

CHICAGO GIRL IN DESPAIR SUICIDES.

Maria Sexton Ends Her Life While Claspng Her Prayer Book.

Pathetic Letters of Appeal to Faithless Lover Read at Inquest.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Spurred by the man she loved and with no parent or relative to whom she could turn for aid, Maria Sexton, 23 years old, 950 North Robey street, shot herself dead.

Claspng in one hand a prayer book with the pages open at the litany of the saints, and in the other a revolver with one of the chambers empty, her body was found early yesterday morning in an alley at the rear of 61 Augusta street. A flash of lightning revealed it to Joseph Zevertnik, 14 North Curtis street, a newsboy.

The tragedy followed a few hours after her last appeal to Joseph Gillespie, 57 Augusta street, to keep his promise to marry her. Failing in this she went home, her first impulse being to gain by writing what her words had failed in. She wrote two letters, pouring out in her words the struggles and remorse of a broken heart. The letters were read in the afternoon at the coroner's inquest in the presence of Gillespie, who had been arrested.

The police thought Gillespie might have been present when the young woman killed herself. He assumed an indifferent attitude and showed no emotion as Deputy Coroner Andrews read the epistles.

The first one the girl evidently had laid aside after writing it, and succeeded it with one of deeper emotion. The first letter read:

My darling Joe: How can you be so mean to me now while I am in trouble. All of my friends have turned against me with scorn, and now you have forsaken me. You, the one man I love above all else in the world. I don't know what will ever become of me.

You always promised to stand by me. I always thought you loved me as dearly as any one could. Darling, please return to me and my loving little Joe. My heart is broken and my life is a wreck.

The second letter, which told the whole sad story, follows:

Dear Little Joe: I know you feel bad, but you have a comfortable home and relatives and friends to help you pass the dreary hours of your life; a good position and you are earning enough for any man to be satisfied with. You have no worry for the outcome of the future.

What have I? The cold shoulder from every one, no home, and the little place I now call home I'll have to part with, for I can't stay here any longer—clothes to be bought for myself and baby. Then to a hospital to work for my board, and God himself only knows what treatment I will get there.

And yet you can desert the girl you love or once loved. Joe, darling, you know I was as true to you as any girl could be. I told you the truth before you ever took me to your home. Why did you not leave me then?

It is not one that you are harming, but two. O, may God forgive you, shall be my prayer night and day.

Joe, please, for God's sake, return to me again, for it is killing me. I can't stand it if you don't return, sweetheart, and you will regret it the longest and last day you live.

Darling, sweetheart, please come to me. I love you. I love you with all my heart and soul. Please return to me. You don't know, and you never will know the anguish and pain you are causing me. My suffering is untold misery. Please come to me, Joe. Please come to me.

I remain your loving and devoted sweetheart. With love, hugs and a million kisses.

Marie Sexton.

The letter was marked "over," and on the other side of the sheet of paper was written:

Ah, truly those are the saddest words of tongue or pen. It might have been. It might have been. Everybody is loved by some one. Everybody knows that to be true.

Some have a father and mother dear, brother and sister, too. All this I remember since I was a babe so small. I have seemed to be the only one that nobody loves at all.

Gillespie told at the inquest of the young woman's visit to his house late Wednesday evening, and proved that he did not leave the house after she left. The jury exonerated him of the suspicion of having murdered the woman, but questioned closely among themselves whether there was any law by which he might be held as accessory. This being impossible, he was released.

"At one time I was engaged to marry Miss Sexton," said Gillespie, "but I found out some things which caused me to change my mind."

Deputy Coroner Andrews remonstrated with him concerning his "moral obligation," but this didn't seem to interest Gillespie a great deal.

Miss Sexton formerly was employed as a clerk in the Chicago Box factory, 241 Jefferson street, where Gillespie also is employed.

Mrs. Clara Ray, of 3,630 Ellis Park, a nurse, who was attacked a week ago by a brutal negro, drank chloral yesterday morning while suffering mental depression, brought on, it is believed, by the attack. She will probably recover.

"Let me alone; I want to die," she begged Dr. Irving J. Straus, of 3,640 Cottage Grove avenue, who had been summoned to relieve her sufferings.

When the physician called later in the day Mrs. Ray denied that she had any intention of killing herself, and said she had been accustomed to taking chloral to induce sleep.

Jefferson Minor, a negro 35 years old, is at the Thirty-fifth street police station, charged with the assault.

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 5.—Inspector Williams issued telegraphic orders last night ordering the suspension of the license of the captain of the steamer Fred. Tartweg for ninety days in accordance with a request of President Roosevelt.

The offense charged against the captain of the Fred. Tartweg was racing with the steamer Alton, thereby endangering the Mississippi, on which President Roosevelt was travelling.

The Fred. Tartweg and the Alton accompanied the Mississippi on its trip down the river to Memphis.

The Tartweg bumped into the President's boat with great force, causing it to veer and roughly jar those aboard, the President being thrown against the wall of his stateroom with considerable force.

West Springfield, Mass., Oct. 5.—The boarding mistresses of this town have decided to call a meeting for Monday night to form a boarding mistresses' union, the reason being the greater cost of living and the higher rents demanded.

Some have already raised the price of board and rooms and in order that the price may be made general the union will be formed. Although this is a small town the boarding house business is thriving, for the many men who work in the Boston & Albany shops here also make it their place of residence and as most of them are single they have to resort to boarding.

Tokio, Oct. 5.—A terrible explosion occurred this morning at the Takatsuki factory, while a number of girls were at work sorting shells and cartridges, which had been condemned. Sixty-three of the girls were killed, and over sixty others injured.

As this despatch is sent the factory is on fire, and a number of boats containing explosives are also burning.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 5.—(Special).—W. Clifford Shelton was killed this morning by being run over by a train while crossing a railway bridge over the Rideau, in Gloucester Township. His brother, Harry Shelton, was killed near the same place, in a similar way about three months ago. The Sheltons reside in Gloucester Township.

Children who go to school are very likely to get things on their heads. Skiddoo will save you all worry. Apply it. It's cleanly to use; will not injure the hair; in fact, has a tonic effect, and best of all it does the trick thoroughly. Costs 25c. Sold by Parke & Parke, druggists.

Paris, Oct. 5.—A Madrid dispatch says that the Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs, Count de Alenczar, has instructed the Spanish Ambassador at Paris to complain to the French Government concerning certain actions taken by Gen. Drude in Morocco which forced the commander of the Spanish troops there to protest.

Have you visited us to-morrow. Everything you can think of in table delicacies, fancy and staple groceries, you will find here, also an abundant supply of jump ducks, chickens, domestic and foreign fruits, oysters, cooked meats, strictly fresh eggs, pea-fed bacon and ham, comb and extra honey. Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

Have you seen the suits the 2 Ts are having on sale? If not, do so. You will be interested. Choice of our hundred and fifty men's \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15 suits for \$8.99. Your size is here. The 2 Ts.

Many a fellow looks like 30 cents who isn't worth even that.

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Prince Charles Gustave of Thurn and Taxis, and sketch showing how he was killed by sliding down a balustrade.

DEATH CLAIMS A GOOD MAN.

Mr. Maitland Young Passed Away at Burlington

Was One of the Original Promoters of H. & N. W.

And Stood at Head of Profession as Accountant.

After an illness of considerable duration, during the last few weeks of which it was known that death was only a matter of time, Mr. Maitland Young head of the firm of Maitland Young & Sons, accountants, died yesterday at the family residence, Oak Bank, Burlington, and in his death there passes from the sphere of activity one of nature's noblest—a man of the finest type, splendid alike in physique, in mental calibre and in moral rectitude; who in an unassuming way wielded a great moral influence, and whose name will long be honored in Hamilton's history.

Mr. Young was a native of Greenock, Scotland, having been born there on the 21st of November, 1830. He received his early education in his native land, but came to this country when a youth of 19 years, and during the past 57 years had been closely identified with Hamilton's progress.

On coming to Hamilton as a boy he entered the employ of the wholesale firm of C. & J. Ferrie and spent a number of years in its service. He then formed a partnership with the late S. E. Gregory and carried on a commission business for a number of years. Mr. Young was one of the chief movers in the organization of the Hamilton and Northwestern Railway, and when the company was formed he became its secretary, and held that position until the absorption of the railway by the Grand Trunk. He then resigned that office and took up public accounting. In a very short time his firm became celebrated all over the Dominion and its services were sought far and near. It has maintained its position at the head of the profession through all these years. Recently, when the Wentworth County road account system was found to be unsatisfactory the firm was called in and very soon devised a new and efficient system for all the county accounts.

In 1880 Mr. Young moved to Burlington, where he had acquired the beautiful Oak Bank property, the present family residence. He is survived by his widow and family of seven—three sons and four daughters. The sons are Messrs. J. H. H. Young, of Regina, Sask., Manager of the Canada Life Assurance Company's business there; R. E. and Frank C., both of whom are associated in the business of Maitland Young & Sons. The daughters are Mrs. C. E. Reiffenstein, and Mrs. W. A. Grasset, of Montreal, and Misses Mary J., and Margaret, at home.

Deceased was a member of the Church of England. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 from the family residence to St. Luke's Church, Burlington.

Some fine briar pipes with long genuine amber mouthpieces, in handsome cases, are offered at peace's pipe store. You can select a good pipe from the large stock shown at 107 King street east.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES. To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables, at the TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

THE LATE MAITLAND YOUNG.

Little oddities. Great security of men to work on the Transcontinental Railway.

London letter carriers resent statement that many of them are physically unfit for manual labor, and present heights and weights of 27 men from 140 to 187 pounds.

Scotland is said to have too much whiskey on hand. Well, a good many people have had too much of it in their stomachs.

The British Post Office business yielded last year £5,071,255 profit, while the Government telegraphs caused a loss as usual, the amount being £652,055.

Beware of the swindler who sends you word that he holds five shares of C. P. R. stock left you by a relative, and asks \$5 for necessary expenses before you get them. Many have received his circular letters.

Unusual in Hamilton. Another new departure in real estate in this city, is credited to the Frederick B. Robins, Limited, 75 James street north. This time they are making it possible for every one to own some property. They have placed aside one hundred lots that can be purchased by paying fifty cents a week. The lots, too, are in the east end, which is conceded will increase in value, since new factories are all going that way. An investigation of the proposition is worth while.

The Safest Way. In order to be sure of getting the best in typewriter supplies of all kinds, place your order with the United Typewriter Co., 26-32 Main street east.

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The Man In Overalls

Even the "Rotten Ross Government" did better for Hamilton than does the Whitney outfit.

Why all this talk about the Farrar sewer connection? Isn't he willing to do the fair thing?

But what will the Board of Works do if the School Board gets an extra \$12,000?

Has the Magistrate discontinued the \$5 drunk fine? In these flush times a V will never be missed.

It looks to a man up a tree as if this Hydro-Electric business is to land the city in more than one kind of a hole.

There are those who say that if Hamilton had not made the kick it did the York Loan Society would have paid every cent it owed. Did the ex-Mayor put his foot in it?

Now that the School Board is to pay my children's school fees, perhaps it will also save me the trouble of feeding them. Expense be bloused!

When aldermen talk about graft in open meetings it makes me think there must be something in it.

In case anything should happen it might be as well to insure the Fire and Water Committee. It might get over-heated and go up in a blaze.

Dan Cotter's Barton fair was not exactly a world's fair, but everybody said it was a world beater.

You can rely on the Times.

The workman who has no children or whose children are grown up will have to turn in and buy books for my children. That suits me all right, all right.

This is boozers' night. Wet or dry, there will be a parade.

To-morrow is church day. Going!

A MEAN FELLOW.

A week or two ago I made a few remarks about women who drink. Perhaps a word about men who drink would not be amiss. While fewer men drink to-day than they did ten or twenty years ago, there are yet quite a crowd who turn up their little finger every now and again or when they get the chance. I don't blame a man for taking a glass of beer, if he can stop at that for any length of time, and if he thinks such does him good. I shall not judge him unless I see that it is doing him and his harm. The man who drinks does it with his eyes open, and he has many "awful examples" before him to warn him of his danger. The awful examples I leave to others. They are to be pitied as well as condemned. But the fellow I am after is the sort of drinker who keeps to his work more or less, is a first-rate workman, a jolly companion and popular with the men in the shop. He is free with his money on a Saturday or Friday night. Can tell a funny story or perhaps sing a song, keeping it up until long after he should be home with his wife and children. But this chap is quite a different person when he gets home. I know him and the neighbors know him. By the time he reaches home he is as sour as green apples. The poor little woman who has the misfortune to be his wife is greeted with a curse and his children shrink in fear from this jolly good fellow. When he feels that way he kicks the kids—the Lord help them!—and sometimes slaps his wife in the face, the miserable cur. He is generous to himself and chums with his money, but keeps his family pinched. You can see that in the children's faces, while the wife is becoming old before her time. I am not vindictive, and will shed no tears if it can be proved that there is no hell. But is this apology for a man who would fain pass as a decent man, to go unwippable?

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GIRL SHOTS MAN, IS HERSELF KILLED.

Scores of Women Shoppers and Others See a Tragedy In Brooklyn.

Was She Shot by Man In the Struggle, or Did She Shoot Herself?

New York, Oct. 5.—In the presence of scores of women shoppers and passengers on a trolley car a young woman, known to the police as Rosa Riportello, of Jefferson street and Central avenue, yesterday afternoon, encountered Alle Riportello, of Norfolk, Va., in Fulton street, near Marcy avenue, Brooklyn, and after firing one bullet into his breast, engaged in a struggle with him, during which a bullet penetrated her breast, and caused death within fifteen minutes.

Riportello and the young woman, who for several years had borne his name, were taken to St. John's Hospital. The woman died as she was being admitted and the physicians expressed little hope of the man recovering.

From what the police could learn from friends of the injured man the shooting was the culmination of the girl's efforts to avenge her wrongs. She met Riportello about five years ago and lived with him for a while, but he deserted her and left Brooklyn three years ago.

While the young woman was making a search for Riportello he was prospering as a barber in Norfolk. He returned to Brooklyn last week to induce young barbers to go to Norfolk, and he had been in the borough only a short time when the girl learned of his arrival.

For three days she made a vain effort to locate him, but yesterday she learned something definite of his movements when a friend told her that the man would be at a barber shop in Fulton street, near Marcy avenue, in the afternoon. Riportello was in the shop when the woman appeared in the neighborhood, and as he stepped from the place and waved a farewell to two Italians the girl suddenly appeared and embraced him.

Trusting her aside, he stepped back toward the shop entrance, but he had not gone far when the girl fired. The bullet struck Riportello in the chest, just below the heart, but in spite of the serious nature of the wound he had strength enough to spring forward and grapple with the girl.

Before anyone could separate the two another shot was fired and the girl dropped to the pavement. Riportello fell across her just as Policeman Joseph Shepard, who had been a passenger on the trolley car, reached the sidewalk.

The girl died without regaining consciousness. Riportello was revived for a few minutes, during which time he declared the pistol was in the woman's hand when the shot which killed her was fired.

Three of New York's Finest Fell Exhausted at Corrective Drill.

New York, Oct. 5.—The Tribune says: Three policemen dropped from exhaustion at the police school for instruction in the old 69th Regiment army yesterday while undergoing Commissioner Bingham's new corrective drill for those guilty of violating the code. They were attended by a police surgeon, and then sent to their homes. Two or three have to go through more drills before their sentences are completed.

Ignatius Divens, Walter Bellinger and William P. Mills were the patrolmen who suffered. Lieut. Jacob Brown is in charge of the school. Fifty patrolmen were at the session, nearly all of whom were serving sentences for infraction of the rules.

Last night callers at the homes of Divens and Mills were turned away. It was said that Bellinger was in danger of serious injury. The doctor who attended the men says their exhaustion must have been too patent to any observer.

"They were too fat and heavy," said he, "and I am surprised that they were able to stand it as long as they did. Their lack of condition was so evident that it was only extraordinary gamesness that kept them going."

Lieut. Brown, who conducted the exercises, said the drill lasted about two hours, and he supposed that it was due to poor condition that the three men gave out.

TO THOS. TAYLOR. Retiring Waterworks Employee Honored by Comrades.

Last evening the employees of the Waterworks Department presented Thos. Taylor, an old comrade, with a gold watch, chain and locket, suitably inscribed. To-day he left the employ of the city after a service of 35 years, to take up his residence in Nelson, B. C. At the impromptu meeting held last evening many expressions of regret were made at the severance of tie that binds the friendship of old workmates, and Tom Taylor has been a faithful and true friend to all. Mr. Taylor thanked his comrades in a neat speech, and bid each good-bye with a hearty handshake, at the same time assuring them that he will ever remember Hamilton and his friends.

CANADIAN LABOR. National Independent Labor Unions to be Formed.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 5.—The movement to create independent labor unions for Canada received an impetus when what is to be called the National Trade and Labor Council was formed here. The carpenters, painters and decorators, plasterers and typographers have Canadian unions here, and will form the nucleus of the new Council. This morning, too, an interview is published by J. W. Woods, President of the Board of Trade, strongly advocating a Canadian federation for Canadian labor. Mr. J. W. Woods' remarks are entirely separate from the union meeting mentioned.

ACTION DISMISSED. Pascal Failed to Get Damages From Contractors.

A foreigner named Distal Pascal, employed by Nicholson & Riley, contractors for the B. & H. Railway, brought an action for damages against the contractors. It was tried at the Toronto Assizes yesterday. The plaintiff's claim was that the foreman had sent him to thaw out some dynamite near a fire, and while doing so it exploded and as a result he lost an eye, besides several other injuries. The defence was that the foreman had given the plaintiff a box of percussion caps to thaw out and that while the plaintiff was building the fire, the caps fell out of his pockets and exploded. The jury dismissed the action with costs. S. F. Washington appeared for the defendants.

A BAD ACCIDENT. Mrs. John Henry Still Unconscious at Noon To-day.

What may prove a fatal accident took place last night on King street east, just east of West avenue, in which Mrs. Henry, wife of Mr. John Henry, contractor, received such wounds about the head that she was still unconscious at noon to-day, at the City Hospital, to which institution she was removed. Mrs. Henry was going home on a street car and wished to get off at West avenue, on which street she lives, but the car ran past the corner and, becoming excited, Mrs. Henry attempted to get off while the car was in motion and was thrown to the ground. Her head struck the pavement and she was unconscious when picked up. She was taken into Dr. Coleman's office and later on was removed to the City Hospital. Drs. Griffin and Coleman are both in constant attendance upon her, but grave fears for her life are entertained.

\$143 TAKEN. But Police Say it is a Family Affair.

N. Lennan, 105 Sherman avenue north, has reported to the police that his watch was stolen out of his pocket at the Smelting Works, yesterday.

Mr. Hugh Campbell, 34 Frances street, reports that his house was entered yesterday morning and \$143 taken out of a trunk. The police say that it is a family affair and not likely to be aired in the police court.

The police say Tom Lee Sing's wife has been complaining against him for a betting he gave her.

THE HAMILTON TIMES

SATURDAY, OCT. 5, 1907.

COCKSHUTT, ECONOMIST.

That Rip VanWinkle of politics, W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., of Brantford, in his speech at Woodstock recently, declared that the present stringency in the money market was due to the fact that Canada has been paying out more for imports than she takes in for exports...

tion affected railways, street railways, lighting companies and common carriers generally. Already the commissions are asking that the law be amended to apply to telegraphs and telephones also, and it is likely that its scope will be thus extended.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Great Britain lost £652,055 on her Government-owned telegraph system last year.

Coal is \$7.25 a ton in Guelph. Now where is the man who was to show us how to burn ashes?

The cry of the tramping Doukhobors is said to be "Montreal or death!" Do they expect "Zandray," "Zandrak" "Zandridge" and the rest to go out to meet and welcome them?

Campbell-Bannerman refers to Canadians as "past-masters in the art of bowing." Wonder if C-B. has been favored with some Hamilton's Assessment Commissioner's literature?

Queer, isn't it, that Stratford, from which the walls about race suicide have emanated, should have a population increase of 6.57 per cent? Have Stratford people learned their lesson?

But perhaps it will not be necessary for anybody to sue the city in order to get Ald. Farrar to do the square thing about that sewer. Perhaps he will go to those who paid for building it and chip in his share of the cost.

John Patterson is reported to be oiling the bearings of that vestibule scraper, tempering picks, polishing shovels and doing problems in cubic measure of big cuts and fills so as to save time when the dirt begins to fly on the H. W. & G. R.

Under Toronto School Board it costs 11-14 cents a year for the pupil's school

books. Instead of proposing to ask the taxpayers for \$12,000 more the Hamilton Board might try to secure economy of that sort. With 10,000 pupils the cost of books at even 15 cents a year would be only \$1,500. That would be better than levying \$12,000 more taxes.

Some of our contemporaries are making a demand for "industrial education." That is good enough in its way; but there are many who think that there is an earlier duty owed by the state to give the children good elementary English education. And we should do that well, whatever else we do.

The readjustment of assessment between the Public Schools and the Separate Schools promises to reduce the amount that will be payable to the Board of Education next year. If \$12,000 be cut off in fees in addition to that lost the Trustees will have to make a big call, notwithstanding the increase in assessment.

A short time ago the Halifax Herald, the Tory organ in Borden's own constituency, was constrained to admit that "it is the simple and damnable truth that as late as the Dominion elections of 1904 Conservative heeled were armed with corrupting funds." That fits in with Hon. Dr. Pugsley's charge against Mr. Borden and his party. Dr. Pugsley challenges the leader to bring action against him and he will prove his statement. Will Mr. Borden accept? We shall see.

Of 257 samples of maple sugar examined this year by the Department of Inland Revenue, only 185 were genuine. Five were found to be a mixture; 57 adulterated, and 10 were doubtful. The analyst notes that with the methods in use makers might dilute the maple product with pure cane sugar to some slight extent without more than awakening doubts as to the purity of the article, as the analyst must give them the benefit of the doubt. Glucose, however, is more easily detected.

