotel. In his absence some wags removed his pegs and lined out a totally different course. On his return the diviner took up the new direction and continued it for 100 yards, not discovering his mistake until it was pointed out to him. At one point where he predicted water at a depth of 40 feet there was no sign of it when 150 feet had been bored, and after going down 200 feet the borer could not be extracted. The same result occurred in many other places, and

water as the result of a force, magnetic or

otherwise, over which the finder has no

control and which he is unable to explain.

He also says that the operation of finding

"FRONT!" IN WASHINGTON.

finally the diviner left the island abruptly.

-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Hotel Hallboys Who Expect the Guests to Do Part of Their Work.

The colored "front" of the Washington hotel is like no other hotel hallboy, white to be, they would be as important as or black, in the United States. He doesn't hesitate to ask the guests to do part of his work. Old stagers at these hotels do not appear to think it strange, but folks acsustomed to hotels in other parts of the yard. country are at first rather surprised at the went out to mail her letter, without requests made of them by the colored "front" of the Washington hotels. This is the style of it: the corner of her house as she came

"Goin to you room, sir?" asks a "front" with card and tray as a guest is about to step into the elevator. "Yes." And then "front," handing

the card, says: He was one of those men called bri-"Will you tap at Mr. Honevcomb's door and tell him this gemman is downstairs

and wants to see him?" Your room is 61, and "front" knows it, and he also knows that Mr. Honeycomb's room is 60, and to save himself a trip up stairs he'll bother you to tap at a strange man's room and deliver the message.

Or it is: "D'ye know, sir, if Mr. Bulleyton is in his room? You've just come down, sir, and there's a gemman here wants to see him." Sometimes it is, "Will you please, sir, drop this letter into Mr. Finnigan's room?" And so it goes.

The northerner at first is a bit taken aback, but he soon becomes accustomed to the situation and grins at the audacity of the requests. Others tell the colored "front" to go to the devil, and so on. The colored "front" doesn't mean any disrespect. It is only his way of trying to shuffle his work on to others.—New York

Her Ancestor.

An Australian woman of great charm and tact tells many amusing stories of the strange questions put to her by people with a thirst for information about her native

"It is a very common thing for me to be asked if the bushes are still thick where I live or whether our house is in a 'clearing," she says plaintively, "and I know they often regard my veracity as a doubtful quantity when I tell them Australia is not all 'bush' by any means. But an old lady asked me a new question one day. She evidently supposed that all the dwellers in Australia were descendants of the criminals transported to Botany bay. "'Is it possible for the convicts to educate their children so well ordinarily?' this terrible old English woman asked me, surveying me through her lorgnette as I fin-

ished telling one of her friends about my school days. "But my father was not a convict, madam,' I said, with natural surprise. "'Ah,' she said meditatively, 'then I suppose it was your grandfather who was

sent there. Of course much can be done in the third generation.' "I should have been angry if it had been worth while," the Australian adds, with admirable wisdom, "but she surveyed me so impersonally that I didn't even tell her there was actually a part of the population of my country which did not come from convict stock."—Youth's Compan-

The Middle Initial. It is a common habit with English novelists to distinguish their transatlantic characters by giving them names with a middle initial. Mr. Moore, I note, calls his American millionaire Isaac P. Newton. The name has certainly a distinctive American flavor about it, but we are apt to overlook the circumstance that, although it is associated so often with Americans, yet the middle initial is quite as frequently used over here as in the United States, as, to witness, such familiarly known names as Jerome K. Jerome, Silas K. Hocking, Clement K. Shorter, Arthur J. Balfour, Margaret L. Woods, Charlotte M. Yonge, Louis N. Parker and many others that spring to the memory.—London Mail.

No Option. Barber (pausing in the mutilation)-

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-Ald. Douglass and family are cottaging at Port Stanley.

-About four thousand attended the concert given by the Seventh Band in Victoria Park last evening.

