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Phone 159

ADVERTISE IN THE PLANET

2,200 VOLTS KILL MAN

Electric Current Causes Death of G. H. Jordan at Whitby.

After Current Short-Circuited Through His Hands, and He Dies in a Few Moments From Shock—Inquest Held and Adjourned, But Evidence Shows He Himself Was to Blame—Lived With Sister.

Whitby, Aug. 18.—An arc light current of twenty-two hundred volts short circuited through the hands killed George H. Jordan, engineer of the municipal light and waterworks plant Wednesday night just before midnight. The evidence adduced at the inquest makes it clear he alone was to blame. W. G. Dickson of Alexandra Place, Toronto, and Cecil Wright, arrived at the harbor in a gasoline launch late Wednesday night and were the last to talk to Jordan before he went into the dynamo room with his assistant, his assistant, who was to relieve him within an hour.

Against the wishes of the latter Jordan started to show him how the arc lights are turned on the streets. Clatworthy saw the first fingers of each of Jordan's hands as he began the demonstration. Fire flew from both hands, and he turned and said: "Something's wrong here!" whereupon Clatworthy grabbed him away, but too late, as with one or two gasps he expired. The evidence went to show the plant was quite modern and equipped with every apparatus for safety in operation. After taking the evidence all afternoon the inquest adjourned. The body will be taken this morning to Wyewale, Ont., where internment takes place.

Jordan was a single man, and lived with his sister Marion not far from the plant. Only on Saturday last he had effected an insurance of \$1,000 in an accident company, in favor of his sister. The policy was dated yesterday. He also carried \$10,000 in the I. O. F. The deceased has a brother, A. H. Jordan, at Midland, where he is a smelter in the iron works.

Killed by Live Wire. Halifax, N. S., Aug. 17.—Lineman Bruce Cann was instantly killed at Glace Bay yesterday morning by coming into contact with a live wire. He climbed one of the town electric light poles and grasped two of the wires. At the time of the accident the town light current is supposed to be cut off. Some person yet unknown had turned on the switch.

Killed At the Sea. Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 18.—Wallentin Krykky, a Finlander, was accidentally killed while working on the Algoma Central steamer Tano, which is loading rails at Steel Plant dock. Krykky was in the hold and, desiring to get out, grabbed the sling of the hoist after it had released a rail, and as it went up swung and struck head on the hatchway, causing him to let go and fall to the bottom, where his body was dashed out.

Jugular Vein Exposed. Forest, Aug. 18.—While Arthur and Elva Hodgson were driving into town with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Stanley Hodgson of Detroit, their horse became frightened. Mrs. Hodgson was thrown into a barbed wire fence and severely cut in the neck, exposing the jugular vein.

Pierced by Pitchfork. Belleville, Aug. 18.—Alex. Stoughton, a young man who worked on his father's farm, near Bakersfield, fell from a load of hay and alighted on a fork handle, which pierced his abdomen. He is in a serious condition but the doctors have hopes of his recovery.

INJURY PROVES FATAL

Thomas Champion Succumbs to Street Car Accident.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—Thomas O. Champion, an insurance inspector, of 138 Shaw street, was very suddenly at Toronto General Hospital yesterday morning while preparations were being made to give him an airing on the verandah. His death was the result of a street car accident on July 22, in which he had his hip broken. An inquest was opened last night, and after a jury had viewed the remains an adjournment was made till Tuesday night.

The Third Victim. Toronto, Aug. 18.—William McLean, another victim of the careless handling of dynamite on the Jamaica Bay Railway, was killed by a car on the line, by which two others were badly hurt on Monday, in the General Hospital with both legs severely injured.

Six Laborers Killed. San Bernardino, Cal., Aug. 18.—Six Mexican track laborers were killed and six or seven were probably fatally injured by a rear-end collision between a Santa Fe work train and an extra south-bound freight at Horse Shoe Bend Wednesday evening.

Train Goes Through Draw Bridge. Norfolk, Va., Aug. 18.—Between 20 and 30 negroes, occupying the first car of an Atlantic Coast line excursion train from Kingston, N. C., to this city were killed or injured, six miles from the city, shortly after noon yesterday. The train, consisting of the engine and six coaches, plunged through an open draw of the bridge at Bridge Station, the engine and one coach being completely submerged in about 12 feet of water.

Mr. John Mellow, of Comber, celebrated his 80th birthday on Saturday. The occasion brought together his children, grandchildren and friends, all of whom expressed the wish that Mr. Mellow would see many happy returns of his birthday. Mr. Mellow is hale and hearty, with the prospects of many years before him.

KEEPING LAW

License Inspector Massey Visits Fletcher and Merlin and Makes Complete Investigation.

In response to several complaints, License Inspector N. Massey yesterday made an unexpected visit to Fletcher and Merlin and in both places conducted a very thorough and complete examination, with the satisfactory result that no direct evidence of an illegal selling was secured, and the inspector was accordingly enabled to report that the houses in question were keeping the law.

At Fletcher, while no liquor was found, some five barrels of empty bottles were located. Mr. Massey closely questioned the proprietor concerning these, but learned that there had been a somewhat lax administration of the law in the past and the "empties" were the relics. At Merlin the proprietor frankly exhibited a bottle of liquor and half a case of ale—the only liquor found upon the premises—which was for his private use and not for sale.

SLOT MACHINES

Crown Attorney Orders Their Immediate Banishment From the Eau—Children Were Gambling.

Numerous complaints have been filed with the Crown concerning the operation of certain slot machines utilized for gaming purposes at the Eau. These complaints were looked into by the authorities, this morning and it was found that children had been speculating with the machines at the Bungalow.

As a result Crown Attorney Smith this morning issued an official notification to Mr. Buzzard the proprietor, that the operation of the machines must be discontinued immediately or a prosecution would follow.

JAIL LIBRARY

Governor Davidson is Inaugurating One at Castle Mercer—Old Magazines Welcome.

Governor Davidson, of the county jail, would be glad at any time to receive old magazines or papers with which the owners may be through. Mr. Davidson is endeavoring to secure the nucleus of a jail library for the use of the prisoners.

"The statute provides that they may be supplied with reading matter from the jail library," said the Governor in an interview with The Planet this morning, "but thus far I have been unable to locate the library or an apology for it."

"The prisoners are continually begging for something to read and, with the co-operation of the sheriff, we are seeking to organize something of a library. If then any citizens have old magazines they are thinking of burning I should be glad and gratified if they'd turn them over to me instead."

DATE SET

The contract calls for the completion of the Armories by Aug. 31st, 1906. At present only the basement has been erected. The floor space in the basement does not run under the whole building, as the centre is filled in with dirt level with the parade floor above, so that the noise made when the boys are drilling will be deadened.

The parade floor will be 170 feet long and 80 feet wide, composed of matched hardwood lumber and its surface will not be marred by any pillars or columns. At either end will be a gallery.

It is expected that the opening will take place Sept. 3rd, 1906, when several of the high commanding officers, including Lord Aylmer, will be present.

BAND CONCERT

By the kind permission of Col. J. B. Rankin and the officers of the 24th Kent Regiment the band will play the following program (weather permitting) on Tecumseh Park this evening under the direction of Watson H. Walker, Bandmaster.

March, "Peter Piper,"—Henry. Overture, "Living Pictures"—Dalbey.

Medley Valse, "Come over on my Verandah,"—Keith.

Selection, "The Bohemian Girl,"—Raff.

Militaire, "Any Rags,"—Allen.

Concert Valse, "Lovaute,"—Wheeler.

Intermezzo, "Moulin Rouge,"—M. y. t.

Regimental March, "British Grenadiers,"—God Save the King.

Reserve Aug. 22nd for your holiday to Detroit, and join the members of the I. O. F. on their annual excursion.

THERE IS STILL HOPE

Although Peace Envoys Made No Progress Thursday.

Remuneration For the Cost of the War to Japan Reached and Put to One Side—Sakhalin, Too, Is on the Shelf—To-day All But These Claims May Be Passed Tentatively—Possible Adjournment.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 18.—The crisis in the peace conference has been reached and pessimism is again the note. But there is still hope. Predictions of a final rupture to-day certainly will not be justified unless Baron Komura figuratively picks up his hat and announces that it is useless to proceed further. M. Witte at least will not be precipitate. At to-day's session after article 11 (the limitation of Russia's sea power in the Far East), and article 12 (fishing rights on the Russian littoral), are disposed of, he will favor an adjournment until Monday to hear the last word from St. Petersburg.

The pessimism last night was based upon the fact that no progress was made yesterday. The exchange of views at the morning session upon article 9 (remuneration for the cost of the war), showed at once the plenipotentiaries were as far apart as the poles and it was passed over. Article 10 (the surrender of the interned Russian warships), was also passed, not in the opinion of one of the plenipotentiaries when the Associated Press correspondent saw him last night, because it could not have arranged, but because with the shadow of the two main points in dispute hanging over the conference both sides were cautious and preferred to postpone it to the end. Article 11 (limitation of sea power), is also adjustable after modification, and article 12 will present no difficulties.

So that last night the situation is practically what it was when M. Witte last Saturday presented the Russian reply with its non possumus to article 5 and 9 (indemnity and Sakhalin). The only chance now is compromise—Russia to yield Sakhalin and Japan indemnity. Neither will yield both and perhaps Japan at the final show of hands will yield neither. M. Witte, under the Imperial indications contained in the instructions given him before he left St. Petersburg can agree neither to pay tribute nor cede a foot of Russian soil. St. Petersburg, therefore, in the last resort, remains to be heard from. Doubtless this is the reason why he favors a postponement to-day over Sunday. Baron Komura probably will welcome an adjournment of two days in order that he also may lay the situation before his Government for its final decision.

A SIGN OF PEACE

Russia Delays the Departure of the New Infantry Division.

London, Aug. 18.—The correspondent of The Standard at Odessa says that the order for the departure of the infantry division mobilized in the south-eastern Provinces has been countermanded. This is popularly interpreted, the correspondent says, as indicating the probability of a successful issue of peace negotiations at Portsmouth.

Admiral Kruger Retired. St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—By Imperial ukase, Vice Admiral Kruger has been placed on the retired list. Commander Gazevitch of the battleship Georgi Pobledonosetz and the commander of the transport Prout on both of which vessels mutinies occurred recently, have also been retired.

Russia's New Loan. St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—An Imperial ukase was issued yesterday formally authorizing the issuance of the new internal loan of \$100,000,000 at 5 per cent.

40 Slain in Anti-Hebrew Riots. St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—An official account received here of the disturbances at Bielostock, Russian Poland, confirms the report that forty persons were killed. Hebrews opened fire on the troops, who replied with volleys.

A despatch received here from Boston on Don states that a number of strikers have been lynched by indignant citizens.

Gift From Baron Komura. Seattle, Wash., Aug. 18.—President Takahashi of the Seattle Japanese Association Wednesday received \$500 from Baron Komura, donated by the distinguished statesman to the Japanese school of this city. The course of the school consists principally of Japanese language and literature.

A woman never admits that she has a desire for man's admiration.

Lacrosse!

At Chatham Agricultural Grounds

Monday, August 21st

Semi-Final Championship Match at 3:30 p.m.

BRANTFORD vs. CHATHAM.

The Brantford's won the Junior C.L.A. championship in 1904. The game will be worth travelling miles to see.

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HOW RUSSIA GOT SAKHALIN.

In connection with the demand made upon Russia by Japan's peace envoys for the session of Sakhalin, it is of interest to note the characteristic trickery by which Russia in 1856 ousted Japan from that island, which, for centuries had formed an undoubted part of the Japanese Empire. The whole story has been told recently by the Tokio correspondent of the London Times.

It was not until 1852 says the Manitoba Free Press, that the Russians had surveyed Sakhalin, or even discovered that it was an island. In the next year less than a dozen Russian soldiers were stationed at Ilinsk and another port, and the imperial assent to annexation shortly followed—all of these proceedings being taken without the knowledge of Japan. In 1856 Admiral Putiatin, who was the Russian negotiator of a treaty with Japan, contrived a clause in the treaty which had the effect of practically transferring Sakhalin to Russia without the knowledge of the real owners. The clause simply declared that things there should continue "as they had been hitherto."

Not a Russian had been on the island three years before, but, under the interpretation of Russian diplomacy, this clause became the sufficient pretext for gradually ousting the Japanese altogether and for incorporating Sakhalin in the Russian Empire.

Naturally when the Japanese after the fall of the Shogunate and their emergence from their medieval system of government, came to understand how they had been duped they resented the treatment they had received.