There is a house famine in Dundas, and the Star is puzzling its brains to find a remedy for this state of affairs. It has been suggested that the demand be met by the manufacturers forming a building society to provide houses for their workmen. Despite the inconvenience of a shortage in houses, we feel like congratulating Dundas on this evidence of its prosperity. We remember in the never-to-be-forgotten N. P. days when every family in Dundas could have had two homes to live in. Houses stood begging for tenants then.

Mr. Maitland Young, a gentleman widely known and highly esteemed in the community, died yesterday at his home in Burlington. Mr. Young was at one time a resident of Hamilton, and for many years was officially connected with the Hamilton & Northwestern Railway and other enterprises of importance to Hamilton's progress. Of late years he conducted an auditing and accounting office in the city. He was a man of sterling integrity and excellent judgment, and he possessed the confidence and respect of a very wide circle of acquaintances, who will sorrow to learn of his death.

The Times is asked to explain what is meant by 25-cycle and 50-cycle electric power. It is not easy to make it clear to one unfamiliar with electric power generation and its application. Briefly,

"cycle" in that sense is one complete revolution of the positive and negative poles of a motor. In the simple bi-polar field each revolution gives two waves of pressure, one positive, the other negative, and this in electrical terminology is called an electric period or cycle. Alternators are built with various numbers of poles, and the power is styled 25-cycle or 50-cycle, or as the case may be, according to the number of complete positive-negative waves, or to-and-fro motions effected by the current in one second.

The Toronto Globe comments severely on the C. P. R. Telegraph Co. for its action in squeezing the Northwest press with excessive rates, and presents such action as enough to decide for public ownership. But does it really follow that that is the only or best remedy? Many will say that if whenever a chartered concern's charges or actions are not to the public's liking the public must take it over, we shall not lack for tasks. Has the Canadian public ever attempted to exercise control of these companies? Has Government exhausted its efforts in its governing sphere? That is a pertinent query. Is public ownership the cure for public neglect to guard its rights?

The Westminster (Toronto) for October has several quite interesting articles, some of them finely illustrated. Perhaps the one that will attract the most attention at this time is "Formosa Under the Japanese," by Thurlow Fraser. Those who read the communications which appeared in the Globe recently from Dr. Goforth, the Canadian missionary in Corea, will no doubt be surprised to learn that Mr. Fraser gives the Japanese a good deal of credit for what he is doing for the Formosans. Any severity practised against them in the early days of the occupation was brought upon themselves by their revolutionary methods. Now that the island is quieted, many much-needed improvements have been introduced by the Japanese Government. Given time, Corea may benefit by Jap administration, just as has Formosa.

There has just been issued from the Montreal Gazette press one of the handsomest publications we have seen in many a day. It is composed of over three hundred pages of heavy fine toned paper, large quarto size, and is beautifully printed in large clear type, and requires 27c. to carry it through the mails. It is entitled "The Commercial Metropolis of Canada—Montreal, 1870-1907." It gives in succinct style the rise, progress and development of Montreal's industries, commerce, transportation facilities, resources, banking and real estate values, with fine photogravure portraits of many of the men who have made and are making that great city. It also contains many excellent illustrations of Montreal buildings, with some pretty views of the city. It is altogether a superior work of art, and is a credit to Mr. Richard White, the President of the Gazette Co. (an old Hamilton boy), and all who had a hand in its production.

When Dr. Griffin Tumbled. (Toronto Saturday Night). Rev. Dr. Griffin, treasurer of the superannuation fund of the Methodist Church, is something of a wit. Everyone who has heard him address conference gatherings knows this to be true. A few years ago the doctor fell down the stairs of his residence in Toronto, and was very badly bruised up. His shoulder amongst other parts was injured. Somebody asked him how it was happened to fall on his shoulder. "Well, how can I tell? Do you think I took notes by the way?"

We Clear-Up Goods from the Odd Sale

You can quite understand that after such a big sale as we have had during Thursday, Friday and Saturday many odd lengths and small quantities of goods will be left over; these will not be put back in stock, but will be cleared at prices that will surprise you.

Great Sale of Ladies' Underwear

- \$2,000 worth of seconds in Ladies' Knitted Underwear, goes on sale Monday morning. 25c to 40c Underwear 19c Ladies' heavy Fleece Underwear, vests and drawers, either natural or white, value for 25 to 40c, Monday's special price ... 19c 50c and 59c Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear 39c Ladies' extra heavy fleece lined Underwear, extra heavy winter weights, regular 50 and 59c, for ... 39c 75c Underwear 49c Extra qualities of Ladies' Vests and Drawers, sold everywhere for 75c, Monday's special sale ... 49c

Special Values Monday From Our Shoe Dept.

- \$5.00 Men's Shoes \$2.98 Men's Patent Colt Balm, Blucher cut, dull or kid tops, with beading and heavy shanks, Macpherson's make, price \$5, Monday, bargain ... \$2.98 \$1.75 Women's Shoes \$1.29 Women's Dongola Kid Balm, Blucher cut, patent tip, military heel, heavy extension sole, sizes 3 to 7, regular \$1.75, Monday ... \$1.29 \$2.75 Women's Shoes \$1.98 Women's fine Dongola Kid Balm, straight cut, light flexible McKay soles, patent top, military heels, regular \$2.75, Monday ... \$1.98 Boys' School Shoes \$1.50 Boys' Good School Shoes in box calf, heavy sound soles, extra back strap, double stitched, special Monday ... \$1.50 \$1.00 Child's Shoes 59c Child's Vici Kid Balm, patent tip, turn sole, spring heel, regular \$1.00, Monday ... 59c

Big Sale of Men's and Ladies' Umbrellas

- We made a contract with the largest manufacturer in umbrellas in Canada to make us four lines of umbrellas for our odd sale, unfortunately they were not delivered in time, so Monday out they go at 49 and ... 99c 85c Men's and Women's Umbrellas 49c Ladies' Umbrellas, splendid covers, pretty handles, value for 85c, Monday 49c. Men's steel rod natural crook handle Umbrellas, value for 85c, Monday ... 49c \$1.50 and \$1.75 Ladies' Umbrellas 99c Ladies' Umbrella, fine fast black, union cover, pretty handles, value for \$1.50 and \$1.75, Monday's sale ... 99c \$1.50 and \$1.75 Men's Umbrellas 99c Just 120 in all Men's Umbrellas, good strong frame, steel rod, natural crook and horn handles, value for \$1.50 and \$1.75, Monday's special sale price ... 99c

Great Silk Bargain Monday

- 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Silks for 49c Monday we put on sale nearly 2,000 yards of Black, Plain Colors and Fancy Silks, suitable for waists and shirt waist suits. They are value for 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25, Monday's sale price ... 49c

Another Purchase of Ladies' Hats

- 500 in all Ladies' Felt Shapes and Ready-to-Wear Hats, New York's latest styles, and value at from \$1.00 to \$4.00, Monday's bargain price ... 49 and 99c

Our Business This Week Got the Best of Us

We are very sorry that parcels bought during the sale were in many cases 24 to 48 hours late in delivery. We did the best we could, made arrangements for a largely increased business, but not for just double the business a year ago. However, you bought your goods cheaply and saved money. Better make another purchase to-night.

Another Shipment of Berlin Jackets

- Monday we put on sale another shipment of fine Black Jackets. These are the latest styles of the Berlin makers. Handsome Black Jackets, nicely braided trimmed; prices ... \$15.00 to \$55.00

Remember the Big Sale of Underwear

Your Last Chance to Buy at Odd Sale Prices

Saturday night will be your last chance to purchase goods at the Odd Sale, although it will be impossible to deliver goods. To-night any purchases made will be delivered first thing Monday morning. Look up our Friday night's advertisements; there must be many things you can buy and save a good deal of money.

Remember this: You have only from 8 to 10 o'clock to-night to take advantage of this Odd Sale. This sale is a bargain event never before being equalled in Hamilton.

THE T. H. PRATT CO. LIMITED

The Hamilton Board of Education may be asleep in the matter of technical education, but the London Board is very much awake to the subject. The chairman of the latter Board is anxious for the establishment of a technical school in that city. He says: "The Ontario Government is very anxious to establish a technical school outside of Toronto. At present the only school of that kind is situated in Toronto, and it is proposed to establish such schools in the Province. At present there are no demands in for such schools, and if London would ask for Government aid for such a 'tech.' I am convinced that it would be handsomely supported." Our school trustees can hardly afford to allow London to get ahead of them in this way. If we are to have a Technical College here the Board cannot move too quickly in the matter, or act too persistently. We have been robbed of our Normal College, and got nothing for it. Get a move on, Don't neglect the city's interests to spare Whitney annoyance. HERE AND THERE. Toronto Star: If the Government is going to have another ice breaker built, it might lend it to R. L. Borden to go ahead of him on his stamping tours. Globe: Miss Vanderbilt is to marry Count Laszlo Szechenyi. It is suggested that the name had better not be pronounced, but played on the mandolin. Toronto News: "Nerve is that quality possessed and displayed by a consumer when he kicks over the price of coal." From "The Coal Dealers' Dictionary and Vade Mecum." Brantford Expositor: The Reform party hereabout is in good fettle and is as able now, as it ever was, standing thoroughly united, to take the "home" out of its political opponents by giving them a bounce. Belleville Ontario: Mr. Borden's policy with reference to the Asiatic immigration amounts to this: Observe the treaty and "soak" the Government, for observing it. Toronto Star: The melancholy days have come, and we note as we pay our fare that the baseball crowd has left the cars and the football crowd is there. St. Thomas Journal: And when the manufacturers had got a tariff wall as high as Haman's gallows, they would likely hold a meeting to arrange to put a skyscraper under it as a new foundation. New York Press: When a woman likes tobacco smoke in the house she isn't married yet, but is trying to be. Vancouver Saturday Sun: Next to cooling the ardor of its admiration for Tom Longboat or some other passing idol, by asking Toronto to dig down and

Monday's store news from our Big Dress Goods Department.

- 75c Venetians 59c Plain colors in an all-wool French Venetian Cloth, big range of new colorings, ordinary 75c value, for ... 59c 75c Panama 59c All wool Panamas, good hard finish, colors brown, navy, greens, garnet, etc. This cloth will wear well. Ordinary 75c value, Monday's price ... 59c

The Cloak Dept. has two good bargains for Monday.

- \$10.00 Coats for \$5.00 Ladies' Heavy Fall Coats, mostly tweeds, ordinary \$10.00 value, your choice Monday ... \$5.00 \$15.00 Coats \$7.50 Good full length jackets, in plain cloths and tweeds, value up to \$15.00, Monday ... \$7.50

\$2.00 Dress Skirts 75c

Monday morning we put on sale 24 only Ladies' Dress Skirts, good full skirt, made of heavy tweed, regular \$2.00, value Monday ... 75c

What we can do for you in stockings Monday morning.

- 35c Cashmere Hose 25c Ladies' plain all wool and ribbed Cashmere Stockings, ordinary 35c value, on sale Monday ... 25c 35c Children's Ribbs 25c A full range of Children's Ribbed Cashmere Stockings, ordinary selling value 35c, Monday's sale price ... 25c

Honeycomb Shawls

Amongst the Knox Co. Samples was a big lot of Wool Shawls, honeycomb, all in good condition. They go on sale Monday at exactly Knox's wholesale price.

Black Bear Coats

Black Bear Coats will be the correct color for the little ones this season. We have three prices, \$2.25, \$3.25 and \$4.75. Nicely trimmed, very nobby styles.

Men's Tweed Pants

We will put on sale on Monday morning 50 in all Men's Tweed Pants, the samples of the John Knox Co. You can buy them at just about 1/2 the price you have been usually paying.

Men's Overalls

10 dozen Men's Overalls, another lot of the John Knox Co. Samples, will be sold on Monday at less than half price.

30c Bleached Sheetting 19c

50 yards only Heavy, English Bleached Sheetting, ordinary selling value 30c, sale price 19c; a limit of 5 yards to any one customer.

Barbers' Towels 59c doz.

50 dozen White Turkish Barbers' Towels or Face Cloths, Monday's special price ... 59c dozen

MONDAY, OCT. 7TH, 1907 SHEA'S Bargain Day

A Bargain Day that many of you will have cause to remember as a day of great savings if you purchase here on Monday. Many a sale is advertised with wonderful flourishes of printers' ink and display type that does not begin to equal one of the Bargain Days of this busy store. One thing you may be sure of, is that the goods you get here, no matter what the price, are squarely up to the standard of value and dependable in every way. A busy day is promised, so be in the first rush.

- White Blouses at 25c Another lot of those splendid White Lawn Waists, nicely trimmed, all sizes, good 75c value, each ... 25c Women's Drawers 29c Women's Flannelette Drawers, in pink and blue stripes, elastic at knee, worth 40c, Bargain Day, each ... 29c Women's Flannelette Gowns 50c A quantity of Women's Flannelette Gowns, also Misses', travelers' samples, made with yoke, neck and sleeves finished with lace, worth 75 and 80c, on sale Bargain Day, each ... 50c A Big Bargain in Dress Goods \$1 and \$1.25 Values for 49c 54 and 56-inch Cloths and Worsteds, in checks and stripes, goods worth \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, all go on sale Monday, per yard ... 49c 50c Dress Goods 29c 44-inch Dress Goods, in a good range of shades and colorings, a splendid goods at 50c, makes a grand Monday Bargain Day ... 29c Men's Work Shirts 35c Just 10 dozen of them, in good quality of dark navy and black drill, all sizes, 14 to 16 1/2, good, full body and good value at 50c, our Bargain Day price, each ... 35c Oddments in Men's Underwear 59c Men's Pure Wool Drawers and Shirts, some samples, some seconds, some balance of lines; not a garment worth less than \$1, some \$1.75, your choice Bargain Day, each ... 59c Men's Socks 12 1/2c Men's Black Cashmere Socks, in all sizes, worth 25c, on sale Monday, Bargain Day, for, per pair ... 12 1/2c Ladies' \$15 Suits for \$4.95 Made of a grand quality of tweeds, worsteds and plain cloths, light and dark colors, silk lined, beautifully trimmed, with braids, skirts pleated in self folds, worth \$10, \$12, and \$15, all go at one price on Monday, Bargain Day, each ... \$4.95 Ladies' Mantles at \$4.95 A quantity of them, in light and dark greys and blacks, both tight and loose fitting, worth \$8.50 to \$10, on sale Monday, Bargain Day, each ... \$4.95 Ladies' Mantles at \$7.50 Dark greys, navies, pretty tweeds, loose and semi-fitting, long length, newest style, without or with velvet collar, regularly \$12.50 and \$15.00, value, Monday, Bargain Day, each ... \$7.50 Ladies' Mantles in great variety, at prices that will equal the special sale prices offered by other stores, each ... \$10, 15 and \$17.50 English Walking Gloves \$1.25 for 89c Heavy stitched seams, made of the very best quality of skins, single dome, patent thumb, worth \$1.25, on sale Bargain Day, per pair ... 89c 40c Velvet Ribbon for 25c Hundreds of yards of beautiful 5/8" Velvet Ribbon, satin back, in the popular brown shades, a lot that came our way at a bargain, worth 40c in any store, Bargain Day, per yard 25c A Bargain in Curtain Muslins Hundreds of yards of Swiss Net Curtain Muslin, embroidered in most beautiful designs, regularly \$2.40, on sale Bargain Day, per yard ... 1.95 75c Corsets for 39c A lot of samples and some regular lines we are clearing out; white, grey, black; not a pair worth less than 60c, some \$1.00; all go per pair ... 39c Children's Corset Waists 19c A lot of samples and odd lots of Children's Waists, made of coutille, fine batiste, embroidery trimmed, garter attachment, sizes 21 to 26, worth up to 40c, all on sale Bargain Day per pair ... 19c Bargains in Staples and Linens 68-inch Bleached Table Damask, beautiful patterns, in 1 1/2, 2, 3 and 4 yard lengths, worth 65c, Bargain Day price per yard ... 35c Unbleached Linen at 35c 8 pieces of Unbleached Tabling in the very best patterns, good 50c value, for Monday only it goes for ... 35c Ends of Linens at 17c Hundreds of yards of Unbleached Tabling, in useful ends, worth every cent of 25 or 35c, Bargain Day per yard ... 17c Butchers' Linen 12 1/2c Mill ends of Butchers' Linens in useful lengths, good 20 and 25c quality, Bargain Day per yard ... 12 1/2c 15c Wrapperettes 7 1/2c Hundreds of yards of fine Wrapperette in dark colors and good designs, worth 12 1/2c and 15c, on sale to clear at ... 7 1/2c A Rousing Sale of Toweling Hundreds of yards of Linen Tea and Roller Toweling in a great many different weaves, worth 10 and 12 1/2c, Bargain Day per yard ... 7c

FRUIT GARDEN OF CANADA.

Chat About the Various Fruits and Crops.

Grapes Reaching the West in Very Fine Condition.

Notes of the Fairs in the Niagara Peninsula.

Beamsville, Oct. 5.—(Special)—And now for the corn harvest.

Fall wheat is looking O. K. Peaches at \$1.75 and \$2 have broken the record.

Apples are smaller than usual throughout the district this year, on account of the dry spell. The trees have been pretty well denuded of the weavings and wormy fellows, and the saleable crop is now beginning to show up clean and bright.

All Spies will be cheap at \$3 per barrel. It would be well to be early in the game. The buyers are bound to hold out.

Hang away a few baskets of grapes in a cool place, where the air can circulate freely, putting an old newspaper between the layers, and you will have a luxury for the Christmas dinner at the Stoney Creek Fair this year was really excellent.

The ladies' department at the Stoney Creek Fair this year was really excellent. It reflected well on the taste and ingenuity of the district.

The butter samples at two recent fairs are giving promise of better things to come, even from the fruit district.

Poultry men would do well to investigate the owners of the first prize birds in the barred rock classes. No pecker birds were seen, even at Toronto; also the white rocks, at Stoney Creek.

Forty cents per cwt. does not seem enough for the factories to be paying for peckers. These generally run pretty close to grade 2.

While a large portion of the wheat is coming up, some of the farmers back in the southern part of the counties put in the first share last Monday. A large number are using two teams to catch up. With fair luck, there is still time.

Does any person know how the honey crop has been panning out? Early prospects were poor.

One of the first crops of peaches seen this fall was being taken off a low tree in the vicinity of the station. It was very green yet, on Oct. 1st.

What is the matter with the majority of the farms in South Wentworth? They never looked in worse shape than this year. What will the harvest be next season?

The old, popular trials of speed are once more resuscitating the township fall gatherings from the past two years' staleness, that meant for nearly all of them oblivion in short order. The entries in the other classes have not only picked up to the cent, but better still, the old enthusiasts are back at their posts.

There are no large fields of pumpkins that are worth mentioning. The big fellow of former times will be a rarity to housewives this Thanksgiving.

My find sheep in the heart of the fruit district is rather strange, but Mr. E. Field-Marshal, of Clinton township, takes pride in saying that his large flock of Dorsets are hard to beat. There are several imported animals on the farm.

Perhaps one of the best effects in landscape gardening between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is at the Littleton school grounds, on the township line between Clinton and Louth, Lincoln county. The grounds are a beauty and wonder to even the skeptics, and a beautiful example of what small grounds can be turned into by the use of ornamental trees and shrubs.

Fifteen hundred dollars in a lump sum for the peaches on a five-year-old orchard, and not a large orchard either, was the price paid Mr. Haynes, of Grantham township, for his Elberta crop-pickers and baskets supplied and paid for, and the crop hauled away. This is the grandest orchard of peaches in the St. Catharines vicinity, and is likely to be for some years.

The display of grapes in ten-pound baskets at the Clinton Township Fair, Beamsville, was very fine, there were over fifty entries in this class, comprising Rogers, Delaware, Niagaras, Moyers, Campbells, Wards, and Concord.

Nearly one hundred and fifty entries in arts is a pretty good record for a township show. Beamsville had that many on Thursday and Friday.

There are not so many good, sound, general purpose horses to be seen this year at shows. This is a general opinion. Down in the West, the fruit boys are sending away an average of twelve cars a week to the Northwest and British Columbia, mostly grapes and pears. They are said to be reaching their destination in extra good condition, too. Winona is sending some, also Grimsby.

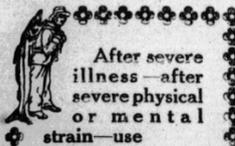
Jimmy Livingston is the old popular baby show and horse judge; what would the fall shows be without James?

COPE STOLEN.

Paris, Oct. 5.—An antique historic Cope has been stolen from the Church at Blazac, Haute Vienne. It is valued at nearly \$25,000.

It is believed that the thief has taken it to London. Two persons have been arrested at Blazac on suspicion of having aided in the theft.

Harvard leads all American colleges in point of number of students.



After severe illness—after severe physical or mental strain—use Scott's Emulsion.

It builds up and holds up the strength of man and woman, girl and boy. It is the most wonderful "food- tonic" in the world.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00.

Our First Annual Harvest Sale

Continues Monday and Tuesday. Better and larger displays. Our first annual Harvest Sale is a grand success. To-day our store was crowded with many interesting buyers; not a dull moment during the selling. Many of these lines will interest economical buyers.

Women's New Umbrellas \$1.19, \$1.49 & \$1.69

A large display of Women's New Autumn Umbrellas, styles fresh from abroad, comprising the best and largest collection of the most fashionable handles. Ladies, come and see these New Umbrellas showing at the entrance to the store, west side, special Harvest Sale \$1.19, \$1.49 and \$1.69.

Men's Umbrella Styles \$1.19 \$1.49 & \$1.69

A handsome display of Men's New Umbrellas imported from England and guaranteed for wear and color, handsome new handles, silver mounted, selling at one-third less in price than men's store prices. Come and see our fine stock, showing at entrance. Harvest Sale prices, \$1.19, \$1.49 and \$1.69.

