

NOT AGAINST PRESENT MEN

Do Any of the Charges Made by Ald. Forth Lie?

Little Likely to Come Out of the Investigation.

Foreman Church Had Some Pertinent Remarks to Make.

The investigation held yesterday afternoon into the charges made by Ald. Forth at the last meeting of the City Council, had a very favorable outcome as far as the foremen and officials are concerned. The City Hall officials who were directly interested in the affair were Mayor McLaren, Chairman Allan, Secretary Wm. Brennan, of the Board of Works, and Engineer Macallum. Ald. Forth and all the ward foremen were on hand to face the ordeal, and the conduct of almost all was most manly and honest.

Chairman Allan opened the investigation by saying that, owing to the charges made, some of the ward foremen had asked for an investigation, that they might clear themselves, and he had called them together, which he thought only fair to them and the officials over them. They were entitled to be cleared if innocent, and should be punished if guilty. He then requested the Mayor to take the chair.

His Worship in addressing the assembly said he took it upon himself and the aldermen to say that they did not believe the charges had referred to any member of the organization of foremen of this year. He was glad something had happened to bring them together, as he had never seen them all before, and was glad of the privilege of meeting them. Although he believed they had all done good work this year, he wanted the people of Hamilton to think so, too. He reminded them that while they were placed in a certain position, it was one of responsibility, as they were servants of the public. Even if those things over which they had charge were small, they nevertheless belonged to the city, and it should have first claim. The needs of the city should be first considered and no official should take it upon himself to dispose of city property. The first individuals to profit by loads of street sweepings, etc., in his estimation should be the poor widows and laboring men who were struggling along and needed most help. He believed that the city was getting better returns this year, for the money, than ever before, and in making a statement such as this he wanted to feel that he had the officials behind him. Any man who was unworthy of his position and who violated the rules should expect nothing but dismissal.

Ald. Allan suggested that Ald. Forth be called upon to outline the nature of his charges. Mr. Forth began by saying he had been misunderstood at the Council meeting, and had not been fairly reported, as he had laid no charges as yet, but had merely made a statement, which he did not mean should apply to any foreman or official. He had been informed by citizens that money, cigars or whiskey were the only means of getting loads of dirt, and he had only made a statement to this effect and asked who the guilty party was. Personally, he had no knowledge. (Continued on page 6.)

A RE-UNION.

Bunch of Girls Get Together After Twelve Years.

Ingersoll, Aug. 13.—Seven companions of girlhood days held a nappy reunion yesterday, and many indeed were the incidents that were recalled in the short period of a few hours. The gathering consisted of Mrs. (Rev.) Ringham, of Paris, daughter of Rev. J. S. Williamson, pastor of Emerald Street Church; Mrs. R. S. Seldon, of Exeter; Mrs. R. A. Skinner, Ingersoll; Mrs. H. Moulton and Mrs. E. Moulton, Dereham; Miss Violet Smith, Mount Elgin, and Mrs. Bradbury, Concession street, at whose home the reunion was held. As school girls, those in the group were constant companions, sharing the joys and disappointments incidental to school days. When their days at school were brought to a close they became separated, and yesterday was the first time they had all met in twelve years. The afternoon was most pleasantly spent. All were reminiscent, and in a few short hours their conversation embraced several years of companionship, which all enjoyed beyond expression.

IN WINNIPEG.

Brother of W. H. Hewlett Died Unexpectedly.

Word was received here this morning from Mr. W. H. Hewlett, Mus. Bac., who is now in Muskoka, of the death of his brother, Godfrey Randolph, who, two or three years ago, was a student in the Collegiate Institute here. Death took place in Winnipeg on Wednesday, and was unexpected. From this city the young man went to his home in Toronto, and about three months ago went to Winnipeg to accept a position in a large mercantile house. A few weeks ago, when Mr. Hewlett, of this city, was returning from the coast, he stopped over in Winnipeg and spent some time with his brother. Deceased was 21 years of age, and was well liked. His body will be brought to Toronto for burial.

Great Final Clearance of Summer Goods.

The Thomas C. Watkins' store announces great price reductions to-morrow as a great final clearance sale of summer goods generally. Assortments are large in everything and tremendous price reductions will be made on goods all over the store, since an immediate clearance must be made. Sale commences with a rush to-morrow. Visit the Right House and get your full share.



FORMER COUNTESS OF YARMOUTH, Harry Thaw's sister, who has refused offers of marriage so she could assist her brother in his fight for liberty.

A GOOD ONE.

Jack Hackett's Pupils Gave Programme at Waterdown.

A very successful garden party was held on the grounds of Mr. T. Burns, Waterdown, last evening, and a large and enthusiastic audience was present. The programme was supplied by the pupils of Mr. John Hackett, and judging by the repeated encores demanded for each and every number, was greatly appreciated. It was as follows: Opening address, Chairman Dr. McGregor; overture, piano, A. Lorne Lee; song and dance, Rose of Derry, Messrs. J. Foley, G. Odium, Misses L. and A. Vogt; song, Maurice Kaufman; song, Thomas and Lives, G. S. Odium; song and dance, J. Foley; speech by Mr. W. O. Sealey, M. P.; song and dance, Just My Style, Messrs. J. Foley, G. Odium, Misses L. and A. Vogt; song and conversation, Maurice Kaufman; duet, song, Misses A. and L. Vogt; Dutch song and dance, Messrs. J. Foley, G. Odium, Misses L. and A. Vogt.

I. M. U. PARADE

Will be Formed at 12.30 Tomorrow Afternoon.

To-morrow will see the great picnic of the iron moulders at Mountain View Park. The parade will form at 12.30 in the following order: Ninety-First Band, Union No. 29, Brantford, and Union No. 28, Toronto, alongside of the King street station. Guelph band, Union 447, Galt; 314, Preston, and 212, Guelph, will form on Walnut street, north of King street. Brantford band, Union No. 191, Peterborough; Cigarmakers' Union, No. 35, Hamilton, will form on Walnut street, south of King street. Preston band, Union No. 26, Hamilton; Welland and St. Catharines, will form on Mary street, north of King street. The parade will go up King street, north side, to John, to Barton, to James, to Main, to John, to King, south side to King street and disband. The following are the members of the ladies' committee to entertain the visiting ladies at the Arcade on Saturday morning: Mrs. W. P. Crawford, convenor; Mrs. William Hubbard, Mrs. Thomas Reil, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. W. L. Lucas, Miss Lizzie Bell, Miss Annie Lucas, Miss Belle Ringer and Miss Palmer.

WILL HUMP.

Grocers Have Set September 1 as the Date.

Hamilton Retail Grocers' Association held its August meeting in the Board of Trade rooms last night. The picnic committee was not ready to submit its report, but will do so at next meeting. Mr. R. R. Butler, of Brantford, was present and gave a very interesting address upon the collection of accounts. A request from the Young Women's Christian Association for a grant towards the building fund was received, and Mr. J. O. Carpenter gave notice of a motion to be introduced at next meeting to give a grant. Wednesday, Sept. 1, was decided upon as the date for the annual "hump." It will, in all probability, be held at Oaklands. The following committees were struck: General—John O. Carpenter, W. Smye, R. M. Hill. Transportation—Joseph Kirkpatrick, A. G. Bain. Amusements—John Forth, Ed. Hazell. Games—J. M. Lemmens, A. Lavis.

Saturday Tobacco Bargains.

Old Chum and Cut T. & B. for 9c; King's Navy 7c; Bobs chewing and Empire smoking 8c; T. & B. bright plug 10c; Shamrock smoking 3 plugs for 25c; at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

READY FOR ANNEXATION

That Is What Meeting at Crown Point Is For.

Leading Residents Are Determined to Bring It About.

There is to be a little meeting at Crown Point to-night, but not in connection with the existing epidemic of scarlet fever. Annexation is the subject for discussion to-night, and any reference to the present prevalence of sickness will only be incidental. A few of the leading spirits of the suburban settlement realize that the only possible way for them to secure an adequate supply of water, sewer accommodation, fire water and sanitary facilities is by joining the city and to-night they will lay out plans for the campaign they will undertake as soon as the very hot weather is over. Forms of petition will be drawn up and arrangements made to get them circulated and signed.

There have not been many new cases of scarlet fever in the past 24 hours as usual. Dr. Glendenning reported this morning that he was attending 37 cases and he knew of five others, making a total of 42 known. There are undoubtedly other cases, to some of which no physician has been called. The disease continues to be of a mild form.

Up to last night about half of the houses infected had been placarded. So large was the outbreak that the Board of Health run out of cards. A new supply, however, has been secured and all the remaining houses where it is known to exist were placarded to-day. In every case the progress of the patient has been satisfactory and no fatal results are anticipated.

It is estimated that the population of Crown Point is nearly 2,000 now, and the families, as a rule, contain a good many children.

NEW STATION FOR POLICE.

Likely to be Built Soon on Sherman Avenue.

City Files Statement of Defence in Morris Case.

Street Railway Ready to Go On Upper James Street.

At the next meeting of the Police Commissioners one of the chief subjects that will come up for discussion will be the establishment of a police station in the east end of the city. The expediency of a station in that part is apparent by the number of cases in the police court recently from that section. Just the exact location of the station has not been decided, but it will probably be on Sherman avenue, between King and Barton streets. Mayor McLaren said this morning that the necessity of a station there had long been felt and as soon as he returned from his two weeks' holiday, there would be a meeting of the commissioners, and the matter would probably develop then.

The east end of Hamilton is destined to be a centre of activity in the near future, both for commercial and manufacturing enterprises. The rapidity with which it has grown during the last five years has been astounding; exceeding the predictions of the most optimistic. With the assurance of the increased growth, adequate police protection will be necessary.

With reference to the statement of claims made by R. S. Morris in the writ issued against the city for an injunction to restrain it from entering into a contract with the Hydro-Electric Commission, and which appeared in yesterday's issue of the Times, City Clerk Kent this morning handed out the following statement of defence of the city: "The certificates as to the last day for making complaints to the County (Continued on page 8.)"

PLAYGROUNDS.

Baseball and Basketball Leagues Among the Boys.

The organization of the children at the playground is progressing each day. A baseball league has been started, the first game being played last night between teams captained by Garney Jenks and Gordon Long. The game was won by Long's team by a score of 9-6. The next game will be played between teams captained by Tom Bowker and Elmer Smiley, next Monday.

A basketball league is being organized and the first game will be played next Tuesday. A fancy marching squad will be commenced in a few days. Mr. Woolverton has returned to the city, and has kindly consented to teach twenty-four children the May pole dance.

The committee of management is working on what will be known as a parents' day. Full particulars will be published later. The hours at the playground have been changed. In the morning the grounds will be opened at 9.30 instead of 9 o'clock, and will be closed at 11 o'clock. The afternoon hours will be the same as before, but in the evening the grounds will be opened at 6.30 instead of 7, and will be kept open as long as there is daylight.

Glad-Pheet Corns.

And bunion cure, the only scientific over-night cure. This is the first time this great remedy has been shown in Hamilton. Come and see it demonstrated. It is guaranteed. See it displayed in our east window.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

ROCHESTER GIRL WHO WAS MURDERED IN A CEMETERY



ANNA SCHUMACHER, MURDERED ROCHESTER GIRL.

Anna Schumacher, aged 17, went to the cemetery at Rochester, N.Y., to put flowers on her father's grave. Then she went to a nearby altar of the Virgin Mother to offer prayers, when she was attacked by a fiend, and murdered. The slayer buried her body in a clump of weeds near the cemetery.

Got Hold of the Wrong Man

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 13.—Edward Ewald, the Greek farm hand who was taken into custody at the home of his brother in North Rose, Wayne county, last night, brought to Rochester and held on a technical charge of vagrancy, in the belief that he knew something about the murder of Anna Schumacher, whose body was found lightly covered with earth near Holy Sepulchre cemetery on Monday last, will be released in a few hours, according to announcement made by Sheriff GIBBET, this morning.

CLOSE ENOUGH STAYED.

Hamilton People Chased Out by the Harlan Point Fire.

Some Hamilton people had some exciting experiences at the recent fire at Harlan's Point, Toronto. They were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, 208 Hughson street north, their daughter Pearl, and her friend, Miss E. Walls. They were all staying at the Lake Shore Hotel, which is only a few yards from where the fire started. Though they escaped they had exciting experiences. The hotel where they were staying caught fire and the ice house was burned by the firemen. The guests made a rush for their belongings, among them the Hamilton citizens. They hurriedly took what they could carry and made their escape to a small island in the bay, where they left their goods and went to see the fire. Mr. Wilson says the scene was indescribable. At 10 p.m. the Lake Shore Hotel again caught fire in the kitchen, but it was put out. No damage was done beyond the kitchen and ice house, and the guests were able to return to the hotel for the night. Mr. Wilson was in the city yesterday and returned to Toronto to spend the remainder of his holidays. He says that they are all again comfortably settled and none the worse for their exciting experiences.

TWO WRITS.

One Against Winona Farmer—Other Against Street Railway.

Geo. S. Kerr, K. C., issued a writ this morning on behalf of Mr. Simon A. Burke against William Geddes, of Winona. Some time ago the plaintiff's son, Gordon, received a compound fracture of the right arm while in the employ of Mr. Geddes. He was driving a disc harrow, when the draw bolt came out, letting the tongue drop, the result was that the tongue ran into the ground and tipped the harrow, throwing the boy under it. The plaintiff claims the implement was not in a safe condition for a boy to drive. Mr. Kerr also issued a writ against the Hamilton Street Railway Company for Alfred Gillard, who is claiming \$400 damages by reason of an accident on Wilson street, in which his rig was damaged and he himself had several ribs broken. The plaintiff was driving a delivery wagon, when a tar ran into it. He claims the accident was due to negligence on the part of the company's employees.

SOLICITOR LOBB HERE.

Solicitor Lobb, of the Hydro-Electric Commission, called on Geo. S. Kerr, K. C., this morning, and discussed the question of settlement with the farmers in Ancestor township. Mr. Kerr has not yet had an opportunity to see all his clients. CHINESE MINISTER. Peking, Aug. 13.—China to-day notified the American Legation here of the appointment of Chang Yin Tang to succeed Wu Ting Fang as Minister at Washington.

Fresh Fish From Lake Erie.

Whitefish and herrings from Lake Erie have no equal; fresh caught trout, cod, halibut and sea salmon, smoked whitefish, trout, kippers, and ciscoes, shredded cod, anchovies in kags, Cove oysters for invalids, Labrador herrings by the dozen.—Peelies, Holson & Co., Ltd.