When the destruction of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet gave them the power they hastened to right the old wrong and restore to their empire a possession which had for ages belonged to it. The island became strategically necessary to Russia as soon as she had seated herself on the Amur, and her own needs have always been a sufficient justification in her eyes. But it is entirely safe to predict that the Russian flag will no longer float over Sakhalin.

GOLDWIN SMITH'S YOUTH.

From a Late Interview.
"I have no secret of longevity. I have never been abstemious and have lived pretty much as I liked, but I have always observed moderation. In my youth in England I lived a very active life, following the hounds and mountain climbing in Switzerland being my favorite recreations."

MUST CUT WEEDS

A drive through the country reveals the fact that a great many farmers are paying but little attention to the Municipal Act, which comes into force this year. It provides that every farmer shall cut the thistles along the roadside bordering on his farm and half way across the road and no time will be allowed on the road list for such work. If the thistles are not cut down by the 10th of July, the pathmaster must notify all delinquents. All cases of default shall be reported to the township council by the pathmaster, and all work ordered by them shall be charged against the property in the next collector's roll, and it shall be collected, together with any costs, in the same manner as ordinary taxes.

CAUSE OF HAY FEVER

Hyomei the Only Cure—Gives Change of Climate in Your Own Home.

Fifty years ago hay fever had not been named, but undoubtedly people suffered then as now, with sneezing, watery eyes, excessive running at the nose.

The direct causes appear to be heat, dust, and the pollen of flowers, and the only treatment that physicians recommended prior to the discovery of Hyomei was a change of climate. Now by using Hyomei you can save an expensive trip to the mountains and escape weeks of suffering. This remarkable treatment kills the germs of the disease and soothes and heals the irritated mucous membrane. It really gives you in your own home a change of climate, and hay fever sufferers know from past experience that this is the only thing that has afforded them relief. By breathing Hyomei a few times daily you can save the expense of a trip to the mountains and avoid the dangerous hay fever.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1, extra bottles, 50 cents, and consists of a neat pocket inhaler, through which Hyomei is breathed, and which will last a life-time, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The Central Drug Store offer to refund the money if Hyomei does not do all that is claimed for it.

The indulgence of grief is the blunder of a life.

MR. WILSON

SUMS IT UP

Distinguished Chathamite Gives Interesting Interview to the Toronto News

The Untaxed Boot and the Big Loaf Becoming a Great Issue in England.

"What do you consider the outstanding facts of the trip of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association to Great Britain?" This was the blunt question fired at Mr. Matthew Wilson, K. C., of Chatham, one of the delegates who passed through Toronto yesterday on his return, having come over by the Saxonia to Boston. Mr. Wilson is a man who has been all his life seeing the main point through all kinds of legal verbiage, and consequently he is just the one to tell in a few words what were the vital points of this trip.

"I have no hesitation," he said, "in saying that no Canadian party ever received such a welcome in England before, and it was one entirely beyond the expectations of even the most optimistic. The effect of the visit, in my opinion, will be most beneficial in the way of increasing the trade between the two countries. The Canadian party did not interfere with local English politics, nor did it assume to support the policy of Mr. Chamberlain or any other English politician, but it did advocate collectively and individually preferential trade throughout the Empire, and particularly between Great Britain and Canada, and incidentally pointed out that protection in Canada adopted by both parties in Canada after a trial of the principles of free trade and protection. It was pointed out, too, that Canadians believed that a policy of protection of some sort would be beneficial to England whereby England might protect her

markets against the slaughtering of foreign goods and against the duet of cheap European labor, which is now very materially affecting English trade.

PREACHING THE GOSPEL EVERYWHERE.

"The Canadians discussed the subject at public meetings and in private conversation, with guests at the banquet and members of both Houses of Parliament, with business men in their offices, with laborers on the tram cars, and in every way, wherever they had a hearing. We found the English people not only ready to know the opinions of Canadians, and the reasons for such opinions, which we unhesitatingly gave. It was made clear that Canadians did not hold out any hope of free trade throughout the Empire because they must be protected against the lower wage rate and the lower rate of interest upon capital in England, but with this protection, which merely puts the Canadian manufacturer upon a fair competing basis with the English manufacturer, the Canadian is satisfied and is willing to let the trade from foreign channels into British shores. We pressed home the idea that we wanted the surplus population of Britain to come to the immense area of unoccupied land in Canada, and to have the wheat there produced shipped in English vessels to Great Britain. Then we wanted these ships to come back laden with British goods because outgoing Canadian freight rates are lowered by steamships having a return cargo. In this way the producers in both countries would be benefited, and Britain would be populating and building up a British colony, and holding consumers of British goods, instead of sending those consumers to the United States and other foreign countries, and building up a competing nation, if not a future foe."

"How did this body of two hundred aggressive Canadian business men impress the portion of the British public they met?"

They very perceptibly impressed the English people, and the latter did not hesitate at all, even when opposed to preferential trade, to say that the

TELEPHONE TALKS.

TO TELEPHONE USERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

IS THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA OVER-CAPITALIZED?

In an attack upon the Company made by a witness before the Select Parliamentary Committee, the charge indicated by the above query was made, being expressed in the following terms:

"Another reason for the excessive charges is the fact that the development of the telephone has passed through several stages since the date of the original patents, and at each stage the apparatus in use became obsolete, rendering it necessary in the larger exchanges for the company to practically reconstruct their system and install improved plant. There being no adequate depreciation fund in existence to cover the cost of this reconstruction, the expenditure upon this work has been charged to capital account, thereby increasing the amount upon which dividends had to be earned, with the result that to-day the plant of the local system could be duplicated for about one-third of the total capitalization and bond issue."

From this statement, which applies to the "local systems" or exchanges as distinct from the long-distance service, it would appear that the Company has not been receiving for its service a sufficient revenue to provide an adequate depreciation fund. Yet the charge immediately preceding the above, and upon which the argument of over-capitalization is based is to the effect that the Company's rates in cities are too high!

There is the frank admission, as will be seen, that The Bell Telephone Company has been doing pioneer work in Canada, and in doing so has kept pace with the constant evolution in telephonic apparatus; but coupled with this admission is the charge that the cost of these continuous changes has been improperly charged to capital account, thereby increasing the burden of present and future subscribers. There is every indication that the changes of apparatus will continue to be necessary as improvements at the present time are constantly being made and require more expensive changes in equipment than ever before in order that the best service obtainable may be provided.

The only logical sequence to the argument then, is that to provide a revenue with which to meet the demands made by these ever-recurring changes in equipment, rates must be raised. And yet the witness says that rates are already too high!

The charge of over-capitalization thus refutes itself. It is not based upon fact. The President of this Company in his sworn evidence, backed by indisputable records, showed that these improvements have not been paid for out of capital, and that the capitalization of the local exchanges of this company on the 31st of December, 1904, was only \$92.00 per subscriber.

After twenty-five years of operation, all the time keeping pace with the advancement in the art of telephony, the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, instead of being over-capitalized as claimed, has really the lowest capitalization per subscriber of any general system of which records have been produced. There is no evidence in support of the claim that a duplicate system could be put in for less than the amount for which the Bell Telephone Company is capitalized, or even for the same amount.

A dollar of substantial value for every dollar of capital is the foundation stone upon which this company has been reared, and it is to-day its strength.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA.

The Northway Ltd. Co.

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Ltd.

Saturday-The Last Day!

The Great Clean-Up Sale ends as to-morrow draws to a close.

So, no matter what you want, so long as we carry it in our stock. Come to this great sale before we close our doors at ten o'clock to-morrow night.

The following lists hint slightly of the storeful of bargains awaiting you.



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White lawn and muslin shirt waists new styles, trimmed with all over embroidery and tucked fronts, sleeves, collars and cuffs. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50. Last day for

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Worth up to \$2.25. Last day, for

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Regular \$3.00, \$3.25 and \$3.50, for

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2 doz. only, Ladies' Colored Print waists, good patterns, in fast colors, stripes and dots. Regular up to 75c, clean-up price

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Regular 50c, Clean-up price

39c.

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Trimmed with lace frills and straps. Regular 75c and 85c. Clean-up price,

58c.

Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Clean-up price

78c.

CHILDREN'S PRINT DRESSES.

Balance of our children's Dresses, including Print, Muslin, Duck, and Lawn dresses, in all colors, in stripes and pin dot effects, guaranteed to wash perfectly, sizes 6 to 14 years. Clean up prices

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Ladies' Black Cotton, Black Lisle, Lace Tan, Mace, and Balbriggan

soles, Hose, in sizes 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2, including every pair of 25c cotton

hose in our stock. Last day clean-up price

19c.

LADIES' VESTS, 9c.

Ladies' White and Cream Vests, sleeves, half sleeves, or sleeveless, regular 12 1-2 and 15c. Clean-up price

9c.

SILK BARGAINS

1 pc. each black and white Wash silk, full 27 in. wide, regular value 60c

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19c.

2 only mercerized tapestry cover

regular \$10 each, Saturday

19c.

MEN'S STRAW HATS 10c EACH

4 dozen men's sailor hats, plaid and chipped straw, regular 50c

75c each, Saturday, each

MEN'S KNICKER SUITS \$1.50

5 only all wool tweed knicker suits, dark patterns, regular \$8 each, Saturday, each

\$1.50.

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Towelling 5c yard—300 yards pure linen brown twill roller towelling, firm quality, regular 8c yard, Saturday per yard

5c.

12 1-2c PRINTS 7c

20 pieces colored prints, light and dark colors, regular 10c and 12 1-2c yard, Saturday per yard

7c.

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WESTMAN BROS. Hardware

not vary in the different shipments. The English merchant must know exactly the grade of the article he buys and if he is once deceived the trade is lost, but if the Canadian shipper is faithful he will never lose the customer."

Mr. Wilson is one of the leading laymen in the Anglican Church and he arrives home in good time to take part in the deliberations of the General Synod in Quebec City next month.

A WARNING TO MOTHERS.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned, reliable castor oil. It is fresh, has a pleasant taste and has a tendency to grip. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipient stage and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by all druggists.

The faultless man is usually friendly.

DECEPTION IS DEATH.

"Let me just add in conclusion that Canadians seeing the English market as it is quickly realized that if they want to hold English trade they must be more careful in their classification and shipment of goods. Apples and other fruit must be as good in the centre of the case as on top, the butter must be of a uniform color throughout, the cheese must

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At The Grand—

Uncle Tom's Cabin—Aug. 21.

The Girl from Kays—Aug. 26.

Faust—Sept. 8.

Peck's Bad Boy—Sept. 12.

The Isle of Bong Bong—Sept. 18.

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SLOGAN IN DUAL TARIFF

"Reciprocity" Condemned in U. S. Reciprocity Convention.

Organization to Be Organized to Push the Maximum and Minimum Tariff Idea Across the Border — Great Injustice to Eastern Farmer by the Prohibitive Duty Laid on Canadian Cattle.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17.—"Dual tariff," in all probability, is the war cry that will ring through the United States for some years to come, instead of the familiar call for "Reciprocity." The new slogan means the passage of a "maximum and minimum" tariff law, permitting the establishment of reciprocity trade relations with friendly foreign countries by action of Congress. Alvin H. Sanders, chairman of the executive committee of the national reciprocity conference, which opened its two days' session at the Illinois Theatre yesterday morning, is credited with originating the war cry. Mr. Sanders broached his suggestion to a few friends after the word reciprocity had received some rough handling on the floor of the convention, and it met approval among the delegates.

It is considered now probable that the reciprocity conference will close its sessions by resolving itself into the Dual Tariff League, an organization to have a permanent form for the purpose of educating Legislators and voters in the principles of the "high and low" system of duties.

"I condemn the word reciprocity," said L. E. Lincoln of the Buffalo Live Stock Association, who addressed the conference yesterday. "In the minds of many voters, 'reciprocity' means nothing else than 'free trade,' and free trade is not the object for which this conference is called."

This statement elicited a round of hearty applause, which broke forth anew when James F. Parker, chairman of the New York Produce Exchange delegation, made a similar declaration. Mr. Lincoln suggested a title for the organization to be formed, the English and Low Tariff League. He believed an organization with branches in every state could effectively accomplish its purpose. Both Lincoln and Parker asserted that "reciprocity" had outlived its usefulness, and must go.

Mr. Lincoln called the attention of the convention to what he called the great injustice that has been done the farmers upon the high-priced land of the east by reason of the prohibitive tariff that has been laid upon Canadian cattle.

NORWAY A REPUBLIC.

Plan to Put Prince Charles on Throne Said to Have Failed.

Berlin, Aug. 17.—The plan, supported by Great Britain, for Prince Charles of Denmark to ascend the Norwegian throne, has failed, according to information received here from Copenhagen. The expectation is that Norway will establish a republic.