Harvest Sale of 1,500 Pair Women's and Children's All Wool Cashmere Hose 25c

Our buyer, when abroad the past season, purchased the entire surplus stock of a large manufacturer in England, comprising 1,500 pairs of Women's and Children's Wool Cashmere Ribbed Hose, in all sizes, perfect in every way, regular values 35 and 40c, Harvest Sale price, per pair, 25c, at your share while they are on sale.

Best Styles in Black and Colored Dress Materials

Ladies who are particular in their dress wear should come here and see our grand display of novelties from abroad this season. We will be pleased to have the opportunity of showing them to you.

All-wool Cheviot Serge Suitings, in the new, heavy twill makes, in colors, brown, blue, navys, wine shades, prunes and myrtle, 50 and 54 inches wide, at, per yard, \$1.25.

New and handsome styles in All-shadow plaids and stripe effects, in the newest designs, 44 to 54-inch, at, per yard, 75c to \$1.50.

Black Silk Stripe Voiles, quite new this season, at, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.10 to \$2.00.

Have your garments made here, in our popular dressmaking departments, ladies' tailoring departments, separate dress skirt and waist departments. Prompt and good attention always, best work and moderate prices. Enquire about it on second floor.

Black Silk and Wool Poplin de Chine, quite fashionable for evening dresses, at 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

Black All-wool Cheviot Suitings, in best English and French makes, in the popular large twill weaves, which are so fashionable for coat suits, 44 to 56-inch, at, per yard, 75c, 85c to \$1.50.

Best French makes, in all-wool black broadcloth, in a brilliant satin finish, so popular for military suits, 48 to 56-inch, at \$1.10, \$1.25 to \$2.50.

FINCH BROS., 29 and 31 King Street WEST

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AMUSEMENTS

Great Pianist Coming.

William H. Sherwood, the renowned American pianist, is to come to Hamilton on Nov. 7, under the auspices of the Conservatory of Music faculty. Mr. Sherwood, as a pupil of the great master, Liszt, and a friend of the lately deceased Edward Grieg, is recognized as one of the greatest pianists and educators of our time, so this effort of the conservatory to bring such an artist to the city will specially appeal to the discriminating musical public. The lists are now in the music stores. It is also announced in this connection that the afternoon of the same day will be an at-home to the many friends of the school. The at-home will give the many interested friends of the institution a chance to inspect a building pronounced by foremost educators an establishment second to none in Canada in arrangement and equipment for conservatory purposes.

Girls' Home Benefit.

The benefit concert in aid of the Girls' Home drew a large audience last evening to Association Hall. The affair was an excellent musical and literary entertainment to the local and professional talent, and all performers received loud applause which necessitated encore numbers. The feature of the programme was the singing of Miss Maud Lambert, a distinguished operatic star, who is filling a Savoy Theatre engagement. Her work was highly appreciated. The committee are glad to report that it was a very successful event, financially. The Directresses are Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Malloch, Mrs. Wolverson, Mrs. MacKellan, Mrs. F. M. Wilson, Miss Gaviller, (Cor-Secretary), Miss I. M. Walker, (Rec-Sec.), Miss Matthews, (Assist. Sec.) Following was the programme: Piano solo—Valse—Miss Schult. Miss Anna C. Laidlaw, A.T.C.M. Vocal Duet—O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast—Miss Mendenhall. Miss Sutherland and Mr. Petty. Reading—The Watermelon. Miss Marjorie Green. Song—Selected. Mr. Carey, tenor. Reading—The Servant Question. Miss Ethel Mawson. Song—Who'll Buy My Lavender, (Edward German) Miss Metta Watkins. Violin solo—Selected. Miss Alberta Presnell. Reading—The Pilot of the Plains. (Pauline Johnson) Miss Bastedo. Solo—(a) Less Than the Dust (b) Kashmiri. Mr. Carey.

SENDS BRIDES TO AFRICA.

German Colonial Society Has Exported Several Hundred.

Hamburg, Oct. 4.—Several hundreds of young German women, belonging mostly to the local and agricultural classes, left Hamburg yesterday on board the steamer Feidmar-schal, bound for German Southwest Africa, where they will take positions in the families of the German settlers and Government officials.

The Colonial Society, of which Dr. Von Holleben, the former Ambassador for Germany at Washington, is president, is, with the support of the Government, offering inducements for women to emigrate, such as finding positions for them, with the hope that they eventually will marry soldiers serving in the colony and become permanent settlers.

ENGLAND'S WAR BALLOON.

Against Head Wind Airship Attained Speed of 20 Miles an Hour.

London, Oct. 4.—The new dirigible military balloon had another successful trial yesterday. The airship made her way against a very strong head wind, which she easily overcame and attained a speed of twenty miles an hour. The trial tested the powers of the ship and her engines to the full. She answered her helm beautifully.

A little better linings and inter-linings and a little better workmanship is what makes these "Sovereign Brand" Clothes give such satisfactory service.

They retain their "fresh-from-the-tailor-shop" appearance longer than any other make we know of.

Prices for Suits with this label in \$12.00 to \$25.00.

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12 and 14 James St. North

JAPAN SAYS NO.

WILL NOT RESTRICT THE NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS.

Hawaii Cleared Out—That is the Reason Given for Refusal, But Vessels Are Still Bringing in Yellow and Brown Men by the Hundred.

Tokio, Oct. 4. (Globe report)—With reference to the telegrams reporting that a Canadian commission is coming to Japan to negotiate for the restriction of Japanese immigration to Canada, it is reiterated here on a trustworthy authority that the Japanese government will not consent to restriction, inasmuch as immigration may be restricted when the government considers it necessary without any formal agreement which would be regarded here as a contravention of the Anglo-Japanese commercial treaty.

Moreover the Japanese Consul-General at Honolulu reports that the bulk of the Japanese immigrants who desired to transigrate to Canada have already left Hawaii, and that not many more are expected to invade Canada.

More En Route. Vancouver, Oct. 4.—It is reported here that the steamer Tinga Maru, from Japan, is due in Victoria with 250 Japs and 20 Chinamen aboard. The steamer was held at Shanghai three days on account of the cholera scare. The steamer Tartar, due at Victoria to-morrow, brings 100 Japs and 500 Hindoos. The blue funnel liner Titan and steamer Tremont are coming with 300 Japs between them.

The Grand Jury, considering the riot cases to-day, found seven true bills and six no bills. Two true bills had been already found. Four cases yet remain to be considered. The cases will be heard next week.

Chased Hindoos Across Border. Spokane, Wash., Oct. 4.—At Danville, Wash., last night, an angry mob drove a small party of Hindoos across the line into Canada, sending a shower of missiles after them.

A few shots were discharged at the trespassers, but none was injured, it is believed. The Hindoos had found shelter in a cabin at Danville.

It sometimes happens that the prodigal son returns home only to discover that the fattened calf has been eaten by the summer boarders.

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited - Saturday, October 5th, 1907

Managers' Sale

Continues On Monday

The success of our present Managers' Sale has been phenomenal—the store for the past two days being literally thronged with shoppers. Never before in our history have we seen so much enthusiasm displayed. Never before have we served so many customers on the first days of a Managers' Sale. Fortunately we have prepared on an extraordinary scale for this event, and in spite of the immense inroads made upon our stocks we can announce for next week a continuance of the wonderful values that have already stamped this sale as the greatest bargain event ever held in Hamilton. AN ENTIRELY NEW BILL OF FARE FOR MONDAY.

A Dress Goods Sensation Managers' Sale Provides Remarkable Values for Monday.

Good quality Wool Serge in rough Etamine weave, choice of blue, brown, green, red and black; full 44 inch material. Regular price 60c yard; Monday for 39c yard.

All-wool Cashmeres and Armures in navy, brown, green, red and black; full 40-inch materials. Regular 45c and 50c per yard; Monday for 35c yard.

Pretty Cream Satin Stripe Delaines, a good washable material for blouses, etc., 27 inches wide. Regular 35c yard; Monday for 22c yard.

Chiffon Taffeta Plaid Silks, in neat dark combinations of blue, red and green, 20 inches wide. Regular price 75c yard; on sale Monday 65c yard.

Good All-wool Suitings, in popular colors of brown, grey, green and blue, combinations, checks and stripe effects, 54 inches wide. Monday \$1.10 yard.

MONDAY Grimsby Day

On Monday we will run a special Buyers' Excursion from Grimsby to Hamilton, over the H. G. & B. Electric Railway.

RETURN FARE 5 CENTS

Everyone living in Grimsby and stations west is invited to take it in. Cars leave Grimsby at 8.15 a.m. and 1.15 p.m.

Extra Special Black Sateen Underskirts

25 dozen Black Sateen Underskirts, in 3 very popular styles; some made with accordion pleated flounces finish with narrow ruffles, others with deep shirred flounce and foundation extending full length, adding greatly to their wear and the comfort of the wearer; finished with draw-string at top; 38, 40, 42 inches in length; all excellent value regularly at \$1.25, on sale Monday for 98c.

The Great Managers' Sale Housefurnishings

Continues with Wonderful values. A fine assortment of travelers' samples of Carpets, each about 1 yard square, very suitable for mats. Monday your choice 19c.

A limited quantity of down-filled Pillows, 18x24 and covered with extra strong tissue. Regular \$1.25 pair; on sale Monday 89c.

12 dozen only lace-trimmed Window Shades in light green and cream, each fitted with genuine Hartshorn roller. Regular 50c; Monday for 39c.

Choice of our entire stock of Japanese Floor Matting, all first-class colorings and patterns. Regular values up to 35c yard; Monday 19c.

Brass Extension Rods for sash curtains, etc., extend to 44 inches, each complete with ends and brackets. Regular 15c each; Monday 2 for 25c.

Large size White Pillow Slips, made of good quality cotton, guaranteed to wear and laundry well. Regular 35c pair; Monday 25c.

Managers' Sale of Wall Papers

500 rolls Wall Papers, suitable for bedrooms and kitchens, in floral, tapstry and conventional designs; popular color grounds and good colorings. Regular 10c roll; Monday 5c.

800 rolls Wall Papers, in 12 different designs of rich embossed gilt, pretty floral stripe and tapstry effects, choice of reds, greens, blues and buff. Regular 25c roll; Monday 12 1/2c.

Managers' Sale of Neckwear, Laces

1 dozen Dainty Lace Yokes with collar attached in cream shade. Worth regularly 75c and 85c each; on sale Monday Half Price.

2 dozen Children's Fancy White Peter Pan Collars, trimmed with lace. Worth regularly 50c and 75c; Monday on sale at Half Price.

Women's Dainty Embroidered Turn-over Collars, all good patterns. Regular 10c each; Monday 5c.

Fine French Val. Laces; worth regularly 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c yard, Monday on sale at 2 yards for 15c.

Corset Cover Embroideries with finished edge, all good patterns. Worth regularly 29 and 35c yard; on sale Monday at 23c.

Managers' Sale of Leather Goods

4 dozen Men's Heavy Tan Leather Purses, flat style for pocket. Regular 25c each; Monday 15c.

3 dozen Leather Belts, all colors, different styles. Regular 25c each; Monday 15c.

4 dozen Pearl Beads, 3 strings, with fancy centre, strong clasp. Worth regularly 25c; Monday only 15c.

Managers' Sale of Notions

3 gross of Nickle Safety Pins in three sizes. Regular 3c paper; Monday 3 papers for 5c.

5 gross bunches of Finishing Braids, in white and colors, 4 yards in a bunch. Worth regularly 5c bunch; Monday 3 bunches for 10c.

6 dozen heavy unbreakable Dressing Combs, in black or white. Regular 15c; Monday 9c.

Managers' Sale of Toilet Sets

6 piece Toilet Sets, fancy floral patterns, in pink, blue and green colorings. Regular \$1.75 set; Monday \$1.39.

Extraordinary Values Again in Undervests and Hosiery

This in Spite of Advancing Prices

Children's Part Wool Vests, natural color, made with long sleeves, high neck, with draw-string, unshrinkable quality. Regular 25c; on sale Monday 15c.

Women's Extra Heavy Union Vests, shaped waist, button front, nicely trimmed. Regular 25c; on sale Monday 19c.

Women's and Children's Natural Wool Vests, Watson's unshrinkable make; long sleeves, buttoned front.

Children's sizes, 75c and 85c. Women's sizes, \$1.00.

Women's Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, very elastic, with double heels and laces. Special 35c pair, 3 pairs \$1.00.

Boys' Heavy Worsted Hose, elastic two and one ribbed, double heels and toes, sizes 6 to 10 1/2. Monday, all sizes, 25c.

Women's Fine White Wool Combinations, slightly soiled, long sleeves and ankle length, well made, with covered seams. Regular \$3; on sale Monday \$1.99.

Women's Extra Heavy Union Vests, long sleeves, shaped waist, buttoned front, white or natural color, ankle-length drawers to match. Monday 50c.

Penman's Vests, long sleeves, shaped waist, unshrinkable, all sizes \$1.25.

Managers' Sale of Fancy Goods

3 dozen Cream Serim Table Covers, with borders hemstitched, good size and quality. Regular price 50c each. Monday 19c.

Stamped and Tinted Cases for gloves, ties and handkerchiefs, easily made up. Worth regularly 35c each; Monday 18c.

1 only, "Hamilton Tiger" Cushion Cover, made up with girle and back ready for pad. Worth regularly \$3; Monday 98c.

1 only, Leather Postal Card Cushion Top, finished with cut fringe. Worth regularly \$3 each; Monday \$2.39.

Stamped White Lawn Pillows, with dainty frills. Regular 40c each; Monday 29c.

Managers' Sale of Toilet Goods

Tooth Brushes, good bristles. Regular 10c each; Monday 7c.

Eau de Cologne and Lavender Water, very dainty and refreshing. Worth regularly 25c bottle; Monday 18c.

Powder Boxes, in dainty shades of blue and pink. Regular 15c each; Monday 10c.

Perfumes in fancy boxes, dainty odors. Regular 25c bottle; Monday 19c.

Hair Brushes and Cloth Brushes. Worth regularly up to 75c each; choice on Monday at all one price 15c.

Managers' Sale of Patterns

Your choice of our entire stock of New Idea Patterns, for fall, including shirt waists, skirts, evening coats and children's garments. Regular 10c each; Monday on sale at 3 for 25c.

Beautiful Angora Wool, in white only, for infants' bonnets, coats and mittens. Regular 15c ball; Monday 2 balls for 25c.

Managers' Sale of Kitchen Goods

6 dozen Heavy Tin Dust Pans; regular 10c each, Monday 7c.

3 dozen extra fine Corn Brooms, 3 strings; regular 30c each, Monday 23c.

4 dozen heavy Potato Mashers; regular 10c each, Monday half price 5c.

An Unmatchable Display of Women's Outer Garments

Impressive List of Values for Monday's Selling

Women's Winter Coats of dark brown and green check, heather mixtures or plain black beaver cloth, made in popular 7-8 length, loose fitting, and trimmed with self-strappings, Gibson effect, full sleeves, with turn cuffs; an exceedingly stylish and serviceable coat. Monday \$7.50.

Women's 3/4 length Raincoats, of fine cravenette and waterproof worsted, made collarless or with velvet collar and lapels; some plain box style with patch pocket, others with yoke back and front and pleated below; full sleeves with turn cuffs. Regular \$10 and \$12.50. Your choice Monday for \$8.75.

Women's Stylish Street Suits of fine vicuña cloth, in black and navy, natty hip length coat, tight-fitting cut-away style, mannish collar and lapels, double breasted and well lined; skirts made in popular pleated style, perfect fitting and flaring at foot, finished with self folds. On sale Monday \$15.00.

Managers' Sale of Women's Fine Furs

Women's 27-inch Near Seal Coats, of finest quality skins, made with storm collar, wide reverses, full sleeves. Regular \$50; Monday \$35.00.

Grey Lamb Capelines, with high storm collar, deep cape, all well lined and finished with tails. Regular \$5; on sale Monday \$3.75.

Managers' Sale of Boots and Shoes

Youths' Fine Box Calf and Bluecut Laced Boots, with extension soles, college back straps; sizes 11 to 13. Worth regularly \$2 pair; Monday \$1.85.

Misses' Patent Colt and Gun Metal Laced Boots, Bluecut style, extension soles, low heels and back straps, sizes 11 to 2. Worth regularly \$2 pair; Monday \$1.75.

Boys' Box Calf Laced Boots, also Bluecut cut, extra heavy soles, college back straps, sizes 1 to 5. Worth regularly \$1.75 pair; Monday \$1.29.

Women's Fine Vici Kid, Bluecut and plain Laced Boots, sewn soles, with extension edge; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Worth regularly \$3 pair; Monday \$2.48.

Managers' Sale of Flannelette Wear

Women's Flannelette Night Gowns, in plain colors of pink and blue, yoke neatly trimmed with white braid and finished at neck, yoke and sleeves, with frill edged with lace. On sale Monday at only 69c.

Women's Warm Flannelette Petticoats, in plain white, gored skirt with flounce, lengths 30, 32 and 34 inches. On sale Monday only at 49c.

Women's Flannelette Drawers in pink and blue stripes, gathered at the knee and finished with frill. On sale Monday 25c pair.

Managers' Sale of Stationery

"Stanley Mills" Papereries, containing 20 sheets of note paper and 20 envelopes, ruled or plain. Worth regularly 15c box; Monday 10c.

A box of fine correspondence stationery, 1 quire of paper and 25 envelopes; worth regularly 25c box, Monday 20c.

Hurd's Egyptian Linen Note Paper, in azure and cream; regular 15c quire, on sale Monday 8c.

Envelopes to match; regular 15c package, Monday 8c.

No. 7 Business Envelopes, well mullaged; on sale Monday 3 pkgs for 5c.

Managers' Sale of Groceries

50 dozen cans of Choice Clams; regular 25c can, Monday only at 10c can.

250 lbs. of Choice Lemon and Orange Peel; Monday 2 lbs. 25c.

200 pkgs. of Gold Dust; regular 10c pkg. for 7c.

50 cases of Corn and Peas; regular 10c can, Monday 3 cans for 25c.

20 dozen cakes Scouring Soap, 10c size for 5c.

RECIPROCITY.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSALS TO AUSTRALIA.

Proposal That Negotiations for Reciprocity Be Formally Opened—Benefits to Both Countries—No Preference on Some Articles.

The Melbourne Argus announces that Mr. D. H. Ross, Canadian representative in Australia, upon cable instructions from Ottawa, has laid before Sir Wm. Lyne, Finance Minister of the Commonwealth, a letter proposing that negotiations for reciprocity between Canada and Australia be formally opened.

To give Canada a preference would, it is argued, tend to divert trade from the United States to Canada in many articles not produced in the Commonwealth. It is pointed out that Australia pays \$27,000 and Canada \$37,000 in subsidy to the Canadian-Australian Line of mail steamers—the only service across the Pacific—while later on the "magnificent" steamers of the all-red route will be seen in Australian waters, to the benefit of the export trade of this country.

Leading lines of both Australian and Canadian goods and products can be interchanged to the advantage of both countries, and a large and growing trade will be established.

Attached to the letter is a schedule of goods and products Canada can export to Australia on which preference is suggested on a "suggested understanding antecedent to the consideration of a reciprocal trade agreement between Australia and Canada."

The Australian preferential tariff on goods the produce or manufacture of the United Kingdom to be extended to all Canadian goods or products not included in the schedule of articles enumerated in the special reciprocal trade agreement between Australia and Canada.

The letter also asks that Sir William Lyne would make an appointment with the Canadian representative so that the matter may be fully discussed.

Some of the items on which preference is asked, he said, "are out of the question. Take harvesters, for instance, and agricultural machinery. I told Sir Wilfrid Laurier in London that preference on these items was impossible."

HALL OF SCIENCE.

BAPTISTS' FINELY EQUIPPED BUILDING NOW OPENED.

Autumn Convocation—Two New Professors Were Installed—Record Enrollment of Students—Presentation of Scholarships and Prizes.

Toronto, October 5.—The autumn convocation of the faculty and students of McMaster University, usually an interesting function, was made notable last night by what was virtually the opening of the new Science Hall, which has been erected at a cost of \$53,000, and also by the installation of two new professors, Dr. J. A. Gilmore, appointed to the chair of practical theology, and Dr. J. Bishop Tingle, to the chair of chemistry.

The Chancellor introduced Professor J. I. Gilmore (formerly pastor of James Street Baptist Church, Hamilton), who was appointed some time ago to the chair of practical theology, but who had been prevented by illness from taking up his duties last session.

Professor Gilmore briefly acknowledged the kindness and indulgence which had been shown him since his appointment, and promised to give to his task the very best he was capable of giving.

The following scholarships and prizes were then presented: Governor-General's medal, A. F. Smith; Crawford scholarship, T. M. Hudson, B.A. (1906); N. McNaughton, B.A. (1907); church history scholarship, H. R. Nobles, B.A.; D. E. Thomson scholarship, D. A. MacGibbon; William Craig prize, C. A. Curtis; Zenas Freeman prize, M. H. Long; Hunt prize, R. G. English; Shenstone scholarship, A. H. Hutchinson; Pratt scholarship, K. Clark; J. W. Knott prize, H. D. Smith; G. W. Langdon prize, W. L. Blackadar; Sargerson prize, S. R. Weaver; Elmore Harris prize in Latin, Elmore Harris prize in Greek, Miss L. J. Craig; John Firstbook prize in French, Joseph Wearing; James Ryrie prize in German, W. J. Donald.

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In practically all such cases where coffee or tea is the drink, one can obtain relief by quitting the coffee or tea and taking Postum for he leaves off a drink that is an active producer of disease and takes in its place a powerful liquid food that contains elements for rebuilding the nerve centres which have heretofore been torn down. "There's a Reason."

The Daily Fashion Hint.



TWO DAINY FROCKS.