-Mrs. D. McCarthy, of Ingersoll, was brought to St. Joseph's Hospital here last night to undergo an operation. -H. G. Hopkirk, of London, postoffice inspector, is making a tour of

inspection of the country postoffices in Kent county. -No meeting of the executive committee of the Plebiscite Association was held last night, and a meeting has been

called for Tuesday evening. -Thieves entered the stable of Dr. Kingsmill, 462 Ridout street, last night Duluth, Minn. and carried away a heavy black silver-

mounted set of Gladstone harness. -Samuel Leitch, living at Komoka, was brought to jail yesterday on a charge of insanity, having been committed for trial by J. B. Janes, reeve

-The concert down the river at Springbank last night, given by the London Musical Society Band, proved a great attraction and was thoroughly appreciated.

-The Attercliffe correspondent of the Hamilton Times says: A man answering somewhat to the description of the London police murdered has been seen around here for several days.

-A cake walk and concert will be held in aid of Summerholm in the Port Stanley town hall on July 20. An excellent programme has been prepared. A number of Londoners will take part.

-Joseph Hodgins and Thomas Haskett, charged with having and exposing for sale a lewd publication, were before the magisterial court again today. They were further bailed until Friday next.

-G.T.R. Train Dispatcher Goodwin, of this city, held a school of instruction at the tunnel station, Sarnia, yesterday, for operators and dispatchers with regard to the new rules soon to be adopted on the G. T. R. system.

-Dr. Hutchinson, of this city, has purchased the yacht Nancy, one of the fastest in her class. She now lies in the harbor at Port Stanley. The doctor, accompanied by a party, intends leaving for a week's cruise shortly.

-The Irish Benevolent Society held a meeting at the Grigg House last night, pleted. with Vice-President Fitzgerald in the chair. Aug. 4 was the day chosen on which to hold their 21st annual picnic at Port Stanle. Committees were struck to arrange matters.

-Fred, the 13-year-old son of Mr. David Stothers, of Trafalgar street. while playing at the south end of Adelaide street vesterday afternoon, fell under a load of gravel, which passed over one leg, crushing it severely. He was removed to the hospital

-A lady from London, whose ... could not be ascertained, got off a trolley car in front of the Grand Central Hotel, St. Thomas, Wednesday evening, and just after doing so missed her purse. The car had gone east, but Mr. Donley sent a telephone message to Lew Dake, of the Dake House. He stopped the car and found the wallet

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lying on the floor. It contained \$35. -Journal. FISHING ON SUNDAY COSTS. Alf Hill, of Maitland street north,

was before Squire R. F. Lacey yesterday afternoon on a charge preferred by George White & Sons, of trespassing and illegally fishing on their pond on Sunday, May 8. Hill endeavored to prove an alibi, and said that at the time he was accused of fishing he was playing cards with other young men near his home. Hill was convicted and fined \$1 and costs for trespass, and \$5 and costs for fishing on Sunday, amounting in all to \$18 35. A reasonable

## SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

Those Who Are Spending Them in London-Londoners Abroad.

John Dwyer, Richmond street, is holdaying at Port Stanley. Miss Lockner is the guest of Miss Frankie Davis, of Exeter. Prof. and Mrs. Barron are visiting Mrs. E. C. Jackson, of Tilsonburg.

Mr. E. D. Fisk, of Providence, R. I. s on a 'business trip to this city. Mrs. T. Williamson, of Toronto, is visiting friends on Queen's avenue. Mrs. Dwyer and daughter, Miss Agnes, are visiting relatives in Ingersoll.

Mr. Thomas Churcher, of Ottawa. formerly of this city, is on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bawden of this city are visiting Mr. Bawden's parents

Miss Davis, accompanied by er sister, Mrs. W. E. Witchell, of this city, are visiting at Exeter. Miss Gertrude Cooper, city, is spending a few weeks in Aylmer, the guest of Mrs. R. E. Simpson.

Mrs. John Sullivan, of Belmont, Ia., is visiting her sister. Mrs. James Hurley, 211 Adelaide street. Mrs. D. McNeil, of 53 Easton avenue. Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her sister.

Mrs. H. Burdick, Queen's Park. Mr. and Mrs. Dampier, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dampler and daughter, of Strathroy, have left for Miss Florence A. McAlpine, of Ailsa

Craig; Miss Laura M. Hickey, and Miss Phyllis F. Ackert, of this city, are visiting at Ingersoll Miss Annie Ellen McEwen, daughter Leaf Forever," with much enthusiasm, f ex-Ald. McEwen, of Windsor, is the Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., of the of ex-Ald. McEwen, of Windsor, is spending her vacation with her aunt. Mrs. C. McMullen, 822 York street.