Thomas A. Elliott Dead.

Detroit, Aug. 17.—Typhoid fever caused the death of Thomas A. Elliott, M. A., night city editor of The Free Press, in St. Mary's Hospital, yesterday. Mr. Elliott had been with The Free Press from 1893, when he came here from the Canadian Northwest. He was a native of the Dominion, a man of collegiate education and a member of the bar. Not finding the legal profession congenial to his temperament, Mr. Elliott went into the Canadian Northwest Mounted Constabulary, in which he was soon made an officer. From that service he came to Detroit. He was about 46 years old, not married, and is survived by his mother and sister in Toronto.

Charles Durand is Dead.

Toronto, Aug. 17.—Charles Durand, known throughout this Province as one of the oldest figures in legal circles, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 237 Huron street. He attained the ripe old age of 95 years, and was one of the salient lights in the turbulent times that marked the making of the Province and the Government during the earlier years of the past century. He was born at Hamilton.

Mountain of Rock Kills 12.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 17.—A mass of lime-stone weighing thousands of tons slid from a side of the quarry of Mill A of the Lehigh Portland Cement Company at Ormerod at noon yesterday, just five minutes before time to quit work. Only nine of the men got away safely, the remaining 13 were huddled in a space 10 feet square, 12 being killed and 6 injured.

Nine Men Blown to Shreds.

Elkins, W. Va., Aug. 17.—Nine Italians were blown to shreds and their hut reduced to atoms by a dynamite explosion at the construction camp of Dunlavy Bros., about six miles from Durbin, Tuesday. This is thought to be only another chapter in a feud between a gang of desperadoes and Italians.

Survey Boat Sinks.

Detroit, Aug. 17.—Word has reached here that the United States lake survey boat Hancock, Capt. Wilson of Detroit, has been sunk in Lake St. Clair. So far as known no lives were lost. The Hancock was bound down when she collided with the package freighter Binghamton of Buffalo, bound up.

Yellow Jack Report.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 17.—The official report of the yellow fever situation to 6 p. m. yesterday follows: New cases yesterday, 66; total cases to date, 1,146; deaths to-day, 4; total deaths to date, 174; new foot to-day, 19; total foot to date, 243; number of cases under treatment, 414.

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Interested
An English magazine tells a court story. A counsel in the middle of his cross examination was handed a telegram. "Hello," he said, as he read it. "So-and-so has won the Derby." "Mr. A.," said the judge severely, "it is very unseemly that in the course of solemn judicial proceedings, where a man's liberty and reputation are at stake, you should be talking of the winner of a horse race. Er—by the way, does the telegram say which were second and third?"

The Weight of the World.

A cubic foot of earth weighs about five and a half times as much as a cubic foot of water. A cubic mile of earth then weighs 25,649,300,000 tons. The volume of the earth is 259,880,000,000 cubic miles. The weight of the world without its atmosphere is 6,666,250,000,000,000,000 tons. If we add to this the weight of the atmosphere given above, we get a grand total—6,666,255,819,000,000,000 tons.

Thin Plaster.

Paper Hanger—We'll have to paper right over the old paper. We can't get this paper off without taking the plaster along with it. Owner (modern cottage)—Because the paper sticks to the plaster? Paper Hanger—No, because the plaster sticks to the paper.

Take my advice dear, and tell him you are not running a storage warehouse for damaged goods.

TYPHOID GERMS.

The microscope shows that in the blood of every person suffering from typhoid the little germs can be found as shown above. They are supposed to get into the water or milk we drink. The germs multiply so that one germ is capable of producing about one hundred trillion germs in twenty-four hours. That is why if they ever get into the water supply of a town they multiply so fast that nearly everybody drinking the water comes down with the disease. There are exceptions, however, and they are the persons whose health is perfect, whose blood is pure, and liver active. When the germs get into a healthy body they are thrown off with the other poisons. Recent Chicago statistics show that one-eighth of all the deaths in the past two years in that city have resulted from typhoid.

The best advice we can give is to put the body into a perfectly sound, healthy condition. Be assured that you have rich, red blood and an active liver. Many years ago Dr. R. V. Pierce, who is consulting surgeon to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y., found certain herbs and roots which, when made into an alternative extract (without the use of alcohol), seemed to be the very best means of putting the stomach, blood and vital organs into proper condition. This seemed to him as close to nature's way of treating disease as it was possible to go. For over a third of a century Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has had a wonderful sale and the cures resulting from its use are numbered by thousands. It is a tissue-builder, better than cod liver oil because it does not sicken the stomach, or offend the taste. It strengthens or renews the assimilative or digestive processes in the stomach and puts on healthy flesh when the weight of the invalid is reduced below the normal.

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THE MARKETS.

Wheat Closes Higher at Liverpool and Chicago—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Aug. 16.
Liverpool—Wheat futures closed to-day 1/4d to 1/2d higher than yesterday, and corn futures 3/4d to 1/2d higher.
At Chicago: Sept. wheat closed 1/2c higher than yesterday; Sept. corn, 1/4c higher, and Sept. oats 1/4c higher.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

	Sept.	Dec.	May
New York	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2
Chicago	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
St. Louis	78 1/2	81	82 1/2
Duluth	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Detroit	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Minneapolis	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat, white, bush \$0.80 to 81 1/2; red, bush 79 1/2 to 80 1/2; spring, bush 80 to 81; winter, bush 78 1/2 to 79 1/2; barley, bush 48 to 49; oats, bush 45 to 46; peas, bush 90 to 91; beans, bush 75 to 76; rye, bush 72 to 73; buckwheat, bush 50 to 51.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Aug. 16.—Wheat—Spot, nominal; futures, steady; Sept., 6s 7 1/2d; Dec., 6s 8 1/2d.

Corn—Spot, easy; American mixed, 4s 11d; futures, steady; Sept., 4s 9 1/2d; Dec., 4s 10 1/2d; Jan., 4s 11d.

Bacon—Cumberland, firm, 47s 9d; short-rib, strong, 50s; lard, prime, western, in tierces, steady, 35s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Aug. 16.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 9400; street price extra creamery, 21c to 21 1/2c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 17 1/2c to 21c; state dairy, common to extra, 17c to 20c; western imitation creamery, extras, 19c; do, firsts, 18c to 18 1/2c.

Cheese—Quiet, unchanged; receipts, 4345.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 5539.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Eastern—U. S. Markets Also Show an Easier Tendency.

London, Aug. 16.—Cattle are quoted at 11c to 11 1/2c per lb; refrigerator beef, 8 1/2c to 8 3/4c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Aug. 16.—The receipts were 600 calves, 1000 cows, 1500 sheep and lambs, 150 calves and 400 hogs. The supply of cattle was in excess of the demand, and the slight improvement in prices on Monday was lost to-day, and a considerable number will be held for future sale. A few prime Manitoba cattle were sold at 4 1/2c to 4 3/4c, and good animals at 3 1/2c to 4 1/4c, and the common stock at 2c to 3c per pound.

The common calves sold at 2c to 3c; choice at 4c to 5 1/2c per pound. Milch cows are dull of sale at \$20 to \$45 each. Sheep sold at 3 1/2c to 4c per lb; lambs, at \$2 to \$4 each, or 45c to 50c per lb.

The market for hogs was strong, owing to the scarcity of stock, and prices advanced fully 25c per 100 lbs. with sales of selected lots at \$7.50 to \$7.75 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1200; steady; prime steers, \$2.25 to \$2.50; shipping steers, \$4.50 to \$5.25; butchers, \$4 to \$4.50; heifers, \$3.25 to \$4.50; cows, \$2.25 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4; stock butchers, \$2.50 to \$3. Veals—Receipts, 1000; active, \$5 to \$7. Hogs—Receipts, 2700; slow, 5c; lower; heavy, \$6.50 to \$6.90; pigs, \$6.40 to \$6.60; Yorkers, \$6.50 to \$6.80; pigs, \$6.40 to \$6.60; roughs, \$5.25 to \$5.50; stock, \$2.25 to \$4.50; dairies and grassers, \$5.25 to \$6.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1000; active; sheep, steady; lambs, 25 cents higher; lambs, \$5.50 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6; wethers, \$5 to \$5.25; ewes, \$4.25 to \$4.50; sheep, mixed, \$2.50 to \$4.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Aug. 16.—Beef—Receipts, 1600; good steers, firm to shade higher; others, slow but steady; bulls and thin cows, steady to 10 cents lower; good cows, firm to 15c higher; steers, \$3.75 to \$5.50; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4.25; cows, \$1.50 to \$3.50. Exporters, 91 cattle and 94 sheep.

Calves—Receipts, 1700; 50c to 75c higher; buttermilks, firm; veals, \$5 to \$5.25; throw-outs, \$4 to \$4.50; top veals, \$6.25; grassers and buttermilks, \$3 to \$4.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3200; good sheep, steady; heavy sheep, slow; lambs, strong and 25c to 40c higher, quality centered; sheep, \$2 to \$4.25; ewes, \$2 to \$2.50; lambs, \$6.25 to \$6; no choice lambs here; culls, \$4 to \$5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4685; market easier; state hogs, \$6.50 to \$6.80.

STORM HITS CROPS.

Recent Rains Cause Heavy Losses to Farmers—Potato Rot.

Kingsport, Aug. 17.—The rains have been so frequent and heavy during the past two months as to have greatly damaged the crops in this section of country.

Hay was hard hit. Though a heavy crop, not fifty per cent. is marketable, and twenty per cent. is utterly lost. Wheat is a small crop, but good, so far as seen. Barley is an average crop only, and is badly discolored. Oats are less than thirty per cent. of the average, and fine weather alone can mature and save the balance. Buckwheat looks well, but frosts are feared before it ripens.

Whole fields of corn have been replanted. The growing corn will only be half a crop. Peas are very poor. Altogether, the prospects of a month ago are now discounted by hundreds of thousands of dollars. Rot in potatoes is feared.

WHEAT DAMAGED BY HAIL.

Reports From Northwest Show in Places Material Injury.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Numerous local hailstorms have been in some instances, rather disastrous. A report from Purson states that the surrounding district was severely haled, from 30 to 40 farmers being totally "halled out" while adverse reports have also been coming in from other points. However, as a whole, the crop is expected to be a generous one in the district.

Cutting is expected to be in full swing around Cypress River by the end of the present week. From Gladstone and Neepawa the report comes that crops are excellent and the yield will be good, there being no rust.

The report from Edmonton is optimistic, enquiries having brought out the fact that thus far only one or two crops in the neighborhood have suffered appreciably from hail.

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Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhoea, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration, or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Anyway, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice. It's free and always helpful.

The Possibilities.

A Richmond (Va.) judge tells a story which illustrates the difficulty met in trying to stop the carrying of pistols. A tough youth was brought before the judge, charged with firing a revolver in the street. The testimony in the case was to the effect that the young hoodlum had filled himself with whiskey and had discharged his weapon in a crowded street. "Twenty dollars and costs," said the magistrate. "But, your honor," interposed counsel for the prisoner, "my client did not hit anybody."

"Why, you admit that he fired the gun?" "Yes, but he fired in the air," explained the lawyer. "Twenty dollars and costs," repeated the judge. "He might have shot an angel."

"The riotous fellow went to jail, not having the money to pay his fine."

A Curious Custom.

In Byfield, a small Northamptonshire village in England, a curious old custom is still observed in connection with the letting of certain land. The ceremony is held in different licensed houses in the vicinity, and the clergyman presides over the proceedings. The company, chiefly consisting of local farmers, is seated round a large table. Presently one of them rises and bids a certain amount, immediately walking round the table and out of the door. If this can be done before the next bid is made, the land is his for the season; if not, bidder No. 2 commences the walk, and so on. This curious auction occupies some considerable time and causes great excitement.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Aug. 18.—11 a. m.—Fresh easterly to southerly winds, fine today. Saturday, a few local showers or thunderstorms, but mostly fair; not much change in temperature.

The following figures were registered today at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 77.
Lowest during night, 53.
This morning, 60.
Barometer, 29.43.
Direction of wind, southerly.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Raleigh Council will meet on Monday, Aug. 28.

Mrs. Mellish, Cross street, has returned from Toronto.

Miss Sarah Kinsella has returned from a visit spent in Leamington. Jos. Erret, of Cleveland, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

Geo. T. Owens took in the Philadelphia-Detroit baseball game yesterday at Detroit.

The Township of Raleigh is advertising for a collector who can furnish \$10,000 bonds.

Miss Milville and Miss Austin, Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Baldwin, Hilliard street.

A competent committee will have charge of the refreshments on the I. O. F. excursion, Tuesday, Aug. 22nd.