These two dainty frocks are for parties and other dressy occasions. The larger is plain white-lawn trimmed with lace and insertion and having a yoke of baby Irish lace run with satin ribbons. The little girl's dress is also lawn and lace. The band over the shoulder is formed of beading, run with ribbon and edged with lace and insertion, and gives a dressy appearance to the frock.

A TALK ABOUT OLD MEXICO

Interesting Interview With Mr. J. C. Riach, An Old Dundas Boy.

Mr. J. C. Riach, of Mexico City, Mexico, an old Dundas boy, is in the city now visiting his father, Mr. George Riach. Mr. Riach has been in Mexico for the last six years, where he has been very successful in business, and comes back to Hamilton with many good things to say of his adopted country. For the last three years he has held the position of expert accountant with James F. MacNab & Co., accountants, Mexico City. His business has taken him pretty much all over the Republic, north, east, west and south, with the exception of that part lying on the Pacific Coast. The real business of the country is mining, Mexico being fabulously wealthy in minerals. The Spaniards worked a good many mines to the water level and then deserted them, but Englishmen and Americans have come in with up-to-date machinery and find more gold, silver and copper underneath than they could have dreamed of. Addresses were delivered by the Chancellor, who stated that the enrolment of students this year was the largest in the history of the university, and by the two new professors, and the convocation lecture was delivered by Dr. Cross, Chancellor. A. C. McKay, B.A., LL.D., presided, and there was a large attendance of members of the faculty, students and friends, the chapel being well filled.

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to New York. Long before the Panama Canal is built, Mr. Riach says, there will be a double track clear across the isthmus. There is much capital going into Mexico, but like most other countries, money is tight. Business, however, is good. Real estate in the City of Mexico has increased in value greatly. What could be purchased six years ago for \$4 or \$6 a square meter is now worth from \$25 to \$30. But he thinks values won't go any higher.

Living is high and wages high in proportion. He would not now advise anybody to go down there looking for a job unless he can speak Spanish. The teaching of English in the Public Schools is now made compulsory, and the rising generation is all learning to speak English. Mechanics who can talk Spanish can command from \$6 to \$8 a day Mexican money—equal to \$3 to \$4 a day Canadian money. The educated Mexican is very polite and nice to deal with, but particularly sharp in business affairs. The poorer class in the City of Mexico is illiterate, and not at all a desirable citizen. But in the villages the Indian is a very decent sort of fellow. The Mexicans are particular in a way. They make good enough neighbors, but they seldom allow a foreigner inside their houses. General Diaz is almost a full-blooded Indian, as are most of his State Governors. Mr. Riach speaks highly of him. The country has prospered under his guidance. The Republic is peaceful, and life and property are as safe there as they are in Canada.

The Federal District, which includes the City of Mexico, is very efficient, and graft is unknown to it. Commercial and business manufactures are such now that in the event of Diaz's death little trouble is looked for, and a revolution is out of the question. The Mexicans are learning to value the benefit of stable government, and will do nothing to jeopardize it. The army controls the country.

Mr. Riach, who can speak and read Spanish like a Spaniard, will remain in this city and country for several weeks before he returns to Mexico, and is that he will not return alone—a young Canadian bride accompanying him to his Mexican home.

OVER SUPPLY OF WHISKEY.

London, Oct. 4.—It has been decided to call a meeting of the Highland Malt whisky distillers to undertake to come to an agreement with the view of advancing prices during the forthcoming distilling season.

Owing to the great increase in the price of coal, amounting all round to fully 100 per cent, and the higher price of barley as a result of the sunless summer, working costs have been raised to a point which leaves little or no margin of profit.

It is fully recognized that the difficulties in the way of advancing prices are very great, in view of the fact that there are too many producers and that the stocks already in bond are overwhelmingly large.

The number of distillers in Scotland is 164, of which 93 produce Highland malt whisky, and the stocks amount to 118 million proof gallons, equal to over four years' supply.

It is suggested that the distillers should be effectively organized and that certain distillers should be closed down with the view of restricting production, those closing down being compensated out of a fund provided by those working.

HOW THE SCRAP STARTED.

Jones stepped on Smith's favorite corn, and of course there was trouble. What Smith needed was Putnam's Corn Extract, that painless remedy for corns and warts that cures in twenty-four hours. Putnam's is the old stand-by; the Atlantic seaboard and then shipped

FINE PARADE.

Thirteenth Had a Turnout of 455 Last Evening.

The 13th Regiment held a bumper parade last evening, there being over 450 men in uniform. The drills were gone through with a snap and ginger that greatly pleased Col. Moore and the officers of this old regiment. As the season advances, the regiment is rapidly coming to its true form, as the best marching regiment in Canada. Battalion and company drill was indulged in for a while, after which a short march out to the parade ground. Col. Moore spoke briefly to the men, commending them on the excellent turnout. He mentioned the fact that the McLaren shelter competition would take place on Oct. 12th, and requested a full representation from each company.

Y. M. C. A. OPENING.

East End Association in New Quarters To-morrow.

As announced in another column, the Y. M. C. A. work in East Hamilton will be opened up on Sunday and Monday, Oct. 6th and 7th, at the building, corner of Barton street and Milton avenue, purchased from the Barton Street Methodist Church. It has been remodelled and equipped for the work and provides facilities for reading, recreation, noon lunch, bathing, light gymnastics, lawn bowling (indoors), religious services, educational classes, etc. The efforts put forth by the association to furnish such a place for the benefit of the employees of the many factories in that part of the city and others will be appreciated and liberally patronized. The services on Sunday should be well attended.

HOW FRUIT-GROWERS FLOURISH.

Ontario Has Unique System of Co-operation in Experiments.

New York, Oct. 4.—At the International Conference on Plant Hardiness and Acclimatization, held in this city yesterday under the auspices of the New York Horticultural Society, Professor H. H. Henshaw, of the Ontario Agricultural College, gave an address on the "Co-operative Methods Adopted in Ontario to Ascertain Hardiness in Fruits and Vegetables." He outlined the work accomplished by the Ontario fruit experiment stations, and described the plan of co-operation which has resulted in 8,000 grower on tests of fruits and vegetables under the direction of the horticultural department of the college. In no other country in the world has the co-operative idea of helping the people to help themselves been so practically wrought out as in Ontario. There was no interference whatever, and the Ministers were clothed with full powers as plenipotentiaries.

WIRELESS WORKING WELL.

Marconi Sends Message Every Day Over Atlantic.

Sydney, N. S., Oct. 4.—"Wireless telegraphy will be a commercial success within the time I have mentioned," said Signor Marconi today. "Every day I am talking with Clifden, and receiving replies."

"Everything is working most satisfactorily, and I have no complaint to make," were the words of the inventor.

He expressed himself as being much pleased over the receipt of the Marconi stock, which is now quoted at £1 8s. 3d., an increase of 30 per cent. within the last three weeks.

WIFE ASKED SALARY.

Left Husband Because He Refused to Pay It.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—One of the most peculiar cases which have ever been dealt with by the Hull Superior Court has just been disposed of by Judge Robidoux. Joseph Dubois, of Aylmer, Que., was brought before the court charged with the non-support of his wife.

In the evidence it was shown that Mrs. Dubois had refused to live with her husband or keep house for him unless he paid her \$2 a day for her services. He therefore refused, and his wife left him.

TO DEPORT WHITE SLAVES.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Secretary Straus, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, and Frank P. Sargent, Commissioner-General of Immigration, have determined to eliminate the "white slave" traffic from the United States, if possible. They have determined that to round up all alien immoral women in large cities, and those who have not been in the United States three years and were brought here illegally will be deported, and, if possible, those responsible for their presence punished.

MONTREAL MAN ASPHYXIATED.

Joseph Brossard, Commercial Traveller, Found Dead in Bed.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—Joseph Brossard, about forty years of age, was found at 10 o'clock this morning dead in bed, having been asphyxiated by gas. He was a commercial traveller living at 4 St. Louis square, was a widower and leaves three small children. An inquest will be held to-morrow.

COLLISION AT FORT FRANCES.

Fort Frances, Oct. 4.—A head-on collision occurred here last night at 10.30 between east and west bound freights. The eastbound train was derailed and the tender smashed. The engineer was the only one seriously injured, the remainder getting off with a few bruises.

London, Ont., millers advanced the price of what ten cents owing to the local scarcity.

L. O. G. T.

International Lodge Gave Good Concert and Farce.

The entertainment given by International Lodge last evening was a great success, the C. O. O. F. Hall being crowded to the doors. A. Lawson, Chief Templar, occupied the chair, and gave a brief address, after which the following programme was presented: Piano solo, "Dreamland Waltz," Miss Lizzie Smith; comic song, "Travelling," Scott Morrison; song, "Lullaby," Mrs. Kingden; duet, "Pilot Brave," G. C. and J. Porteous; recitation, "Thirty Years With a Shrew," Mrs. F. Skodden; song, "Ashore," G. C. Porteous; song, "Once Again in Bonnie Scotland," Mrs. Kingden; comic song, "Let It Alone," Scott Morrison; duet, "Lullaby," G. C. and J. Porteous; piano solo, "Visions of Rest," Miss Lizzie Smith. All the numbers were well received, every selection being given with accompaniments with her usual skill and taste. The entertainment concluded with the farce, "Who's Who?, or, All in a Fog," with the following cast: z Bloomfield Brambleton... F. S. Morrison; z Mimonds Swanbopper... A. H. Lytle; z Lawrence Laverdier... Scott Morrison; z Cissy Brambleton... Miss Lily Boniface; z Matilda Jane... Miss Mary Morrison. All the parts were well taken, and the farce went off without a hitch, creating roars of laughter.

FIELDING-BRODEURE.

Welcomed Home at Quebec the French Treaty.

Quebec, Oct. 4.—The Board of Trade, the oldest institution of its kind in Canada, presented an address of welcome to Messrs. Fielding and Brodeur on their return, as the address stated, "from a memorable trip abroad, in which they contributed to the development of foreign trade and helped the country in a step towards complete commercial emancipation."

Mr. Fielding, in reply, said that, while not at liberty, for diplomatic reasons, to at present make public the details of the treaty just negotiated with France, yet he was able to indicate the general principles on which it had been made. A good bargain was one in which both sides profited. The present treaty was not the first negotiated by Canadian statesmen, instancing the treaty with France fourteen years ago. That treaty, however, was small and unequal. They were given full power to enter into the negotiations, with the understanding that whatever was done by them would be ratified. There was no interference whatever, and the Ministers were clothed with full powers as plenipotentiaries.

BIG LINER SWEEP BY WAVE.

Cedric's Passengers Bring Story of Disaster to the Umbria.

New York, Oct. 4.—Passengers on the steamship Cedric, which arrived to-day, say that on Wednesday a wireless message was received from New York to Liverpool, bound from New York to Liverpool, saying the ship had encountered very heavy weather. One great wave, the message stated, had carried away the ship's bridge, and several passengers had lost their lives and many more were injured.

The Cedric's passengers say that there was a severe storm the day the message was received and that the Umbria got the worst of it.

AROUSSED OVER BLASTING.

Cobalt Citizens Go About in Danger of Their Lives.

Cobalt, Oct. 4.—The citizens of Cobalt have become aroused over the reckless blasting that is being done about the camp. A number of them say that they have narrowly escaped being struck by flying rocks from the blasting done on the railway to the south end of the town. A petition is now in circulation which has been signed by the Mayor of the town, two of the aldermen, and between two and three hundred citizens, and this will be presented to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, with a view to having legislation passed that will ensure the people protection.

KIDNAPPED HEIR.

Canadian Telegrapher in Chicago With Story of Adventure.

Chicago, Oct. 4.—There is a sensational story in the recounted adventures of Fred C. Dorway, a Canadian telegraph operator.

He claims he was bequeathed \$180,000 by a New York woman two years ago, was kidnapped at Montreal by a relative of the woman, was taken to Vera Cruz, Mexico, where he was thrown in jail.

WHITE CANADA, THE CRY.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 4.—"White Canada" is now the city's slogan. A gay ribbon, carrying these words, flutters in everybody's buttonhole. The labor unions have taken it up, and a month's notice has been given to every employer of Chinese and Japanese cooks and waiters in the city that all must be replaced by white labor, which will be furnished by the union.

TO ACCOMPANY LEMIEUX.

Vancouver, Oct. 4.—The Provincial Liberals at the closing of their convention, passed resolutions urging the Dominion Government to appoint a British Columbian to accompany Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux on his immigration mission to Japan.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT. For all kinds of skin diseases, itching, bleeding, and all protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and get your money back if it fails to cure you. Sold by all druggists. DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

The Old Reliable

This old reliable Shoe Store still keeps away in the lead. We never indulge in a lot of "Circus Advertising" which costs a heap of money, which the purchaser of the shoes most certainly has to pay for. BUT WE "HAVE THE GOODS." Customers in this store are not confined to any one make of shoes, but have a selection from the best makers in Canada and the States.

The people want Shoes that will give GOOD WEAR, but at the same time they want COMFORT and STYLE. The wearing qualities of our Shoes are guaranteed and every one knows that we keep the MOST STYLISH SHOES in the city.

It's Your Money. Do not take any chances. You are absolutely safe in dealing in this store. We have the largest assortment to select from, and sell our Shoes at a fair living profit, and have but one price to all.

Acknowledged Leaders in Fine Shoes. While it is admitted by all that we lead in Fine Shoes, we claim that we also have the best values in medium lines. Women's \$3.00 to \$4.00, Men's \$3.50 to \$4.50. They are Goodyear welted and have genuine oak leather soles. They are the best Shoes at the price we know about, and we are pretty well posted in all makes. Women's Shoes from \$1.50 to \$5, Men's \$2.75 to \$6.50, children's at all prices.

RUBBERS—We have an established reputation for keeping none but FIRST QUALITY Rubbers. Buy NOW before you actually require them, and save a doctor's bill.

J. D. Climie, 30 and 32 King West

AUTUMN EXCURSION

TO New York VIA WEST SHORE RAILROAD

THURSDAY, October 10th

\$10.00

ROUND TRIP

from Niagara Falls or Buffalo. TICKETS good returning until October 24th, and will be accepted on HUDSON RIVER STEAMERS between ALBANY and NEW YORK in either direction without additional charge.

For detailed information and space in Pullman Cars, call on WEST SHORE TICKET AGENTS.

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Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted, the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE estate of Elizabeth Albin, late of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims or demands against the late Elizabeth Albin, who died the 24th day of July, 1907, at Hamilton, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned solicitor, after the 5th day of July, 1907, at Hamilton, all particulars of their claims and full particulars in writing of their said claims.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 5th day of July, 1907, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons of whose claims they shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Hamilton the 14th day of September, 1907.

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Frosty mornings and hot breakfast biscuits and biscuits in all other cooking will be right. Use GOLD MEDAL FLOUR and biscuits and all other cooking will be right. LAKE & BAILEY, Mills, Main St. E. Phone 114

Bargains in men's Fall and Winter underwear 69c, real value 85c to \$1.00 88c, real value \$1.25 to \$1.35

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R. & G. corsets give comfort and ease to everyone 32 Fall models—styles for every figure

Extraordinary value-giving in latest Autumn goods THE splendid value-giving of the past few days has brought to this store an immense increase in sales—proof positive that people of this vicinity appreciate Right House special offerings and sales.

Extraordinary values in dress goods QUIETLY, elegant, full of distinctive style—that describes our new suitings. Never have colors blended so beautifully, so subtly, so softly.

Stunning military suits \$25 Perfect in fit and style VERY stunning models in semi-fitting military styles. Faultlessly tailored from superior all-wool Broadcloths—black and navy.

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Elegant new blouses for Fall THE Autumn is here with its many occasions calling for dainty dressy waists. And here are the pretty popular new waists—allover nets and gupure lace with medallions and new filet insertations.

Chiffon finished corduroy velvets at \$1.15 RICH Corduroy Velvets for Autumn costumes, coats and boys' suits, in beautiful chiffon finish, 23 inches wide, and a wonderfully superior quality.

Our famous \$6 to \$10 hats COME and pick out your Autumn Hat, confident that the very best \$6 to \$10 Trimmed Hats in town are here—as usual.

We sell the best hardwood flooring in America Estimates and plans free of charge Corner King East and Hughson Sts. THOMAS C. WATKINS Hamilton Ontario Butterick's patterns are best for style and fit Try them. 10c and 15c each. None higher



Miss Bostwick, of Ithaca, N. Y., and Miss Bowie, of Brockville, are the guests of Mrs. Hoodless, Eastcourt, and are to be two of the bridesmaids at the Hoodless-Bostwick wedding next week.

department of the Portland, Oregon, Journal. Mr. Johnston's mother and sisters, 140 Bodd street, will leave next week for the coast, where they will reside.

is one of the most coveted honors of that famous pageant. Toronto Saturday Night: In mentioning the names of some of the bridesmaids of this season, I inadvertently wrote that Miss Hilda Burton is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Burton.

nounced of Miss Gertrude Riley, daughter of Mr. Joseph Riley, of New York, to Mr. R. Murray O'Hara, third son of the late Robert O'Hara, of Chatham, Ont., and Mrs. O'Hara.

CHURCHESTO-MORROW SPECIAL SERVICES AND SPECIAL MUSIC TO-MORROW. Canon Almon Abbott, M.A., will preside at both morning and evening services in Christ Church Cathedral.

LADIES' AID. Annual Meeting of Emerald Street Methodist Society. The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Emerald Street Methodist Church, was held this week, when the following officers were elected:

MURDER CASE AT LONDON. Trial of Italian for Death at Dance, Up Next Week. London, Oct. 4.—There will be a murder charge heard at the Fall Assizes here next week, that pretends to be a case of a young man, the young Onedra Indian, who was alleged to have shot Abacian Fox, a fellow Indian, at a dance on the Muncie Reserve on the night of May 2nd.

ROBERT FULTON And the Introduction of Steam Navigation.

The centenary, which takes place during this month, of the introduction by Robert Fulton of navigation by steam...

It will be impossible in the limits of this short article to refer to all the experiments in navigation by steam that have taken place, but reference to the claims of two individuals which have been put forward...

A stronger claim, and one that, curiously enough, if substantiated, would antedate Fulton's success...

In experiments which led to definite results of some value, several inventors in New England seem to have attacked the problem simultaneously...

John Fitch, of Connecticut, commenced his experiments in 1785, and having obtained from the State of New Jersey a privilege for 14 years...

James Rumsey, who commenced his experiments if anything earlier than Fitch, revived an old idea...

It is not difficult at this distance of time with the above facts to come to the conclusion that Fulton was not, as has been so often claimed...

Drastic Purgatives Destroy the Intestines. If you burn your hand you have a good example of the sort of inflammation in the intestines...

Octopus Tears. They were lurching, Billy and Jack, and when the butler brought on the dessert it was seen that there was only one orange in the fruit basket...

Senator W. E. Borah. Who is on trial in Boise, Idaho, on the charge of conspiring to defraud the government out of public lands...

THOUSANDS OF WOMEN TORTURED BY BLINDING HEADACHES. Who Could Be Well, and Happy, and Free of Pain.

Headaches simply mean poisoned blood. The human body is constantly decaying and being renewed...

"Fruit-atives" completely cure Headaches. They stimulate the liver and make the bowels move regularly...

"Fruit-atives" are fresh Fruit juices in which the medicinal action is greatly increased by the special way in which they are combined...

Holy and Most Reverend Father, we acknowledge the gracious providence by which our lives have been guided...

Every man that is good in the church or in the world is good in the church or in the world. It is not the quantity of good...

THE BUSY BEE AS A "GRAFTER." As we have seen through the unbroken and green foliage...

An Invisible Leader. Saul started out to seek his father's ass and the king's donkeys...

Resignation of the Divine Will. Resignation to the will of God frees the mind from a grievous bondage...

How far, how much, how long, may I love myself? Not far, not much, not long, myself. It is all instinct blind and unprogressive...

Do you hiccup? Pretty disagreeable complaint, isn't it? Why don't you take a few drops of Nervine occasionally and get cured...

Not Laid Up, but Very Tired. You are on a Straight Road to a General Breakdown.

You need a rest; you would take it if you could; your nerves are all upset; your stomach sour, and appetite poor...

The Age of Miracles has Passed. Some diseases are incurable, but you can prevent contracting them.

King Palmetto Compound will give you immediate relief. If you wait until Bright's disease develops it may be too late...

DO NOT WAIT UNTIL ACTUALLY LAID UP TAKE KING PALMETTO COMPOUND NOW. SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY HAWKINS, Limited...

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SEE DATES BELOW. COLLECT YOUR OWN. Established 1866. Over 50 Years of Success in Toronto, Ont. 192 West King St. J. Y. EGAN, Specialist, P.O. 539, Toronto.

What's in a Name? The careless and inaccurate use of the terms "catarrh" and "gentleman" has frequently been a source of amusement...

THE MOST RELIABLE and Successful Authority—Greatest success in the treatment of Hemorrhoids (Piles)...

VARICOCELE, FALSE RUPTURE. The universal tendency of this condition is to grow worse and more complicated...

SPECIALIST WILL VISIT. HAMILTON—Waldorf Hotel, Saturday, (all day and evening), 1 day only, October 12th. Ask at hotel office for number of specialist's consulting room.

WHAT IS GOING ON NOW

GREAT

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DELAY RODE THREE WINNERS. Several Good Things Went Wrong at the Races Yesterday.

Sam Bernard at Odds On Badly Beaten—Trots at Lima and Poughkeepsie Yesterday—Scores in the National and American Leagues.