Bain & Adams' List.

New comb and extracted honey, chipped dried beef, pickled lamb's tongues, boneless pigs' feet, shrimps, crabs, scollops, cave oysters, Holland rusks, Roquefort, limburger, oka, Swiss cheese; ducks, chickens, Spanish pimentos, Edgewater crackers, pineapples, peas, plum-peaches, Rockfort melons, watermelons, cooked meats, bacon, ham, wines and liquors for medicinal use. Bain & Adams. It is so much easier to make a bad matter worse than to make a good matter better.

SOLD STOGIES IN GROCERY.

East End Italian Fined \$50 In Police Court.

Proprietor of Five Cent Theatre Was Fined \$5.

Indian Sent Back to Jail to Refresh His Memory.

Magistrate Jelfs, though some years past youth, possesses many youthful traits and one persistent in making itself noticeable this morning. It was an eagerness to see the circus parade. He arrived at the court before the 9.30 mark had been reached, and was in the magisterial chair on time to the tick, evincing an eagerness to present his dispensation at lightning speed. John Taglerino, 396 Sherman avenue north, was summoned for a breach of the Inland Revenue Act. He pleaded not guilty, and claimed ignorance of the excise law.

Mr. W. F. Miller, collector of inland revenue, said that on the morning of the 11th inst. he went into defendant's grocery and asked for two stogies. They were handed out, and he paid for them. The cigars were loose in a big paper bag, and not in a box or package, as the act requires, and there was no evidence of duty being paid, so Taglerino was summoned. Mr. Beasley was with Mr. Miller at the time of the purchase, and he corroborated his story. Taglerino said he bought them of a man who came north, but he did not know him. The defendant's boy acted as interpreter for papa, and between them they made the magistrate, W. A. Logie, and Mr. Miller marvel at their ignorance.

His Worship thought that their knowledge was a put-up game. W. A. Logie, who appeared for the Inland Revenue Department, said they were not desirous of being hard on "Tag," so the magistrate asked the son of Italy if he would mind paying the minimum fine of \$50. How quickly the light of victory shined from poor Tag's eye, as he counted out the money. Taglerino's prosecution is undoubtedly due to the vigilance of the local inland revenue authorities in their suppressing the receiving of smuggled goods, as they are of the opinion it is such stores as Taglerino's that the goods like Camille smuggled in from Buffalo two weeks ago are disposed of.

So very inviting looked the sweet, pure milk as it rested on the doorstep of Thomas Granger, and W. McNeil, 205 West avenue north, the police allege, was so thirsty and there lay the assaenger. To-day he was arraigned for theft and was remanded till to-morrow, as the complainant was not present. "The aisles were repeatedly blocked, your worship," said P. C. Lentz when he gave evidence against the Crystal Palace five-cent theatre. Herbert Clayton, the manager, appeared, paid \$5, and was notified that, should he be convicted again, his ready cash account would get a decided set back. For a week Harry England has been on remand to enable him to find out where he got the booze. Harry is on the Indian list, and a week ago he got some of the forbidden stuff, knowing it to be sinful. Well, he has rested a week, and tasted not, and this morning was ready to tell where he got it. "I was working on Merrick street, and an old friend, Jack Doyle, from Toronto, passed with a bottle and he asked me to drink."

This was not sufficient explanation, so back Harry went to jail this morning, and the magistrate said he may remember what hotel he wandered into. Mrs. Horton's doggie strayed; P. C. Ince was on parade. Who doggie's exploits then delayed, and she was fined \$2 this morning.

PERSONAL.

Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., and wife, are visiting at Rev. Dr. Williamson's, on Emerald street north. Mrs. L. E. Ellsworth and her daughter, Phyllis, left Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lamb, Ottawa. Mr. Geo. Bumpf and Mrs. Gussie Bumpf, of Chicago, and J. O. Otterbein, of Woodstock, are visiting Ald. Jutten. Miss Glendolyn Cherry and Mr. Earl Cherry returned yesterday to their home at Harrisburg, Ont., after a very pleasant visit to their aunt, Miss M. Maney, 54 Yonge street. Rev. J. A. Wilson, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, is in the city again, having returned last night from his holidays. He will occupy his pulpit at both services on Sunday.

ROUND-UP.

Vags In East Flamboro Brought Into the City.

Two dozen and one are the number of vags said to be wandering around East Flamboro. Farmers have complained to County Constable Bolton, so yesterday he came where police are plentiful—to Hamilton—secured a goodly number, and away they went to the country to reconnoitre for the undesirable. After a time they brought in Paul Burrows, C. McDonald, G. Thompson and J. Gibson. They were arraigned this morning for vagrancy, and remanded, because there's more to follow.

Outrivalled.

All previous August sales are outrivalled by Treble's Limited, big sweep-out sale now on. The crowds this past week have been great, and with the wonderful values for to-morrow and next week the crowds should be even greater. The values represented at this annual event are positively greater than ever before given in Ontario, dwarfing all similar events, eclipsing all other sales, and is an original, direct appeal to the economical instincts of thinking people. Read their advertisement on back page of this issue; it will prove the most profitable reading you have done for years. Both stores are open Saturday nights until 11 o'clock.

Spend Sunday at Ontario Beach Park.

The fine steamer Turbinia will make one of her week-end excursions to Rochester, N. Y., to-morrow evening, leaving her wharf at foot of John street at 6.30 p. m., arriving at Charlotte, port of Rochester, on Sunday morning at 6 o'clock. There is no better way of spending the week-end than by taking in this excellent water trip. Ontario Beach Park is a delightful spot, and altogether the trip is one of much enjoyment. Read the advertisement.

AT R. MCKAY & CO'S., SATURDAY, AUG. 14, 1909

The Great August Clearing Sale

To-morrow a day of remarkable value-giving—without a doubt some of the best buying chances of the whole summer season await you at this store to-morrow—and remember early shoppers will have largest choice. Come at 8.30.

Remarkable August Clearing Sale Events in the Ready-to-Wear Dept.

Three-Piece Wash Suits \$5.98, reg. \$13.50. Mauve, pink, blue, white and linen, with colored piping, good assortment to choose from; semi-fitted styles and splendidly tailored and trimmed with buttons, regular value \$13.50, specially priced at \$5.98.

Remarkable August Clearing Sale Events in Hosiery and Vests

Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose, black and tan, lace angle, full fashioned, also plain embroidered, good values at 40c, special Saturday to clear at 29c pair. Hose 29c. Hose 2 pair for 25c. Vests 29c. A snap in Ladies' Lisle Thread Vests, with short or no sleeves. Fancy Lace yoke, neatly finished, a large assortment to choose from, regular 40c, 50c value, special Saturday 29c.

Saturday's Sale of French Hand Embroidered Waists at 98c

Sharp at 8.30 Saturday morning we place on sale the balance of our stock of dainty French Hand Embroidered French Waists, made with lovely hand embroidered front and yoke effects, trimmed with insertion, regularly \$2.50, sale price 98c. A good line of American Shirt Waists, made with fine open-work embroidered fronts, tucked back, sleeves and collar trimmed with lace, worth \$1.00, special 80c.

August Sale of Lovely Wash Materials

A line of Striped Gingham, with a full range of pretty summer checked borders, in colors black and blue, and shades of white, navy and white, and pale blue, white grounds, with colored flowers, and white, in forty-two inch width, regular 12 1/2 to 15c, on sale at 8c per yard. Cotton Crepes, the new material for White Cross Bar Muslins, large and summer dresses and blouses, colors same stripes, fine champagne, sky, Nile, grey and white, sheer quality, even weave, good width, regular 15c yard, for 10c very special at 10c per yard.

Saturday Bargains in Housefurnishing Dept.

25c Cretonnes 10c. About 15 pieces of Fancy Art Cretonnes in light and dark colors, splendid quality; worth up to 25c per yard, to clear on Saturday 10c yard. Window Shades 38c. Best Oiled Opaque Window Shades, some trimmed with lace and insertion, mounted on best spring rollers, in various sizes and colors; worth up to \$1.00, so clear Saturday 38c.

Black Silk Sale

600 yards Lovely Qualities at 39c yard. Do not by any means miss this opportunity to-morrow. Over 600 yards of lovely black silks at fractional value, comprising French, Louise, Merveilleux, Peau-de-soie, etc. Silks that are worth 65c to 90 yards, clearing sale price 39c.

Clearing Sale of Millinery

One dozen only Colored Trimmed Hats, this year's new shapes, regular \$4.50, sale price 99c. Ladies' Summer White Chip Hats, assorted shapes, trimmed with flowers, foliage, wings, etc., regular \$7.00, sale price \$1.49. Beautiful Trimmed Hats, in white, black and assorted colors, regular \$10 and \$12.00, sale price \$5.00. Untrimmed Tuscan and Colored Straw Shapes, all this season's goods, regular price \$2.00 and \$3.00, sale price \$1.00. Beautiful French Flowers, in assorted colors and styles, regular \$2.00, sale price 15c.

First Showing of Fall Dress Goods

To-morrow this store will make a fine display of the new autumn dress and suiting materials; they are nearly all here, and ready for your choosing, and don't forget early choosing is always most profitable. The following special sale events for Saturday: New Directoire Satin Suitings at 59c yd., Worth reg. 75c. New Venetian Suitings very Special 75c. This is a very effective line, one of the best we have ever displayed on sale in both plain and shadow for the money; come in a shadow stripe, perfect shades of navy, amethyst, greys, red, myrtle, purple, and splendid shades of brown, rose and black, will make up splendidly early fall and winter suits, per yard, special 59c yard.

Lovely Silk Finished Henriettas at 42c yd.

Will make up dresses for any occasion, guaranteed pure wool with a lovely silk finish, splendid for house dresses, street dresses and children's dresses, on sale for the first time in splendid shades of reds, browns, navys, greys, rose, wine, greens, wistaria, pale blue, pink, cream and black, very special Saturday 42c yard.

Specials in White-Wear Department

Corset Covers 19c. In nice, fine nainsook, trimmed with insertion and lace to match, a good fitting corset cover, all sizes, worth 25c, special 19c. Children's White Dresses \$1.49. Made of nice, fine, even-thread lawn, good full skirt, waist trimmed with insertion and tucks, sizes from 5 to 14 years, worth up to \$2.75, your choice 1.49.

3 Grand Specials in the Jewelry Section

Regular \$1.00, Brilliant Hat Pins, for Saturday 50c. Regular 75c Dutch Collar Pins, in cameo heads, for Saturday 35c. Regular 50c, Lace Brooches, in dainty designs, gold-plated, for Saturday 25c.

R. MCKAY & CO.

Love Finds the Way

With the recovery of his strength grew his intense irritation at his imprisonment, and a feverish, almost maddening, longing for freedom. It showed itself in his eyes so plainly that a stricter watch was kept, and the jailer came into the room with his fellow waiting at the door. Clarence marked this precaution, and instead of feeling despondent at this tribute to his strength, grew hopeful. He argued that the means of imprisonment must cease at the outer door, as it needed so much precaution at the landing. He longed to get a view from the front of the house. He was so weak at the time of his wailing that he scarcely noticed the route of the streets; but he remembered that the street they stopped at was a long, narrow and a quiet one. He determined to see and tread that street before long if he died in the attempt. But, although he was working hard at a plan all day, he was careful to conceal any appearance of such an attempt from his guardian. He knew it would not do to assume a cheerful resignation, and so took no trouble to conceal his irritation, paced the room, took his food in silence and gave them short and sharp replies to any questions they put. One evening, however, he ventured so far as to call the man who attended upon him if he had such a thing as a pack of cards. "Cards!" repeated the man, inclined to be suspicious of a toothpick if his prisoner had asked for it. "Oh, yes; did monsieur require a pack?" "Well," said Clarence, mildly, "it would help to pass the time away. Bring a pack and let us play a game—ecarte, cribbage, what you like." "Does monsieur like dominoes?" asked the man, with a hard effort not to look eager. "The very thing," said Clarence, who noted the eager look. "Bring them, by all means." The man disappeared, locking and bolting the door after him with the usual care, and soon returned with a box of dominoes. They sat down with all possible gravity, and the game commenced, the jailer's back to the door, Clarence fronting him. A bottle of wine and some cigars were on the table, and Clarence invited the man to help himself. But he declined with a twinkle of cunning that said plainly enough: "No, no, monsieur; you would get my head full of the wine and give my legs the slip. No, no." Clarence did not press him, but helped himself to the wine and professed to enjoy the game. At midnight, after playing for several hours, the jailer rose, packed up the dominoes, pocketed the francs he had won and prepared to retire. Clarence thought a repetition of the bribe might come in well again, perhaps, and he offered it to him. "But the man was firm. "Monsieur," said he, stretching across the table, "which is better—one thousand and napoleons or one's life?" "Life is sweet," said Clarence, with French brevity. "So!" nodded the man, significantly. "If let the little bird go he will bring my neck to the guillotine." "Ah!" thought Clarence; "then my jailer's master is a he!" And he retired to bed tolerably satisfied with his night's work. The following morning the man brought him his paper as usual, and Clarence, to whom it was the only thing of interest in his long dreary day, took it eagerly, and his eagerness increased tenfold when his eyes rested upon the following paragraph: "We learn that the gentleman who fell in the duel upon the harbor sands was an English gentleman bearing the name of Clifford. His body has not yet been discovered, and it is conjectured that the outgoing tide washed it out to sea." A grim smile crossed his face and his brow knitted. "Not dead yet," he thought, "but alive to unravel this knot and punish the culprit." And so he was supposed to be dead? Well, well, there would be very few mourners—none, perhaps, beyond that foolish young fellow who had stood by him in the hour of danger, and his regret would be lessened by the reflection that he should be freed of the debt for the thousand pounds. He took up the paper again and looked over it with abated interest. When a man has read the announcement of his own death, all other matters must necessarily seem tame and trivial. By an effort, he succeeded in smoothing his feverish agitation from his face. He even attempted to hum an English air as the man came up the stairs with his dinner, but broke down lamentably, and confined himself to looking cheerfully at the wall. The man nodded respectfully and set the dinner out. The other odious and hateful turnkey stood guard at the door. Clarence Clifford returned the salutation and chatted upon the weather—of which, he knew very little—and inquired, as usual, if his jailer had received any instructions as to his liberation. "No, monsieur, none. Patience." "All right," said Clarence, with a sigh. "A hand at cards to-night, I presume—or the dominoes—eh?" "The dominoes, if it so please monsieur," replied the man, greedily. And Clarence nodded. As the man was leaving the room he called him back, and said, as if by an afterthought, "By the way, Antoine, your friend, must be dull, ask him to join us, and—throwing a napoleon upon the table—'bring some wine.'" He gave his invitation loudly enough for the invited to hear him. Now, although Antoine, the prudent, could withstand wine, Jacques, the bibulous, could not. His eyes glistened and he made a gesture of assent to his mate. "Jacques thanks you, monsieur, and he will do himself the honor to accept." "That is all right," said Clarence Clifford. "Cards, dominoes, a song, what you will, anything to kill time." Jacques grinned and the door closed. Clarence waited until the heavy footsteps had died away, then took up the cruet stand and examined it. 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TOWN BURNED.