The Misses Washington, of Bay City, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. M. Drader, Dufferin avenue.

Chas. J. Shannon, of Kingston, is visiting his brother, W. T. Shannon, manager of the Standard Bank.

Miss Flossie Bartley leaves in a couple of weeks to attend Ursuline Academy, Chatham—Tribune Times.

Mrs. Thomas Collop, Sr., of Detroit, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. James Dodson, Adelaide street.

Mrs. R. Pope and daughter Evelyn have returned home after a two weeks' visit with her mother in Detroit.

Miss Jobbit, of Peterboro, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Drader for the past few days, returned home yesterday.

Miss Margaret Hogarth, Tillsonburg, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Benson, Cross street, returned home today.

C. Gay Shannon, Kingston, is spending a few days visit with his brother, W. T. Shannon, manager Standard Bank of Canada.

The Opera House Orchestra will furnish music on the I. O. F. excursion to Detroit Aug. 22nd. One hour extra in the city; come and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jones announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Grace Ethel, to Mr. Thomas R. Morgan, to take place at their residence on Wednesday, 30th inst.

H. J. Dolsen, mail carrier in Bay City, spent a few days with his brother Chas. N. Dolsen, of this city. It is forty years past since H. J. Dolsen left for the States.

One lot of one hundred and fifty soft front colored shirts, sizes 14-1-2, 15-1-2, 16, 16-1-2, former prices \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50. Your choice while they last for 75c. Stone The Hatter.

Mrs. Albert Seane, nee Miss Maud Miles, and son Walter, of Ridgetown, who have been on a two months' visit with Mr. J. W. Miles, King street, returned home yesterday.

A King street grocer paid a fine of \$1 and costs at the police court this morning for purchasing produce on the market before nine o'clock. Another case of a similar nature comes up to-morrow morning.

Your choice of two hundred colored soft front shirts, sizes from 14 to 17, former prices 50c and 75c, while they last for 39c. Sale commences to-morrow, Saturday, 19th, Stone, The Hatter.

Word has been received that F. C. Waghorne, of Toronto, will referee the lacrosse game between Bradford and Chatham here on Monday. An effort is being made to secure a quarter holiday on Monday and declare all shops closed after three o'clock in order to give the clerks of the city an opportunity of witnessing the game.

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The sale was advertised last Wednesday to start the following Saturday, when every ready-made suit in the store was offered, without any exception, for \$12.50. On Friday morning a consignment of 100 fall suits and 125 pairs of pants was delivered at the store and the firm in order to abide by their advertisement, have placed these in the same class as the others, and every suit will be offered according to the advertisement.

Everything in the store must go during this sale, as room must be made for the new stock. Each season must take care of itself. Ready-made clothing has improved in the last few years just as much as has the city of Chatham, until a tailor-made suit is entirely unthought of by many people.

The clothing offered at this sale includes a fine stock of Hart, Shafner & Marx and New Method clothing, recognized as the best and most up-to-date ready-made clothing manufactured. In sizes there are only one or two of each kind, and as the Two T's have no prices at this sale, they would rather clear them out, even if they suffer a small loss, in order to make room for new stock.

Any \$15 or \$16 suit in the store will be sold for \$10, and any suit from \$16 to \$20 will be sold for \$12.50; \$10 suits will go for \$7.50. Any pair of pants in the store, including some as high as \$4, will be sold for \$2.50. It is expected there will be a big rush to-morrow.

The store will be open every evening and the sale will last until the first Saturday in September. A tailor has been employed to alter and press every suit sold.

ONLY TEMPORARY

Numerous complaints have been received from St. Clair street residents relative to the way the electric road employees were trimming the trees in putting up their power line poles.

The matter was brought to the attention of the officials of the line by the Mayor and they explained that the present method was only temporary; as soon as possible they will return and trim the trees carefully, take the boughs out in the country and burn them.

Dog lost to-day—A black and white female fox terrier pup. A reward will be paid for her return to the Home Bakery, Sixth street, or to this office.

CUP STAYS WITH YANKEES

Iroquois Wins the Canada Cup in Magnificent Duel in Light Wind To-day

Old Bores Frowned on the Canadian Champion—Weather Was Ideally Favorable to Yankee Boat.

(Special to The Planet.)

Charlotte, N. Y., Aug. 18, 9:00 a. m.—The final heat for the Canada Cup is being sailed off this port to-day.

Each yacht has won two races and this is the deciding one. The breeze is a light, fluky one—just the weather most suitable for the Iroquois, the American boat.

American yachtsmen, recognizing this are betting two to one that the cup remains in their possession. The course is a triangular one, a beam, a beat and a run before the wind, three miles each leg and twice around the course, making eighteen miles the total course.

The breeze is blowing from three to five miles an hour, showing signs of freshening. If it blows over five miles an hour the Canadian boat stands a chance.

10:30 a. m.—The judges' boat and excursion steamers have made their appearance and the naval reserve boat is reefing off the course. The large number of spectators on the myriads of excursion steamers bear testimony to the high pitch of excitement that has been reached. It is reported that Amelia Jarvis is aboard the challenger with Wedd to-day.

10:40—Both yachts have made their appearance.

10:50—Both skippers are jockeying around the mark waiting for the signal gun.

Wedd showed masterly seamanship, crossing the line to the windward of the Iroquois, just as the starting gun was fired. This atones for the out-manoeuvring Wedd sustained yesterday at the hands of Macbett.

The race was a magnificent one. The hand of the weather man was heavy upon the Canadian boat and, although the Temeraire hung on doggedly and made slight gains from time to time, the speedy American craft—unsurpassed in a drifting match—forged steadily ahead.

At three o'clock the Temeraire was gaining gradually and some hopes were entertained that she might catch her rival on the last leg. Both boats being sailed with consummate skill and the dual is one of the best in the history of the racing for the Canada's cup.

3:20 p. m.—Iroquois, wins, drifting across the line thirty-seven seconds ahead of Temeraire, unofficial time.

PRINCE LOUIS COMING.

With His Bluejackets—Will Be in Toronto August 28 and 29.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—His Worship the Mayor submitted to the Board of Control yesterday a telegram from His Highness, stating that His Serene Highness would be pleased to visit Toronto on August 28 and 29, and that he had agreed to allow a body of blue-jackets, 140 men and seven officers and four guns to visit the city and give an assault-at-arms at the Industrial Exhibition.

Want Government Relief.

Toronto, Aug. 18.—J. H. Ferguson, M. P. P., Dr. Reid, M. P. for Grenville, J. R. Lavelle, ex-M. P. A. E. Baker, and B. Mosher, waited on Premier Whitney yesterday morning and requested a grant of \$2,000 to the Grenville and Leeds Agricultural Society to be used towards the erection of buildings to replace those of the exhibition demolished at Merrickville by a recent storm, which also did damage estimated at \$75,000 in that neighborhood. The deputation endeavored to obtain consideration of an application for relief to farmers who lost heavily. Premier Whitney held out some hope of the first request being granted, but did not view the second with favor.

Contract to Fastest Ships.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—It is understood that the Government is considering the advisability of an arrangement by which on the expiry next summer of the contract with the Allan for the Canadian route, the service will be performed by the four fastest vessels on the Canadian route. That is by the Allan turbines, Victorian and Virginian, and by the two new steamers now in course of building for the C. P. R. The latter will have a speed of at least eighteen knots, and possibly twenty.

Toronto Lawyer Acquitted.

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—Alfred Hall, the Toronto lawyer, formerly of this city, was acquitted in the police court yesterday on the charge of having obtained a \$75 cheque two years ago by false pretences from S. G. Faulkner. The prisoner has already been committed on a perjury charge preferred by H. W. C. Boak, barrister, of this city.

BOOKBINDING.

Orders for bookbinding should be left at this office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of these magazines, even though they are somewhat soiled from much handling. Books, magazines or periodicals bound or rebound in any style at very reasonable prices. Blank books, such as journals, ledgers, day books with any kind of ruling, made to order. All work warranted first class.

Minard's Liment used by Physicians.

FRESH WATER MELONS

25¢

All kinds of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

THE KING EDWARD GROCERY

PHONE 51

FOR RECIPROCAL TARIFFS.

Chicago Conference Favors Maximum and Minimum Tariffs.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—The reciprocity conference called to devise means of bettering the trade relations between the United States and foreign countries finished its work yesterday, arranged for a committee of fifteen to prosecute the plans of the convention, and formed a permanent organization.

The committee will be appointed by the Chairman, with full power to organize and promote the work for which the convention assembled. The resolutions adopted advocate a maximum and minimum tariff, and suggest that reciprocal convention be arranged by a permanent tariff commission to be created by Congress and to be appointed by the President.

Protest From the West. Bellingham, Aug. 18.—The Chamber of Commerce by unanimous vote Wednesday night sent to the reciprocity conference now in session in Chicago an emphatic protest against any attempt to remove or modify the tariff on timber and products.

Eight Days Overdue. New York, Aug. 18.—The British steamer Athos, which sailed from Port Antonio, Jamaica, for this port on August 1 with a cargo of fruit is about eight days overdue. The Athos was spoken by the steamer Watson August 3 when about 125 miles north of San Salvador Island in the Bahamas. She reported that the Athos machinery was disabled. Subsequently another steamer reported her crank shaft broken. The heavy weather of the past few days has caused a feeling of alarm on her account. The Athos has a crew of 28 men.

Sullivan and Durnan Matched. Toronto, Aug. 18.—Arrangements were completed last night at the Toronto Rowing Club for next Wednesday's American sculling championship race between Sullivan and Durnan. The race will be rowed between 5:30 and 6:40 on the course here.

YOU

Make a mistake when ordering your Groceries!

—AT—

McConnell's.

Quality and Prices are sure to please you. Great Bargains in

China, Crockery and Glassware.

A fine lot of SOUTH AFRICA SEA SHELLS at 10c and 12c each

John McConnell,
Park St. Phone 190

BAND CONCERT

—AT—

ERIEAU AUG. 18th

BY THE...
CITIZENS' BAND

Train leaves C. P. R. Depot at 7:20 City Time

FOR SALE

House and Lot on West Street, \$850.00.

House and Lot on Park Ave, \$7,000.

House and Lot on St. Clair Street, (modern) \$2500.00

House and Lot on Pine St., \$700.00.

DUNN & MERRITT,
Real Estate and Insurance.
Fifth St. Phone 295

New Idea Magazines for Aug. **C. AUSTIN & CO.** Aug. Fashion Sheets Here!

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY BARGAINS**AT 5c A YD.**

20 pieces of Summer Wash Goods, good patterns, assorted patterns and colors, suitable for house and street Gowns, sold regular at 12 1/2, 15 and 20c, clearing price a yd.

BATH TOWELS

20 doz. only, heavy Turkish Bath Towels, fringed ends, 22 1/2 x 52 inch, regular 75c values, special each 45c

WHITE GOODS

Over 200 yards of choice White Waistings, good patterns, this season's goods, regular 20, 25 and 35c values, clearing price a yd. 16c

TABLE LINENS

58 inch pure bleached Table Linens, choice patterns, nice Satin finish, soft make, 40c value, special a yd. 30c

BLACK SILKS

36 inch Black Taffeta Silk, pure Silk, soft make, a good wearing quality, regular \$1.00 value, special a yd. 83c

DRESS GOODS

This is a good chance to buy Dress lengths for the little one, for the Fall, also a few short lengths, good colors, at less than cost price.

COTTON BLANKETS

For these cool nights Flannelette Blankets are just what you want. We have a full supply on hand, 10-4 size, very special, Cream or Grey, a pair, \$1.00

TABLE NAPKINS

Manufacturer's seconds, very slightly damaged, a miss in the thread is all that is wrong with them, only a few to clear, regular \$2.25, \$2.75 and \$3.00 values, special Friday and Saturday at a doz. \$1

TOWELLINGS

21 in. Hygienic Towelling, pure flax, no border, very absorbent, 12 1/2 value, a yard 9c

24 inch, red and Blue check, Glass Towelling, with wide Red and Blue border, pure Linen, heavy quality, 15c value, a yd. 12 1/2c

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—FROM THE—

Furniture Department**Baby Carriages and Go-Carts**

At 20 per cent off regular prices. Every Carriage, Go-Cart and Carrier must go as we need the room for new Furniture. It will pay prospective buyers to look through our stock. We can save you money.