A number of good things went wrong at the races at the H. J. C. track yesterday, among them being Meadowgreen, Sam Bernard and Coltness. Only two favorites won—Our Boy and De Reszke, the latter being odds on. The rest of the card went to second choices, some of which were well played. Delay again carried off the riding honors with three firsts, a second and a third. On his other mount he finished fourth. The "wise" betters got hit badly in two races in the defeat of Sam Bernard and Coltness. In the last race Coltness opened at 2 to 1 and a barrel of money forced the price down to 9 to 10, while the price of Botanist, who figured to be a close contender, went up from 8 to 5 to 1. The state of the market alarmed the stewards, who were advised the owners of these two horses were on very friendly terms, and when the horses paraded Jockey England was instructed to put forth his best efforts on Botanist. Engländer certainly heeded the caution. Though Botanist got away from the barrier none too well, that was no handicap, and he probably performed better than if he had been out in front making the pace. Engländer soon had him in a good position, overcame his lost advantage, and in a driving finish he beat the good thing half a length, to the vast surprise of the clique who believed Coltness was "in" before the race was run. Coltness swerved under punishment near the finish and came so close to Hancock, the third horse, that Hancock's rider claimed a foul, but it was not allowed. There was a big play on Hancock second and third at 5 to 1 and 2 to 1. The maiden two-year-old events fell to Denial and Our Boy. The latter was the favorite in his race, and won handily from the New York City, Genoa, and the property of Senator McCarren. Genoa Wood was played by the "wise" contingent. Another good thing from the stable of Senator McCarren went wrong in the mile and a furlong race. This was Sam Bernard, who was backed with such confidence and to such an extent by the stable connections that the ring took him and offered all the others to the public at even money the field. He had clear sailing and made his own race, but the long-legged Crafty was always in the neighborhood, and in the run home Crafty, Dele Strome and Rebounder all took him into camp. There were only six races on yesterday's card. Jockey Delay left for Windsor last night. He will ride Glimmer or Restoration in the handicap there to-day. The horses that look to have the best chance in this afternoon's races are: First race—Cloten, Lee, Harrison II, Belle Strome. Second race—Sophomore, Gite, Our Boy. Third race—Dulcian, Bob Murphy, Picktime. Fourth race—Oberon, Peter Knight, Hawkama. Fifth race—Escutcheon, Trackless, Cousin Kate. Sixth race—Lady Karma, St. Jeane, Clean Sweep. Seventh race—Ida Reek, Akkar, Bonnie Reg.

Comment and Chat

Yes, Hamilton is becoming a great racing centre. It will soon be known as the Fort Erie of Burlington Bay—Toronto Telegram. Ben Simpson, of the Tigers, has gone to Montreal to see the Argos-Montreal game to-day. The racing game is surely popular from the directors' standpoint. Hamilton's profits this year will run to an elaborate figure as follows: Spring meeting, 11 days \$11,000 Fall meeting, 10 days 20,000 Total \$31,000 The meeting closing this afternoon is the most successful on record. The H. J. C. was favored by fine weather, big fields and the crowds were attracted by the good odds offered by the 25 or 40 regular paddlers who were in line daily. Toronto News: If the Toronto News had originated the idea of the big four union, instead of the Hamilton Spectator, everything would be all right for the O.R.F.U.—Hamilton Spectator. The Spec. man is taking a great deal of credit under false pretences. The idea of forming the new union originated in Montreal and Ottawa last fall, and not in Hamilton, as claimed. "Red" Walker won two races at Latoria yesterday with Stanley Fay and Warning. The former was 5 to 1. American: The following is from the Philadelphia Press: After studying the nomenclature on the score card of the international cricket matches, we believe the day off when a baseball battering order will read in this manner: W. K. L. Ginkreilly, first base; Redfords Throckmorton, left field; H. H. H. Mutt-Bilgewater, short and schreck; Thomson Killykellies, centre field; T. Urs, third base; Alf. Fitzhorer, right field; Ainsley Slush, second base; Egerston Reddyebow, catcher and O. L. O. Bournemouth-Bluffly, pitcher.

MACK IS HOPEFUL. He Thinks Philadelphia Still Has a Chance to Win Out.

At Washington.—The Philadelphia Americans went down to defeat yesterday in the first game of the series with Washington, thus losing one of the four games they had counted on winning to overcome Detroit's lead, should the latter lose the St. Louis series. In the second game of the day, however, the Philadelphians won so easily that they heartened Manager Connie Mack, and last night he declared that the race for the pennant was still undecided. "We've got a fighting chance," said he. "Of course, our only chance lies in winning both games to-morrow and Detroit losing their three games with St. Louis. It was a big disappointment to me in losing a game to-day, but we will play it out to the limit." The game, the loss of which meant so much for the Philadelphians, went ten innings, and "Idaho Wonder" Johnson was chiefly instrumental in practically ending their chances for the championship. He was very effective with men on bases, and kept the light hits made by Mack's men well scattered. Ten hits were made off Plank, several of which were bunched. In the second game the visitors had no trouble with "Long Tom" Hughes, while Dygett and his team mates played excellently. The scores: First game—R. H. E. Washington 2 10 0 Philadelphia 1 8 1 Batteries—Johnson and Kehoe; Plank and Schreck. Second game—R. H. E. Philadelphia 8 11 0 Washington 0 6 6 Batteries—Dygett and Schreck; Hughes and Blankenship. At New York—Boston 1, 3; New York 3, 6, 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

Table with columns for Team, Won, Lost, P.C. (Percentage). Rows include New York, Boston, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Chicago, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Cleveland, St. Paul, Detroit, Washington.

EASTERN IMPROVEMENT.

Unofficial Eastern League statistics recently compiled show a marked improvement in batting around the circuit over that of last season. While not a single player, playing throughout the season, finished above the 300 mark last season, there are three of the fifteen constituting the charmed circle for 1907, who played practically the entire season. Jack Thoney leads the list of regulars with an average of .325. Knapp, of Buffalo, and Wood, Connors, Hoey and Joe Kelley, all of the Maple Leafs, are ahead of Thoney, but, with the exception of Kelley, they have only played fifteen games or under. Providence led the league in team batting, averaging .267. Toronto was second with .257, and Buffalo third with .248. The Bronchos batted .235 as a team and ranked fifth, leading Jersey City, Newark and Montreal.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RECORD.

Table with columns for Club, Won, Lost, P.C. Rows include Detroit, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cleveland, New York, St. Louis, Boston, Washington.

CHECKERS. Draw Between the President and Honorary President.

President Curtis and Hon. President Cook's sides in the Hamilton Checker Club played an interesting game last night at the Liberal Club quarters. The result was a draw, each side winning 14 games. The scores: Hon. Pres. Curtis, 14; Pres. Curtis, 14. Drawn. 0 King, 0 Curtis, 4; 0 Cook, 0 Ormston, 3; 3 Leitch, 0 Jarah, 1; 2 Duggan, 1 Gline, 1; 2 Weatherall, 2 Raymond, 0; 2 Hewitt, 0 Robson, 1; 3 DeLoraine, 1 Leckie, 0; 1 Wilson, 0 Blanchard, 3; 0 Cummings, 3 Linton, 1; 14.

DOVE ON THE ENGINE.

Toronto News: With a dove, white as snow, perched on the pilot, engine No. 804 of the C. P. R. drew into the Union Station this morning at the head of the Hamilton passenger train. The bird was not alive. It had been overtaken by the fast-travelling locomotive, killed and attached in such a way to the pilot that to all appearances it was merely enjoying the ride. Its wings were outspread. No more fortunate omen is known in railway circles than for an engine to kill a white dove.

New School of Mines.

A new mining school is about to be added to the list of those already in operation in this country, the Legislature of Wisconsin having appropriated \$30,000 for the establishment of a university school at Platteville, which is in the zinc and lead mining district. A building formerly used for normal school purposes will be the present home of the new mining school. Governor Davidson has appointed a commission which will have in charge the management of the school, under the act of the Legislature.



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND JOHN A. McHENRY, Who will be his host in Louisiana.

JAPAN'S MIGHTY WRESTLER IN NEW YORK.

Mr. Hitachiyama Explains Why People Honor Him—He is Really a Composite Popular Hero, Representing Excellence in Many Lines. New York, Oct. 4.—Standing under the big sign "Welcome" in the Nippon Club at 44 West Eighty-Fifth street, T. Hitachiyama, who holds the championship sword and the glory belonging to the mightiest wrestler in Japan, extended a chilly hand of greeting to a reporter. He has come here with letters and credentials from the highups of Japan. Dr. Jokichi Takamine, the well known chemist, is proud to act as his sponsor, an honor which he explained might easily be expected by some diplomatic celebrity instead of a gentleman in private life like himself. In order to understand the respect, one might even say adoration, which surrounds Mr. Hitachiyama, it is necessary to know that wrestling in Japan is not in the same athletic category as with us. Take a composite photograph of the champion of a Spanish bull fight, the leader of a Newport cotillon, the maker of a winning three bagger at the Polo Grounds or the captain of a crew in an Oxford-Cambridge boat race and you will have some idea of what Hitachiyama means to his countrymen. Acustomed to connect the idea of physical prowess with a certain liteness and to believe that great weight and weakness are synonymous it is at first a shock to the Occidental when the 298 pounds of Japanese champion are viewed. Under the flowing robes of silk, it is explained, however, the wrestler is hard as nails and this statement was corroborated by the reverberations ensuing when occasionally during the conversation he pounded himself placidly. There are forty-eight regular holds in the Japanese wrestling contest, varying from the mizukake, which to the uninitiated looks like the embrace the Prodigal Son might have received from his brother in private, to the kuzuki, which is to all intents and purposes, if the pictures may be believed, very like what a stout lady has to suffer at the hands of her masseuse when she is trying to reduce her waist measure to the prevailing fashion. The champion admitted that while he is training he has to discipline himself in the matter of food and drink as is customary in every country, limiting himself usually to a diet of rice and meat. This rule does not hold good during his American trip, in proof of which he extended his hand and took a chionagake hold of the cocktail glass, handed him with much ceremony by the Japanese butler, and drank the contents with a fervor which showed that he has no prejudice whatever in the matter of national drinks, whatever he may believe of the superiority of the home style of wrestling.

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near. Powell, one of McGill's best track performers, turned his ankle in training and may not be able to compete again this fall. Shrubbs is negotiating with Winnipeg people for a five-mile race with John D. Marsh at that city. Marsh asks for 250 yards start. Scattergood, the Oshawa pedestrian, is somewhat averse to accepting the challenge of Langford to walk 125 miles so late in the season, when weather conditions are unfavorable. All players of the Senators baseball team are requested to be at the club rooms Saturday night at 7.30. London, Oct. 4.—Tommy Burns and Gunner Moir have been matched to fight 20 rounds for £500 a side, a purse of £1,500, and the championship of the world, at the National Sporting Club, in November. Natick, Mass., Oct. 5.—Marcus T. Leary, a baseball pitcher, connected with the Cincinnati National League Club, an operation for appendicitis. The Hamilton Rowing Club will hold a theatre party at Bennett's on Tuesday, Oct. 8th, on the occasion of Tiger week. Members wishing to attend should notify A. Mackenzie, secretary, not later than Monday evening.

FOOTBALL IN BLOOM.

Summer's passing—autumn's near—Green turns gold along the hills; Through the morning atmosphere Comes a rippling breeze that chills. Pulse leap and madly run—Exam star there comes the shout—"Autumn's coming—summer's done—Get the mackin' breeches out!" In place of "One big line the score," "O' that ball was a strike!" 'Twill be "Nice, twenty, forty-four," Right tackle over—hike! For weeks we'll hear the bleachers howl And yell and snarl and hiss—"Chief Rober!" It was four feet foul!" And then 'twill change to this: "Right formation!" "Block the kick!" "Get low in the line!" "Crack that full-back's spine!" "Crack that full-back's spine!"—Sporting Life.



MISS EDITH ROOT.

Root Starts for Mexico. The Secretary of State, his wife and daughter left recently for Mexico City. Secretary Root will meet President Diaz and discuss the affairs of Central America.

THE PROFESSIONAL WOMAN.

She Sees Man Behind the Scenes, as It Were. "And there you have one great reward perhaps the greatest—of a profession. It so moulds its followers to its requirements that there is no room left in them for bemoaning the loss of the good things which it has cost them. That it does cost them good things is undeniable, and is perhaps the measure of its own value; those are trifling benefits for which we pay nothing. My career has doubtless cost me the realization that a house and garden—not, of course, that

JUNIOR RECEPTION.

Y. M. C. A. Boys Have a Fine New Piano.

Last night the Y. M. C. A. was the "The general manager of our coast in the juniors' parlors, the occasion being the unveiling of the new piano. The room was filled with boys and girls and their parents, and everyone had a happy time. Mr. Robinson, the boys' secretary, on behalf of the department, wishes to thank all the friends who contributed in any way to make it possible for the boys to own so beautiful a piano. The friends invited to visit the rooms and inspect the instrument at their convenience. Mr. John E. Brown, President of the association, occupied the chair, and after congratulating the boys on their success, unveiled the piano, and introduced the following programme: Chorus, by the boys; mandolin solo, Mr. Daniel Wenter; piano solo, Miss Gertie Taylor; violin solo, Mr. Edgar Smith; vocal solo, Mr. Robert Symmers; piano solo, Mr. Frank Wright. Reading of the names of the boys who collected the money for the piano, and the amounts, and the presentation of prizes to Master Howard McKay and Ewart Wilson for collecting the most money, the amounts being \$21.25 and \$8.75 respectively, followed. Then came a chorus by the boys, "Smiling Song." Ice cream and cake were served, after which "God Save the King" was sung, and everyone went away feeling that the evening had been profitably spent.

PEARL-DIVING OF TO-DAY.

Many Pearls Eliminated From the Industry. The era of naked divers exposed to peril from sharks has passed away. Modern progress equips the pearler with a suit of india rubber, copper breastplate, with leaden weights back and from a helmet, glass paneled and with telephone attachments; air pipes, life lines and a submarine searchlight. Thus equipped the pearl diver may spend six or eight hours at the bottom of the sea, whereas in olden times three minutes made a record.

Although pearls are found in nearly all molluscs, even in sea shells, the Australian hallois, a kind of bivalve, true pearls are produced only by the pearl oyster or mother of pearl shell. The latter is really the diver's bread and butter. The shells are as big as dinner plates, and weigh two pounds when cleaned. They fetch from \$500 to \$750 a ton.

The ancient fisheries were chiefly in the Indian Ocean and Persian Gulf, but nowadays the best pearls come from Ceylon and from Australian waters, especially Torres Straits. Pearl fishing in Ceylon is a government monopoly. In March the fleet starts for the pearling grounds, each vessel with 20 or 30 diver and party assistants. But you will find the headquarters of pearling in the desolate country extending from Exmouth Gulf to King Sound, in Western Australia.

Chinese and Malays as well as tribes of native black fellows are there to-day, but the old trade divers, the reign of terror and piracy what-also, but you will find the headquarters of pearling in the desolate country extending from Exmouth Gulf to King Sound, in Western Australia.

There are some thousands of Japanese, Manilamen, Malays and men of other races acting chiefly as crews for the vessels. The vessels are schooner-rigged and from seven to fourteen tons burden. Each carries a master diver and a crew of four, one of whom is the diver's assistant and works the air pumps. The shells are found on ledges about 90 feet down in the sea. They are far more plentiful at deeper depths. Fortune awaits the inventor of a diving apparatus which will enable the pearler to work in comfort a hundred fathoms down.

A good day's work is anything more than 200 pairs of shells. The business is absolutely unsteady. One diver may gather ten after ton of shells without securing anything of greater value than a few seed pearls, while another may take a fortune out of a day's gathering. The most famous pearl discovered in Australia of late years is known as the Southern Cross. It consists of a cluster of nine pearls in the shape of a cross. This freak of nature was picked up at low water on the Lacede Island by a beachcomber named Clark, who, after buying it for some time for superstitious reasons, sold it for \$50; later it fetched \$50,000.

The worst enemy the Australian pearl diver has are the storms that annually visit the coast. As to sharks, says the New York Sun, they rarely attack a diver in modern dress, and he can always frighten them off when they persist in following him by letting a few air bubbles out of his dress. Other enemies are the sea snakes, the smaller octopus, the stingray and the blowfish. After a day's work a shell has been conveyed ashore the shell opener gets at work at once. The pay of the men is \$30 a month, plus 10 per cent. on the value of the pearls found. Some idea of the magnitude of the industry may be obtained on learning that last year 520 luggers paid an annual \$5 license to engage in the trade, and they took many thousands of tons of pearl shells, while as to the pearls themselves, the customs duties in the pearl town of Broome exceeded \$5,000 a month.

The Treasury authorities of Western Australia estimate they receive at least \$12,000 each. A beautiful pink pearler, having a month passes without the discovery of "teardrops of the ocean" having a market value of from \$5,000 to \$100,000 a year in dues from the pearl-shaping specimen weighing 206 grains was found last season and sold for \$80,000.

Before setting pearls are classified according to size on a setting board, and the delicate work of drilling a valuable specimen is invariably done by an old-fashioned hand apparatus. Moreover, no matter how valuable a set of pearls may be, they are invariably strung on fine silk thread.

The Styrian Cigarette Lighter.

For lighting their cigarettes the native population of Turkey use a kind of fuse manufactured in Syria, in Austria. It consists of brown paper impregnated with saltpetre, each strip of which is perforated so that it may be torn easily into small slips, and is provided with a match head. About \$30,000 worth is imported each year.—Daily Consular and Trade Reports. Only a blockhead would constantly go around with a chip on his shoulder.

HAMILTON FORM CHART

Hamilton, Oct. 4.—Ninth day of the Hamilton Jockey Club's fall meeting. Weather clear. Track heavy. 105—FIRST RACE, \$500 added, maiden 2-year-olds, selling, 5.5 mile: Betting—Ind. Horses. Wt. 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WORLD OF AMUSEMENT

General Gossip

A New York newspaper the other day gathered professional opinions as to "the ideal play." This inquiry seems to be a feature on the editorial calendar, for at least once a year one or another journal takes it up in a discussion which never leads to a definite result.

The fact is that so far as mere opinion is concerned, the judgment of the habitual theatre-goer of intelligence is as worthy of consideration as the notion of a member of the theatrical profession. The average theatrical manager would be inclined to consider as ideal the play that would show the largest pecuniary return, while the tendency of the average actor would naturally be toward a play which for himself or herself could furnish an ideal role.

Unembarrassed by these considerations which reflect no discredit upon those whom they may—possibly unconsciously—influence, the playwright probably takes a broad view in his search for the ideal play. Yet here, again, a difficulty intervenes. One playwright might vote as ideal a drama which would not even please another playwright; and there are habits of the theatre as of many classes as there are types of plays, with as many minds, almost, as there are individuals as to what represents the ideal in drama.

While the "ideal" play may be impossible, from a lofty viewpoint, there are plays in considerable number at all times that to one or another intelligence, or to one or another group of minds, seem to fully satisfy. There is and can be no perfect play, if by that is meant one that will appeal alike to all who witness it. The variety that marks human nature is a bar to perfection in any appeal to human nature and with plays—as with most other things—we shall have to accept the best we can get and let that acceptance suffice, as practical matters go. Yet there is no ban upon a wish for the impossible, and if most persons could not habitually aspire to that life would indeed be drab and dreary.

R. G. Knowles, the monologist, is reported to have passed up an offer of solid time for a year in the English syndicate halls at a salary of \$2,000 a week, a phenomenal amount on the other side, in order to play his annual fall engagement in the States. He opens at the New York next week.

Mr. Knowles will play five months in vaudeville under K. & E., and will then give ten lectures in Carnegie Hall, New York.

The brass instruments have been banished from the orchestra at Daly's N. Y. Theatre, and string accompaniment with organ accompaniment substituted.

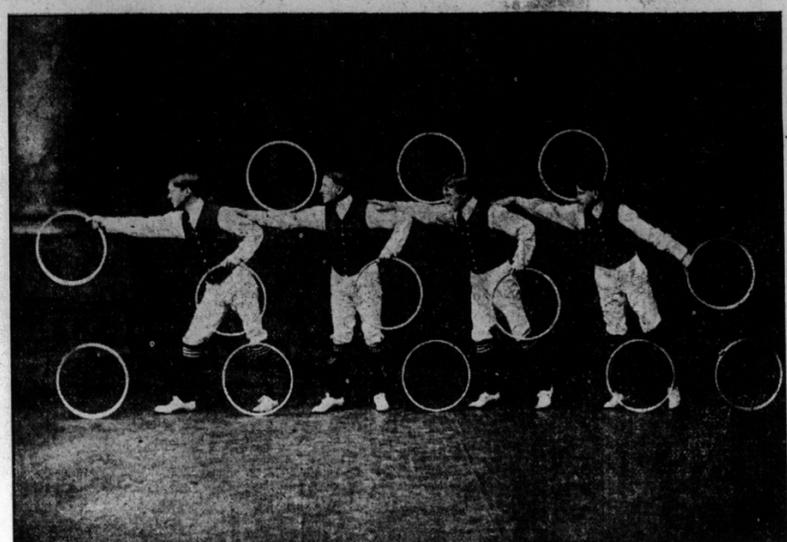
Alma Hearn, who is starring through the South in Packard and Long's production of "No Mother to Guide Her," is having a new play written for her for next season and will again tour the south under the same management.

The Buffalo Express comments on news that comes to it specially from England to the effect that "the experiment is to be tried in an English city of bringing out good plays regardless of the author's fame or lack of it." But, it adds, "opinions of what are good plays may be as different as the public's conflicting tastes and the theatre-going public will be no better off in that case than it was before."

The bringing out of a new play rests largely, at first, on individual judgment. Finally, of course, it rests upon collective judgment. Finally, of course, it rests upon collective judgment. And as the Express further says, the original tendency is to cater to assured taste of a somewhat vulgar nature rather than to make a higher appeal.

This English experiment, however, is so particularly improvement on recent American practice. Most of the better and more successful plays produced in this country during the past two or three seasons have been the works of authors theretofore unknown and untried. In this country the new dramatic author is in the ascendant, and the tried author must look to his laurels.