Town of Milton Destroyed by Fire Early To-day.

Hundred Houses Burned—Hundreds of Homeless People.

Milton, Del., Aug. 13.—Almost the entire town of Milton was destroyed by fire early to-day. Nearly 100 houses, a lumber yard and a bank building were destroyed. The loss will exceed \$100,000. Several hundred persons were made homeless by the fire. Aid was summoned from surrounding points, but owing to a wreck on the Delaware Railroad, the fire apparatus could not be brought to Milton in time to be of much use. Only twelve houses escaped the flames. The fire started shortly after 2 o'clock in the hardware store of S. J. Wilson. The flames spread rapidly to the C. G. Waples lumber yard, the Sussex County Title & Safe Deposit Company's building, the Diamond State Telephone's exchange, the Royal Packing Company's plant, and the factory of W. H. Wackman & Co. All of these structures were badly damaged. The deposits of the Milton National Bank were removed to Lewis, Del.

The town has a population of about 1,000 persons, and is divided by the broad Kiln River into two sections. The north section is composed mostly of residences, while the southern section is composed almost entirely of business establishments. The southern section, which contains nearly 300 buildings, was the worst sufferer from the fire, many of the structures being destroyed.

Two Things to REMEMBER THIS MONTH ABOUT West Mount Survey. The lots on West Mount are 40 ft. frontage by 110 ft. deep. present prices \$225 to \$300 per lot. These prices will continue during month of August. ON AND AFTER SEPT. 1st THE PRICE WILL BE ADVANCED \$100 PER LOT. City office open 9 to 1 and 2 to 5. Branch office, corner Aberdeen and Platt avenues, open every evening 6.30 to 8 o'clock. TAKE H. & D. CAR TO OFFICE DOOR. H. H. Davis, Manager, Phone 685. W. D. Flatt, Room 15, Federal Life

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FREAK BILLS. GOT SHOCK.

Georgia Legislators Shone Much in Introducing Them.

Fear Negroes Would Profit by School Measure Doomed It.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 13.—The Georgia General Assembly adjourned to-night with mixed feelings of regret and pleasure. The legislators regretted that the constitutional limit had been reached. The general public rejoiced that the end had come. The session probably will go down in history as the one in which less real work for the public was accomplished and more freak legislation threatened than any other in years. Two measures never reached a hearing in either House. One was the compulsory education bill. It provided that each child under the age of 14 must attend school three months a year. The bill's opponents charged that it would force the negroes into the schools and "make them more useless than ever."

The other measure was the one to substitute a constitutional amendment to decide whether the Legislature should meet only upon each alternate year. This was advocated by business organizations all over the State, but was effectively opposed by the politicians. But it was in the introduction of freak bills that the legislators shone. There was one which would prevent "females over the age of 12, not circus riders" from riding astride. A bill to permit the carrying of pistols if worn "outside the outer clothing" was favorably reported, as was one to prohibit the carrying of any deadly weapon less than two feet long. Neither was passed.

Among other measures which failed to get even a vote were— To require hotelkeepers to supply mosquito bars over each bed. To require hotelmen to furnish nine-foot sheets. To limit speeches in assembly to five minutes. To make unlawful the playing of football or baseball at any school in the State.

NO WAR LIKELY. Britain Is Best Customer of Germany, Subjects of Kaiser Say.

Woodstock, Aug. 12.—James Campbell, of the firm of Campbell Bros., of Woodstock, returned last evening from a purchasing trip through the British Isles and several of the continental countries of Europe. Mr. Campbell asserts that there is a general improvement of trade conditions in the several countries visited, although the recent commercial depression is not entirely obliterated. "Canada," said Mr. Campbell, "is looked upon by the people of Britain as the country of present day opportunity and promise, and is receiving a great deal of attention from the motherland. The militant hostility, although the sense of commercial rivalry is very keen. "Great Britain is our best customer," he heard a German say. "Why should we quarrel with her?"

With her increasing manufacturing population Germany requires a strong effort to safeguard her trading vessels and prevent any other nations from interrupting her imports of food products.

SAD END. Boy Falls From Horse and is Dragged to Death.

Underwood, Ont., Aug. 13.—A sad accident occurred here this morning, in which William, the 16-year-old son of Mr. Henry Roppel, lost his life. The lad was leading a horse, and attempted to get on the animal's back, when he became caught in the harness, and, falling, was dragged for some distance. When he was found life was extinct.

FALL WAS FATAL. Clinton, Ont., Aug. 13.—Nixon Sturdy, Clerk of Goderich township, and a prosperous farmer, died in the Clinton Hospital last night as a result of the injuries received yesterday afternoon by falling from the railing of a bridge crossing the Maitland River near Holmesville.

What's the Use? "Now, Willie, go wash your face and hands. I expect your Uncle to dinner and you won't want him to find you so untidy." "Well, but, Mother, suppose he don't come?" "Bright Boy. "Papa, I was at head of the class to-day." "That's my bright boy; but was it because you studied harder?" "No, sir, the other fellow stayed away."

SAW MILL BURNED. The Hocken Lumber Company's saw mill at Otter Lake Station, near Parry Sound, was totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday night. Mr. J. C. Slater, Watford, is largely interested, and his loss will be keenly felt. The firm carried no insurance on the mill. The chances are that they will erect a new saw mill and have one of the best and most up-to-date mills that can be erected.

GOT 26 MONTHS JUDGED BY HIS CONDUCT.

Manuel Training and Domestic Science at St Catharines.

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(Special Despatch to the Times.) St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 13.—Henry Moore came up for trial before his honor Judge Carman yesterday afternoon, charged with breaking into the residence of Wm. Durham in Grantham township, and taking therefrom a quantity of household goods. He was convicted and sentenced to twenty-six months' imprisonment in Kingston Penitentiary.

It begins to look as if manual training and domestic science will be introduced into St. Catharines' schools. Last night the Public School Board strongly favored these departments for the new St. Patrick's ward school, which will be completed and ready for use at the beginning of next year. The hotels whose licenses were cancelled by the license commissioners are being conducted as temperance houses, and the proprietors claim to be doing a flourishing business in soft drinks, cigars and lunches. One of them said he had more business last week than he could properly attend to with the staff he had formerly employed.

White Plains, Aug. 12.—Sullen and silent in his cell at the White Plains jail, Harry K. Thaw received the news that he must go back to Matteawan and that his latest fight for freedom had ended in defeat. The news seemed to stun him and he asked to be let alone. He would talk to no one, but asked that his attorney, Charles Morschauer, be sent for at once.

In the little country home a few blocks away from the jail, Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, the prisoner's mother; the ex-Cousin of Yarmouth, his sister; and Joseph Thaw, the brother, sat together in the little sitting room where the news was brought to them. The mother retired to her room and denied herself to all callers. The family will make one more visit to Thaw in the jail here, before he is sent back to Matteawan.

Justice Mills will hear motions on his decision at his chambers in Mt. Vernon to-morrow. The Thaw family firmly believed Harry would be freed, and the decision came as such a shock to them that they have not decided what they will do to oppose the further incarceration of the prisoner.

Alice Thaw, the former Countess of Yarmouth, was the first member of the family to meet Thaw. She walked to the hotel and when she arrived at the jail Thaw was nervously pacing the corridors. Thaw embraced his sister and she broke down and wept. They withdrew into his cell and talked together for fifteen minutes. Then the countess returned back to her mother at the hotel, warding off a squad of photographers with her parasol. She refused to discuss her interview with her brother.

HIS OWN FAULT. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Attorney Charles Morschauer, who represented Thaw at the White Plains trial, was not surprised at the decision of Justice Mills, believing that Thaw's own conduct at the examination proved to be his undoing in supporting the State's claim that he suffered from ex-aggravated ego.

Morschauer left here shortly before noon to go to White Plains to confer with his client. As he took the train he said to a United Press representative: "Candidly, I rather anticipated this decision. Thaw's own conduct during the trial did not help his case any."

"Judge Mills paid much attention to Thaw during the hearings, and that is what caused me more than anything else to look for the decision that was handed down to-day. I haven't seen the full decision yet, but if the court finds that Thaw is a hopeless paranoiac, we shall certainly appeal, because such a finding would injure Thaw's chances on future attempts to regain his freedom."

"The decision may keep Thaw in the asylum for a time longer, but it does not really prove that Thaw is insane." A telephone message from Matteawan says that Thaw's former quarters there are being prepared for his return, which is expected to-night.

EVELYN'S OPINION. New York, Aug. 12.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was at her apartments, 31 West 33rd street, when reporters told her the news. She admitted none of them, however, but contented herself with talking to the newspaper men over the telephone.

Young Mrs. Thaw would make no statement as to what she intended to do now. She declared that all her attorneys had deserted her, but that she would secure new legal talent to represent her. When asked as to her opinion of Justice Mills' decision, she said: "I think that, under the circumstances, a man who takes the advice of his counsel to neglect his wife, as my husband did, has surely something radically wrong with his head."

RECEIVED NO WARNING. Mrs. Wm. Morgan, 18 Barton street west, wishes to say that she did not get off a car on Barton street in spite of the conductor's warning. She was under the impression that car had stopped. The conductor was at the end of the car and she was at the middle, and if he had given warning some of the other passengers would have heard it. She was not at all cut, but was painfully bruised.

Lake Huron and Lake Superior. A magnificent summer trip is enjoyed by taking the "fresh water sea voyage" from Sarnia, Ontario, to Fort William, Ontario, through these inland seas. This year new steamers have been added to the Northern Navigation Co.'s fleet, and the finest and fastest vessels of the Great Lakes will fly the house flag of this popular Company. The steamers run in connection with the Grand Trunk Railway System, and all particulars, rates and descriptive literature, etc., can be had for the asking by applying to Grand Trunk city or depot office.

"TEXAS" AT GRAND. The patrons of the Grand are promised a lot of excellent attractions this season. The first is "Texas," a comedy-drama which is well spoken of and will be presented there next Wednesday evening. The play is not a sensational one of the popular price order, though it tells a story of western life. It is said to have a good cast, and all special scenery is carried for the four acts.

Horse That Was 45 Years Old. The extraordinary age of 45 years and 9 months was attained by a horse owned by Col. Heath which has just died at the Colonel's farm at Apollo Bay, Victoria.

Col. Heath states that there can be no possible doubt as to the animal's age, as he still has the diary containing the entry showing when it was foaled. It is in all probability the greatest record known. The horse was ridden by the Colonel as a charge-rod in its youth and several times carried him from Melbourne to Shepperton—160 miles—in two days. It was sired by a famous racehorse named King Alfred, its mother being an Australian Arab bred mare.

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CURZON'S REBUKE.

Lord Curzon is winning many compliments for standing forward as a leader of the Conservative party in Great Britain and denouncing those who for party purposes went about decrying the country as in the first stages of decadence.

HARD ON WAR-MAKERS.

A little while ago that enthusiastic Militarist, Col. Denison, of Toronto, returned from Great Britain after having sat at the feet of Joe Chamberlain and enjoying the thrills of patriotic war alarms.

THE DAWNING OF REASON.

Detroit's temporary craze for municipal ownership of street railway lines, which has caused so much delay in securing better city transit facilities, appears to be passing.

WE MUST BE JUST.

The proposal to build an international bridge across the Niagara River at the Falls to commemorate the conclusion of a century of peace between Great Britain and Canada, and the United States, such bridge to be absolutely free from all charges to traffic and large enough to meet the needs of a century to come.

ber of "Fire Insurance," published at Toronto by Mr. M. B. Campbell. There should be a field for such a monthly in Canada, and Mr. Campbell is well qualified to make it a success.

As we expected, it has now been announced that the Ross rifle has not been barred from the D.R.A. matches. The Tory organs jubilated too soon.

The investigation into Ald. Fort's so-called "charges" against city foremen yesterday afternoon proved to be somewhat of a disappointment. Contrary to expectations, Ald. Fort's complaints were of a condition of affairs said to have existed two or three years ago.

The great efforts made to turn Thaw loose upon a suffering world have failed. He has been adjudged to be insane, and remanded to the asylum, where he will probably spend the remainder of his worthless life.

The strike at Fort William resulted yesterday as might have been expected in a resort to lawless violence and the use of firearms, and a number of the strikers and police officers were wounded.

Our Exchanges

ALL WANT HIM. (Peterboro Examiner.) The despatches say that the West wants Sir Wilfrid. Nothing remarkable in that; the whole country wants him.

THE WRONG PLACE. (Dundas Banner.) An hilarious doctor in Toronto got into a taxicab and told the chauffeur to go to blazes. He went to Hamilton.

NOT BARE-FACED. (Philadelphia Record.) Mrs. Wigwag—My husband told me a barefaced lie last night. Miss Caustique—I thought most of the lies a husband told his wife had whiskers on them.

CLICK! CLICK! Suburb—It's simply great to wake up in the morning and hear the leaves whispering outside your window. Cityman—It's all right to hear the leaves whisper, but I never could stand hearing the grass mown.

UP IN ITS BIBLE. (Guelph Herald.) The Hamilton Times wants to know "Where is Ruth?" If remembrance serves right; she was last conspicuously gleaming in the cornfield. Perhaps, however, she got tired of the farm.

OFF-SIDE. (Philadelphia Bulletin.) Johnny (to new visitor)—So you are my grandma, are you? Grandmother—Yes, Johnny! I'm your grandma on your father's side. Johnny—Well, you're on the wrong side. You'll find that out.

HUMAN CAMEL. (Chicago Tribune.) Boss—When you told the new clerk that he'd have to hump himself if he expected to hold his job, how did he take it? Department Manager—He got his back up right away.