Framed Pictures at Half-Price

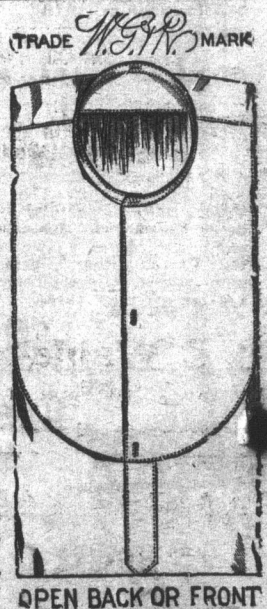
To-morrow, (Saturday) we place on sale a large number of Framed Pictures all in good condition, and we have cut the prices in two. Ask to see these Pictures in the Furniture Department.

Of our great Clothing Sale well illustrates the Big Store's power, where Men save money.

SPECIALS FOR

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19th.

We place on sale Saturday morning over 25 doz. of Negligee Shirts. Handsome coloring effects and very gentle patterns, some with cuffs attached but mostly with detached cuffs, well made good full Shirts, reg. 75c and \$1.00 value, sizes 12 1/2 to 17, Saturday your choice each 65c or \$1.25 a pair.

**A Neck Wear Clean-Up**

On Saturday morning we place on our counters a lot of odd lines of Handsome Silk Neckwear in Four-in-Hands, Knots, Strings, Bows, Etc., all popular and desirable colorings and patterns. Over 35 doz. of reg. 25 and 35c 2 for 25c on sale Saturday your choice for...

Our Display ready for Quick Selling in the Men's Department.

C. Austin & Company
The Bargain Centre

HAVE..... YOU BOUGHT

Your Spices yet? If you are making Pickles be sure you get the best spices—our kind. We have them absolutely pure, either whole or ground. You are sure of fine flavor if you buy your Spices from us.

TURMERIC

CURRIE

CELERY SEED

MUSTARD SEED

CHILLIES

CLOVES

MUSTARD

GINGER

CINNAMON

MACE

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, 35c a gallon

WHITE WINE VINEGAR, 30c a gallon

H. Malcolmson

DR. A. W. THORNTON

Office over A. I. McCall & Co's Drug Store, Cor. King and Fifth Sts. Phone 245.
Office 164, Residence 245.

Coal Oil

Gasoline

You can get any quantity at any time from us and we make it a point to deliver promptly anywhere in the city. We shall be glad to have your order and we can promise prompt attention.

Best Canadian Coal Oil, 13c a single gallon or 12c in 5 gal quantities.

Best American Coal Oil 16c a single gallon or 15c in 5 gal quantities.

Stove Gasoline, 25c a single gallon or 24c in 5 gal quantities.
Galvanized Oil Cans, 1 to 5 gallons, 25 to 75c.

J. C. Wanless

Store No. 3, New Seane Block

TANS! TANS! TANS!

Tan Shoes will be the great cry during the Summer season.

We always favored Tan Footwear—it's cooler and much easier to care for than black.

Get Correct Colors

Some shades of Tans are not the proper thing and won't do at all.

We are ready to Tan Shoe every man, woman and child in town.

We have some handsome new styles in Oxfords and Ties on new lasts. Come see the new comers.

Wm. Somerville & Son

4 DOORS WEST OF MARKET

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

FINISHING PHOTOS FOR AMATEURS

Is an important branch of our Photographic Department. Any work in this line will be properly done at REASONABLE PRICES.

We Use Only the Finest Chemicals...

and our experience in the work insures the best results

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd. Druggists

CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

It's a pity to cut low prices on Fashionable New Millinery. But this GREAT SALE forces us to do so as the season is drawing to a close. Call and see

O. A. DOOKSLEY, King St.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Lacrosse match 3.30, Monday, 21st. Bicycles for hire, Briscoe. Tel. 297. J. L. Wilson is in Goderich to-day on business.

Herman Baxter leaves next week for the Canadian Northwest.

Mrs. J. Martin, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. Fielder, Head street.

Mrs. W. C. Crawford, of Tilbury, was a guest in the city yesterday.

For quality and workmanship, Sugar Beet Cigars, 5c, have no equal.

Wm. Beeston, of Blenheim, is visiting his father, Deputy Sheriff C. E. Beeston.

W. A. Johnson, of Tilbury, spent yesterday with his many Chatham friends.

A. H. Campbell, of Turner's drug store, is spending two weeks at his home in Barrie.

Miss Kathleen Garrett, who has been spending the summer at Erieau, returned home yesterday.

Ed. Connors and family leave for Colorado this afternoon on account of Mr. Connors' poor health.

Carl Fleming, of Chicago, is spending his holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. David Le Favour and two children, of Wallaceburg, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss M. Edna Dennis has returned home from a very pleasant two weeks' vacation spent in Toronto.

House to rent, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Miss Davis, No. 11, Wellington street, west, near Post Office.

The civic pay sheets for the past week are as follows: Board of Works, \$84.65; Local Improvements, \$195.79.

Mr. Alfred Oldershaw, Richmond street, has returned from a delightful summer trip to Niagara Falls and Grimsby.

Mrs. D. K. McNaughton, Chicago, Ill., who has been the guest of the Misses McNaughton, Wellington St., has returned home.

Miss Adamson and Miss Ethel Adamson, of Seranton, Penn., are the guests of Miss M. Edna Dennis, Elizabeth street.

Miss Gene and Sarah Shaw, Head street, left this morning to spend a couple of weeks with friends and relatives at Oury.

Major Robinson, of the Windsor Battalion, is the guest of D. N. McKay, Road Ecu manager of the Lake Erie Coal Co., at Erieau.

House for sale or to rent. A new house with all modern conveniences, within ten minutes' walk of the Post Office. Address Box 185 or ring up Phone 316.

The champion shoemaker, Mr. Lumsden, has again made his appearance in town. He arrived last evening from London and was seen riding a white horse up and down King street last evening.

The trustees of Comber school are experiencing a hard time of it with their teachers. Two lady teachers were engaged to do continuation class work. Last week both of them notified the board that they could not come.

Detective Skirving, of the Port Marquette, has received from his son, who is now located in the boundary district of British Columbia, some splendid samples of the rich copper ore found in the mines there. Mr. Skirving is doing splendidly in the great West.

Brantford here next Monday, 3.30. Miss Doyle, of Windsor, is visiting relatives here.

Brantford vs. Chatham, Monday 3.30.

Mrs. Kinister and children are the guests of Mrs. Putnam.

Smoke Quail on Teast Cigars—5c. Clear Havana filled.

Harry Gill, of Oury, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Robertson, of Stewart, were guests in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Graham and family are at Camp Rest-a-while, Walpole Island.

The sewer on the west side of the Market Square is in course of construction.

Mrs. R. Kimmerly, of Dresden, is the guest of her son, E. Kimmerly, Colborne street.

Miss Agnes Buchanan, of Grand Rapids, has returned home after a visit, spent with Miss Myrtle Fielder.

Excelsior Paint will give you what you desire—a nice glossy finish. Try it. Drey & McCallum.

Tom Williams, Ed. Snook, Dr. Radley and S. O. Simmons drove to the Ridgeway races yesterday.

Mr. Wm. Morley, Toronto, who has been spending a few days in the city, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Anson Dearing and Mrs. E. Burnie, of Detroit, the guests of Mrs. R. Kilop, accompanied by Mrs. Simpson, of Head street, visited Louisville yesterday.

A good time is promised all who go with Court McGregor, 4. O. F., Aug. 22nd. One hour extra in Detroit. Opera House Orchestra will furnish music.

A meeting of Chatham District Epworth League was held Wednesday night to make arrangements for the coming convention in Blenheim, the date of which will soon be set.

Don't miss the great slaughter sale of clothing at Stone, The Hatters, for the balance of this month. All \$11.50, \$12, \$12.50 and \$13.00 suits for \$9.75. Stone & Co., Garner Block.

W. Mowbray, of the Upper Canada College, who has been spending a few days with friends and relatives in Chatham and vicinity, leaves to-day for Stony Lake, where he will complete his vacation.

The pile of stone on Head street was nearly the cause of a serious accident the other night. Dr. McKeough, in his automobile ran into it and scaled it before he could stop his machine. The obstruction is a menace and should be removed.

For the balance of this month we offer you the choice of any suit in the store, for \$12.00. This includes all the \$14, \$15, \$16, \$17 and \$18 suits, 20th Century, as well as other makes. This is a snap, we never offered the public before. Stone the Hatter.

Governor Davidson says he has a full house at the county jail at present. Four prisoners were taken away yesterday, but there are still seven left. Two of them are imprisoned for assault, two for being drunk, one for a hold-up, one for stealing and the other an imbecile waiting to be removed to the new institution at Woodstock.

Mr. Peat is sinking a well in the eleventh concession, Tilbury West, on a lot adjoining the Sidney Leslie farm. It is owned by the Leamington-Petrol Company, of which Dr. W. A. Piper is president. Another well will be begun in a few days by the same company on the Metcalf farm, Romney, adjoining the Lumsden lot which is said to possess the best well in the district.—Comber Herald.

Joe Tucker, of the Bugle Band, who took in the trip to Port Huron last Monday, says that Angus McLeod, who runs the Majestic Cafe in Port Huron, is a jolly good entertainer. McLeod is the champion bicycle rider of Canada and is well known in Chatham. He undertook to show the Bugle Band boys that he has not forgotten his Chatham friends and he did so in a capital manner.

JUST RIPE

The holiday season is just ripe—a new Outing Suit will help to make yours more pleasant.

All our Summer Suitings at greatly reduced prices. Come and see and be convinced.

MORLEY & CO

The Gordon Store

WE WANT A QUIET TALK with you
at this early date about our.....

Fine Fur Stock

For the coming season, now open
marked and ready for inspection

With the buying facilities we possess and years of experience in buying and selling FURS, we have taken special pains this season to procure the largest and most complete assortment of FURS and FUR GARMENTS ever shown in this country.

They have been bought out right from the leading and most reliable manufacturers in the Dominion, whose guarantee goes with their goods.

As is our custom, we will make it well worth while to August buyers who may now select for Fall and Winter wear. We will be pleased to reserve whatever you select until you need its use.

We are showing Ladies' Fur Coats of Persian Lamb, Mink and Sable trimmed, Electric Seal Coats, plain or trimmed, Nutria and Muskrat Coats, something new this Fall—Persian Paw Coats with Sable trimming, very stylish indeed, Bokhran and Astrachan Coats, Etc., and the greatest richness of values in every style and description of beautiful Neckwear.

Note Our Window Display. Step Inside

Remember First Choice
Has Best Choice

Sept. Designers and Catalogues only—10c
William Gordon
September Standard Fashion Sheets Free

DANGEROUS RIVAL

County Clerk Jonas Gosnell is the latest entry for the fat man's race. "He's a dangerous competitor," said champion J. W. White this morning, "he told me he was practicing hard and he seems awfully athletic."

"Will he beat you?" the champion was asked. "Well, the race will tell," was the response, but Mr. White was smiling confidently.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by all druggists.

A JOLLY PARTY

A very pleasant evening was spent at the magnificent home of Frank Mount, Esq., last evening, when Mr. Mount and Percy Piggott gave a most enjoyable evening of music to a few of their gentlemen friends. The party was composed of B. Hicklin, R. Pleasance, F. M. Bedford, M. P. Sheldon, D. Robertson, H. Massey, M. Searson, W. Chrysler, F. Somerville, F. O. Harrison, P. Piggott, F. Mount, and the Christ Church male quartet. Songs were sung by different members of the party. The male quartet gave several selections and the evening passed off in excellent style. A delicious chicken supper was served by Chef Sam Lynn, and this was one of the most acceptable parts of the evening's entertainment.

This is the first time that Mr. Mount has had the opportunity of entertaining his friends in his new home and they are unanimous in the hope that it will not be the last. Mr. Mount has a very beautiful home, it being one of the best finished and most elaborately designed residences in the city.

The party broke up at a reasonable hour, all of the guests vowing Messrs. Mount and Piggott excellent entertainers and jolly good fellows.

MUSIO.

MISS ANNIE L. CARSON, A. T. C. M. Teacher in Piano, Harmony and Theory of Music will open her Studio Friday, Sept. 1st, at Mrs. Granby's, Second St. Phone 462.

CAN'T MAKE CHOICE

The Property Committee of the City Council met yesterday afternoon. The most important item of business for their consideration was the selection of a lineman to fill the place vacated by Samuel Moore, resigned. Nine applications were received. The committee found it difficult to make a choice, and decided to refer the matter to the whole council. Those of the applicants most favorably mentioned were Robert Potter and R. Dunlop.

A few accounts were acted upon before the meeting adjourned.

To rent, in Glenn Block, a suite of rooms, with all modern conveniences, also store. Apply E. Glenn & Son, William street.

GO UP

A meeting of the commissioned and non-commissioned officers of "B" Company, 24th Regiment, was held last night to recommend promotions to fill existing vacancies.