James J. Corbett, former heavy-weight champion, stopped his play, "The Lady and the Burglar," recently at the New Haven theatre, and, stepping to the



OLLIE YOUNG AND BROTHERS.

These great hoop rollers will be seen at the Savoy all next week.

front of the stage, said: "This is the first time in my life, and I played this bill all last year, that I have had such a crowd of boaters as an audience. We are breaking our hearts to please you, and if you do not appreciate it I will close the show for the night."

After the show Corbett said he lost his temper because there was so much talking throughout the theatre that he and the other members of the company could not make themselves heard. He said he had said more than he meant to, but that the chatting completely upset him. None of the men in the audience "looked for" Mr. Corbett after the show.

Thursday evening, October 24, is to be Cricket Club night at the Savoy Theatre. A Manager Appleton is making arrangements for special features and has promised the very best show of the season. The members of the Cricket Club and the Lawn Tennis Club, with their ladies, and the members of the Ladies' Tea Club will be present and the gathering promises to be one of the largest and most fashionable ever seen in Hamilton at any event. The regular prices will be charged.

It is doubtful when Jack Lorimer, the Scotch comedian, will again appear in America. Before leaving for home last spring Mr. Lorimer was engaged for the Klaw & Erlanger time, with the proviso that he should commence on the circuit whenever his foreign engagements would permit.

Upon his arrival in England Mr. Lorimer was made the target of managers who held his contracts. Rosen & Bliss, proprietors of a circuit having about six or seven houses, attempted to market the comedian in the sum of \$2,500, and obtained \$250.

The firm is notorious in England for its sort of practice and in the case of Mr. Lorimer it brought other lawsuits from managers until he was obliged to give up the idea of a return American engagement for the present. Oswald Stoll, of the Moss-Stoll circuit, who is bitterly incensed against the emigration of English acts to America, had much to do with changing Mr. Lorimer's plans.

Polly Scotch, his wife, also looked over the same time, will defer her visit until her husband's convenience.

Virtually admitting that he copied Mr. Hymack, the English quick change artist, by agreeing to present a new act, "Mystic," "Nymack" or "Mysteius," who appeared in Hamilton recently, the latter title being generally preferred for billing purposes, has stated that he will no longer cause Mr. Hymack to grow incensed at his act being prematurely presented on this side by an unauthorized person. "Mysteius" is now on the K. & E. circuit. Commencing Monday it is said he will give a ventriloquist offering, together with illusions.

Bennett's All Star

Next week will be Tiger week at Bennett's and Manager Driscoll is preparing for six busy days. Yellow and black will be used in addition to the already beautiful appearance of the interior of the theatre, and the local prides of the gridiron will be honored in an exceptional manner. Nearly all the members of the different teams will be present on Monday night, and on Saturday next the Montreal team, which will play here on that date, will remain and enjoy the performance as the guests of the Tigers. Considerable anxiety is being felt for the Tiger boys, who, it is feared, may be carried away by the beauty and attractiveness of "The Blonde Typewriter Girls" who will be the features during the week. These female performers are reputed to be among the handsomest in vaudeville, and their arrival here has been heralded by flattering descriptions of their personal attractions, as well as the artistically novel act which they produce. "The Typewriter Girls" derive their name from the fact that their specialty is performing on typewriters with musical attachments. It is an act the like of which has never before been presented here, and from the hit which it has made in other places, there is not the slightest fear but that it will prove only said to be of a beautiful tone, but they are also played in a remarkable manner. In addition there is a lot of humor introduced into the act, for which Johnny Stanley, the celebrated American comedian, is largely responsible. He assists in the performance in the role of an office boy. Stanley is a born comedian, and it is said that he does not overlook the slightest opportunity to introduce a little fun into the act. The stage settings and costumes of this act are original and very pretty. It is another one of Gus Edwards', who also owns "School Days," which featured at Bennett's this week, and it is expected that this latest production will even eclipse the hit made by "School Days." In the "Typewriter Girls" act a number of original songs are introduced, chief among which is "Bye Bye, Dear Old Broadway," a song which makes an instantaneous hit.

Sears, the great illusionist, is another attraction for next week. Although this celebrated performer of mystics has never been through here before, he has an enviable reputation in New York and many of the other big American cities. He is assisted by Miss Mae Vernon. The act contains a series of the most astonishing turns in vaudeville. The other acts on the bill are nearly all screamers. Hennings, Lewis and Hennings, in a skit entitled "Mixed Drinks," promise to engage a large portion of the audience's favor with the humor of their farce. Earl and Curtis have a screamer in George Cohan's "To Boston on Business," and Mr. and Mrs. Perkins Fisher are equally successful in their presentation of "The Halfway House." Charles and Fanny Van, singers and dancers, have an exceedingly good act, in which they render a number of local parodies. Miss Kathryn Neilson is a comedienne of high standing, who is being looked forward to with pleasant anticipation, and Smith and Bowman, in "A Darktown Comedy," have a treat in store for lovers of darkey songs.

One of the most important dramatic offerings to be seen at the Grand this season will be Sir Gilbert Parker's famous play, "The Right of Way," which will be here this month. A powerful cast has been selected for this production, in which there are over forty speaking parts. Among the most prominent players are Guy Standing, Theodore Roberts, May Buckley, Bernice Golden Henderson, Paula Gloy, Henry J. Hadfield, Van Dusen Phillips, etc., etc.

The two great scenes which call for special scenic effects are the interior of the Cote Dorian, on the banks of the St. Lawrence River, and the burning of the Chure hat Chaudiers. In this intensely dramatic representation, modern realism has attained a height never surpassed by any production of recent times.

"A Romance in Ireland," in which Allen Doone, the popular successor of Jos. Murphy, will play the star part, is said to be an unusually elaborate scenic production in four acts, and eight stage settings. Manager George W. Kenney promises a strong supporting company when the play is here next week.

"The Gingerbread Man" will be presented here soon by such well-known stage favorites as Evelyn Francis Kellogg, Hel-

en Grey, Margo Savori, Nellie Niece, Fred Niece, Ross Snow, J. Maurice Holden, Carriek Major, James H. Lichter, Lute Vrohman and John Sanders and a beautiful chorus of sixty-five.

De Wolf Hopper and his merry band of vocalists and comedians are to present "Happyland," the famous comic opera, for which such extravagant claims are made by the management. It is staid that the piece fairly abounds with comedy complications, witty dialogue and musical numbers that are of the kind that one instinctively wants to whistle. The book is by the late Fred-eric Ranken, who bears a reputation as a librettist that is envied by most of his contemporaries. The company is large and clever and includes such well-known people as Marguerite Clark, William Wolf, Joseph Phillips and the famous Schubert beauty chorus. "Happyland" comes to the Grand the week after next.

As like by like is cured, so a cure for the blues is a visit to "The Blue Moon," an English musical comedy, with some American trimmings, now beaming at the Grand Opera House. It was given last evening for the first time in Hamilton, with the great luminaer, James T. Powers, at the head, and it made a big hit from the beginning. "The Blue Moon" keeps up to the form of the best class of English musical comedies, and is filled with humorous sayings and doings, melodious and catchy songs, stirring choruses and original "business." The story doesn't matter much—it seldom does in such concoctions—it concerns a private soldier, Charlie Taylor, who gets into all sorts of ridiculous entanglements, and yet comes out as the best of fellows. What plot there is lends itself to laugh-getting, and last evening's audience kept quite actively engaged in forgetting dull care.

James T. Powers has a part that gives him any amount of opportunity to say and do whimsical things, and he misses no chance at that delightful occupation. He has never had a better part, and the fact that this is his second season in the comedy shows how much the public appreciates his work. He certainly had the audience with him all the time last evening. The support is admirable. Mr. Powers is cleverly seconded by Miss Clara Palmer, as Millicent, the maid. She knows how to sing, too, which is not always a qualification possessed by musical comedy soubrettes. Marion Jacques stands out well in the title role, being a competent singer. Frank Farrington was the funny, peppery English major to the life. Phil H. Ryley, as McMorai, also did clever work. Miss Lucy Jane Johnstone, a Hamilton girl, in the part of Omah, was good. She is making a success of her chosen profession.

The chorus singing was particularly good, the costuming most elaborate and

the two sets very attractive. Some novel and striking effects were introduced in "Dear" and "Don't You Think It's Time to Marry?" and in the new song, "Oh, Be Careful of the Crocodile," was one of the best, because of its decided originality, seen here in years. Altogether, "The Blue Moon" is a bright, clever and highly entertaining show. It will be repeated this evening.

Savoy's Good Bill

An excellent and well balanced bill, made up of exclusive novelties of "advanced vaudeville," and other high class acts, each one of which has a strong and distinct claim to marked merit, is assured Savoy patrons for the coming week. Each week that passes adds to the prestige and popularity of the advanced style of entertainment offered at this house. Starting out with a fulfillment of every promise as to novelty and excellence of offerings, it has not only kept up to the standard, but the bills have grown better and stronger with the succeeding weeks. In the six musical Cutlys, featured as the chief attraction next week, lovers of high class entertainment will be offered one of the finest and most artistic musical offerings before the public to-day. The Cutlys, brothers and sisters, are all said to be skilled and accomplished musicians. The act was one of the most pronounced hits on the vaudeville bill that introduced advanced vaudeville to New York this season, and night after night was greeted with a storm of enthusiastic applause. Spick and span new costumes are worn and popular and classical music presented on brass, xylophones, string and reed, a particularly pleasing number being "Mary is a Grand Old Name," arranged for solo and sextette. The act will prove a delight to musical lovers.

The remainder of the bill is made up of an excellent aggregation of clever vaudeville entertainers, among them Harry Brown & Company, in his great success, "One Christmas Eve," said to be a little playlet full of human interest and thoroughly entertaining from curtain to curtain. Mr. Brown is assisted by Alice Knowlton and Marie Stanley. The act has proved a big hit wherever produced, and will undoubtedly be one of the best liked numbers. Another distinct novelty feature will be the appearance of Ollie Young and three brothers, in their great hoop rolling and boomerang throwing act, credited with being one of the most picturesque in the varieties. The stage is prettily dressed, and working with speed the Youngs give an exhibition which no act of its kind approaches in clean, clever, skillful and original work. The rapid passing and handling of large hoops is especially fine, while the balancing of hoops on string is said to be extraordinary. The apparatus is brightly colored, adding to the picturesqueness of the offering and the performance on the whole a striking one.

Mr. Young also introduces his celebrated boomerang throwing, which adds an element of sensationalism and excitement to the act, giving it a spectacular finish. Of notable interest here will be the first appearance of Jay W. Winton, the English ventriloquist. Winton, besides being a ventriloquist of exceptional ability, has a bright line of humorous talk. Clinton and Jerome, in "Back to Louisville," are reputed to have one of the funniest skits in the business, keeping the audience bubbling over with merriment all the time. They are a very clever team, and their offering is said to be entirely original. The Marco Twins, gyrating acrobats, are one of the funniest knock-about teams travelling in vaudeville, their act causing one continuous ripple of laughter. Their act goes with speed and dash, and the fun is fast and furious. Cartmell and Harris should easily prove one of the best liked numbers on the bill. They appear in a dancing act, which, judging by the advance notices, is justifying its claim to one of the most successful in its class. Their graceful and proficient work is sure to win appreciation. Cecelia Weston, a clever comedienne, who appeared here last season, will appear with new songs and will be an entertaining addition to a good programme. New motion pictures will be featured by the kinetograph.

The "Peacock Throne" of Persia is the most extravagant thing of the kind in the world. Its value is estimated between ten and fifteen million dollars.



ZELIE DE LUSSAN. The famous opera singer who has married Angelo Fronani, son of Portugal's Vice-Consul in Washington.

Results of Feuds of Actors and Actresses.

Dustin Farnum, who for four years has starred as the good young man in "The Virginian," and Frank Campau, who during that time has played the bad Trampas in the same play, are the best friends of the stage. Other companies furnish instances in which the men and women who play each other's sweethearts on the stage never exchange a word when they are away from the theatre. The stage, which is the home of extremes, can show some of the most remarkable friendships and remarkable enmities that exist anywhere.

For years Henry Irving and the comedian J. L. Toole were the closest friends. Toole helped Irving in his young days, and the friendship which was formed then and which was never broken, continued until the death of Irving. Toole died shortly afterward.

Friendship has accomplished much in the theatre. It was the friendship of Arnold Daly and Winchell Smith that suggested to these players the idea of producing in this country the plays of Bernard Shaw. Their joint experiment was successful.

Had it not been for the loyal friends that surrounded Wright Lorimer he would not have found it possible to produce the now successful "The Shepherd King," which no manager would touch at first. It was one of these friends, Roland Burke Hennessey, that helped Lorimer a great deal. Now Lorimer has engaged Hennessey to write a new play for him, and Hennessey has become associated also with the actor's business department.

Some of the bitterest pictures on the other side of the shield were those that were supplied by the enmities of Mac-rady and Forrest. These enmities gave

occasion, among other disasters, to the Astor place riots in New York, in which many were killed and more wounded. They were carried to England also, where there were rival parties—one in favor of Macready and a smaller, but no less determined body of partisans, that held out for Forrest.

An attempt to kill Edwin Booth was once made at McVicker's Theatre, in Chicago, but neither the madman that attempted the deed nor the other madman who later did kill William Terris was impelled by enmity as much as by an unbalanced mind.

Few actors had as many friends and enemies as Dion Boucicault, who enjoyed a peculiar facility of turning his friends into enemies upon slight provocation. He became estranged from John Brough-an upon the same ground that caused coolness between Richard Mansfield and Clyde Fitch—the authorship of a play. This same cause has led to countless enmities in the playhouse, although there are plenty of other reasons that actors have for disagreeing with each other.

"Punch has no feelings," old Dr. Johnson sneered at Garrick once, but the whole history of the people of the stage seems to show that instead of having no feelings Punch is likely to have too many and to have them too highly sensitized.

Curiously enough, some of the best things that have come to the stage have come as the result of enmities that have existed among the people of the stage. That great charity, the theatrical fund in England, became established because a quarrel between the two old funds, those of Covent Garden and Drury Lane. Some actors have produced plays that have been refused by other actors, and have produced them simply because they have been refused, and sometimes these plays have developed into successes.

SHOULD CHORUS GIRLS GO TO BED EARLY?

Much unjust criticism has been directed against chorus girls because of their habit of remaining out late at night. At least, the girls say it is unjust and surely they are entitled to a voice in the matter.

The frolicsome lassies who play havoc with the front row baldheads, and some others, argue that the term "late hour" is only comparative. Whether any hour is late, they say, depends wholly on where you start from in reckoning your day. A chorus girl goes to work at 7 o'clock in the evening, except on matinee or rehearsal day, when her duties begin at noon. She is through at midnight and then, provided there are Johnnies enough to go round, she hies to the nearest restaurant.

And why not? Would a girl engaged at any sort of work think of going to bed immediately after her work is done for the day? Take stenographers, for instance. They are through work at 5 o'clock. Do they go to bed at 6?

"The criticism is ridiculous," said Marion Coburn, one of the show girls now playing her in a musical comedy. "Just

because we chorus girls have no other time except the early hours of the morning for our fun and recreation, a lot of respectables must lift their eyebrows when we are mentioned in their presence. What would they have us do, I should like to know? There is nothing going on in the morning, and in the afternoon we either are rehearsing or playing a matinee performance. The only chance then for us to have a little fun is at night, after we are through work.

"Eight hours' work, eight hours' sleep, and eight hours' play. That is what the physicians recommend. As the chorus girl must work on most days as long as ten or twelve hours, and as she must sleep in the morning, if at all, it is only natural and right that she should have the wee small hours for her pleasure seeking."

If those who are given to complaining about the late hours of the chorus girls will bend their efforts toward making it possible for plays to begin in the morning, like other work, they will find that chorus girls will hie away to dreamland at an hour deemed respectable by girls in more genteel, if less fascinating, pursuits."—Chicago Exchange.

STILL TALKING. Roadhouse Has Appealed His Case at Cobalt.

Cobalt, Oct. 4.—The legal proceedings against the strike leaders in the camp seems to have assumed serious proportions. During the last week President McGuire has been sent up for trial by Magistrates Hartman, Cobbold, Farr and Bryden, sufficient evidence having been heard to commit him for trial on two charges of interfering with a police officer while on duty. Organizer Roadhouse was fined \$50 and costs for using abusive language while speaking in a public place in Halseybury, but he has appealed the case, on the ground that the empty lot on which he delivered his speech was private property. The court, however, claimed that the public had access to it, and, according to the code, was a public place. Organizer Roadhouse still continues to speak on the square, but not nearly so often, the stand from which he talks being many nights conspicuous by his absence.

FAIR SCOTLAND.

(By John Patterson, Hamilton, Ont., in N. Y. Scottish American.)
Fair Scotland, land of Bruce and Burns,
Of Scott and Wallace right,
My heart to thee still fondly turns
With thoughts of sweet delight.

For noble deeds in freedom's fight
Thou'rt queen of all the earth,
And will remain so in thy might,
Thou dear land of my birth.

In deeds of fame in every clime
Thy sons have foremost been
To crush the foe at every time
In light for king or queen.

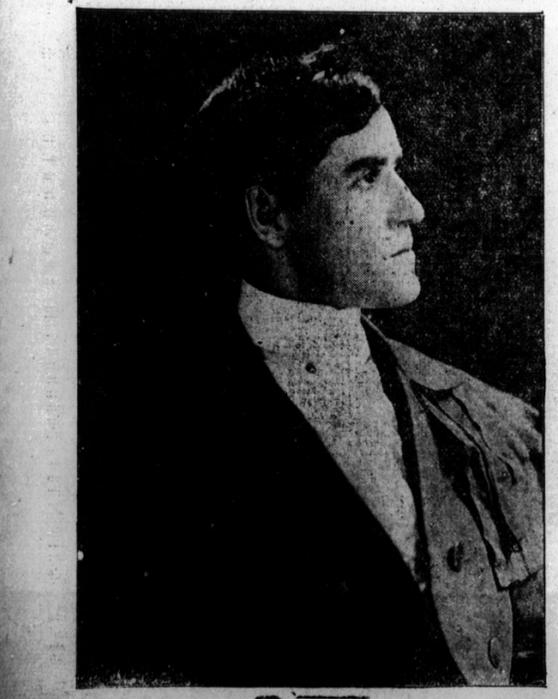
O heathery hills and flowery bow
My heart still pines for thee;
The blue bells fair, the hips and slaes,
I never more may see.

May heaven smile upon thee still,
And guide thy sons aright
Who speak with power the word and will
Of Christ, the world's light.

In him our fathers nobly stood
For freedom's righteous cause,
And signed the Covenant with their blood
For God and Heaven's laws.

A last good bye, O land most dear,
I never again can see;
For health is falling, age is near—
A long farewell to thee.

The Man Behind.
We stand behind what we say, or money refunded. Fall underpants, sweaters, mitts, shoes, shirts, pants, overalls, are what you want at the price you want. M. Kennedy, 240 James north, 148 John south.



ALLEN DOONE Who will appear at the Grand next week in "A Romance in Ireland."



WHEELER EARL AND VERA CURTIS at Bennett's all next week

SOPHIA CHAMPIONS BY NARROW MARGIN.

Five Thousand Children Had Great Time Yesterday Afternoon at Britannia Park.

Record Attendance and Ideal Weather Made First Annual Games Big Success.

Yesterday was a banner day for the major portion of young Hamilton. The first games of the Hamilton Public School pupils, an event eagerly looked forward to and pleasantly anticipated, fulfilled the highest expectation of every little "kiddy."

Finley, King Edward; Ernest Smith, Sophia; Ross McCabe, Cannon. 10 to 11 years—Fred Leighton, Victoria avenue; Harry Hill, Ryerson; Clifford Smith, Pictou street.

Over 250 competitors. Sergt.-Major Huggins and Secretary Foster were the hardest worked and most pleased men on the grounds. Even with the aid of a corps of energetic and painstaking officials they had their hands full trying to keep the field clear, and line the contestants up for the various events.

Favored With Good Weather. A more ideal afternoon than the weather man favored the trustees with could scarcely have been desired.

The winners of the girls' events were: Girls' race, 75 yards, 9 to 10 years—Marjory Hoerning, Cannon; Constance McNeil, Queen; Lena Daley, King Edward.

Sophia Won Championship. Sophia won the championship by a close margin, being only one point ahead of the King Edward, which had a lead of three points on Central.

How Points Were Scored. Following is the complete standing: Girls' Marks, Boys' T. Sophia 14 18 32

Boys' race, under 14 years, 100 yards—H. Parke, H. C. I.; C. Dent, Central; P. Smye, H. C. I.

Boys' race, under 16 years, 220 yards—J. Miller, H. C. I.; G. Hill, Cannon; H. Irving, H. C. I.

Boys' race, under 10 years, 100 yards—Wm. Pilgrim, Stinson; John Eglesham, King Edward; Harry Lampan, Victoria avenue.

Boys' race, under 12 years, 100 yards—Wm. Pilgrim, Stinson; John Eglesham, King Edward; Harry Lampan, Victoria avenue.

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Boys' race, under 16 years, 220 yards—Wm. Pilgrim, Stinson; John Eglesham, King Edward; Harry Lampan, Victoria avenue.

Boys' race, under 18 years, 440 yards—Wm. Pilgrim, Stinson; John Eglesham, King Edward; Harry Lampan, Victoria avenue.

Boys' race, under 20 years, 880 yards—Wm. Pilgrim, Stinson; John Eglesham, King Edward; Harry Lampan, Victoria avenue.



WU TING FANG, REAPPOINTED CHINESE MINISTER TO WASHINGTON, AND MADAME WU.

Running high jump, open—H. Irving, H. C. I. 4 feet 6 inches; G. Hill, Cannon; K. Walsh, Central.

Prizes Presented Friday. Although the event this year was more of an experiment, the inauguration was attended with such success, as to guarantee an annual day of sports for the children.