Rev. W. Walker, of London, and Geo. Walker, of St. Louis, are on a visit to the parental home. They are sons Rev. W. S. Walker, of Tavistock. Miss Annie Ellen McEwen, daughter of ex-Ald. P H. McEwen, of Wind-

sor, is spending her vacation with Mrs. C. McMullen, 822 York stret, city, Miss May Ireland, of Detroit: Miss Eva Quinn and the Misses Pearl and May Warner are spending their holi-days with friends in the township of Mr. Richard Dengate, with his daugh-

ter Ethel Mae, of this city, has been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. C. K. Dodge, of 2,127 Elk stret, Port Huron. Dengate has returned home, but his daughter will remain for a few

## **PORT STANLEY NOTES**

Wednesday, July 13.-Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beltz, of London, are visiting down. The service then closed with friends on Orchard Beach Mrs. D. M. Tait entertained a number of her lady friends on Tuesday. A team from London played ball with the Port boys. The Londoners won-

Ten coaches carried picnic parties from London and St. Thomas to Port today. A number of Erie Rest residents spent last evening at roasting potatoes on the beach. The potatoes tasted very

good, considering that the cooking was done at a large bonfire.

The dredge Ontario, which has been working in the harkor, is now operat ing beyond the pier, and it is expected that its work will soon be com-

Fishing is now in its prime, but the only way to enjoy a good catch is to say nothing about it. The Flora made a number of excursions for the benefit of the picnickers yesterday. Large crowds took advan-

Thursday, July 14.—The steamer Flora arrived this morning. The. Hueston brothers are camping on Orchard Beach. The ship Albertrose has arrived here bearing 168 tons of coal.

Mrs. Torry, of Brantford, has arrived to take possession of her cottage on Orchard Beach. The Mattinson brothers, in company with Master Chester Mathewson, are camping on the Fraser Heights. The Selkirk of Lorain is being re-

nainted.

Messrs. C. F. Doe and A. E. Cowley, of London; W. Balfour, of Hamilton; Thomas Fairgrieve, of Detroit; Owen Thomas Fairgrieve, of Detroit; Owen McKay, of Windsor, and A. E. Sippi have registered at Hotel Loney.

A number of Londoners have arrived So hard for the success of the picnic was composed as follows: Messrs. D. A. McDermid, W. G. Young, C. A. Barnes, C. E. Cowley, A. N. Udy, Ald. McKay, of Windsor, and A. E. Sippi have registered at Hotel Loney.

to spend their holidays at Summer-

more convenient for the "hoppers."
Mr. Wm. Nelles, of Dayton, Ohio, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Mothersill, returns home today. The picnic from London, which was composed of the First and Dundas Center Methodist Churches, arrived this morning in twelve cars. Many came down on the 3:35 also.

Campbell, M.P., Toronto Junction, is visiting his cousin, Miss Marie Camp-

Those who are stopping at the Fraser House from Chicago are: Mr. James Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Kausar, and Mrs. A. Woodward; London: J. M. McEvoy and wife, and Mr. L. Gibson; Detroit: A. L. Hay; Philadelphia: T. C. Kingston; St. Thomas: Mrs. H. B. Travers. A might-have-been serious accident occurred on the Fraser hill today, when three young girls thought they could run down the cliff. They had hardly started when by some mis-steps they stumbled and fell heavily to the ground. The two younger girls, who are the daughters of Mr. Evans, of London, were badly bruised, while the third, a Miss Painter, of Boston, met with more severe injuries. She was taken to London on the 4 p.m. train. Miss Edna Howell and Miss Hattie

First Methodist and Dundas Center Schools at Port.