Color-Sergeant Geo. Smith goes from the ranks of the non-commissioned to those of the commissioned officers, becoming Second Lieutenant of the Company as soon as the promotion is approved by Col. J. B. Rankin. The advancement has been well earned by Sergt. Smith, whose efforts for the welfare of the Regiment have been untiring.

Sergt. C. E. Clements was recommended for the position of Color-Sergeant, thus left vacant; Richard Wanless and Wm. Glover will likely be the new Sergeants.

DRY GOODS THIBODEAU & CO Millinery and Dressmaking

WE ARE CROWDED FOR SPACE

Our Fall Goods must now be placed in stock, and money procured to pay for them.

All our Summer Goods must be forced out at a discount of 25 to 50 Per Cent

MUSLINS HALF-PRICE.

VESTING

LADIES' STOCK COLLARS HALF-PRICE.

REMNANTS of WASH GOODS at HALF-PRICE

Size 32 and 34 MUSLIN SHIRTWAISTS, worth \$1.00 to \$2.25 for 48c.

GINGHAMS, worth 12½c. for 8c.

PRINTS, regular 10c. quality for 8c.

Bargains in HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, &c.

THIBODEAU & CO.

THE WABASH RAILROAD CO.
GOING WEST EAST BOUND
 No. 1. 6:45 a.m. No. 2. 12:23 p.m.
 8-1.07 p.m. 4-11.19 p.m.
 12-1.25 p.m. 6-1.32 a.m.
 9-1.13 a.m. 8-2.49 p.m.
 J. A. RICHARDSON,
 Dist. Pass. Agt., Toronto and St. Thomas.
 J. C. PRITCHARD,
 Station Agent,
 Chatham.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
 Corrected Aug. 1st, 1905.
GOING EAST GOING WEST
 7 a.m. daily, ex. Sunday 1.03 a.m.
 8:23 a.m. Express. 1.11 a.m.
 8:32 p.m. 8:50 p.m.
 † This train runs daily except Sunday
 Starts from here and remains over night.

GRAND TRUNK
 Taken effect Sunday, May 14, 1905.
WEST.
 8:30 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and in-
 mediate stations except Sunday
 12:45 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
 4:18 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.
 9:19 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west
 International Limited 9:08 p.m. daily
EAST.
 8:37 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toron-
 to, Buffalo
 12:00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Min-
 neapolis, Buffalo and New York.
 6:13 p.m. for London, Hamilton, Toron-
 to, Montreal and East.
 9:00 p.m. for London and intermediate
 stations.
 † Daily except Sunday: * Daily.

PERE MARQUETTE R.R.
SUFFALO DIVISION
 EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1905.
 Leave Chatham Express Express
 for Blenheim 6:55 a.m. 3:25 p.m.
 for London and West 7:55 a.m. 4:55
 for East 7:55 a.m.
 Arrive at Chatham:
 From Blenheim 9:55 a.m. 6:45 p.m.
 From London 7:55 a.m. 4:55
 From East 7:55 a.m.
SUMMER SERVICE—CHATHAM AND ROND HAU
 Commencing June 26, following service will
 be in effect—Leave Chatham 5:45 a.m. 9:45
 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 4:05 p.m. Arrive from Rond
 Hau 7:30 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 3:25 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
 Hand concert every day at 11:45. Special train
 leaves Chatham 7:30 p.m., commencing June
 26, except Friday July 7th.
 † Central Standard Time—one hour slower
 than city time.
 E. BRITTON, D.P.A., London.
 A.W. YOUNG, H. F. MOELLER,
 Agent, Chatham G.P.A., Detroit.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
Farm Laborers' Excursion!
Manitoba and Assiniboia
 \$12.00 Going. \$18.00 Returning
GOING DATES.
 Aug. 29, 1905. Stations south of, but not
 including main line Toronto to Sarnia (in-
 cluding Toronto).
 Sept. 2, 1905. Main line Toronto to Sarnia
 and stations north (except north of Card-
 well Junction and Toronto on North Bay
 Section).
 Sept. 4, 1905. From all points Toronto
 and east to and including Sarnia, Lake, and
 Kingston and north of Toronto and Card-
 well Junction on North Bay and Midland
 Divisions.
 For pamphlet giving full particulars apply
 to nearest Canadian Pacific Agent, or write
 to
 C. B. POSTER,
 D.P.A., C.P.R.,
 Toronto, Ont.
 W. H. HARPER,
 Agent, Chatham, Ont.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM
Canadian National Exhibition,
Toronto, August 28
to Sept. 9.

\$5.30 from Chatham, going
 Aug. 28th to Sept. 9th.
\$3.80 going Aug. 29th, to Sept. 4th.
 All tickets valid returning until Sept.
 12th, 1905.

Farm Laborers' Excursion
\$12.00.
 To points in Manitoba and Assiniboia,
 good going from Chatham Aug. 20th.
 For tickets and full information call on
 J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot Agent, W. E.
 RISPIN, City Agent, 115 King Street,
 Chatham; J. D. McDonald, District Pas-
 senger Agent, Toronto.

OVER THE
WABASH
TO
 The Great Lewis & Clark Centennial
 Exposition, Portland, Oregon,
 June 1st to Oct. 15th, 1905.

Round trip tickets are now on sale
 until September 30th, good for ninety
 days from date of sale, with stop-
 over privileges going and returning,
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CANADA FIRST.

To Home and Country shouts we raise!
 For Home and Land to Heaven we
 cry!
 In Home and Country let us live—
 For Home and Land we stand to
 die!

This Land us bred; these Hills are
 ours;
 These Mighty Floods that seaward
 roll—
 We know no masters but ourselves—
 We know no bounds this side the
 pole!

God gave to us these Reaching Woods;
 The Spreading Lakes we sail upon;
 We hold them for our children's
 right—
 And who is he intrudes thereon?

And we shall till the Rolling Plains
 That reach into the setting sun;
 'Tis our Dominion to extend
 To coasts that lave the Great Ocean.

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 die!
 —The Khan's Canticles.

RIFLE SHOTS AT BISLEY.
 Men Who Are Shooting and What They
 Are Shooting For.

For the forty-sixth time the National
 Rifle Association is holding its an-
 nual meeting. Bisley is the camping
 place of the riflemen of many coun-
 tries. On the 10th July they entered
 on the competitions. The meeting is
 again international in character by the
 inclusion of marksmen from the United
 States and several from the contin-
 ent.

The Imperial contingents include
 New Zealand, under the captaincy of
 Major Hughes; Southern Rhodesia,
 under Capt. Hope Carson; Canada, un-
 der Lieut.-Col. Hosslein; Transvaal,
 under Lieut.-Col. Collard; and India,
 under Capt. Ferguson-Davie. The
 King's silver medalist of last year,
 The New Zealanders and some of the
 Indians are already practising at
 Bisley, and the competition for the Ko-
 lore Cup, for which Empire teams com-
 pete, will be a specially keen one this
 year.

Col. Horace Ricardo, of the Guards,
 will be camp commandant, and the
 working parties and markers were
 furnished from the Eastern Command,
 chiefly by the Buffs.

The number of entries reaches about
 45,000; 2,000 targets are used, and pro-
 vision was made for the expenditure
 of half a million rounds of ammuni-
 tion.

The new short rifle was introduced
 for the first time into the competitions,
 but only by those whose corps are
 equipped solely with the new arm. In
 any case there will be some compar-
 isons provided in the relative shooting
 values of the present and the new rifle,
 and as these results will be made
 by individuals shooting for their own
 credit in serious competition, the fig-
 ures will be very interesting. Most
 of the members of the Small Arms
 Committee will be on the ground.

The new competitions include "The
 Standard" Cup, the Bisley, Conan
 Doyle, Straker, Stokkedown, and the
 sub-target gun contests. The features
 of these new events are as under:—
 "Standard" Cup—Civilian rifle club
 teams, service rifle, vanishing target.
 Bisley—Members of rifle clubs.
 Conan Doyle—Members of rifle
 clubs.

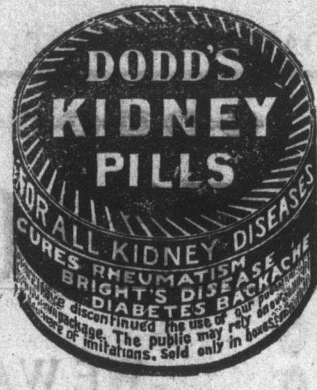
Stokkedown—All-comers, 1,000 yards.
 Straker—Advancing revolver target.
 Sub-target Gun—Special firing.
 An important alteration will be the
 declaration of a champion of the
 meeting, apart from the King's Prize.
 The instrumentality of Mr. A.
 P. Humphrey, of the Small Arms Com-
 mittee, there will this year be an all-
 ranges aggregate, which will embrace
 short and long range aggregates and
 that for rapid firing.

To win this championship the suc-
 cessful marksman must in the various
 events prove his skill at 200, 300, 400,
 500, 600 and 1,000 yards, and at dis-
 appearing targets and the running
 man. This will be a very severe test,
 in which the marksman who shoots
 well under all conditions of firing will
 come to the top.

For the King's Prize competitors
 have entered from India, South Africa,
 North America, British Isles, Channel
 Isles, Uganda, Australia, New Zealand,
 and the West Indies.

Canada's Lobster Crop.
 The lobster season in most of the
 fishing districts of the Maritime Pro-
 vinces ended on Monday, 10th July.
 Reports from all districts are not yet
 available but along the north shore of
 Nova Scotia lobsters were very plen-
 tiful and most of the packers had se-
 cured the full output of their factories
 long before the legal period elapsed.
 It is expected that the catch in all the
 Gulf factories will be the largest in
 recent years. In P. E. I., the catch
 this season will be about an average
 one, last year it was above the aver-
 age. This season, owing to bad weath-
 er, the fishermen were late in start-
 ing. The rather unusual fact of lob-
 sters starting to shed their shells this
 month instead of in June as in previous
 years operated to the advantage of
 the fishermen. The price this season
 is about one dollar a case less than in
 1904. The total catch is estimated
 at about \$9,000, valued at \$650,000. The
 hatchery has handled a considerable
 quantity of eggs and this policy of the
 Government of restocking the waters
 is meeting with hearty approval from
 packers and fishermen.

Base at Long Point.
 The Ontario Government is carrying
 on experiments at Long Point Bay,
 South Norfolk, to secure parent bass
 for restocking purposes. Mr. A. C.
 Pratt, M. P. P. for South Norfolk, had
 a conference with the Premier the oth-
 er day about the matter, and stated
 that the experiments were proving suc-
 cessful. A special kind of bait is used,
 which prevents any injury to the bass
 which are taken. It is said that the waters
 in this region are simply swarming
 with bass, ranging in length up to 23
 inches. The Government will likely
 commence fishing operations on a
 large scale, as numerous waters, for-
 merly famous for bass fishing, are be-
 coming depleted.



FAMOUS TREATIES.

Paris Has Had Six of Them. All im-
 portant, Named After It.

If Russians and Japanese really ne-
 gotiate their peace agreement at Wash-
 ington the treaty will be known as the
 "treaty of Washington." Among the
 most important of the world's treaties
 are the following: The treaty of West-
 phalia (1648), which ended the Thirty
 Years' war. The peace of the Pyrenees
 (1659) definitely marked the fall of
 Spain from its position as the leader of
 Europe. A historian says: "When Spain
 signed with France the peace of the Py-
 renees she signed away with it the last
 remnant of the supremacy she had
 exercised in Europe. France, the vic-
 tor, took the place of Spain in the coun-
 cils of the continent." By the peace
 of Augsburg (1555) religious freedom
 was assured to Germany, and the war
 between Protestants and Catholics came
 to an end. The treaty of Utrecht
 in 1713 terminated the war of the
 Spanish succession.

A number of the most important
 treaties in modern history are known
 as the treaties of Paris. They are six
 in number and bear the dates of 1763,
 1783, 1814, 1815, 1866 and 1898. The
 first of the series marked the end of
 the Seven Years' war. Among other
 things it provided for the cession to
 Great Britain of Canada and the region
 east of the Mississippi river. The
 treaty of Paris, Sept. 3, 1783, between
 Great Britain and the United States,
 marked the close of the American
 Revolution and recognized the inde-
 pendence of the colonies. The aggres-
 sions of France under Napoleon found
 their conclusion in the treaties of Paris
 of 1814 and 1815, by the second of
 which France was compelled to pay an
 indemnity to the allies amounting in
 all to near \$300,000,000.