A STOPPAGE IN THE SUPPLY. (Boston Transcript.) Father—Heavens, what a noise that child is making! Nurse—Well, I don't wonder. I see you made a knot in the tube of his bottle so that you shouldn't forget to feed him.

CAUSE OF DISCORD. (Puck.) She—So they do not live very happily together, you say? He—No. It's the eternal struggle between religion and society. He is as straight-laced as she is straight-fronted.

A CENTENARY OF PEACE. (Toronto Sun.) Let us not only have an international celebration of the conclusion of a century of peace, but with that the creation of a permanent memorial such as the giant figure of the Christ, which placed on the Andes between Argentina and Chile, stands as a guarantee of perpetual peace between the two most enlightened states of Latin America.

A. M. SOUTER & CO. Our August Furniture and Carpet Sale A GREAT SUCCESS THIS MONTH so far has been a busy one, but to make it a record breaker, we will continue to give special reductions to every customer buying Furniture or Carpets in the next two weeks.

THE OLD LAKE. (Oakville Record.) What a blessing to the people of Oakville is old Lake Ontario! Perhaps by no others of our citizens is the lake more enjoyed than by the boys and young men who delight in swimming.

DON'T SHOOT THEM. (Windsor Record.) Aside from the exquisite pleasure derived from the presence of the birds in every true lover of nature, there is an economic side to the question. The birds are the best friends of the agriculturist and already their disappearance is being felt in reduced yields in fruits, roots and cereals.

NO SCHOOL QUESTION. (Montreal Witness.) Mr. Murphy, Secretary of State, has given a pleasing report of his impressions during his recent travels in the western provinces, impressions which in turn give a very pleasing impression of him.

ENLIGHTENMENT. (Puck.) Mrs. Boggs—Henry, did you hear about Mrs. Jones Mrs. Smith was telling me this afternoon how— Mr. Boggs—That's just like you women, gossiping about things that don't concern you, and I suppose you have the story all mixed up, anyway.

THE BARGAIN COUNTER. (Rochester Post Express.) Mr. Edison's cement houses, made by the use of metal moulds, will soon be on the market. The style, presumably, is determined by different combinations of the steel moulds, and Mr. Edison claims that he can furnish a whole block of cottages, no two of which shall be alike.

STICKS TO HIS PEOPLE. (Toronto News.) Some writers incline to sneer because sometimes a clergyman moves from one congregation to another which offers him a higher salary. The critics forget that such considerations as a wider opportunity for service often influence the preacher's choice.

ENEMIES OF MANKIND. (Goldwin Smith.) If a man were to go about assiduously sowing the seeds of a mortal disease we know what would be thought of him. When a man goes about assiduously sowing the seeds of hatred between nations, which may lead, and which he apparently is not unwilling should lead, to war, with all its carnage and destruction, ought the censure on him to be less severe? This, however, it is that is practically going on among us, and that seems to be treated in some quarters as a fine show of imperial spirit.

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NINE INJURED. Runaway North Vancouver Car Fell into Inlet. Sudbury, B. C., Aug. 12.—Nine people were more or less painfully injured this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when a North Vancouver street car ran away, owing to the brakes failing to work, and fell into the inlet. The motorman, Kelly, jumped at First street, and injured his skull, but Conductor Jones stuck to his post, because he said he was afraid the women and children would try and clamber out into the water. His nose was broken. Mr. Arntz Realy is among the injured. The passengers were rather panicky, but several showed great pluck.

CAPTAIN DEAD. Commander of Steamer Italia Died Suddenly on Board Ship. New York, Aug. 13.—When the steamer Italia arrived to-day from Naples she was in command of her first officer, with the dead body of her captain lying below decks. On Monday morning, August 9, when the Italia was well on her voyage from the Mediterranean, her commander, Captain John Bridges, died suddenly from an attack of heart failure while in his berth. He was 57 years old, a native of Leith, Scotland, and had been a long time in the service of the Anchor Line.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Aug. 13.—Harry K. Thaw will go back to Matteawan on Wednesday, August 18. Justice Isaac N. Mills to-day signed the formal order committing him to the asylum on that date. He said that he allowed Thaw to stay five days more at the White Plains jail on the plea of his mother. The justice's recommendation that Thaw be granted the privileges he enjoyed during the first three months at the institution was made mandatory and a part of the order.

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JONES' OPENING DAY Announcement NOW IN LARGE NEW STORE 119 KING ST. EAST CHAS. D. JONES NEW ADDRESS 119 KING STREET EAST Opposite the Waldorf

formance of many of our "automatic" actions. Standing, walking and running are good examples of such actions, which cannot be accurately carried out without normal, well-balanced cerebellum. New-born animals, the lecturer continued, cannot stand; they sprawl, and before they can stand, power. For the convenience of life this ability to stand must be secured without the animal having consciously to think what he is doing. The fully developed cerebellum supplies this power unconsciously. In proof of this Sir Victor pointed out that the cerebellum of a full-grown cat showed fully developed cells and fibres, whereas in the newborn kitten's brain the cerebellar portion is not yet organized into active nerve tissues.

OUR MID-SUMMER CLEARING SALE

Hamilton's Greatest Blouse Sale

The Biggest and Best Offering Ever Made by the Shea Store

Thousands of elegant Waists, made by the best manufacturers in Canada, and some from New York; all go in three great offerings.

Waists worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 for 75c
Made of muslins, vestings, lawns and mulls in white and colored; Waists that have been sold all season at \$1.50 to \$2.00, on sale Saturday each 75c

Waists worth \$2.75 for \$1.49
Made of finest white handkerchief lawn, with very fine and rich Swiss needlework fronts, newest style sleeves; worth every cent of \$2.75, on sale for \$1.49

Waists at \$1.19 **Better Waists On Sale**
A splendid collection of mull and \$2.95 Waists for \$1.05
lawn Waists, newest styles; worth up \$4.00 Waists for \$2.50
to \$2.00, on sale for \$1.19 \$5.00 Waists for \$2.75

The Biggest and Best Ever Organized by the SHEA Store

Everything in the store of a summer character is to be cleared out. The cut price method has been chosen and the most exceptional bargains are here for you in every aisle and department in the store. Premium tickets, too.

A Clean-Up in Children's Summer Dresses

Hundreds of Children's and Misses' Dresses, white and colored, Cottons, Muslins, Prints, Gingham, Mulls, etc., etc.

Misses' Wash Suits \$3.50 for \$2.50; Dresses, \$2.00 for \$1.19; Misses' Dresses \$2.75, for \$1.75; Children's Dresses \$1.50, for 95c; \$2.50 Dresses for \$1.50; \$1.25 Dresses for 85c; 75c Dresses for 49c; 65c Dresses for 39c.

Another Big Corset Offering

1,000 pairs and more of the best Canadian made Corsets, oddments bought from the most noted makers and small lots from our own stock; every pair perfect and fresh. All on sale at these cut prices:

75c Corsets 39c \$1.00 Corsets 49c \$1.50 Corsets 79c \$2.25 Corsets 99c

Our Grand Wash Goods Clearance

Never has such a grand collection of "Tub" Materials been put on sale in one offering by any Hamilton store. Everything you can wish for is here for you, in the prices given below:

Fine Cotton Voiles and Muslins, worth 35, 50 and 60c, on sale at 15, 19c
Linen Suitings, fancy borders and stripes, worth 35 to 50c, for sale 15, 19c
Fancy Muslins, in spots, stripes and fancy designs, worth 20, 25 and 30c, for sale 10 and 12 1/2c
Prints, Gingham, Muslins, worth 12 1/2, 15 and 20c, on sale for, per yard

Big Offering in Men's Underwear

All the Men's Balbriggan Underwear we have left in stock will be cleared out on Saturday. The Shirts are 34, 36, 40 and 42 sizes. The Drawers are 32, 34 and 36 size. The regular 50 and 75c lines, to clear at, per garment 29c

A Grand Offering of Silk Underskirts

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Skirts for \$2.95; 50 only of them in black, white and colored, good full width, with dust frill, finished with ruffles and flounces, worth from \$5.00 to \$6.00, Saturday for \$2.95

SHEA'S

SATURDAY, AUG. 14, STORE OPEN TILL 10 O'CLOCK

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

A Final Clearance of Fancy Parasols

Over 100 Fancy Cotton and Silk Parasols, in a great variety of colors and designs, all perfect in every way, to clear as follows:

\$1.50 Parasols for \$1.00 \$2.50 Parasols for \$1.25
\$3.50 Parasols for \$1.95 \$2.00 Parasols for \$1.00
\$3.00 Parasols for \$1.49 \$5.00 Parasols for \$2.95

Saturday Bargains in Staples

Bleached Sheetting, 72 inches wide, even, clean weave, regular 30c value, for 22 1/2c

Roller and Tea Toweling, in length \$ of from 2 to 10 yards, all pure flax, 12 1/2c, for 8 1/2c

Turkish Towels, extra large size, perfectly absorbent and grand quality, 25c, for 19c

Huck Towels, all pure flax and good quality, regular 25c value, for 18c

White Quilts, 72 x 90, splendid honeycomb weave, hemmed ends, worth \$1.50, on sale for each 99c

Final Sweep-Out of Wash Suits and Skirts

Every Wash Suit and every Wash Skirt in stock to-night will be on sale at startling figures to-morrow. Never have the garments for summer wear been so dainty and stylish as these clearing figures. This means savings and big ones, too.

Wash Suits \$10.00 for \$3.95
Made of splendid Linen materials, with plain and striped long coat, stylish skirts, white and all the good colors, worth \$10 and \$12, on sale Saturday for each \$3.95

Princess Dresses \$3.95
Made of beautiful silk finished mull, finished with fine lace and guipure, pink, mauve, blue and white, small princess styles, full 110 value, for \$3.95

Similar Dresses worth \$12, for \$4.95

Wash Skirts Less than Half
Made of Linen, Near-Linen, Cotton Rep, etc., etc., white and light colors, a splendid range of sizes and styles, all perfect fitting and splendidly made, \$2 skirts for 95c; \$3 skirts for \$1.48; \$4.50 skirts for \$1.98

Women's Elegant Cloth Suits at \$10.00
All most elegantly made garments, with grand, long, silk-lined coats and swell skirts, strapped and trimmed with buttons, full \$25.00 value, for each \$10.00

Women's Rain Coats On Sale
About 50 of them, to clear at about half price, three-quarter and seven-eighth length, made of splendid rain-proof cloths, and good, serviceable styles, grey and fawn.

\$10.00 Coats for \$5.00 \$15.00 Coats for \$7.50

Table Linen Bargains

Another 25 of those Pure Linen Table Cloths, not many, but all we could get for Saturday, 66x84 size, good designs, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, on sale sharp at 83c for each

Table Napkins, tea size, hemmed all ready for use, worth \$1.25, Saturday for 85c

Bleached Damask **Unbleached Damask**

\$1.75, for \$1.39 40c, for 25c
\$1.50, for \$1.10 50c, for 35c
\$1.25, for 90c 60c, for 45c
\$1.00, for 69c 75c, for 40c

Women's Skirts--A Sale

Lustres, Poplins, Voiles, Panamas, Venetians, Broadcloths, etc., sizes to Venetians, Broadcloths etc., sizes to fit every figure:

\$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 Skirts, to clear at \$3.95
\$8.50 to \$10.00 Skirts to clear at \$7.00
\$12.50 to \$15.00 Skirts to clear at \$9.50
\$18.00 Skirts to clear at \$12.50

Kid Glove Sale

A quantity of White Kid Gloves and Black Suede Gloves, all regular sizes, the kind that sell for \$1.00 and \$1.25, all go on sale Saturday for 49c

Long Silk Gloves, in black, pink, mauve and sky, worth \$1.00, for 49c

Ribbon Sale

1,000 yards only fine Taffeta Silk Ribbon, 4 to 5 1/2 inches wide, and grand quality, worth 25 and 29c, all goes on sale Saturday for, per yard 12 1/2c

Dutch Collars with jabot attached, worth 50c, for 25c

Wash Belts, worth 25c, for 10c

Elastic Belts, black and colors, 25c, 35c and 50c

Leather Hand Bags, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, for 95c

Hat Pins, in great variety, 15c to 20c, for 7 1/2c

Handkerchiefs for men, all linen, 25c, for 15c

KEEP OFF THE TRACK.

That Is the Lesson Taught by Kirkendall's Death.

No One to Blame But the Men Themselves.

Noise of Heavy Train Prevented Them From Hearing.

The inquest as to the death of George Kirkendall, who was killed last Sunday night in the G. T. R. Stuart street yard, was resumed last night in No. 3 Police Station. Dr. McNichol was the coroner. The jury brought in the following verdict: "That George Kirkendall was accidentally killed by a G. T. R. engine; no blame is attached to anyone."

Andrew J. Gillett, the first witness called, said he went to the G.T.R. station in company with Kirkendall to get some information about the harvest excursions to the West. After getting it at the booking office they both started homeward along the tracks when something struck witness knocking him down. He then saw an engine pass him. The next thing he saw was Kirkendall lying on the track doubled up. They stepped out of the way of one train to another track and an engine coming in the opposite direction struck deceased. It was impossible to hear the light engine owing to the noise of the other train. Witness considered no one to blame except themselves for being there.

W. G. Fisher, yardman at the G. T. R., said he saw two men on the track about a second before the engine hit deceased. As soon as the accident happened he telephoned for the ambulance and a doctor.

James Beattie, the engineer on the engine that struck Kirkendall, told that he was going out to help in a passenger train. When he found he had struck the man he at once applied the brakes. In his opinion the accident was unavoidable.

Charles McGregor, fireman on the light engine, did not see the accident as he was making up the fire at the time and only knew about it when the engineer told him a man had been struck.

Dr. Hess testified that he was called to deceased at the City Hospital. He described the injuries and attributed death to injury to the brain from a crushed bone in the skull.

Dr. McBride corroborated the evidence of Dr. Hess.

THREATENED A CONSTABLE.
Former Woodstock Man Was Brought Back and Fined.

Woodstock, Aug. 12.—G. Whittaker, of Owen Sound, formerly of Woodstock, was brought to this city to-day under arrest by Constable Fred Hill, who charged him with writing a menacing letter. Whittaker wrote to Hill, accusing him of having over-collected from Whittaker on a judgment, and threatening prosecution. Hill thereupon went to Owen Sound and arrested the man on a charge of sending him a threatening letter. The magistrate found him guilty, and he had to pay the costs of the court, \$26.