An Ideal Day and a Large Crowd-Short Service Held-How the

A fine day and a large and jolly crowd of merrymakers tended to make the union picnic of the First Methodist and Dundas Center schools at Port Stanley yesterday one of the most successful ever held. In the morning, universal satisfaction, the sonorous tones of a large hand-bell caused the people to gather around the band

was conducted. with much feeling. Rev. J. B. Saund-

words. After the singing of "The Maple First Methodist Church, was called upon for a few words. "It was ten upon for a few words. years," he said, "since he had visited Port Stanley, and he believed it never looked so well, or contained a more happy throng than now. He was glad to see a united picnic of the two churches. It showed a fraternal feeling that should exist in every body or denomination. If he would be allowed to make a suggestion, it would be that all the Methodist schools of London hold a union pienie at Port next year. He was sure everyone was having a good time, and would con-tinue to have until the day's close. He hoped that everyone would also take pleasure in the coming work that was before them in London. He wanted everyone to be doing something in the Lord's service. This was a happy occasion to get among them and become better acquainted." The speaker closed with an earnest prayer, that a most prosperous year would be before

At the conclusion of the service. free boat tickets were distributed to good-natured jostling, but there were plenty of tickets for all, both parents and children. The steamer was crowded, but the trip was a pleasant one. There was music and singing, which added greatly to the enjoyment.

NOTES. rnree little girls met with an acci-

in their power to relieve the little suf-A son of Mr. George F. Brickenden.

fishermen, and most of them gazed for hours at the ends of their lines without a bite. Several had strings of three Quite a number enjoyed a bathe.

A ball game was played between No. 8 Club of Dundas Center, and a picked nine, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 20-19.

Mrs. C. D. Johnston spent the day at Orchard Beach.

A large addition has been made to Hill Crest dancing hall. This is a great improvement, as it now is much

Mr. Archie Campbell, son of Arch.

Magee spent the day here.

Day Was Spent.

hundreds of picnickers made a hurried rush for seats on the train. Some 22 coaches were soon filled with happy humanity, and a baggage car loaded with the necessary lunch baskets. On arrival at Port the Fraser hill was taken possession of, and little groups scattered all over the inviting pleas-ure grounds. A dainty spread soon followed, and after the contents of the lunch baskets had been explored with

stand, where a short musical service The service opened with the doxology, followed by an earnest prayer by W. Wilmott. After the repeating of the Lord's Prayer by the whole assemblage, the beautiful hymn, "Blest be the tie that binds," was sung ers. D.D., pastor of the Dundas Center, gave a brief address, after the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers." He said he was very glad to be among so many happy people, and wished to congratulate all in charge on the success of the picnic. He had five minutes to speak in, so he would have to put a great deal in a few words. He had an old maiden aunt when he was a boy, who used to say a great deal in a few words. He reuntil the present time. "She lifted her hand," he said, "and her eyes flashed until the cold chills ran down

membered one of her speeches to him my back, and said, 'Now, David, mind your p's and q's.' Now, boys and girls, take this advice, and mind your p's and q's. If I might mention one or two of the p's. I would say, be perseveringly polite, and stand to plebiscite and prohibition. These and hundred others I might tell you of." He was happy, because the occasion afforded him an opportunity to become better acquainted with his flock. "May God prosper you and your picnic al ways," were the speaker's concluding

them in their respective churches. At this juncture the boy vigorously rang the bell, the five minutes being up, and the doctor laughingly sat

the National Anthem.

dent in the afternoon, while attempting to run down the Fraser hill. They were little Misses Pointer and Ethe Davis, and little sister. Their faces were badly scratched and cut, but no bones were broken. After some time they were conveyed to the heights and made comfortable. Rev. Messrs. Smith and Saunders were present and did all

Queen's avenue, had his face and nose badly cut and bruised, and a little chap named Munn also scraped the rough hillside with his face. Though made sore and disfigured for a few days, no serious trouble will result.

There were a number of patient

or four small fishes.

The energetic committee that worked so hard for the success of the picnic

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Summerholm was visited by a num ber of the picnickers. The 2:30 train carried another large crowd to the lakeside. The new slip-dock is progressing

rapidly. No drawbacks have yet octheir day's outing.