Large Crowds Present and Good Attractions Provided. The fall fair at the Wentworth Park, on the mountain, held under the auspices of the South Wentworth Agricultural Society, was held on Thursday and Friday of this week.

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A REWARD. Rev. R. V. Miller, a noted Bible teacher and preacher, from Georgia, and Mr. E. Bowyer, a singing evangelist, of Cleveland, will begin a revival campaign in the Goshel Tabernacle on Sunday, Oct. 13th.

SPECIAL FALL GOODS. We have what you need. Leather coats, sheepskin coats, lined smocks, military flannel shirts, sweaters, cardigans, heavy underwear; everything for cold weather. Call and see us. M. Kennedy, 240 James north and 148 John south.

\$200.00 Offered. For proof that Cleveland's Price's St. George's or the Royal Baking Powders are as good value to Hamilton housekeepers as Gerrie's Perfection Baking Powder, manufactured by J. W. Gerrie, druggist, 32 James street north, the standard of judgment being purity, efficiency and cost. Perfection baking powder costs about one-half as much as these powders.

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South Wentworth Society Gave Mighty Creditable Exhibition.

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WOMAN DETECTIVE.

Turns a Hand Organ and Investigates Crime.

Maria Sinischalchi, a Young Italian, Connected With Office of District Attorney at New York for Four Years. New York, Oct. 4.—That a young Italian woman, whose ostensible method of earning her livelihood is in walking the streets with a hand organ and deftly twirling a tambourine, is in her moments of leisure, a detective for the District Attorney's office, was developed yesterday in the trial of Raffaele Gascone.

FOR INFIRMARY. A grand concert will be given in Association Hall on 25th. Peter's Infirmary. The arrangements are not completed yet, but up to date the patronesses are, Mrs. P. D. Crerar, Mrs. George Lynch-Staunton, Mrs. McGivern, Mrs. D. Gillies, Mrs. John W. Gage, Mrs. Harry P. Burkholder, Mrs. T. H. Husband, Mrs. Gordon Henderson, Mrs. W. R. Davis, Mrs. J. R. Moodie, Mrs. S. O. Greening. Among those who will take part in the programme are Misses Marie Macartie, Lizzie Findlay, Irene Bastedo, Messrs. Vernon Carey, Brown and McLeod.

BUFFALO TRAGEDY. Young Man Accidental Kills His Little Brother. Buffalo, Oct. 5.—Louis Weber, 25 years old, blew the top of his 15-year-old brother's head off with a shot gun last night as he was cleaning the weapon. The young boy was instantly killed. The dead lad's father sat sleeping in a chair in the same room. Roused from his sleep by the explosion the old man exclaimed "Lightning has struck somewhere."

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New York, Oct. 4.—A big St. Bernard dog that for several years has been the companion of seventy-one-year-old Edward Cura, a one-armed man, of No. 461 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn, yesterday saved its master from blood to death.

Cura is a watchman at uncompleted buildings at Seventy-second street and Sixteenth avenue. Just before dawn two men attacked him. The old man fought fiercely with his one hand and called to his dog.

In a few seconds the dog had bitten one man so severely that he fell to the ground. The animal attacked the other, but not before old Edward had been struck from behind and his skull split.

The two men, despite the dog's furious attacks, robbed the old man of \$10 and ran. Following them was the dog. The men separated and the dog lost the trail.

The dog then nosed up to Detective De Cautiun, barking and fawning upon him. Finally the great St. Bernard led the detective in front of the houses at Seventy-second street and Sixteenth.

Had assistance come ten minutes later Cura would have died. Friends as they call him, but yesterday he wrenched at his chain and whined for his master.

PROFITS OF THE POSTOFFICE. Tidy Sum Made From Careless British Correspondents.

Last Year Contained Orders and Checks Amounting to £714,360. London, Oct. 4.—The Postmaster-General made a net profit on purely postal business during the year ended March 31 of £5,071,255, but the net deficit on the year's working of the telegraphs, £582,055, brought down the department's surplus to £4,419,200.

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FINE FAIR AT BEAMSVILLE.

Clinton Township Did itself Proud on Friday.

Hamilton Horseman Won Both of the Harness Events.

Five Poultry Exhibits and the Best Fruits Yet.

A bright day and an enthusiastic crowd of 3,500 were the main factors accounting for the success of the annual fair of Clinton Township, held at Beamsville yesterday and the day before. A visiting Government official stated that the poultry show was the best on the Niagara Peninsula and that the fruit was far better than at Toronto fall exhibition.

The grandstand was another money-maker and was jammed during the whole of the afternoon with an appreciative crowd. The racing was as follows: Free for all, mile heats, three in five, prize \$50.—Miss Swift, W. J. Anderson . . . 1 1 1 J. G. Hall, A. N. 2 2 2 J. G. Hall, A. N. 3 3 3 Sydney 4 4 4 Time—2:45, 2:40, 2:39 1/2. 2:40 trot, 2:35 pace, same conditions as above race.—Fairview Bell, W. J. Anderson . . . 1 1 1 Joe Gotthard, J. C. Swartz . . . 2 2 2 Ruby, C. E. Barr 3 3 5 Minnie B., Slogoth & Bush 4 4 4 Black Flora, W. E. Field 5 5 5 Time—2:37 1/2, 2:37 1/2, 2:34 1/2. Flat race, half mile heats, two in three, prize \$25.—Frances J., E. A. Armstrong . . . 1 2 1 George Desboro, M. Schoony . . . 2 1 2 Black Queen, J. J. Foran 4 4 4 Lucinda, J. Reid 5 5 5 Time—59, 57 1/2, 58 1/2. It will be seen that W. J. Anderson, of this city, carried off the first two events and he deserved them. His horses and drivers were the best. C. E. Barr's Ruby had a nasty fall in the second event when she was in right for first place in the last heat. The last race was good and as will be seen, good time was made. Several small handicaps were running in the rear of the grand stand and the runners of them muddled the crowd of their golden guineas in a way that would make a professional's eyes bulge.

The officers and directors were: T. R. Gilmore, President; F. O. McLean, Vice-President; J. H. Walker, Secretary; F. S. Proudhomme, Treasurer; Directors—H. Sinclair, W. R. Woodland, L. Thifford, E. P. Beatty, H. Culp, Geo. West, Geo. Karr, E. L. Jemmett, W. D. Fairbrother, Auditor, W. D. Fairbrother, G. S. Karr, Marshall, Robert Walkar, Superintendent of Hall, H. Sinclair.

LIVING TOO FAST. Merchants Overstocked and Banks Withdraw Credit. Toronto, Oct. 4.—The failures in Canada during the first nine months of the present year amount to 870, against 867 for the same period in 1906, but the liabilities total \$8,000,128, for the first nine months, against \$3,323,333 in 1906.

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How to Keep An Automobile Tuned Up.

When a car has been received new from the factory, every owner has a right to believe that it is tuned up to the highest point, that the electrical system is in perfect working order, the cylinders clean, the carburetor properly set, and the compression good.

After the car has been run, it is not unusual for the owner to notice a slight falling off in power. This commences gradually and is scarcely noticeable, but in time the owner awakes to the fact that the car does not possess anywhere near the amount of power it had when new. This should not be blamed to the machine, but rather to the owner himself in not looking after details.

Generally speaking, there are three great causes of loss of power in a gasoline motor; namely, poor compression, imperfect carburetion, and defective ignition.

In a gasoline motor, the charge of gas is drawn into the cylinder and compressed approximately to sixty pounds per square inch. If there is any leakage, such as by the piston rings, around the spark plugs, and past the valves, a certain amount of this charge will be forced out and lost, with the result that the power will be diminished.

In a well-made motor, the piston rings should remain tight for several seasons. Therefore, the owner should look to the valves and make sure that they are properly seated.

After the valves have been seated, if this does not remedy the trouble, the electrical system should be gone over thoroughly. The following conditions will affect the proper working of the electrical system: Weak batteries of accumulators; loose connections in any of the low-tension circuits; corroded or rusted terminals; insufficient contact at commutator; grounding in one or both circuits; improper adjustment of vibration; sooted or dirty plugs.

Every motorist using dry cells, or accumulators, should provide himself with an ammeter, or ammeter and volt-meter combined. The dry cells should be tested with the ammeter, and any cell falling under seven amperes should be rejected. The accumulator, or storage battery, should be tested with the volt-meter. A fully charged accumulator rated at six volts will show over six when charged. When the voltage falls to five and seven-eighths, it should be removed and re-charged, the usual cost being fifty cents.

A good accumulator, such as the Witherbee, No. 86, will run a two-cylinder car approximately one hundred miles.

All connections in the primary circuit should be carefully gone over and screwed down tight with pliers.

A rusted or corroded terminal will not give perfect contact. All connections should be clean, as rust, dirt, etc., increase the resistance in the circuit.

A short circuit is sometimes difficult to locate: If it occurs in the primary wiring, the batteries will be rapidly depleted. If the short circuit occurs in the high-tension system, no spark will jump at the plug. The common cause of short circuit is due to drivers carelessly leaving tools, such as wrenches, etc., on top of the batteries, or due to the breaking of the insulation in some wire.

The proper adjustment of the vibrator is of vital importance in the running of the engine. If the platinum points on either vibrator or adjusting screw become so close as to stick, no spark will jump at the plug. The vibrators should be frequently examined, and if the platinum points are not smooth or true, they should be dressed down with a dead smooth file.

There are two methods of adjusting a vibrator, one by ear and the other by trial. When the car is new the vibrator is properly set, and gives a clear, distinct, steady buzz, hence it is an excellent plan to familiarize oneself with this sound, as future adjustments can be made with this in mind.

The majority of vibrators permit of two adjustments, the one regulating the distance between the platinum points, and the other the tension on the vibrator spring.

The distance between the platinum points when the trembler is pulled down on the core should be about one-thirtieth of an inch. Then the tension of the vibrator spring should be so varied that a clear, steady buzz is heard.

Another way to adjust the vibrator is to set the points about one-thirtieth of an inch apart, and start the motor. If the engine is of the single-cylinder type, open the throttle and adjust the tension on the vibrator so that the motor runs with its maximum speed. If of the two-cylinder type, hold down one vibrator and adjust the other so that that cylinder runs at its greatest speed. Then hold down the other vibrator and reverse the operation. A four-cylinder car can be tried by holding down the three vibrators and allowing the one-cylinder to work.

A common cause of poor ignition is fouling of spark plugs due to carbonizing of oil in the cylinders. If both vibrators are working properly, and still there occurs no spark, the plugs should be removed and examined. Plugs can be cleaned by soaking in kerosene and giving a scraping with a stiff brush. Extra plugs should always be carried, and when trouble of this kind occurs on the road, a new plug should be inserted.

The last general cause for loss of power is improper carburetion. The function of the carburetor is to fix in mixed and unvarying proportions such quantities of gasoline and air that the mixture shall be highly explosive. If the ratio between the air and the gasoline varies between too great extremes, or, in other words, if the mixture becomes too weak or too rich, the motor will either stop entirely or will fall off in power.

There are too many types of carburetors on the market to give explicit instructions in regard to adjustment. The following apply in general to all carburetors, and the following difficulties will affect their proper operation.

First: Sticking of float.—The float occasionally sticks, thereby allowing too much gasoline to enter, with the result that the mixture is too rich. A slight jar on the carburetor or tickling it in the usual manner will free the float.

Second: The floats, particularly of cork, sometimes absorb a certain amount of gasoline and become too heavy, and if made of metal an occasional pin-hole will manifest itself and the float will fill with gasoline. Both of these have the effect of increasing its weight, causing the gasoline to rise

too high and overflow the vaporizing nozzle. The remedy in this case is to lighten the float, if made of cork, and to solder the holes, if made of metal. Carburetor floats are usually set so that the gasoline in the vaporizing nozzle is from one-sixty-fourth to one-sixteenth of an inch below the top of the nozzle.

Third: Water in the gasoline is a common cause of trouble, and yet every motorist can protect himself against this trouble by seeing that all his gasoline is filtered through a chamois-skin. He should provide himself with a large funnel, in which is permanently fixed a good, close, fine-grained skin. While gasoline will filter through this rapidly, water will be entirely excluded.

Fourth: Another common trouble in carburetors is with the connections between the carburetor itself and the cylinder becoming loose. Any additional air entering will upset entirely the uniformity of the mixture. Even a small pinhole will cause surprising irregularities. These connections should, therefore, be periodically gone over to be sure that they are entirely tight.

The value of kerosene in the motor.—Few motorists appreciate how important it is to flush out frequently the insides of their cylinders with kerosene. There is perhaps no one thing that is so easy to do, and that will produce such good results.

It is not too much to say that the cylinders should be flushed out from once to twice a week. It is an excellent plan, when the motor comes in at night still hot, to fill the cylinders with kerosene, and allow it to remain in overnight.

If the motor has not been flushed out for some time, it will be found that a quantity of carbon, due to burning oil, etc., has collected inside the cylinder, and this should be removed.

If the engine is of the horizontal type, a small scraper could be made of one-fourth inch steel stock slightly bent over and flattened at one end, about one-fourth inch long and about three-eighths inch wide. This scraper will look somewhat like a small hoe; the total length should be about fourteen inches.

The inside of the piston and the walls of the explosion chamber are accessible through the spark-plug hole. After thoroughly scraping everything that can be reached, the pet-cock on the bottom of the cylinder should be taken out and as much as possible of the scraped-off carbon removed.

After this, the cylinder should be filled again with kerosene and this allowed to drain out.

In a four-cylinder vertical motor, by removing the valve caps and putting the piston up as far as it will go, all the scraped-off deposit can be drawn off to one side and removed.

Carbon in the cylinders is injurious, first, because it becomes incandescent and pre-ignites the charge. Second, it is one of the most common causes of engine knocks. Third, by locating the combustion chamber it decreases the efficiency of the cooling system.

If every motorist would take the pains to flush out his cylinders once a week, he would be well repaid by having a quiet, smooth-running motor.

A word about lubrication is not out of place here, but if every motorist understood just how vitally important it was to the life of his car, it would not be so generally neglected as it is by many automobilists. Briefly, the object of lubrication is to prevent friction and wear by imposing a film of oil between the bearing surfaces. This oil film prevents the metal surfaces from coming into actual metal-to-metal contact.

If you will look at oil through a very powerful microscope, you will see that it is composed of thousands of small globules, each one shaped like a steel ball. A properly lubricated bearing has distributed over its rubbing surfaces these small globules, which act very much as if they were steel balls.

The moment there is no oil and the two surfaces come in contact, they start to cut, and it takes an incredibly short time for an expensive bearing to be ruined.

As oiling is such a tremendous factor in the successful performance of a car, the oiling system should be freed of all dirt, and the motorist being well repaid by saving himself expensive repair bills.

Sciatia is really inflammation of the sciatic nerve, the largest nerve of the body. This passive inflammation is the product of a run-down condition, and in every case you may be sure the nerves are worn down fine.

The pain is the cry of the nerves for more food—for richer, redder blood. Rubbing on a greasy liniment can't help very much—you must treat the blood and rebuild the nervous system.

This can be promptly done with Ferrozene.

No builder of nerve force is more powerful. No tonic so quickly fortifies the muscular system, imparts such strength, such endurance and vigor.

Any traces of Uric Acid and rheumatism are quickly driven out by Ferrozene. The lowered condition of the system is changed into a reserve of vigor that defies further attacks of Sciatia.

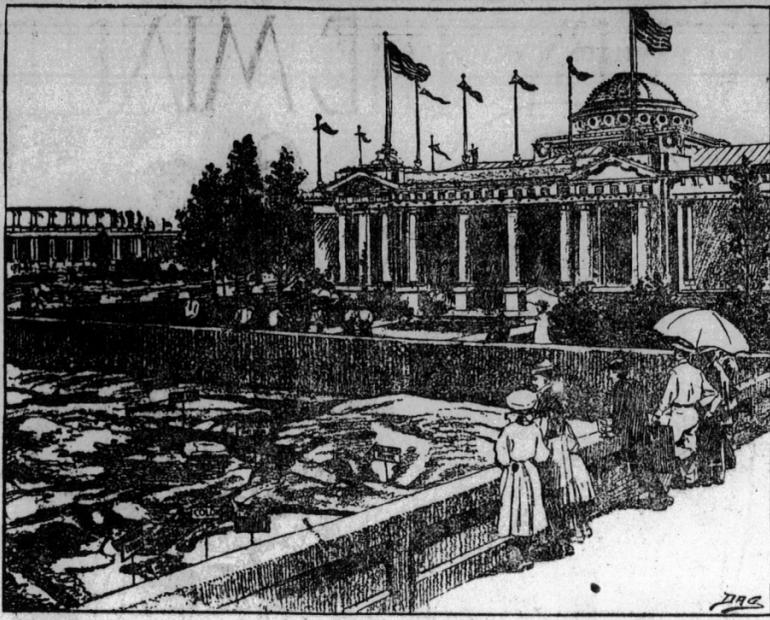
Marevous in its reconstructive and rebuilding power, quick to give relief, absolutely sure to cure—where you can find a better treatment than Ferrozene! Sold by all druggists in 50c. boxes; try Ferrozene.

Eels to the Rescue.

A South American professor has discovered that the electric eel can really yield electric force.

He maintains, after experimenting to this end, that 100 eels will run a motor car for 24 hours, while 200,000 would carry a liner across the ocean. Most of us, however, would prefer to put our trust in gasoline rather than in eels. To say the least, a tank of flopping eels would assuredly be an uncomfortable item of motoring paraphernalia.

The small boy, who is always to be found in close proximity to a standing motor, would find it additionally interesting when he could prod up the wriggling "motive power" with a stick, and, if one's eels were gradually abstracted en route by the facetiously inclined, the last state of the motorist would be worse than the first.



MAMMOTH RELIEF MAP OF THE ISTHMUS OF PANAMA AND THE PANAMA CANAL AT THE JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.

ONE of the many interesting exhibits at the now completed Jamestown exposition is a colossal map of the most interesting section of the Isthmus of Panama, showing the Panama canal and its approaches. It is laid upon the ground east of the War and Navy building and is made of cement and concrete, with water flowing in the various streams. The map attracts great attention from visitors because it gives such a clear idea of what the canal builders have to do and of how they are doing it.

Our Scotch Corner

A SCOTCH FISHERMAN'S WEDDING. On the northeast coast of Scotland there are three great centres of the herring fishing industry—Aberdeen, Peterhead and Fraserburgh. The season usually commences about the middle of June and closes towards the end of August.

To many fisher lads and lassies the two months that follow are the great months of the year. Andrew, who has practically lived on board his boat for eight or ten weeks—who has spent most of his nights letting down the nets, and most of his day's shaking out of them the "caller herring"—begins now to turn his thoughts to matters not less serious, but more sentimental. For some time he has been "walking out" with Barbara, a bonny, buxom fisher-lassie, who can mend nets and "redd" (unravel) lines, and put her hand to anything and everything that needs doing in a fisherman's cottage. There has been no formal engagement, such as is common in other communities; but there is an understanding which perfectly satisfies both parties. Although a man of few words, Andrew has made it sufficiently clear that some day he intends to give heed to the Scriptural injunction to leave father and mother and cleave unto his wife, and that that wife will be Barbara. He has had great good luck during the season. In his own language he has "deen nae 'at ill," which means that he has done exceptionally well. Moreover, he has now several shares in the craft of which he is one of the crew; so, taking all things into consideration, he reckons he may safely indulge in the luxury of "a fireside" of his ain.

As a rule the Scotch fisherman has all the characteristic reserves of the Scot, and is abnormally shy and sensitive regarding matrimonial matters affecting himself. He would no more dream of going to the minister's alone, with the request that he should perform the marriage ceremony, than he would think of putting out to sea with one but himself on board the vessel. If he can get his father or a friend to undertake this delicate little duty on his behalf, he will gladly and gratefully welcome their kindly service.

A ministerial friend of mine who labored in the North of Scotland for a time has told me how on one occasion an intending fisherman bridegroom came to him accompanied by his father. The maid

showed them into the drawing-room. They did not rise on his entering the drawing-room. Dryly and drawingly remarking that it was "a fine evening," they sat nervously fingering their hats and casting significant glances at each other. Guessing their errand, my friend hastened to put them at their ease. He said how pleased he was to know there had been a prosperous fishing, and naively inquired if it were true that a successful season was usually followed by a rush to the matrimonial altar.

This gave the older man the opportunity he desired. He found his voice, and made known the purpose of his coming with a relief that was too evident to be concealed.

It happened that there was just one difficulty. As is well known, it is customary in Scotland to have the wedding service in the home of the bride. The ceremony is a very simple one, and does not occupy more than a few minutes. In this instance the bride's home was insufficient to accommodate all who desired to witness the ceremony. As a way out of the difficulty, the fisherman asked if the service might be held in the kirk vestry. The minister was agreeable, but thought the church itself would be the more appropriate place. The fisherman muttered his thanks, but replied that if it were "the minister's will" he would much rather have the marriage done in the vestry. If there was one thing more than another that he didna care for, it was a glowin' gairn' crowd. His laddie was a bit flight (afraid) of the ceremony, and he hawped the minister widda be over hard on him. My friend was at a loss to know what was meant by being "over hard on him," and hinted as much to the fisherman. "Weel," he said, in explanation, "what I mean is just this: When you ask John if he'll hae Kirsty to be his wife, dinna expect him to speak loud out (loud out); he'll just gie a nod, and his nod will be as good as his word.

The invitations to a Scotch fisherman's wedding are not by card, but in nearly every case by word of mouth. Usually a large omnibus is hired to bring the guests to the wedding supper, as it is called. If there is room the supper is held in the home of the bride's parents, and there the guests sit down to partake of the strangely miscellaneous fare that has been provided. The chief dish is boll-

ed salt fish, which is served with butter sauce, mustard and oysters. There are puddings and pies of various descriptions, and a bewildering assortment of buns, scones and cakes. The beverages include tea, coffee and lemonade—seldom anything stronger. Habits of temperance and sobriety are becoming more and more general among the fishermen of the northeast coast of Scotland.