Instructions in "baby-minding" are given to the students of the London Garden Schools. Babies are borrowed for the purpose.

BURGLAR'S DIARY

Furnished Valuable Information to Police.

New York, Aug. 12.—A despatch to the Tribune from Reading, Pa., says: Many burglars have kept diaries, but it remained for Edgar Weidner to keep a complete record of his 100 alleged thefts, as well as a list of thirty-five alleged sweethearts in three States. Weidner was sent to the Eastern Penitentiary by Judge Endlich on an indeterminate sentence to-day, after pleading guilty to burglary and larceny.

County Detective Merkel obtained the information, which finally broke down the prisoner's story and led him to confess, from a pocket diary which Weidner dropped while pursued at Lyons, where he was arrested. Reading residences where he boarded are mentioned. Next is a list of thirty-five alleged sweethearts. The first twenty-five on the list are Reading women, one is from New Jersey, one is a Kutztown widow, five are Harrisburg favorites, two are Philadelphia friends, and another is from Easton.

Then follows a list of 109 places which it is thought Weidner visited in his criminal escapades in Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey. In the places visited Weidner, according to his own figures, got away with only \$403, the items ranging from \$1 to \$43.

MOORS WANT PEACE

Delegates Sent to Tangier by the Riff Tribesmen.

Tangier, Morocco, Aug. 12.—Two delegates from the Riff tribesmen who are opposing the Spaniards in front of Melilla have arrived here from that place, and it is understood that their mission is to consult with the Spanish Legation and the Moroccan Government in the matter of arranging conditions of peace. The tribesmen left Melilla with the permission of General Marina, the commander of the Spanish forces in Morocco.

Penon de la Gomer, Morocco, Aug. 12.—The Moors who yesterday were firing on the Spanish garrisons here have been driven by artillery fire to the distant hills. Their losses were considerable. The bombardment of their present positions is being continued.

Mangled by Reaper.
London, Ont., Aug. 12.—Ernest Ramsay, a farmer from near Alvinston, is in Victoria hospital with a badly lacerated body as the result of an accident yesterday. He was driving a reaper when the horses ran away, and he was thrown underneath it. The knives tore his body terribly, and he may lose an arm.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
URIC ACID RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE DIABETES BACKACHE

Beats the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

About 10,000 beds are required to hold London's sick and maimed. In the last ten years 325,000 persons have emigrated from England to the farms of Canada.

NOT AGAINST PRESENT MEN.

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edge of the actions of any of the ward foremen, and was acquainted with only one. Since being notified of the meeting for investigation, he had not had time to look up the informants, some of whom were out of the city, but he said he would have no hesitation in giving the names of the citizens who had given him the information, if they would come forward and make good their complaints. He further said he did not believe the charges had reference to any one of the present foremen.

Ward Foreman Church complained that he believed the charges had been directed against him, and he had called for an investigation, as he did not intend to submit to such grand stand displays as Mr. Forth had resorted to at the Council meeting. He asked the alderman to state the charges and name the guilty man, because he (Church) wanted the matter cleared up.

Ald. Forth took exception to Church's words "charge" and "grand stand displays." He again said he had not made any charges against any man, and had not attempted "grand stand displays." He was not afraid of any official, and did not care whether he was re-elected next year or not. A warm argument followed between the two men, and finally His Worship advised Foreman Church to stop or he would have to withdraw. No reflection, said the Mayor, had been cast on anyone.

Mr. Allan said that the meeting had been called to give the foremen a hearing, and he expected Ald. Forth would name the man guilty of the offence, if he were present. He understood from him that the complaint had not been made against any one of them or any present official and could see no reason for going any further into the question at present. Time, he thought, should be allowed the alderman to learn from his informants who the guilty man was and if he were not one of the present foremen, there was no need for further investigation.

Ald. Forth said he couldn't yet say for sure whether it was one of the present foremen or not, but would try hard to find out and if it were, he would then lay his charge and fight the matter to its finish, and if the charge applied to no present official, there was no need to carry the question any further.

Foreman Church again took the floor and drew the attention of his hearers to the absurdity of the charges. To think, he said, that a man would pay two dollars for a load, or twelve dollars for two loads, such as had been charged. He came to the meeting to hear who the charges were directed against, and complained of being called, if nothing was to come of it.

Mayor McLaren admitted that the charges did seem absurd, but he thought Church as laboring under a misunderstanding, as the complaint was not made against him, and he need not be worried about it.

Foreman Towers asked to say a few words in explanation of how such complaints may have arisen. He said vacant lots were being filled in wherever expenses. Sometimes it would cost as high as one dollar a load to dump sweepings on city property, whereas by filling up some hole the cost of teaming would be cut in half. On one occasion he had had saved the city \$400 in this way. On another occasion he had been ordered to unload in a place where it was next to impossible to get to, and to save expense he had found a place elsewhere, where the teaming expenses were much smaller. He thought Ald. Forth had been led astray by unreliable people, and he would like to know who they were.

The mayor replied that as long as he

COST OF A SPREE.

How Robert Womack Flung Away \$238,000,000.

Colorado Springs, Col., Aug. 10.—Robert Womack, famous as the discoverer of Cripple Creek, died here yesterday from paralysis, after a lingering illness. He never profited by his great discovery, and died in comparative poverty.

Womack was born in Kentucky sixty-six years ago, and with several other children, his father took him to Colorado in the early 60's. The Womacks settled on land on Cripple Creek, where they raised cattle. They remained for several years, when the elder Womack, with a son named William, went to Colorado Springs. Robert Womack, however, believing there was gold around Cripple Creek, kept up a tireless search for many years. He first discovered a piece of float rock which yielded \$250 in gold to the ton. But years more of searching were required, and it was not till 1891 that he struck the bonanza lode.

Apparently he could not stand prosperity, for soon after his discovery he went to Colorado Springs and during an alleged spree sold his bonanza for \$500. It was during one of these visits to the Springs that Womack rode through the streets brandishing a revolver and proclaiming his secret. The next few days witnessed one of the biggest rushes to the scene of the discovery that the west has ever known.

When he finally came to his senses and decided to return to Cripple Creek, Womack found that the best mining property had been seized by others. He succeeded in staking out a few claims, but they proved valueless. Finding that he would have to go to work, he did so without a murmur.

In his last days Womack was dependent on his sister, who keeps a boarding house where he died. Records show that from the land where Womack first found gold \$238,000,000 worth of the yellow metal has been taken.

FACE SCRATCHED.

Suspect Arrested in Connection With Rochester Murder.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Circumstances are somewhat against Edward Ewaldt, a Greek farm hand, and a former employee of Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, who was arrested at his brother's home in North Rose late this afternoon and brought to the Monroe county jail in Rochester to-night, suspected of being the murderer of Anna Schumacher. Ewaldt has scratches on his face, and it is said that he has told contradictory stories about his movements. He left his job at Barnard's, near the cemetery, Saturday afternoon, and he maintains that he went at once to his brother's home.

His brother corroborates this, but the police say they have witnesses who will testify that Ewaldt was seen later Saturday afternoon than the time he says he left Barnard's, and also that he was seen here Sunday and Monday. It is also charged against Ewaldt that he was in the habit of accosting women whom he did not know, and that his reputation is not good.

TURKS WANT WAR.

A More Energetic Note Will be Addressed to Greece.

London, Aug. 12.—Despatches from Constantinople to-night say the Porte has decided to address a more energetic note to Greece, in which it will be stated that Greece's reply to the Turkish note concerning Crete is unsatisfactory.

The Daily Telegraph's Constantinople correspondent says it is difficult to discover the influences under which the Turkish Government is acting, but that in military quarters the talk is wholly of war with Greece. It is asserted that the Ministers of War and Marine insist that war is the only possible solution of the difficulty.

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Killed in a Fire.
Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12.—A special to the News from Hancock, Mich., says five persons lost their lives there early to-day, when the residence of Edward Dionne was burned. They are: Mrs. Dionne, Edward Dionne, jun., aged 8; Lee Dionne, an infant; a 10-year-old girl named Racine, and a fifth person whose name has not been learned.

PARLIAMENT.

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR NOVEMBER FOURTH.

Session Will Start Not Later Than the Eighteenth in Any Event—Insurance Bill and Other Important Items of Legislation.

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—If the present expectation of the Government be realized, Parliament will be called to meet on Thursday, November 4. It is possible that unforeseen contingencies may delay the opening until a week, or even two weeks, later, but the event is bound to occur by November 18. Estimates are being prepared by the departments so they may be ready for November 4. The insurance bill is ready to be put before Parliament again. It has been considered for several sessions, and last year was advanced through the Commons, but did not reach the Senate in time to become law. It will be put through this year. An amendment to the bank act will probably figure on the sessional programme. The speech from the throne will contain an announced regarding Canada's share in the naval defence. The precise terms of the announcement will not be determined until the Government is able to consider the report which Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. Mr. Brodeur make of the work of the Imperial Defence Conference, which is now being held in London. The new Franco-Canadian treaty will form an item in the speech from the throne, and the bill ratifying it is likely to be put through before the Christmas holidays are reached. It is probable that the Opposition will be more aggressive than last session, but with a substantial amount of progress with legislation before Christmas, prorogation should take place at a reasonably early date in spring.

CONDEMNED IT.

Ald. Lariviere Criticises Montreal Road Committee's System.

Montreal, Aug. 12.—Some interesting evidence was given at the Royal Commission sessions to-day by Ald. Lariviere, who had been chairman of the Roads Committee for four years. He declared that the administration of this department, the most important of the City Hall, was neither adequate nor practical. He also declared that the system of patronage now in vogue was most damaging to the interests of the city.

"There is only one remedy to stop that patronage system; that is to have the aldermen elected by the whole people of Montreal," declared Ald. Lariviere. He declared that whenever there was a contract to be given out each alderman was watching for his friends, and that it was a question of the man who had the strongest pull. These were his words, and they ought to be engraved over the door leading into the civic roads department. "Patronage," says the same authority, "is the root of all the evil. If there was no patronage it would prevent many abuses. If the aldermen were elected by the whole city it would prevent patronage."

Mr. Barlow, the city surveyor, was prevented, so Ald. Lariviere declared on oath this morning, from doing his work properly, through aldermen who persecuted him with queries which occupied his time and did not permit of his doing his work as it ought to be done. He also declared that it was to his knowledge that cartbones supposed to be

THE HOUSEKEEPER

PIE CRUST.

To prevent a pie crust from shrinking while being baked, turn the pie tin bottom up and shake dough over it, instead of inside. Bake in quick oven, and pie crust will retain shape perfectly.

ATTRACTIVE YARD.
Do not allow a weed to grow in the yard. Cut them out by the roots. Cut the grass once a week, trimming close along walks in a straight line. Banish all flowers and shrubs from the front, but place them in the background. Tall flowering plants and vines first, then low bedding plants and borders.

Exceptions are made to hanging baskets and window boxes, which seem a part of the house itself. This rule is faithfully adhered to cannot fail to result in an attractive yard, which is a pleasure to the eye.

SEASONABLE HINT.
Where there are small children or pet animals to push against the lower half of the screen doors the screen is either torn or made to bulge. To prevent this cover the lower section of the screen with wire netting of about one inch mesh, and replace the moulding around the edges. If netting is painted the same color of the screen it is scarcely noticeable and will prolong the life of the door indefinitely.

REMODELING HAT.
If you have a last season's leghorn hat it may be made modern by procuring a wire frame with a medium large, round crown. Detach crown and cover with net or other thin material for foundation, cover with straw as nearly the shade of the leghorn as possible, and fasten to the leghorn frame after cutting the original crown from the frame.

WHEN UNABLE TO SLEEP.
When unable to go to sleep try this way of counting: One, one two, one two, three, one two three four, one two three four five, one two three four five six, and so on. Count slowly.

AEROPLANE IN HIS TRUNK.
Glenn H. Curtiss Carries Flying Machine as "Personal Baggage."
Paris, Aug. 12.—Glenn H. Curtiss, the American aviator, arrived here to-day, but proceeded immediately for Rheims, where he will represent the Aero Club of America in the International Aviation Cup races, Aug. 28. Mr. Curtiss is carrying his aeroplane as "personal baggage," and to-morrow, on his arrival at Rheims, will set up the machine preparatory to making practice flights. After the Rheims meeting Mr. Curtiss will proceed to Brescia, Italy, to take part in aeroplane races there.

A Belgian pigeon trainer has been experimenting with swallows in the place of homing pigeons, and says they have the advantage of great speed.

KEEP OFF THE TRACK.

That Is the Lesson Taught by Kirkendall's Death.

No One to Blame But the Men Themselves.

Noise of Heavy Train Prevented Them From Hearing.

The inquest as to the death of George Kirkendall, who was killed last Sunday night in the G. T. R. Stuart street yard, was resumed last night in No. 3 Police Station. Dr. McNichol was the coroner. The jury brought in the following verdict: "That George Kirkendall was accidentally killed by a G. T. R. engine; no blame is attached to anyone."

Andrew J. Gillett, the first witness called, said he went to the G.T.R. station in company with Kirkendall to get some information about the harvest excursions to the West. After getting it at the booking office they both started homeward along the tracks when something struck witness knocking him down. He then saw an engine pass him. The next thing he saw was Kirkendall lying on the track doubled up. They stepped out of the way of one train to another track and an engine coming in the opposite direction struck deceased. It was impossible to hear the light engine owing to the noise of the other train. Witness considered no one to blame except themselves for being there.

W. G. Fisher, yardman at the G. T. R., said he saw two men on the track about a second before the engine hit deceased. As soon as the accident happened he telephoned for the ambulance and a doctor.

James Beattie, the engineer on the engine that struck Kirkendall, told that he was going out to help in a passenger train. When he found he had struck the man he at once applied the brakes. In his opinion the accident was unavoidable.

Charles McGregor, fireman on the light engine, did not see the accident as he was making up the fire at the time and only knew about it when the engineer told him a man had been struck.

Dr. Hess testified that he was called to deceased at the City Hospital. He described the injuries and attributed death to injury to the brain from a crushed bone in the skull.

Dr. McBride corroborated the evidence of Dr. Hess.

THREATENED A CONSTABLE.
Former Woodstock Man Was Brought Back and Fined.