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ham and Sheerness. A few words from any points on the coast, be it an isolated coastguard station or a lonely guardship, may in an hour or two have led to orders of national import being flashed over sleeping towns and villages to the naval commander-in-chief at the coast, and before the outside world knows of impending danger all the machinery of defense will be in readiness for an emergency. That this is no exaggeration those may judge who remember the hasty commissioning of the parti-cular service squadron in January, 1896 when the German Emperor's ill-judged land ablaze with anger.

elegram to President Kruger set Eng-Before even the Times announced the decision of the government to form this new squadron, "to do anything and go anywhere," as Mr. Goschen explained, telegraph instruments at Whitehall had been vigorously ticking, and, unknown to the public, the admirals at Chatham, Portsmouth and Devonport had had their orders. By the time the world was awake the preparations for commissioning the ships had commenced, and in a few days a squadron of powerful modern vessels was fitted out and ready for any task. When the necessity arises, no less promptly will the machinery of defense be again put to the test, possibly on a more extensive scale.—Chambers' Journal.

Chronic Eczema Cured. One of the most chronic cases of vanquished .- William Frederic Tilton in Eczema ever cured is the case of Miss Gracie Ella Aiton, of Hartland, N. B. On a sworn statement Mr. Aiton said: hereby certify that my daughter Gracie Ella, was cured of Eczema of long standing by using four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment." Wm. Thistle, druggist, of Hartland, also certifies that he sold four boxes of Dr. Chase's

Ointment which cured Gracie Ella.

CAPTURING SEALS.

The Wonderful Vitality and Courage of the Old Dog Hoed.

The killing of the young seals has been frequently described as brutal and brutalizing and the seal hunters depicted as savages, but to my mind the work is not nearly so brutalizing as the ordinary killing of sheep, pigs or oxen.

Here the animal is too young to ree at an early hour, well pleased with and evinces no signs of it; no animal is wounded and left to die in vain. The "crying" of young seals is not from fear, but hunger. One often hears them cry all night for their dams, while they never give tongue at man's approach. It is only in killing the old dog hood

seals that one feels the savagery of killing anything, for the hood's marvelous vitality is only equaled by his pluck. I watched four men fight an old dog hood one day on a small pan. Reared up on his haunches, with his hood blown up, he awaited the attack. The first blow, struck on his hood, might as well have hit a stone wall, while, catching the second gaff end cleverly in bank tomorrow evening. The character his teeth, he shook the long handle to such of the entertainments provided by the good purpose that he cleared the pan of his enemies in an instant. Though he could at any moment have slipped off inte the water, he would not do so, and soon a lucky blow under the jaw stretched him out. A perfect shower of blows on the head seemed to finish him off, and, a heavy strap being placed around him, he was

hauled to the bulwarks by the steam Just as he got there his immense weight broke it down, and he disappeared, we thought for good, but in a minute or so he suddenly appeared again, and, refreshed by the cold water, he climbed out on to the very same pan, where the hunters were ungallant enough to return and dispatch him with their long knives. Nor does the hunter by any means have it all his own way. So agile and powerful are these beasts that they will jump clear out of the water on to a pan 6 to 10 feet high without touching the edge, when in no other way they could climb on to it, and many a man has been badly mauled and bitten and dragged into the water in endeavoring to capture the valiant old fellows .- Pittsburg

Relics of the Spanish Armada.

One of the most fatal spots for armada ships had been Sligo bay. When Geoffrey Fenton went to view this scene of disaster, he found Spanish guns sunk half a horseman's staff in the shifting sand and "numbered in one strand of less than five miles in length above 1,100 dead corpses of men which the sea had driven upon the shore,' and the country people told him "the like was in other places, though not of like number." Somewhat later the lord deputy on his way, as he expressed it, to dispate 'those rags' of the Spaniards which still infected the country, saw with amazement the masses of wreckage scattered along a beach on the same coast—timber enough to build "five of the greatest ships that ever I saw, besides mighty great boats, cables and other cordage, and some such masts for bigness and length as I never saw any two could make the like." A copy of the sailing directions given by Medina Sidonia, found perhaps in some captain's sea chest among the wreckage, fell into the lord deputy's hands. A grim smile must have flitted over his face as he read the words, "Take great heed lest you fall upon the island of Ireland for fear of the harm that may happen unto you upon that coast." An armada relic still more touching than these instructions is part of a letter written off Dingle by a Spanish captain, begging the president of Munster for friendly treatment. Into a bundle of state papers which tell, in the language of the victors, the awful story of shipwreck and bloodshed on the Irish coast, this fragment, rusty and stained as if by salt water, has strayed like a wail from the

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