In 1856 a treaty of Paris was con-
 cluded among the powers at the close
 of the Crimean war. It provided that
 the Black sea should be neutralized
 and that it should be thrown open to
 the merchant marine of every nation.
 The treaty of Paris of Dec. 10, 1898,
 terminated the Spanish-American war.
 Spain relinquished her sovereignty in
 Cuba and ceded Porto Rico, Guam and
 the Philippines to the United States.
 For the Philippines it received \$20-
 000,000. Other important treaties were
 that of Berlin, settling the eastern
 question (1878), and Frankfurt-on-the-
 Main (May 10, 1871), securing peace
 between France and Germany.

Latin was formerly the language
 used in treaties. But treaties to which
 several European powers are parties
 are now generally drawn up in French,
 the use of which became common in
 the time of Louis XIV., but the final
 act of the congress of Vienna (1815)
 contains a protest against the use of
 this language being obligatory. A great
 European treaty usually begins, "In
 the name of the Most Holy and In-
 divisible Trinity," or if the sultan of
 Turkey is a party, "In the name of
 Almighty God."—Chicago News.

High aims form high characters,
 and great objects bring out great
 minds.

**He Will Cure You First
 Then You Pay Him**

The physician, who has not sufficient con-
 fidence in his own ability to cure his patients, first
 receives his pay after he has cured them. He is not
 the man to inspire confidence. Those who are in search
 of a cure for their ailments should look for a man who
 is not afraid to accept responsibility. Dr. Gold-
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GOOD NEWS FOR THE OLD FOLKS

Mr. Angus McMillan Tells Them
 Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will
 Cure Their Stomach Troubles.

Of peculiar interest to the aged is the story of Mr. Angus McMillan, of Laggan P. O., Glenagarry Co., Ont. Mr. McMillan is now over 82 years of age and looks hearty enough to reach the 100 mark. He attributes a large part of his splendid health to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. He says:

"I suffered from Dyspepsia for more than 20 years but never met with anything to cure me till I commenced taking Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. After using them for two days all the pain and restlessness left me. 'I am in one sense a new man and have great reason to be thankful for all the good Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have done me.'"

Stomach troubles are one of the burdens the old folks have to bear. It is good news for them that there is a speedy and effectual cure for them in Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

MORE LIGHTHOUSES.

Department of Marine Will Place
 Lights on Seaboard.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 17.—Extensive plans for the improvement of the system of lighthouses along the Atlantic seaboard of Canada are announced by J. F. Fraser of the Marine Department at Ottawa, who is here in connection with the matter. Within a few weeks an improved light will be placed on Gannet Rock, in the Bay of Fundy. A powerful light will be established on Cape Race, Newfoundland. Lights will also be erected at Cape Ray, Cape Beaulieu and Cape Norman, Nfld.; Green Island in the Straits of Belle Isle; South Point, Anticosti Island; Fame Point, Cape Magdalen; Martin River, Quebec; Gyrion Island, Gulf of St. Lawrence; Manger's Beach, at Halifax, Nova Scotia and several other points.

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"I dropped all liniments but Nerviline, because I found Nerviline the quickest to relieve pain," writes E. S. Benton, of St. John's. "If my children are croupy or sick, Nerviline cures them. If a case of cramps or stomach ache turns up, Nerviline is ever ready. We use Nerviline for neuralgia, rheumatism and all kinds of aches and pains; it's as good as any doctor." The great Canadian remedy for the past fifty years has been Polson's Nerviline—nothing better made.

Both Will Recover.

Amherstburg, Aug. 17.—It is probable that the case against Alfred Horton, who shot his wife and her father last Saturday night, will not come up before the fall Assizes. He was arranged here, and remained for one week. The victims will not be in condition to give their evidence before then. John Lovegrove, Mrs. Horton's father, is progressing favorably. Mrs. Horton had a restless night, but her recovery is expected.

THE ARCH FIEND OF THE AGE.

Not war, more deadly than ever this modern butchery—but Catarrh leads to consumption and usually kills more than famine and war combined. The doctors now successfully fight catarrh with a remedy that never fails—"Catarrhazone," it's death to every type of catarrh. It destroys every root and branch of the disease so thoroughly that a relapse is never feared. If troubled with colds, nasal or throat catarrh, or subject to bronchitis or asthma use Catarrhazone and you'll be cured forever.

Hammered To a Pulp.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—Joben Wass, an employee of the Grand Trunk shops at Point St. Charles, met a horrible death yesterday, when he got caught under one of the steam hammers, and before the machinery could be stopped, was literally hammered to a pulp. He was 50 years old.

Both Legs Broken.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Robert Stadhouse, working for Green & Lidster, plumbers, was run over by a street car at the corner of Terrence and Pembina streets last night, both legs being broken. He was removed to St. Boniface Hospital and will die.

THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE.

Owing to faulty action of the kidneys and liver the blood becomes filled with disease germs that imperil health. The first warning is a backache, dizziness, headache and a lack of vital energy. Act quickly if you would avoid the terrible ravages of chronic kidney complaint. Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills to-day; they cure kidney and liver complaint for all time. No medicine relieves so promptly, nothing in the world of medicine cures more thoroughly. For good blood, clear complexion, healthy appetite, the proper treatment is Dr. Dr. Hamilton's Pills. 25c per box, at all dealers.

The insolence of some men is apparent in their countenances.

MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.—Gentlemen—In June, 98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT which I began using. The effect was magical, in five hours the pain had ceased and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,

A. E. ROY,

Carriage Maker.

St. Antoine, P. Q.

A man's good opinion is cherished by a young woman.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

BLENHEIM

Aug. 18.—About 150 people went on the excursion to Detroit via Port Lambton yesterday, it being a fine holiday, and fine weather no doubt drew a crowd at each station.

In the final results on the examinations we are pleased to see Miss W. Buchanan's name in the list of Senior Teachers; also Miss Annie Denholm and Flora Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, and child, of Bowmanville, are visiting at Mr. Burns's.

Our townspeople were shocked to hear about 10.30 a. m. yesterday, of the death of Mr. John Morgan, who died from the effects of a paralytic stroke. The deceased was one of our highly respected townsmen and leaves a widow, one daughter and two sons to mourn his loss.

Leonard Graham is visiting his brother and uncle at Milwaukee, Wis. Rev. Mr. McQuillin concluded his services at Erieau last Sunday, and they have been highly appreciated. It is contemplated building a small church there next spring. Mr. McQuillin will conduct services in Trinity church next Sunday at both services. It is expected that Bishop Williams will preach at the Harvest Thanksgiving services and also conduct confirmation early in October.

Ten young ladies from town have taken Bide Awee cottage, Erieau.

Frank Soper, while returning from Erieau on Scotch picnic, put his head through one of the windows. It necessitated a visit to the doctor.

TILBURY

Aug. 11.—Misses Kadella and Maude Torrini are visiting at Niagara Falls.

Miss Georgia Marshall, of Merlin, spent yesterday with relatives here. George Richardson moved yesterday to his residence on Canal St. West.

Mrs. E. Zeller, of Zurich, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Marshall, of Merlin, was in town yesterday on her way to visit relatives in Essex.

Misses Anne and Annie Torrini returned yesterday from a trip to Montreal.

Muriel and Marjory Nicol, of New York, who are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart returned yesterday from a visit with their aunt, Mrs. Balmer, of Woodstock.

Jas. Stevenson is moving this week to the new residence on Fort street, which he has purchased from James Foster.

Aug. 18.—Miss Gladys Maw, of Chatham, is the guest of Miss Ella Stewart.

Miss Whiteman, of Essex, late of London, has arrived to take charge of the dressmaking department in the Big Store here.

Miss Susie Wilson, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home in Essex last evening.

Miss Lucia Paelet, of St. Joachim, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Ouellette.

Charlie Smith, of Detroit, is visiting friends in town.

J. I. Hill has returned from a two weeks' vacation to Peterborough and other eastern points.

Tilbury fall festival will take place Labor Day, when purses amounting to \$400, will be offered.

Married—On July 29th, by Rev. Fr. O'Brien, Wm. Reame, of Tilbury, to Miss Kathleen Martin, of Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. John Horstead, of Cleveland, Mrs. Richard Nicol and daughter, Hazel, of Detroit, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reame, Queen street.

WALLACEBURG

Aug. 18.—The death of Miss Clara Shamblean, which took place on Wednesday last at Port Lambton, at the age of 18 years, has cast a gloom over our town as Miss Clara had many friends here, and until she became a victim of tuberculosis was a strong healthy girl. She has lived with her parents in Wallaceburg for a number of years, also at Chatham, Ont., where she also had a large circle of young friends. The funeral took place to-day from the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. Fraser, Nelson street. Many floral tributes were given, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Shamblean and other relatives have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction. Rev. Mr. Garbutt, of the Methodist church, her pastor, conducted the ceremony. A few months ago a missionary society was organized and called the "Clara" Society in her honor, as Miss Clara was the first to contribute work to the society.

Miss Mable St. Amour is visiting at Buffalo.

Miss Myrtle Scott, of Sarnia, is visiting friends in Wallaceburg, is spending a few days at his home.

Mrs. B. M. Burgess, Miss B. Colwell and Mr. Ed. Mounter, of Chatham, are holidaying at Walpole Island.

Mrs. A. Little, Miss Anna and Miss Nettie Little are spending a few weeks at Walpole Island.

Mr. Delos Dobie, of Cleveland, O., visited old friends at Port Lambton and Wallaceburg this week.

The Misses Bessy and Ruby Predam, of Toronto, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. A. McDougall, Nelson street.

Miss Margaret Forbes, of Rhyrie, Scotland, is visiting Miss Elsie Forbes and other relatives.

Mrs. Leitch, of Glencoe, is the guest of Miss Bessy Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Platt have returned from a few days visit at Toronto, where Mr. Platt was a delegate to the Merchants convention.

Fly from pleasure that bites tomorrow.

The faith is dead that knows no change.

Brush Bristles
 "Aye there's the rub." On the quality of the brush. BOECKH BRUSHES contain only perfect elastic bristles, specially selected under expert supervision. All loose bristles removed by special machinery, leaving a flexible smooth-working brush.

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Canadian Mail Subsidy.
 Victoria, B. C., Aug. 17.—The Canadian Government has renewed the mail contract with the Union Steamship Co. for the Canadian-Australian line, the subsidy payable by the Dominion being increased \$15,000.

Fell Under the Cars.
 Brantford, Aug. 17.—Martin Rowley, a young man about 20, attempting to jump a G. T. R. train when in motion yesterday morning, missed his hold and fell beneath the cars. His left leg was badly mutilated.

HOW'S THIS?
 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years; and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. Walding, Kinnear & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c, per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Risky Speculation.
 It would seem to be a risky speculation to invest in the rarer metals. One day they may be worth \$20 or \$100 (\$97.35 or \$480.65) an ounce, and the next day they may be placed on the market by the ton. Something like this has happened in the case of the once rare metal calcium. A month ago there was only an ounce or two in England, and now the metal may be ordered by the hundredweight—London Standard.

PHYSICALLY EXHAUSTED.
 Lacking in courage—out of joint with everything—scarcely on speaking terms with even fair health. Such low spirits are pitiable. Your brain is fatigued, vitality so exhausted your constitution is well-nigh ruined. What you need is Ferrozone, that great vitalizer and nutritive tonic. It's by making flesh and blood, by infusing iron and oxygen into the system that Ferrozone helps; it repairs weak spots, installs new life into worn-out organs—makes you feel like new. Ferrozone lifts you from the old and imparts resilience and buoyancy to the depressed. Be manly, ruddy-colored, east aside weakness and enter the happy life that comes from using Ferrozone. Fifty cents buys a box in any drug store.

The men who make history have no time to write it.

Wash greasy dishes, pots or pans with Lever's Dry Soap or a powder. It will remove the grease with the greatest ease. 3¢

A sensible answer is sometimes out of the question.

The indulgence of grief is the blunder of a life.

"Quick lunch" is one of the commonest of city signs. The sign does not say "a healthy lunch of good food"—the character of the food apparently is not considered. It's just a quick lunch,—eat and get away. Is it any wonder that the stomach breaks down? Food is thrown at it, sloppy, indigestible and unwholesome food, very often, and the stomach has to do the best it can. Normally there should be no need for medical assistance for the stomach. But the average method of life is abnormal and while this continues there will always be a demand for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the one medicine which can be relied on to cure diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It is not a cure-all. It is a medicine designed for the stomach, and to cure through the stomach remote diseases which have their cause in the derangement of the stomach and digestive and nutritive system. It cures when all else fails.

Every possessor of light is debtor to those who sit in the dark.

He who cannot bear humility cannot wear honor.