Woodstock, Aug. 12.—G. Whittaker, of Owen Sound, formerly of Woodstock, was brought to this city to-day under arrest by Constable Fred Hill, who charged him with writing a menacing letter. Whittaker wrote to Hill, accusing him of having over-collected from Whittaker on a judgment, and threatening prosecution. Hill thereupon went to Owen Sound and arrested the man on a charge of sending him a threatening letter. The magistrate found him guilty, and he had to pay the costs of the court, \$26.

Instructions in "baby-minding" are given to the students of the London Garden Schools. Babies are borrowed for the purpose.

BANQUET TO BE TENDERED BOBBY KERR AT R. H. Y. C.

Meeting at the Royal Hotel Last Night Was Well Attended.

Bobby Will Land at Boston on Thursday Morning, But is Not Expected Home Until Sunday or Monday.



BANQUET WILL BE tendered Bobby Kerr at the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club on Saturday, August 21, or some time the following week.

John Lennox, Russell T. Kelley, W. White, Bert O. Hooper, Dr. Moore, A. Young and A. E. McKinstry. Programme and musical committee: Billy Sherring, Jack Caffery, A. Moore, Norman Ellis, J. Ogilvie, Frank Burton, A. Lambert, D. M. Cameron, Don Lyon, Gerald Wigle and Dave Topp.

YESTERDAY WAS MUDDERS' DAY AT WINDSOR TRACK.

Robert Powell and Banives Won the Two-Year-Old Races.

Prince Gal, Favorite in the Seneca Selling Stakes at Saratoga, Was Beaten by May River.



CHANGED TRACK conditions at Windsor served to riddle yesterday's card by withdrawals and also accounted for several upsets, nearly all the choices being scratched.

John Dymont, owner of Star Wave, has decided to give the colt a thorough trial at the Hamilton track.

Excepting the handicap the other six races had selling conditions attached, and were contested by ordinary class horses.

So it can be easily seen that it is no wonder the fans are in a quandary as to the result. As was intimated before, the batteries, the most important positions on the teams, are in a peculiar position.

TROTTING

At Hamilton, Aug. 12.—Saratoga racing meeting at the Grand Circuit meeting at North Randall uninteresting yesterday.

A. McKerron—Ximena, by Butwood (B. Shank) ... 1 1 1 Marie N., b.m. (e. Gers) ... 2 2 2 Idlewild, b.g. (Patterson) ... 3 3 3 Henry Selzer, b.s. (Lassell) ... 4 4 4

HOW TEAMS IN THE BIG LEAGUES STAND

Table with columns for Eastern, American, and National leagues, listing teams and their win/loss records.

FOR THE AMATEURS.

At Britannia Park—Broadviews vs. Alerts.

To-morrow will see the close of amateur league baseball in this city, when the leading teams of the Church and City Leagues will play for the championship honors.

Both teams will be handicapped, and which one will suffer worse, the fans are at a loss to know.

The managers of both teams have been doing some hustling lately trying to fill the vacant positions.

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THE SEA SERPENT. (Toronto Star.) This is a poor year for the sea-serpent. At the summer resorts the night-flying airship has crowded it out.

Large advertisement for Saturday \$6 suits at Oak Hall, 10 and 12 James St. N., F. R. Smith, Mgr. Includes image of a man in a suit.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

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LEAFS HAVE SECURED PLAYING GROUNDS.

Rochester Got Another Trimming Yesterday From the Greys in the Only Eastern Game Yesterday.



TORONTO WILL play at Diamond Park. Both Rosedale and Scarborough Beach were turned down at the meeting of the directors yesterday afternoon.

By winning the Saratoga handicap with Affliction, the Alabama stakes with Maskette, the Travers stakes with Hillarion, and an overnight event with Gasmerie, James R. Keene has gathered \$14,430 since the meeting at the Spa opened and has increased his stake and purse winning for the season to \$73,342.

It is practically a foregone conclusion that the Boston National League club will change ownership before another year. It has been a huge failure ever since it was sold by Soden and Conana to the syndicate headed by the late Geo. B. Dovey.

At Boston—Young was batted out of the box by Boston yesterday, the locals winning a close game from Cleveland, 5 to 4.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia easily defeated St. Louis by hitting Bailey and Graham hard, the former being knocked off the rubber in the first inning.

WAR SHIP FOR CRETE. Malta, Aug. 17.—The British warship Swift Sure has left here for the Island of Crete. It is understood other protecting powers, Russia, Italy and France, also will send warships to Crete as an intimation to the islanders that they are resolved to enforce respect for the rights of Turkey.

Additional Sporting News on Page 8. Eighty flights is about the life of a balloon.

SHEARING MAMA'S LAMB



A TRAGEDY FOR EVERY MOTHER'S LIFE.

MR. GNAGG AT THE SEASIDE.

He Gives Mrs. Gnagg a Lesson in Swimming.

It Is Not Easy Because His Wife Is Timid In the Water.

Mr. Gnagg, having taken Mrs. Gnagg for a dip in the sea, instructs her in the art of swimming in the following persuasive and encouraging terms:

Well, you're coming into the water, aren't you? How's that? Do you call that water that you're standing in? Do I? No, I don't. From where I stand it looks as if you're about up to your ankles in a mixture of foam, seaweed and canaloupe rind.

You don't expect to learn how to swim standing on the beach and looking at the game over, do you? If that was your idea what did you drag me down here for on this hot day? Why didn't you hit up terms with one of these correspondence schools and learn how to swim by mail?

Come on over here. You don't have to be afraid to get your feet a little damp. They're not going to melt. And you're not worrying about moistening that funny valentine bathing suit, are you?

Say, where did you cop out that set of Mardi Gras bathing togs, anyhow? If that wouldn't take prize number one at a Larry Mulligan ball, then the judges ud need operations on their eyes for complete eclipse, that's all I've got to say.

Oh, no, I haven't said you were a sight. I haven't said a word except to invite you to stroll over here into about four and a quarter inches of water so's to get at least that much of that joke bathing suit out of the public view. That's all I've said.

Well, come on. Don't stand there trying to look over all that stuff. Just walk out here to where I'm standing. Water's almost up to your knees here, as you can see, and that doesn't mean that you're going to be swept to a watery grave before you get a chance to find if your puffs are on straight, does it?

Nothing's going to bite you. There are no crocodiles or hippopotamuses mooching around at this exact spot, and if any thirty foot over all woman eating sharks show up here—I'm standing before you get where—and that'll be next Tuesday week—I'll hand them a kick in the teeth and chase them back to their deep water lair.

Well, I'm waiting out here for you, you know. I didn't come down to this beach, you understand, to be made a spectacle of. Everybody on the beach is kidding us already; can't you see that? There's a gang of snaphottists back of you getting ready to blaze away, and I don't blame 'em at that. That bathing suit you've got on would be a knockout on one of those seaside picture postals.

Now, look a-here, d'ye want me to trudge in there and get you? Is that your idea? How's that? You're afraid? Afraid of what? Huh? Oh, you want time to think it over, eh? That's it, is it? What d'ye expect me to do—squat down here and write a few letters and crochet a couple more tabs to a tidy while you're making up your mind whether you want to get the toes of your stockings wet or not?

Huh? Oh-oh, the water's so-oo-oo-old, is it? It's nothing of the sort cold. On the contrary, it's positively tepid. It's too warm for comfort. Maybe you'd like me to order 'em to have it heated for you? A little salt water a couple of degrees below blood heat Fahrenheit isn't going to kill you, anyhow.

That's it, come on out here and I'll try and see what I can do toward giving you a little tip or two about the swimming thing. Huh? Want me to come in and take a hold of you so's you won't be swept off your feet, eh? Ha, ha! Behave that fooling, won't you? You don't call these little wimpling wavellets sur enough surf, do you? You're got as much chance of being swept off your feet as you have of being cast away on a chicken coop in the Indian Ocean from the gun deck of a Canarsis Bay catamaran.

Here, what are you digging your finger-nails into me that way for? Stop that. What ails you, anyhow? Have you discovered that you're standing on top of a Galapagos turtle, or what?

Oh, you're afraid again, eh? Well, you needn't let that afraid stuff cause you to peel all of my pett off with your finger-nails. I've got a hold of you and you're not going to drop into Davy Jones' locker while I'm on the job; and the locker is situated more than six

inches beneath the surface of brackish water, anyhow.

You want to learn how to swim, don't you? That's what you've been fishing out all this long time, isn't it?—that you just loved to see a woman swim, and that it must be perfectly grand for a woman to know how to conduct herself in the water, and all that fluff? Eh?

Well, then, just keep still for half a second, and take that half Nelson away from my neck and stop clutching at my ribs with your finger nails, and quit glaring around that way as if somebody was trying to tomahawk you, and just keep your feet on the ground instead of trying to climb up me—I'm not a flag-pole, you know—and I'll try to start you along, anyhow, on this swimming thing.

The first idea you've got to drill into your head, you know, if you ever expect to learn to keep still in the water, much less to swim, is confidence. C-o-n-f-i-d-e-n-c-e, confidence.

You're not lacking in that when you're at home, are you? You don't go as a matter of course, do you? This isn't at home. This is in all of eight inches of brackish water, and what you need when you're in any kind of water is confidence. Get that? Well, if you get it, what are you clawing at my neck for like a monkey in a cage?

Now, take the idea of floating. That's what I'm going to teach you first—how to float. You lie on your back in the water—say, let go of me for a second, will you, till I show you? How'm I going to illustrate the floating idea to you if you hang on to me that way?

If you hang on to me for an eighth of a second, won't you—take your hands completely away from me, that's what I mean—and I'll show you how absolutely impossible it is for a human being to go down in the water if he only keeps perfectly still and

Now, see here, how many times have I got to ask you to stop clawing me around the neck that way? Huh? You're afraid to let me go out of here in this deep water? Why, you poor simpleton, the water hasn't swished up as high as your belt line yet, and

How's that? You'll let go of me so's I can show you how to float if you get in closer to the shore? Oh, that's it, hey? Maybe you'd like me to teach you how to float on the hotel porch? Or perhaps you've got the idea that I ought to take you up to the top of the Singer building and teach you how to float up there?

You've got to have a little water to float in, you know. You never saw anybody floating in a dishpan, did you? Well, then, all you've got to do is to release me from that death grip for just a half a minute and I'll show you other things, hey? Great. Fine. This isn't the time to teach you how to float at all.

This is the fitting time to teach you how to keep books and to take an annual inventory? Maybe you'd like to have me pounce upon the present moment to instruct you in the art of reading the globes and of making paper flowers?

Well, if you're not going to let go of me so's I can show you how the floating thing is done, why, I'll just float you and show you how it's managed. How's that? Now, stop that squealing for that! Now, stop that while you floating on top of the water before you can say "Jack Robinson."

No, I'm not going to let go of you. That's what I ought to do, but I know perfectly well that the minute I'd let my hand away from supporting your back you'd let out a squawk that'd shake the both of us to be pinched for disturbing the peace. So I'll keep my hand under you all the time, see?

Now, here, just lie back in the water, and—What's that? You don't want to get your hair wet? Ha, ha! Great again. Fine once more.

Say, what d'ye expect is going to happen to your hair when you get into the ocean? D'ye suppose it's going to be going off? Or do you think Neptune is going to marcel wave it, or something like that? And how the dickens are you going to get your hair wet, anyhow, with that red cap pulled down over your ears that way? And if your hair does get a drop or two of water on it, what's the matter?

Huh? Salt water makes the hair sticky? Oh, that's it, is it? Well, say, if salt water is going to make your hair stick the way your hands are sticking around my neck, I'm

Say, wait a minute. Can you imagine how anybody can float in the water or in the air or anywhere else if she's going to insist upon keeping her feet nailed to the sand? Hey? Or are you trying to hand me one in an indirect way? That is to say, are you trying to intimidate me, I'm not capable of taking care of you in the water, or anywhere else, when it comes to that? Are you trying to put it over that I'm such a booby and nutt in the water that I wouldn't know how to take care of you in case anything terrific happened to you in six and a quarter inches of water?

Because, you know, if that's your idea, if you dragged me down here on this sizzling day when I didn't want to come

at all, just for the purpose of staking me to a slap like that, why I'm going to have something to say in rebuttal, you know. I'm not going to stand around light a stoughton bottle in ankle deep water and permit you to get away with a

Well, then, if you had no such idea, and really want to learn how to swim, when in the dickens is your idea in persistently refusing to let me

How's that? Strong current here? Tush! Stuff and balderdash! There's no current here at all. It's like some little creek. Now all you've got to do is trust to me and every muscle and arm and top of the water and I'll have hold of you ever minute of the time, see? I just want to show you that

Huh? Getting out further all the time? Nothing of the sort? I can't support you in a floating position if there's not water enough to

At this point a comber slapped Mr. Gnagg in the back and turned him over a couple of times. Mrs. Gnagg having seen the water coming was able to disentangle herself from Mr. Gnagg and to hold her feet and then to wade out to the sand. Picking himself up and joining Mrs. Gnagg on the beach, Mr. Gnagg regarding her with a baleful glare, concluded his swimming lesson as follows:

All right. That settles it. Get your clothes on. It's back to the city for you, and when we get there we'll go over this little affair, you see. I can see now that you brought me down here for the deliberate purpose of showing me up, and you deliberately tripped me when you saw that breaker coming too, didn't you?

Deliberately tripped me so's to get me the laugh from all of these bathed and rummies around here. All right, I know when I've got enough. You can't get your clothes on any too quick to suit me.

I'll think out a course of action on our way to the city, and when I've thought it out you want to stand by to watch my smoke, that's all I've got to say!—New York Sun.

A CARP HAUL IN ENGLAND.

How the Fish Were Moved From One Stream to Another.

There was quite an exciting carp haul on Thursday last at Stoneham Pond, which is close to the high road between Lewes and Uckfield. It is a muddy, uninteresting bit of water but holds some fine fish, and the Angling Preservation Society, wanting to replenish their river with carp, set about dragging it.

The owner of the pond, E. Bannister, and others threw a leaded cork topped net across the pond on one side. The weighted net stuck several times in the mud at the bottom of the pond. The waders released it, but at last it got so firmly embedded and its weight so increased by the fish it enclosed that it was impossible to move it, and like the Biblical fishers of old the net, or rather the pulling rope, broke.

Another was soon fastened on, but the net was so heavily laden with mud and a seething mass of fish in the middle that nothing moved it, so the big fish had to be captured and brought to the bank by the men wading. Then, somewhat lightened it was finally, amid a scene of much excitement and noise, drawn in to the bank, filled with carp, small and big, old veterans and young fry.