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This is situated in the Canadian National Park, on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, 4,500 feet above sea level, at the confluence of the Bow and Spray Rivers. A large and handsome structure with every convenience that modern ingenuity can suggest, costing half a million dollars. Open from May to October.

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Cheap excursion to New York City on August 24th, via New York Central, good 15 days for return, with privilege of trip on Hudson River steamers in either or both directions between Albany and New York, without extra charge. Write L. Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69-1-2 Yonge Street, Toronto, for all particulars.

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AN EXTRA SHIRTWAIST OFFERING.
\$3.25 White Lawn Waists, \$1.49.
These waists have the new full sleeve and are beautifully trimmed with teneff embroidery. The quantity is limited, but we wish to clear out this particular line Saturday.

Other Waists. These Have Reached the Low Priced Limit.

The quantities of those Lawn, Linen and Saten Waists advertised this week is very limited, and Saturday should see the last of them in the store.

White Lawn Waists \$1.00 to \$2.75 for 47c. sizes 32.
Linen Waists, \$1.50 to \$2.25 for 37 1-2c.
Black Satene Waists, extra quality satene, \$2.00 and \$2.25 for 67c.
Extra Low Prices on Ends of Wash Goods.

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Stop!

Don't stir a step until we have a chance to say to you that, unless you take advantage of the great inducements we are offering at our

SPECIAL SALE

without further delay. You'll miss a chance of a life time. We are closing out our Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing and Furnishings at prices lower than you ever dreamed of. You can't afford not to buy—no man can. Come and see what's doing here.

MEYNELL'S

3 Doors West from Market,
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Keep Mmard's Liniment in the house.

Dr. Rainsford Well Again.

New York, Aug. 18.—Members of the vestry of St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church received word from their rector, the Rev. Dr. William S. Rainsford, that he will return to resume his duties in the latter part of October. He is in London and is reported to have completely recovered his health since he went away several months ago, when he was threatened with nervous prostration. Dr. Rainsford has many new plans for charitable projects of the church in mind.

To Inspect Power Works.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The international waterway commission will meet in Buffalo on September 11. Two days will be spent in public hearings and on the 13th the commission will go on to Niagara Falls to inspect the power works in that city. On the 15th and 16th they will have meetings in Toronto and Hamilton, Ont.

Will Banquet Mr. George.

Montreal, Aug. 18.—The Montreal branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association has decided to tender W. K. George, president of the association, a dinner. It will be held in Montreal just previous to the annual convention, which takes place on the 18th, 19th and 20th of September.

License Inspector Smyth was in Wheatley on Saturday last in connection with the case of Thos. Dulmage and found that Mr. Dulmage had not been on the interdiction list since November last. Mr. Smyth put Dulmage on the "Indian" list.

When you pay the price of success you do not always get as much change as you really expected.

WORLD OF SPORT

THE TURF

RIDGETOWN MEET.

The Ridgetown races on Wednesday and Thursday were pulled off in perfect racing weather. The heavy rain of Tuesday left the track in splendid condition. The entries were many, the time, as a rule, fast, and each event well contested—the 2.30 trot on Wednesday going to five heats.

Messrs. Bedford and Glassford, of Chatham, had Owen Gallagher and Ota Bell entered in the 2.30 trot or pace and A. Bedford's Topsy Simon won the money in the 2.30 trot. Several Chatham lovers of the noble animal attended the meet, including S. O. Simmons, Ed. Snook, Tom Williams, Dr. Badley and Claude Bragg.

2.50 trot or pace, purse \$200, won by Star P., owned by A. Fox, Amherstburg, in three straight heats.

2. Berthens Bar, H. Brewer, Bothwell.

3. Nellie Grey, G. Walsh, Tillsonburg.

4. Ota Bell, J. Glassford, Chatham. Best time, 2.25 1-4.

2.30 trot, purse \$200, won by A. Bedford's Topsy Simon in five heats, in which she was placed second, sixth and three firsts.

2. Maplewood, R. H. Reid, Ingersoll.

3. Manola, Brooks' Bros., London.

4. Billy Neil, J. Graham, Dresden. Best time, 2.28 1-4.

Half mile run, purse \$150, won by Glenmore, owned by S. Arnold, of Blenheim.

2. Rennehauf, R. H. Fletcher, Tillsonburg.

3. Tholan, R. A. Wilson, Hamilton. Best time, 50 1-2.

SECOND DAY.

2.22 trot or pace, purse \$200, won by Dolphy W., owned by A. Laing, of St. Thomas, in straight heats.

2. R. Whiting, W. Glazier, London.

3. Anna V. Brino, M. Wade, Bothwell.

4. Buena Vista, G. Stevens, Brantford.

2.30 trot or pace, purse \$200, won by Molly W., owned by Mayboe, of Tillsonburg, in straight heats.

2. Chrissie M., S. McPhail, London.

3. Oily Bob, W. Crummer, Petrolia. Best time, 2.25 1-4.

3-4 mile run, purse \$150, won by Fanny Blazier, owned by H. Chapman, of Windsor.

2. Glenmore, S. Arnold, Blenheim.

LAURUSSE

Lovers of lacrosse in the Maple City will have a chance on Monday to see one of the fastest games ever played in Chatham. The Brantford team is composed of fast players. Jack Kelly will be in the flags and Mickey Ions, a big defence man, will be also on the line-up. The Tecumseh are practicing hard every afternoon and will appear on the field on Monday prepared to win. Nothing else will satisfy them. An effort is being made to have the stores close at three. In order to encourage the management this should be done. The game will start at 3.30. Band in attendance. Admission 25c; grandstand 10c. The line-up of both

teams will appear in to-morrow's Planet. In all likelihood Art Pickering, of last year's team, will be one of the number.

Owing to the fact that goals count Chatham intends to roll up a sufficiently large score here to make up for a possible defeat in Brantford. The Brantford people, recognising that the senior championship is lost, are making every effort to capture this one.

C. L. A. SENIOR RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
St. Catharines.....	11	2	.844
Tecumseh.....	9	3	.750
Toronto.....	8	6	.400
Brantford.....	4	9	.507
Chippewas.....	1	9	.100

Games Saturday: Tecumseh at Brantford, St. Catharines at Toronto.

BASEBALL THURSDAY.

The Eastern League.
Jersey City..... 00001400-5
Toronto..... 00100000-1
Sacrifice hits—O'Brien, Dillard, Clemens, Toronto..... 2. Kierst, White, Harry, Currie. Bases on balls—Off Clarkson 2, off Crystal 1. Struck out—By Crystal 1, by Clarkson 5. Double plays—Meagon to O'Brien; Kierst to Pattee. Left on bases—Toronto 7, Jersey City 8. Umpire—Moran. Time—1.40.

R.H.E.
Buffalo..... 000030000-3 6 2
Baltimore..... 000000000-0 0 0
Batteries—Mulligan, Kissinger and McAllister; Hearse and Byers. Umpire—Conway. Attendance—2283.

R.H.E.
Newark..... 000002000000-2 7 0
Rochester..... 000020000000-1 3 2
Batteries—Conroy and Mortality; Faulkner and Payne. Umpire—Egan. Attendance—385.

American League.
At Cleveland..... R.H.E.
Cleveland..... 000100000-1 3 1
New York..... 000000000-0 0 0
Batteries—Joh and Buslow; Chesbro, McInnow and McGuire. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Connolly. Attendance—448.

R.H.E.
Detroit..... 000000000-0 2 0
Philadelphia..... 000000000-0 0 0
Batteries—Mullins and Warner; Plank and Powers. Umpire—McCarthy. Attendance—2600.

National League.
At New York..... R.H.E.
Chicago..... 000000000-0 3 3
New York..... 002010000-3 9 0
Batteries—Wicker and Kling; Mathewson and Bowerman. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—8000.

R.H.E.
Cincinnati..... 011200000-5 9 2
Boston..... 001000110-3 6 2
Batteries—Lewing and Street; Young and Needham. Umpire—Baumwinkle and Ake.

R.H.E.
Pittsburg..... 202010000-5 9 2
Brooklyn..... 102010000-4 10 1
Batteries—Lynch and Peltz; Scanlon and Bergen. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance—2000.

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At Philadelphia..... R.H.E.
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Batteries—Thielman and Leahy; Duggieby and Doolin. Umpire—Emslie and Kism. Attendance—2000.

Piano Factory Gutted.
Hamilton, Aug. 18.—The Ennis piano factory, Caroline and Bay streets, was gutted by fire, which burned fiercely for three hours yesterday morning. The damage is over \$20,000. Fireman John Martin fell through the roof of the building and is seriously injured. The fire is said to be of incendiary origin.

Police Force For Cobalt.
Toronto, Aug. 18.—The Provincial Government have shown their determination to preserve the fair reputation of the Cobalt mining region lately besmirched by exaggerated reports of alleged rowdyism there, by appointing a permanent constable to preserve the law. The appointee leaves for the north immediately.

NEW HATS

An advance shipment of Fall Hats reached us to-day. Perhaps your straw is looking a little the worse, and you are going away. Might as well have a new shape. They are here—BLACK and COLORS—SOFT and STIFF—

\$2.50 and \$3.00.

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WOMAN TRAMPING TO CANADA.

Reaches New York From West Virginia—Cheery 60-Year-Old.

New York, Aug. 18.—On her way from Creston, W. Pa., to Ottawa, Canada, and having walked from West Virginia to this city, Mrs. Martha Rafe, sixty years old, a stout, cheery, motherly-looking woman, applied at the Department of Outdoor Poor yesterday for transportation the rest of the way to Canada. She was evidently ready to walk the remainder of the distance if need be for when Superintendent Meeks told her to wait a while till he could attend to her case she misunderstood him and started out of the office, saying:—

"Well, if you alls can't do anything for me, I guess I can walk to Ottawa, same as I walked here from West Virginia."

Superintendent Meeks stopped her and when he heard her story, he said he would interest the United Charities in her case and see if transportation to Ottawa could not be given her. Her relatives at Creston could not shelter her any longer.

YELLOW JACK'S RECORD.

Thursday New Orleans Showed a Decreasing Death Rate.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 18.—Official report on the yellow fever situation to 6 p. m. yesterday. New cases 77, total cases to date 1,223, deaths to-day 4, total deaths to date 189, new disease centres 14, total disease centres to date 252, number of cases under treatment 427.

Yellow Jack In Brooklyn.

New York, Aug. 18.—What is believed to be a case of yellow fever was found Wednesday by Dr. Livingston of the Norwegian Hospital, Brooklyn. Dr. Livingston was summoned to a house in Brooklyn and there found John G. Murphy, a laborer, violently ill. In a lucid moment he said he came from Panama a few weeks ago.

The way to do a great deal of work is to be continually doing a little.

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MONDAY, AUG. 21.

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A \$35,000 Production

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The Grandest Street Parade Ever Given—Two Bands.

SEATS—25c, 50c and 50c. Matinee—Children, 10c; Adults, 25c.

Seats now on sale at Brisco's

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From Tuesday, Sept. 5th, in all departments of the well-known

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This Year's Greatest Sale of Men's Fine Suits

Began at Our Store Saturday Morning.

It stands unequalled in the history of clothing sales. On Wednesday we advertised any suit in the store for \$12.50, and any \$16.00, \$15.00 or \$12.50 Suit for \$10.00. As it is necessary for us to sell on account of our small store, the spring and summer clothing before the fall suits arrive. We had ordered the fall suits to be delivered Sept. 1st. On Thursday morning, much to our surprise, 5 cases of Fall Suits and Overcoats came by G.T.R. In the lot over 100 New Suits and 125 Pairs of Pants, the balance were overcoats. To keep faith with our advertisement we had to include them in this great half yearly sale.

Your choice of any Suit in the store, all of them \$16.50, \$17.50, \$18.50 and \$20.00 for \$12.50

Your choice of any \$15.00 or \$16.00 Suit in the store for \$10.

Your choice of any \$10.00 Suit in the store for \$7.50

Your choice of any \$8.50 Suit in the store at \$6.50.

PANTS

In our Pant Department we offer any pair of Pants in the store for \$3.50, former prices \$4, \$4.50 and \$5.00. Any—\$3.50 or \$3.75 Pant for \$2.75. Any \$2.75 Pant for \$2.00. Any \$2.00 Pant for \$1.50. Any \$1.50 Pant for \$1.10. 100 pairs of Odd Pants for \$1.25 a leg and not a cent for the seats. They're odd pairs that didn't sell fast enough at \$4.00, \$3.50 and \$3.00. Not less than two legs to a customer.

Hart Schaffner & Marx and New Method Suits all included in this sale. We press and alter every suit if necessary.

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200 Men's Colored Soft Hats, \$3 and \$2.50 Values for \$2.00.

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