Between two and three hundred of the finest from about four to six pounds in weight were picked out, placed in a wagon, on the bottom of which was thickly layered in wet straw and driven off to Barcombe, where they were emptied into the Osue. Plenty of carp were put back in the pond for a reserve.—From the Pall Mall Gazette.

AS SMUGGLER'S CAVE.

Put to That Use When There Was No Religious Service.

Owing to the presence of the fleet in the Thames, Canvey Island has had a great influx of good class visitors. Every body visits the one little church with its many stained glass windows, which is famous for some amazing smuggling exploits.

The present vicar, the Rev. Watson Hagger, M. A., relates how within the last half century, before he was appointed, the church was served from the mainland village of Benfleet. The bishop of the diocese had arranged for twenty-six services to be conducted during the year, intending of course that they should be held fortnightly.

Instead, however, they were held consecutively, so for six months of the year the church was never opened. Taking advantage of this extraordinary state of things a band of smugglers used the building as a very safe hiding place for storing kegs of rum, hales of tobacco, laces and other contraband goods.

Some of these daring smugglers are still living on the island.—M. A. P.

Too many nightcaps will keep a fellow up all night.

MOODS OF MY LADY GASOLENE.

SHE IS A FICKLE BUT FASCINATING MISTRESS.

Something About Her Pedigree—Descended From an Invaluable Remedy for Chapped Noses—Her Allies, Her Many Uses and Her Varying Humors.

My Lady Gasolene bears no resemblance to My Lady Nicotine. The latter is faithful; the former is fickle.

My Lady Nicotine is always the same; My Lady Gasolene is frequently different. Which is the more entitled to be personified as My Lady depends upon the point of view. He who thus personifies his gasolene is certainly frank, although to the point of being ungalant. Yet there are those who boldly say that gasolene is unmistakably feminine.

Half a century ago the up to date family medicine chest contained a small flat phial in which was a substance highly recommended as a substitute for goose oil in relieving that feeling of tightness that comes with a bronchial cold and also as an infallible remedy for chapped noses and lips. Its common name was rock oil, but pharmacists had Latinized it as petroleum.

In those days the usual illuminant, except in the larger cities, was the homemade tallow dip or the more symmetrical moulded candle, with here and there a lamp that burned whale oil or some other similarly heavy substance. In a few reckless households fluid lamps were used. They burned a more volatile substance and to have one in the house was regarded as little short of suicidal.

After a while petroleum began to come into use as an illuminating oil. It was at first thought to be very dangerous stuff to use, but experience often led to its indiscriminate use, and at times if the lamp was carefully managed.

A refiner of petroleum put his product on the market under the name of kerosene oil, which designation somebody had contrived for him by modifying a Greek word so that it was supposed to mean waxlike or derived from wax. Later this proprietary designation was dropped and kerosene oil became the common name for the product.

In the early days of oil refinery the volatile by-product was thrown away. There seemed to be but one use for the accumulations of it; workmen in the small refineries before the days of Mr. Rockefeller's activity used to wash their soiled clothing in it, and it had the advantage of quickly returning the cleaned articles to their use.

A shirt washed in this substance and hung up in the sun could be worn in twenty minutes. A suit of clothes similarly cleaned during the dinner hour could be worn home at night. The virtue of the stuff as a cleanser, especially of garments soiled with grease, became known and the substance was put on the market under the name of benzine.

Later came two other names for practically the same substance—naphtha and gasolene. There was supposed to be a difference between the substances thus designated sufficient to warrant the use of the different names, but the designations naphtha and gasolene have come to be used indiscriminately, and whether you call for naphtha or gasolene by the ounce in a drug store or for naphtha or gasolene by the barrel elsewhere the difference is in name only.

The bare outlines of the pedigree of My Lady Gasolene from the bedrock up give but small hint of her vicissitudes, which bear an interesting relation to the world's greatest romance of industry. In her present environment what she is depends upon how she is treated.

She can be as dull as the heavy yellow flame of a fat pine knot, as vivacious as the steel blue scintillations between the fingers of her handmaid the electric jump current, and—if abused—as dynamic as a gypsy woman scorned. When treated at right she is a delight and so faithful that one is apt to take her fidelity as a matter of course and to neglect her.

Then in the making up she is tantalizing, now almost promising to be nice and good again, now giving but spiteful responses to all overtures, and at times maintaining a sullen silence and inertness. No wonder there are those who insist that she is unmistakably feminine.

Nearly a generation ago the chief producer of kerosene paid a man a fair salary to experiment in the direction of utilizing the worthless by-product for producing power. He was a skillful inventor and machinist and he devised the naphtha engine.

It was the first good motor using a product of rock oil for producing power. It obtained power in much the same way as a steam engine, but the steam was replaced by the expanded gas of a motor naphtha which was expanded instead of water.

It was a trustworthy motor and fairly safe if properly handled. It is a good motor yet, so far as it goes, but it has been almost superseded by a naphtha engine of an entirely different principle. Explosion takes the place of expansion by heat.

Explosion motors using gasolene were first known as electric vapor engines, because the gasolene vapor was fired by an electric spark. The same principle is employed in all the gasolene motors of to-day, but there is a great deal of great interest in utilizing it. To speak of them would require a volume on the various methods of mixing, compression, ignition and so forth.

Gasolene will not explode, but it is far from reluctant as a combustible. If you owned a lake of gasolene somewhere off in a desert and saw a safe way to the windward shore, scratch a match and apply it to the wavelets.

It would not be of any use to touch the lighted end of your cigar to it, for the only result would be to put and spoil the cigar. A gasolene soaked butt dried out about a five cent Coney Island Impuduro. If, however, the cigar had assumed somewhat the shape of a broom in the process of smoking it, as cigars sometimes do, and if in puffing up the cigar to get a better light you should develop a flame the flame would ignite the gasolene. Also if you happened to have such a thing about you as a point of incandescent metal or a battery that would make a six volt spark that would answer the purpose of setting fire to the lake.

After it had been fired the lake would burn briskly with a yellow flame, giving off clouds of heavy black smoke until it was drained.

While gasolene is not explosive a mixture of gasolene and air in the right proportions produces a vapor that is like dynamite in explosive energy. But the proportions must be about right. A vapor produced within the cylinder of a gasolene motor cannot be exploded

even by the blue hot shower of sparks from a jump spark firing plug if the mixture of gasolene and air is far from the right proportion.

In starting and regulating a gasolene motor it sometimes is a considerable job for an expert at it to secure, even with the best carburetor, a mixture that will explode. On the other hand in accidental ways the proper mixture is obtained when just expected and the results are serious.

The owner of a gasolene boat thought that the fluid in his tank had been nearly used up. So he anchored his craft and went ashore for more gasolene.

While he was away his companion in the launch took off the cap in the inlet of the gasolene tank and tried to look in and see how much of the fluid remained. It was dark down there and he scratched a match and attempted to look down by the light of it. On the way back to the launch the owner saw her light up, and the headless body of his companion was found in the water a few days later.

Two men who were going away on a short cruise filled their gasolene tank and set an unworked five-ballon can of the fluid in the cabin of the boat. They ran to a point in the upper bay off Bay Ridge, anchored the boat, and went to the cabin and went away to return late in the following evening and begin their cruise.

The intervening day was warm and the sun shone hot on the cabin top. The men were seen to row out to the boat about 11 o'clock in the evening. Shortly after they had boarded it there was a pop that was heard all over South Brooklyn, the boat was burned and the bodies of the two men were afterward found in the bay, badly mangled. It was supposed that the heat of the sun on the cabin top during the day had evaporated enough of the gasolene from the unworked can into the cabin to produce an explosive mixture and that when one of the men opened the door and scratched a match to light the cabin lamp the mixture took fire.

Gasolene can now be bought almost everywhere and at various prices. The statement was made not long ago that gasolene production was becoming the big end of the petroleum refining business because of the great demand for it for automobile motors, for marine motors, for stationary engines and, in prospect, for aerial motors.

The vital inviolable remedy for chapped noses of half a century ago has made it possible for Count von Zeppelin's cruise for nearly a thousand miles over Europe in his mammoth airship and for Bleriot to fly from France to England with mechanical wings. There is no power but the gasolene motor and no perceptible promise of any other motor that could be used with hope of success in air navigation.

Gasolene can be bought at a drug store for \$4.80 a gallon, in small vials at 10 cents a vial. A barrel of it can be bought for less than that sum elsewhere.

At most gasolene stations alongshore in this part of the country the stuff is sold in quantities from one gallon up for use in marine motors for 12 cents a gallon. At some of the stations where they have an automobile trade the same stuff costs the devil wages 25 cents a gallon. The boats buy launch "naphtha" and the millionaires on wheels buy "automobile gasolene"—all out of the same tanks.

GOOD SHORT STORIES

THE STRIKER.

Samuel Gompers at a dinner in Chicago talked about odd strikes.

"In the town of Tin Can," said Mr. Gompers, "a strike once occurred in the melodrama, 'Pure as Snow.'"

"The leading striker was one Garrick Siddons. He tried vainly to get his own and his comrades' wages raised \$2 a week, and when his efforts failed, he laid his plans.

"The play concerned a murder. The villain slew a man in the first act, and in the third, in a court scene, he was tried for his life.

"Garrick Siddons was the foreman of the jury in the court scene. In 'Tin Can,' at the most thrilling moment, when the cross-examination of the villain was at its height, Garrick Siddons rose impressively in the jury box and said to the villain:

"'DeCourcy Custis, enough of these subterfuges. You, and you alone, are the murdered. I ought to know, for I am the man you killed. But it is the last time you will do it, sir, at the wages I am paid at present!'"

An iron hoop bounced through the area railings of a suburban woman's home recently and played havoc with the kitchen window. The woman waited, anger in her eye, the appearance of the hoop's owner. Presently he came.

And, sure enough, he was followed by a stolid-looking workman, who at once started to work, while the small boy took his hoop and ran off.

"That'll be a dollar, ma'am," announced the glazier when the window was whole once more.

"A dollar," gasped the woman. "But your little boy broke it! The little fellow with the hoop, you know. You're his father, aren't you?"

"The stolid man shook his head. "Don't know him from Adam," he said. "He came around to my place and told me his mother wanted her window fixed. You're his mother, aren't you?"

And the woman shook her head also.—Judge.

At a recent dinner in New York Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador from the United States to Great Britain, was speaking of the necessity for proper ambassadorial residences in foreign countries.

"When I first went to England," said Mr. Choate, "I spent weeks and weeks looking for a house. It was most arduous service in my country's interest. I trailed all over the available estates of London, and while I was at a London bobby arrested a man who was pursuing a most erratic and forlorn course out Hyde park way.

"Here, my park," said the bobby. "What are you doing? Why don't you go home?"

"Home?" replied the man bitterly. I have no home. I am the American ambassador."—Saturday Evening Post.

Sure to Be Taken Then.

Reformer—"I wish I could do something to make people take my advice."

Friend—"Try enveloping it on the handle of your umbrella."—Boston Transcript.

An Unlucky Superstition.

He—"So poor old Monty has been run over by a motor car. How did it happen?"

She—"The poor chap was stooping to pick up a horseshoe for luck."—Town and Country.

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Origin of Sailors' Collars. In the course of an after dinner chat recorded in Sir Algernon West's "Recollections," the late Admiral Sir Harry Kestel, who served in the navy under the pigtail, disappeared, but the collars worn by sailors had their origin in the dressing of the pigtails—which Sir Harry recollected being in use—when a blue cloth was put on the men's shoulders to keep the grease off their jackets. The pigtail disappeared, but the collars remain to this day.—London Globe.

That Was Something. He had never been to sea before. "Can you keep anything on your stomach?" the ship doctor asked. "No, sir," he returned feebly, "nothing but my hand."—Success Magazine.

CROWD SEE THE CIRCUS.

Barnum & Bailey Introduce the Street Parade Again.

Hundreds of boys and girls with interested fathers, mothers, uncles, aunts and not infrequently grand- parents and chaplains were up with the first streaks of dawn this morning to see the four circus trains of Barnum & Bailey unload and enjoy the sights of the circus day.

The tent and stake wagons were the first on the grounds and under the skilled direction of one of the "col- onels" of the circus army they were soon located, and the steady thump, thump of the sledge provided the "foundation" for the tented city.

The Barnum & Bailey management gives particular attention to the parade features of their performance, which was witnessed by thousands of people to-day. It proved a glittering pageant of gold and gorgeousness with many unique and interesting features.

A group of Fourteenth Century Knights, in picturesque costume, mounted upon richly caparisoned horses, followed the second division led by a band of mounted Hussars, two Roman racing chariots drawn by eight fiery steeds, a number of allegorical floats, open cages containing lions, tigers and old wild animals.

The musical clowns leading the third division created considerable merriment. A body of mounted Hussars, two Roman racing chariots drawn by eight fiery steeds, a number of allegorical floats, open cages containing lions, tigers and old wild animals.

The opening act or grand entrance was delightful to the eye, introducing natives of Oriental countries, elephants, horses and camels in rich ornamental trapping.

The aerial rigging, three rings, two stages and the great racing oval were filled with artists performing difficult and entertaining stunts.

The menagerie department is filled with interesting and entertaining features, chief of which is "Baby Bunting," the smallest living baby elephant, measuring less than three feet in height and weighing more like a toy than a real live elephant like a chimpanzee.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the menagerie from a student's point of view is the chimpanzee. This wonderful manlike creature came with a knife and fork from a plate, walks upright like a man, smokes a pipe, plays baseball, rolls a hoop and performs many intelligent acts.

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Another evidence of the recognized importance of Hamilton as a coming centre is the purchase by Robinson Bros., Limited, of Toronto, the largest confectionery manufacturers in Canada, of the buildings, at 12-16 Mary street.

A large stock of their complete lines will be carried, and dealers in confectionery will find here an assortment which will appeal to the taste of all users of pure candy.

In these days of food adulteration and unsanitary premises, it is well to know that there is, at least, one candy firm whose business and reputation has been built up on the lines of the best raw material procurable, manufactured in clean buildings. The steady growth of Robertson Bros.' business indicates that the candy consumer of Canada will support this policy. An invitation is extended to the trade to call and inspect the goods.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 13.—Customs officers here will make a test case of seizing a press at the office of the Citizen Printing Company, in an attempt to collect duty from the firm of the American League, announced last night that he had dropped Tim Hurst, famous umpire and referee, from his staff of umpires.

Mike Thompson has been assigned to take Hurst's place, and will take up his duties immediately.

Tim Hurst Dropped.

Chicago Car Men.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Hopes for a peaceful settlement of the street car controversy were brighter to-day as the result of the offer made yesterday by John M. Roach, of the Chicago Railway Company, which gives all present trainmen an immediate advance of one cent in wages and gradual upwards to a minimum scale of 30 cents per hour at the expiration of two years.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—William Weaver has purchased the brick house, 111 Grant avenue, from W. G. Robinson.

—Mrs. R. R. Rowe, of this city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) W. H. Barracough, at the parsonage, Brook street, Sarnia.

—A man who said he was James Hill, of Hamilton, and a companion, Andrew Bell, of Tonawanda, were arrested in Toronto last evening, charged with the theft of a small piece of meat.

—Edward Joy, 184 MacNab street north, an elderly citizen, passed away this afternoon at the City Hospital. He had been troubled with cancer of the throat for some time.

—Pierino Panzoni, who lives in a G. T. R. car in the Cannon street yard, reports to the police that a pair of trousers, a pair of shoes and a watch were stolen from the car.

—Cicero Smith, 13 Windsor street, dislocated his shoulder this morning. His injuries were attended to by Dr. Parry, and he was taken to the City Hospital, where he is doing nicely.

—At noon yesterday one solitary pigeon was feeding off the bounty of Pat. Roman at his new quarters on York street, while the remainder of the flock are marking time at the old stand in the Market square.

—Any subscriber would confer a favor by sending to the Times office a copy of the Times of Monday, Aug. 9. The edition was entirely sold, and a request has been made for a few copies by an out of town subscriber.

—The fishing at Port Maitland this year has been good, but after Saturday it will likely be poor, as Messrs. Whitton, Lees and Alf. Baker left last night with their poles and lines, and expect to get more than a fisherman's reward for their trouble.

—The lumber dealers, carpenters and contractors will close up on Saturday, Aug. 21, so that the men can take in the big picnic. Great interest is being taken in the special free drawing. All committees will report at a general meeting to-night in the contractors' room, Federal Life building.

—Herbert Waitz, 182 Victoria avenue north, one of the thousands who were out to see the big circus parade this morning, got too near the big calicoe, and a wheel passed over one of his feet. He was taken to the City Hospital, and Dr. Cockburn found it necessary to amputate a little bit of one toe.

—For next week the Summers Stock Company will present to the patrons of Mountain Theatre the celebrated American drama, "The Great Divide." This play gives Miss Belle Stevenson and Mr. Wm. E. Blake excellent opportunities to display their ability, so an excellent performance will no doubt be given. "The Middleman" is pleasing good crowds this week, and is a play well worth seeing.

C. P. R. STRIKE.

The Strike at Fort William Quieter To-day.

Montreal, Aug. 13.—No official statement regarding the probable outcome of the dock laborers' strike at Fort William could be obtained at the C.P.R. offices to-day. It was learned, however, that conditions were considerably improved over yesterday. Order was enforced last evening, and everything has been quiet since, the general impression being that the strike will not last many days.

OBITUARY.

Wealthy Resident of Victor, N. Y., Died in Hospital.

Albert C. Payne, a wealthy retired farmer, passed away at the City Hospital last night. Deceased came to this city for treatment for cancer about a year ago, and everything has been quiet since, the general impression being that the strike will not last many days.

The remains of Emma Lee arrived in this city this morning from Toronto, and the funeral took place to Hamilton Cemetery upon the arrival of the train. Ven. Archbishop Foran conducted the services at the house and grave.

Wallace Perry, son of James and Mrs. Perry, 35 Kinrade avenue, died last night at the City Hospital, aged two years. The cause of death was diphtheria. The funeral took place from the parents' residence to Hamilton Cemetery, and the Salvation Army had charge of the services.

Cyril George Crowe, infant son of Frederick and Mrs. Crowe died at the parents' residence, Red Hill, last night. The family will have the sincere sympathy of the many friends, as Mr. Crowe is at present being treated at the City Hospital. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

The death occurred yesterday of Jas. Scott Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Ward, at the parents' residence, 18 Clinton street, after four years of illness. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

The funeral of George Lennard took place this morning from his late residence, 141 Ferris street east, to St. Lawrence Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Rev. Father Brady said mass at the church and officiated at the grave, and the pallbearers were J. Hustler, William Dallas, J. Dunn and T. Enright. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

Remarkable August Clearing Sale.

Every woman should visit this bright store to-morrow and share in the many bargains being offered in every department throughout the store. For instance, 200 pairs Hosiery, show or wrist length, all colors and black, worth regularly 50 and 75c, for all one price, 25c pair. One dozen only pretty trimmed hats, worth regularly \$4.50, sale price only 98c each. Black silks, worth regularly 65c, sale price 38c yard. And the great clearing sale of American shirt waists, made of fine white lawn, beautifully trimmed, clearing to-morrow at 50c. Extra special, our first showing of buyers should visit this section of the store to-morrow where you will find on sale 800 yards of pure silk finished Henriettes, in all colors, going at the splendid sale price of 42c yard.—R. McKay & Co.



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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

DEATHS

GORDON.—In this city, on Thursday, Aug. 12th, 1904, James Gordon, in his 76th year. Funeral from his late residence, 466 John street north, on Saturday at 2.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

HEWLETT.—At Windsor, on Wednesday, August 11, Godfrey Randolph, second son of the late Wm. H. Hewlett, of Toronto, in his 21st year. Funeral in Toronto, of which notice will be given later.

SMILEY.—At his late residence, Aldershot, Aug. 11th last, Robert Smiley, aged 79 years. Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2.30 to Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

O. O. H. & P.

Several Hamilton Men Among Supreme Orient Officers.

At the sixth annual session of the Supreme Orient of the O. O. H. and P., held in Ottawa in connection with the Grand Lodge meeting of the I. O. O. F., the following officers were elected:

- Supreme Monarchs, H. W. Merchant, Albany, N. Y.
Supreme Khalifah, A. G. Sanford, Hamilton, N. Y.
Supreme Sheikh, H. P. Beers, Schenectady, N. Y.
Supreme Sheriff, K. A. MacRae, Toronto, Ont.
Supreme Vizier, F. W. Matts, Newark, N. J.
Supreme Clericus, Agner Fraser, Hamilton, Ont.
Supreme Ficus, T. G. Anderson, Hamilton, Ont.
Supreme Kentauros, H. M. Booth, Bridgeport, Conn.
Supreme Hedonikos, R. S. Crocker, Toronto, Ont.
Supreme Armagero, W. H. W. Mowat, Cornwall, Ont.
Supreme Vahivo, J. G. Spence, Brantford, Ont.
Supreme Stentoros, W. A. Lazier, Belleville, Ont.
Supreme Emir, H. A. Beld, St. Catharines, Ont.
Supreme Corypheus, R. J. Faulkner, Hamilton, Ont.
Supreme Costumoros, G. C. Mortimore, Toronto, Ont.
Supreme Tetrarch of the East, W. A. Ksmord, Troy, N. Y.
Supreme Tetrarch of the West, L. C. Beckwith, Norwich, N. Y.
Supreme Tetrarch of the North, A. E. Stephenson, New Liskeard, Ont.
Supreme Tetrarch of the South, A. R. Elton, Westfield, N. J.
Supreme Sympiosaroh of the N. E., R. J. Matchett, Peterboro, Ont.
Supreme Sympiosaroh of the S. E., H. A. Hutchison, Albany, N. Y.
Supreme Sympiosaroh of the N. W., A. C. Salmon, Bracebridge, Ont.
Supreme Sympiosaroh of the S. W., E. W. Bradford, Washington, D. C.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Light to moderate variable winds, fine and warm to-day and Saturday.

WEATHER NOTES. There are some slight indications of a tropical storm north of the Bahamas and shipping on the Atlantic coast should exercise caution. The weather is fine and warm throughout the Dominion and yesterday the temperature was over 80 in all parts of the Western Provinces.

Following is the temperature as registered by Parke & Parke: 9 a. m., 70; 11 a. m., 74; 11 p. m., 76; lowest in 24 hours, 68; highest in 24 hours, 76.

Winslow

On Thursday last Mr. J. S. Brewer, of this place, was summoned to appear before Messrs. J. M. Martin and Wm. Griffin, Justices of the Peace, on a charge of violation of the Lord's Day Act, but on account of the non-appearance of the defendant the case was postponed until Monday, Aug. 16th, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Colton, of Uncle Sam's land, have been visitors in this city for the last few days.

The second quarterly meeting for this Conference year will be held in the church here on Saturday and Sunday, August 28th and 29th.

To-morrow is \$6.00 Day.

Oak Hall sale of men's suits started a week ago, when the price was \$14 for your choice of nearly 500 suits. On the first day and since then the price has dropped \$1 each day. To-morrow you take your choice of what is left for \$6. The wise ones will be here when the door opens at 8 o'clock.

A MILL DEAL.

20% to 30% Reduction All Records Broken During First Week of Treble's Limited Greatest Sweepout Sale

That these stores grow better as they grow older has been proven times without number, but never as enthusiastically, never as conclusively as in the opening week of this great sale. The public estimate of these stores the last week was submitted in no uncertain manner, and in such cases public judgment is very sure to be sound.

Straw Hats--Men's and Children's Half Price

- 50c Braces for 29c
Premier, cord ends or leather, every pair guaranteed.
39c, Beach Hats, regular 50c.
38c, Linen Hats, regular 75c.
25c, Linen Hats, regular 50c.
25c, Wash Tams, regular 50c.
78c, Outing Shirts, regular 1.25
49c, French Underwear, regular 65c.
75c, French Underwear, regular \$1.00.

250 Pearl Fedoras for \$1.99
Genuine Christy make.

SWEAPOUT BOOT SALE COR. KING AND JOHN
\$2.50, regular \$3.50, \$2.99, tan calf boots, regular \$3.99, Oxfords, regular \$5.00; black and tan; Goodyear welts.

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SOME LATE SPORTING ITEMS

George Adams and Alf. Sellers have agreed to run a special race at the big athletic meeting to be held at Britannia Park on Labor Day night, but the distance will be five miles instead of ten, as originally intended.

The St. George's Cricket Club play a return game at Brantford to-morrow afternoon, leaving Hamilton by the 1 o'clock Brantford & Hamilton car. The following team will represent the locals:

- Dundas. G. Fixel, Wm. Moss, Wm. Mount, M. Burns, W. Harper, J. Ironside, Dr. English, sk. 17
E. Veitch, E. Harris, P. McCabe, E. Clarke, D. S. Young, sk. 27
J. L. Gordon, s. 14 S. Moss, W. Burton, H. Tomkin, J. Collins, sk. 15
W. Ewbank, sk. 30
F. Colton, sk. 15

Majority for Asylum 28.

New York, August 13.—Hugh McIntosh, promoter of prize fights, who brought about the fight between Jack Johnson and Tommy Burns, for the championship of Australia, reached here to-day from England on board the Lusitania.

McIntosh said that he would endeavor to secure the Jeffries-Johnson match for the Australian club, and that he would be prepared to offer a purse of \$50,000 for the mill.

ROSS RIFLE.

Peep Sight Barred—The Rifle All Right.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 13.—It is not the Ross rifle, but the special peep which the officials have barred from the D. R. A. The sight referred to is not on the weapons issued by the Militia Department. It was used by Canadians at Biele, because the rules there allow most any sort of a sight to be used.

It was put on by the team, as other marksmen and other teams used this peep sight at Biele on the Lee-Metford. In Canada the peep sight could not be allowed by all competitors, and fitted to either the Ross or Lee-Enfield. It would be unfair to put the men to the expense of getting them if they could be obtained. The D.R.A. executive has, therefore, forbidden their use.

Good Window Display.

Messrs. A. M. Souter & Co's. great August furniture sale is on, and hundreds of citizens are taking advantage of the low prices to replenish their homes with carpets, furniture of all kinds, linoleums, etc. Their English velvet carpets have a fine appearance and at the money, are big values. A commendable feature of this sale is the splendid window display, which shows a few of the many good things carried by this reliable firm. It is changed frequently and the arrangement of the various articles is very artistic. Special prices will prevail to-morrow. Read the advertisement.

Supreme confidence in our clothing sale by coming promptly to buy our suits at bargain prices; \$15 suits at \$9.98, \$18 suits at \$13.50, \$25 suits at \$17.50. We expect to grow up from Havre inward 12.20 a. m. with 35 second cabin and 65 stowage passengers. S. S. Montreal, C. P. R. Line, from Bristol toward 3 p. m. S. S. Lake Champlain, C. P. R. Line, from Liverpool toward 3.50 a. m.

Steamship Arrivals.

Aug. 12.—Italia—At New York, from Genoa. Caledonia—At Cape Race, from Glasgow. Adriatic—At New York, from Southampton. Canada—At Quebec, from Liverpool. Sardinian—At Cape Race, from Liverpool. Siberian—At Halifax, from Glasgow. La Bretagne—At Cape Race, from Havre. Cincinnati—At Cape Race, from Havre. Lusitania—At New York, from Liverpool. Bostonian—At Manchester, from Boston. Havford—At Liverpool, from Philadelphia. G. Washington—At Plymouth, from New York. Sicilia—At London, from Montreal. Noordam—At Bologne, from New York. La Savoie—At Havre, from New York. P. di Piemonte—At Naples, from New York. Sardinian—At Cape Race, from London. Heperlan—At Belle Isle, from Glasgow. Father Point, Que., Aug. 12.—S. S. Sardinian. Allan Line, from Havre inward 12.20 a. m. with 35 second cabin and 65 stowage passengers. S. S. Montreal, C. P. R. Line, from Bristol toward 3 p. m. S. S. Lake Champlain, C. P. R. Line, from Liverpool toward 3.50 a. m.

There are "blind spots" on the tongue which are insensible to certain flavors. Sketching in public places is prohibited by the police regulations of London.

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Black Hats, Old Ladies' Bonnets, Infants' Caps, Flowers, Ostrich Feathers, Wings, Braids, etc., will be cleared out at the same low figures. All Untrimmed Shapes will be sold from 5c up to \$2.00. This is the greatest opportunity of the season for bargains. Do not let the week pass by without a visit to our parlors and convince yourselves that we are almost giving away our stock.

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