The supper is unconventional to a degree. Every one is full of happy and hilarious talk. The bridegroom is banteringly reminded that every penny he will now cost two-pence; that he will have to give four baubees to the kirk very Sunday instead of two; that there will be a growing need to "cast the net on the right side of the ship" every time and to "enclose" every time "a great multitude of fishes." Blushing, but proudly, he retorts that he "kens a' that, and that nobody need hae any fear."

When the marriage meal is over the tables are cleared, and there is music and dancing until the early hours of the morning.

The bride and bridegroom then retire to their own home. There is seldom any honeymoon. Not infrequently the bridegroom has to rise after a few hours' sleep and sail forth once again to his toil upon the deep. As to the fisherman's wife, her lot is by no means easy. She has indeed to endure hardness. In addition to her everyday household duties, she is expected to mend the nets that have been torn; and it is part of her duty to unravel the twisted and knotted fishing lines. She has also to prepare and lay in a stock of salt-cured, sun-dried haddock and cod for winter use. Then, if she be given of habits of thrift, and have more than the ordinary share of energy, she will endeavor to increase her husband's somewhat precarious income by selling fresh or smoked fish from door to door.

Her lot approaches drudgery much more closely than does that of some who are exorcism whining and whimpering about the toils and tasks that are laid upon them. But, in spite of all, she is happy. She has been brought up to the life, and prefers it to any other.—Scottish Review.

SMITH GOT WISE. A sore corn is bad enough; but to have it stepped on was the limit. He invested in a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Corns gone; enough said. Try Putnam's.

It appears that sometimes even the still, small voice of conscience is tongue-tied.

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THE WAY IT DIDN'T HAPPEN.

"Mother," said little Willie Jones, "If there's no work to do, I'd like to join the other boys 'And go in swimming, too.'"

"There's not a bit of work to-day," said Willie's mother kind; "It's useful to know how to swim, 'So go—I do not mind."

"Father," said Willie to his pa "When he had older grown; 'I'd like to smoke, and wish that I 'A briar pipe might own.'"

"And so you shall," said Willie's pa, "Fond of his manly son; And to the store he went to buy 'A real expensive one."

"Dear folks," said Willie to them all "When he was twenty-three, 'I love Marie, and we're engaged 'And married soon will be.'"

"The one for you 'She's just the girl!'"

Which goes to prove these lines are false And writ but to amuse.

THE MOTORIST'S IDEAL.

Are you, swiftly shooting star, But the headlight on the car Of some airship in its flight, Dashing thus along at night? Is there nothing in your way— No policeman there who may Stop you when you thus exceed Every known legal speed? If there's not, and you were mine, Many a fine, hilarious time I should have behind you there, Sailing gaily through the air. But when you go out of sight, Leaving naught but blackest night Where your brightness last was seen, Does that mean the gasolene is all gone, and you'll be there Till someone with some to spare Happens on that lonely route Where I erstwhile saw you shoot, But where now you seem to be Stranded 'midst that cloud I see? —The Bohemian.

KNOWLEDGE NOTES.

Of the world's population, there are 64 to the million who are blind.

The flourer is said to deposit 7,000,000 eggs in the course of a year.

Germany sends 29,000,000 feathers per year to England for millinery purposes.

The growth of girls is greater in their fifteenth year; of boys in their seventeenth.

The average cost of maintaining a prisoner in an English prison is about \$125 per year.

Squares, triangles and similar implements used by draughtsmen are now made of glass.

The floor space of St. Peter's, Rome, is 227,000 square feet, the greatest of any cathedral in the world.

The swiftest river in the world is the Sutlej, of British India, which in 180 miles has a descent of 12,000 feet.

Savings banks are established in 225 schools in Scotland. There are 35,712 depositors, with \$48,990 to their credit.

When the herring fishery season is at its height something like 5,500 or 6,000 miles of nets are set nightly in the North Sea.

Some European savants have discovered that one-half grain of silver fluoride in a quart of water effects complete sterilization. Experiments were made with complete success on sewage water infected with various injurious microorganisms, including those of typhoid.



MULAI HAFID, HALF BROTHER OF SULTAN ABDUL AZIZ, WHO HAS HAD HIMSELF PROCLAIMED RULER OF MOROCCO.

MULAI HAFID, pretender to the Moroccan throne, who was recently proclaimed sultan at Marakesh, is raised quite a formidable army and is a decided menace to the rule of Abdul Aziz. The real sultan's troops are none too loyal, and a plot to assassinate him was recently discovered in his own camp.

EATING BY THE MINUTE HAND

The Evils of the Feverish Consumption of Food in "Quick Lunch Houses"

"DRAW one—make it two! An Adam and Eve floating at sea—a sunny side up! Send up that lemon mar-rang! What's that?—one ham! Two vanillers! Hurry up that ma-ar-rang!"
Lunch time!

And what a sight is this! Must not Lucullus and Epicurus and all the famous old lunchers of the world stir in their graves? How would they, who were accustomed to loll on divans as they ate, taking their own sweet time, think of this voracious and feverish consuming of food with true twentieth century haste?

Go into one of the quick-lunch houses in any of the big cities—and the quick-lunch house is ubiquitous from the Atlantic to the Pacific—and take a seat in a 'corner and watch. Don't eat—only watch.

What a spectacle for the amazement of gods and men! And there, if never before, you cannot help but realize the terrible and frightful tension of modern life. There you will see modern city life in a kaleidoscopic effect, combining all the fever, haste, hurry that drive men on relentlessly.

The lunchers eat as the minute hand revolves, and by their glances at the clock they



Types of the "Hurry Up" Eater

cent. of the business men who kill themselves do not do so because of money troubles, but because of the resultant physical disorders of the quick lunch. It's the greatest menace there is to the health and peace of mind of the men of the great cities."

AND is it any wonder? Suppose we take a little noonday excursion among the various quick-lunch places of the big city. There is the lunch place where the banker and stock broker eat feverishly while they read stock quotations and afternoon papers; there are the cheaper places where lunch both capitalists and cabbies, millionaires and messenger boys—more often, however, the latter; and there are the dairy lunches, where every one waits on himself, and the picturesque automat. These are the prevailing types.

VARIETY NOT LACKING
Within the place is the odor—an unpleasant odor—of food. One feels the grossness of food. Along the long counter are piled cakes—cinnamon buns, coffee cakes, orange layer and chocolate layer cakes, jelly rolls, apple cakes, wine cakes, fruit cakes, crullers, sponge cakes, lady locks and innumerable kinds of cakes—5 cents apiece. There are pies—apple pies, peach pies, lemon pies, rhubarb pies, egg custards, cocoanut custards, lemon meringue and cheese pies and innumerable other kinds of pies—5 cents a piece.

"What'll yer 'ave?" A newsboy rushes in, a dime already in his hand, and shuffles up on a stool. "A cup er coffee and a piece er lemon pie there."

Here, in the cheap restaurants, you will find most of the food already prepared. Perhaps the favorite articles of diet are sandwiches. And of these there is an infinite variety—ham, chicken, deviled ham, tongue, cheese, salmon and egg-and-ham sandwiches. Few who get their lunches at the cheaper restaurants pay more than 20 or 25 cents; and, indeed, for this amount of money one can



Where Cabbies and Messenger Boys Refresh.

gorge himself to repletion. "Gimme a cup o' iced tea and some chicken gumbo." Such orders are common. "That there guy," remarks the waiter, "ill come back here tomorrow and say he got indigestion from bad soup. Now, look at 'im—eatin' that there soup between the lemonade."



Eating While the Ticker Calls Business Men Eat and Read Stock Quotations



seem jealous of the time they must give toward furnishing fuel to their bodies. It's a duty, this mid-day eating. No longer a pleasure, no longer an art, it is a grim, hateful necessity.

"Go into the quick-lunch houses and pause a moment," recently declared a physician, "and then you will no longer wonder at the prevalence of dyspepsia, organic troubles, brain fag, mental breakdowns and suicides in the United States. In my opinion, 75 per

Science Finds Cures for Red Noses



THE red nose! Most baneful of mortal afflictions, what secrets of one's hidden life does it not reveal! What visions of plethoric repasts, of voracious banqueting and inordinate bibbling does it not bring before one's mind! What husband can deny his actions at the club and bar when his wife sees developing a rosy red proboscis? What man can conceal his love of wine when it colors the skin of the face and sets his veins bulging!

But hold! The red nose, which is universally believed to be an asset of the dipsomaniac and bibulous, is now declared by men of science to be no such thing at all. As a matter of fact, physicians declare, it is much more prevalent among people who abstain, even among the amemic. And, with this comforting assurance, science says the red nose can be cured.

But let them of the order of the red nose rejoice and be exceedingly glad! "The red nose can be cured." And the man who said this recently was no less an authority than Dr. Kapp, of Berlin, who reports 37 actual cures. "The red nose is not a result of indulgence in liquor." A pat on the shoulders of Dr. Kapp, for he sees nobility in telling the truth, despite preconceived opinions. And listen to this:

USES A GALVANIC CURRENT
Dr. Kapp treats the afflicted organ by means of a galvanic current. He locates the small swollen veins and touches them lightly with a micro-themo cautery needle. The point is hot, but no unpleasantness whatever is experienced by the patient. Within a few days the swelling is gone and the redness disappears.

"This treatment is by far the most successful so far discovered," declared an American physician recently. "There are a number of cures for red nose—one of the most effective is scarification. This treatment, which was originated by Professor Lassar, of Berlin, necessitates cutting the nose in various directions. In healing the blood vessels resume their normal proportions and the proper circulation of the blood is affected. Often the redness can be cured by peeling off the skin and letting a new layer grow. I know of many women who have resorted to this painful treatment rather than suffer the embarrassment of the crimson facial decoration."

"Sometimes it is, but not so often as is commonly supposed. There are numerous causes." "And they are—"

"Quite often eyeglasses and veils. Women don't realize the danger of the soft veils they draw about their faces. They do not get the awful drooping of the red nose that loom up before them in this protection of beauty. Yet the veils cause more red noses in women than perhaps anything else."

drinking a glass of milk. Tonight he'll probably have an attack of ptomaine poisoning, and he'll swear never to patronize the restaurant, quite ignorant of the fact that milk and sea food invariably produce this disorder.

At the cheap restaurants of the big cities during the summer there is an average daily consumption of from sixteen to twenty gallons of iced tea. This is the favorite summer beverage. And possibly the cause of numerous summer complaints.

ROUGH AND TUMBLE ALL AROUND
In most of the low-priced lunch houses they don't use napkins. They're not any too particular about the cleanliness of plates. It's a rough and tumble way all around. Men and children rush in, panting, anxious, hurried; order their little bite and eat it in double-quick, double-action, double-barreled time. You'll see men figuring on paper between mouthfuls, reading newspapers, and the messenger boys perusing the proverbial dime novels. How long do they take to eat? The majority are through within five or ten minutes. And they leave the restaurant with the air of one who is thankful he has performed an unpleasant task.

Even quicker time is made in the automatic restaurants. What wonderful places these are, to be sure! Perfect fairylands, some of them, with the leaden-ribbed, colored glass windows, bright-polished mirrors and wonderful apertures about the glass wall, so mysterious and fascinating. You drop a nickel or a dime—that's all the various foods cost—into a slot, and lo! there descends into your very hands whatever you may wish. Even coffee and milk flow from spigots upon the dropping of a coin. Usually the automatons are pleasant and clean, with numerous brightly polished tables. And, then, there's an air of reliance and go about the people. It's lunch time! How they come—laughing, joking,

happy crowds of girls—shopgirls, stenographers, bookkeepers. They distribute, walk along the glass walls, drop their coins, secure sandwiches in neat wrappings of tissue paper, cups of milk or coffee, and then they settle about the tables to chat as they eat.

The procession is endless—the tables are filled and piled with dishes. The crowds rise and leave, waiters with great trays remove the dishes as by magic, and new swarms come in for their hurried lunch.

The dairy lunches, again, are patronized usually by men. Here you find long rows of chairs, with broad arms, flat like little tables. At the great marble counter you can get coffee, milk and cream, fresh from the country; pie, sponge cake, sandwiches, rolls. About the high-calling room on pedestals are great bowls of lump sugar. At lunch time people come by the scores; they buy cups of coffee and glasses of milk, pieces of pie or rolls, or whatever it may be, and with eager eyes dart for the great chairs. Here they eat by the minute hand, and it revolves quickly, indeed.

Let us take a trip to the houses patronized by business men—prices are higher and greater decorum reigns. But the spirit of haste prevails. A stout, prosperous gentleman hurriedly enters; he looks anxiously at the clock; he picks out his water before he sits down and orders his lunch, usually of the "specialty of the day," which is already prepared, and perhaps coffee or beer.

PROMISCUOUS EATERS
"Watch them as they come in here," said the steward of one of the finest quick-lunch restaurants in a big city. "None takes more time than a half hour, or three-quarters of an hour at most, to eat. Nearly all of them order dishes that are prepared, of entrees—it may be stewed chickens' liver, pot roast or beef, a la Bourgeois, calves' brains, or roasts, ribs of beef, cut ribs or spring lamb."

"If you will observe Americans and foreigners, you'll notice a striking difference in the manner of eating. Now see that American, one of the best known and successful business men in the city—he's taking soup and drinking beer alternately. Now, he'll go back to his office and feel bad all afternoon, and within a couple of years, if not before, he'll be a chronic dyspeptic."

"See that German. He holds his glass of beer between his hands until the chill has passed. He'll sip it slowly, and enjoy it. The American pours it down. It's interesting to watch these men eating. I've done it for years. I've seen them come in, day after day, and gorge themselves, never masticating their food; and I've seen them becoming dyspeptics, and crabbed and ill-tempered. Another thing that I've noticed is that the most successful business men take light lunches; they eat hurriedly, of course, but they don't overtax their stomachs. The men who eat heavy lunches get sluggish and stupid, and many a business failure I've traced to the lunch table."

A well-known physician was recently asked to give his opinion of the dangers of quick eating.

"It's a problem of more menace to the people of the country than the problem of trust regulation, which, I think, is one of the most serious," he replied. "Moreills come from fast eating than many people imagine. You eat your heart out in these lunch houses—eating, and grudging the time, with eyes bent on stock quotations or newspapers. They don't enjoy their food, and naturally the juices which should be secreted are withheld. They don't masticate their food, and the greater portion passes through their body undigested. This habit of quick eating must affect the brain. It disorganizes the circulation, it causes heart trouble, it brings about mental disorders, and many of the suicides are caused by this frightful and appalling habit."

Last May Florence H. Brough, a singer in St. James' Protestant Episcopal Church, of Chicago, committed suicide. Several days before her death she told her aunt that she had ruined her health by eating quick lunches; she tried to break herself of the habit, she said, but simply was unable to eat slowly.

"Unquestionably, the inability to digest food causes many suicides in Chicago," said Dr. W. A. Evans, health commissioner of the city. Dr. N. B. Delmaro, one of the best known alienists, hearing of the girl's death, declared:

"This is only one of many cases. It is certain that hundreds of Chicago suicides can be traced to the quick-lunch habit. Those of a nervous temperament are especially likely to be affected. It interferes with the blood supply; they become emaciated and morose. Their mind is affected, and they destroy themselves."

Rescued a "Foxy" Squirrel
A MAN in New York state who owns several fine cats stepped out of his house one day to see two of his feline possessions crouched in the grass, and equidistant between them sat a common striped squirrel, not daring to move a hair lest he invite the sharpclaws of one or both of his enemies; but the anxious brown eyes rolled from side to side as he calculated his chances of escape between the two. The man walked toward the squirrel, and when he came within jumping distance the squirrel seized his opportunity and leaped upon the man's trousers and ran nimbly to his shoulder. Then the man backed slowly toward a tree at no great distance from him; again when within leaping distance the squirrel jumped into the tree and disappeared amid its branches.



PAGE FOR WOMEN



Whatever the dictates of fashion, large sleeves should be invariably abandoned in favor of those of modified form, the ideal evening sleeve, from the stout woman's point of view, being that of the "angel" description, while any tightness, in the matter of tailor-made maniche, is equally to be avoided. Tight collars and cuffs, as well as a compressed waist, tend to redness of the face, while accentuating rather than detracting from the size of the wearer, a tight collar frequently producing the appearance of a "loble chin where none exists.

If possible, a belt "pur et simple" should be avoided altogether, but even the stout woman can hardly be expected to abandon the wearing of the ever useful blouse, and, with such a form of garment, the belt is, of course, the natural sequence.

A dark colored or black belt should, however, be invariably chosen, the narrowest and most pliable material being used for the purpose, while, however great may be the temptation to indulge in the broad fancy belts and waistbands which are so important a feature of modern dress, there is only one word to meet the case—the word which dogs the path of the stout woman, in season and out of season, and follows her as persistently as the gadfly followed I—viz., "Don't."

HOW NOT TO GROW OLD.

At Any Rate Gaining in Attractiveness With Years.

Growing old is not a condition to be dreaded. Youth is delightful and full of zest, but that is no reason why its loss should be bemoaned. A woman who wishes may gain attractiveness with each year she lives, and at thirty be far prettier, more delightful and entertaining than at twenty. This is the working of the eternal law of averages that never fails if one will only put it into operation. Only one must understand the situation and the law and abide by it accordingly, remembering that there is no gain without loss, and that to achieve one must work.

To grow old gracefully is an art, and to step into middle age successfully is a triumph, says the New York Evening Telegram. It is women who do this of whom one hears others say she is "better looking than when she was a girl," or is "ever so much nicer than when she was young." Every woman may be this by developing attractions which a girl can never have.

The original mistake that many women make as they feel their youth going is to fall to being out the next set of attractions. Mere youth is pleasing, and because of it much is overlooked, condoned or ignored. "She is a pretty girl," some one says, and forgives the evidences of bad temper.

But they will admire more a woman of middle age who has learned to control her temper and to show sweetness and self-control when youth would fly into a rage.

A middle-aged woman who has learned from life as she has gone on is infinitely more attractive than a girl. The former has gained sweetness and strength in trial.

FALL WEDDINGS.

Especially as to the Duty of the Maid of Honor.

The duties of a bridesmaid or maid of honor are simple, and the office is a delightful one. When there is only one attendant the girl is called the maid of

Many Fashion Fancies, Words of Advice and Hints of Interest to Our Lady Readers



One of the new hats of corded silk in a soft shade of lavender. The large crown is made entirely of lace ruffles. Aigrette of purple is the only trimming.

honor, and her office is to give the bride whatever assistance may be necessary.

She wears a light frock, the material and color of which should first be submitted to the bride-to-be for her approval, and any suggestion that the latter may make should be acted upon, says the New York Evening Telegram. In a church wedding a hat is obligatory for the maid of honor, but it may be omitted at a house wedding, although a "picture" effect adds to the artistic whole.

The maid of honor precedes the bride to the altar, or to any particular place in the room where the ceremony is to be read, and walks alone even when there are bridesmaids. She must be careful to go slowly, for she sets the pace for the entire bridal party, and to have haste is undignified.

On arriving at the altar the maid of honor stands back a trifle, but is close to the bride at the latter's left. When it becomes necessary for the bride to give her bouquet that her hands may be free the maid of honor steps forward and takes it, returning immediately to her original place. After the ceremony and before the bride turns, or as she moves, the attendant should restore the bridal

flowers and turn back the bride's veil or remove the face part, so that her face is uncovered. It is well to practice this once before the ceremony, for it is not easy to do. She falls into line as the bride leaves the altar, and walks on with the best man. After that, through the reception and breakfast or luncheon, she is near the bride.

THE STOMACH ON STRIKE.

The Tonic Treatment for Indigestion is the Most Successful.

Loss of appetite, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, heavy dull headache and a dull, sluggish feeling—these are the symptoms of stomach trouble. They indicate that the stomach is on strike, that it is no longer furnishing to the blood the full quota of nourishment that the body demands, hence every organ suffers. There are two methods of treatment, the old one by which the stomach is humored by the use of pre-digested foods and artificial ferments, and the new one—the Dr. Williams' Pink Pills method—by which the stomach is toned up to do the work nature intended of it. A recent cure by the tonic treatment is that of Mrs. James W. Haskell, Port Maitland, N.S. She says: "For years I enjoyed perfect health, but suddenly headaches seized me. I had a bad taste in my mouth; my tongue was coated; I grew tired and oppressed; my appetite left me and such food as I did eat only caused distress. I had severe pains in my chest. I lost all strength, and was often seized with vomiting. At different times I was treated by some of our best doctors, but although I followed their treatment carefully I did not get any better. One day while reading a paper I came across a case similar to mine which had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I immediately purchased a supply and it was not long before they began to help me. I grew stronger day by day till now I am as healthy as I ever was. I have a good appetite, am strong and active and can attend to my household duties without fatigue. I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all sufferers from indigestion."

Rheumatism, kidney trouble, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, headache and backache, palpitation, general weakness, and a host of other troubles, find their root in bad blood just as in the case of stomach trouble. That is why the Dr. Williams' Pink Pills treatment is always a success—they are a powerful blood builder and nerve tonic. Sold by all druggists or direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50.

TEMPTATIONS IN FURS.

Especially Those That Are Intended for Elaborate Effect.

Just what will be our temptation in furs this winter scarcely bears contemplation. The fancy of small ermine accessories is already becoming felt, while in every direction there is observable a disposition to revel in doublers of daring character and quality.

The contrast of hard and soft materials is becoming a very fetish, and is affecting almost every realm of dress, although perhaps there is no more marked effect than is found in the case of furs and chiffon. A wonderfully telling effect is being wrought with killed black chiffon inset with fine cream lace, arranged as a loose lining to fur coats and capes, while a chinchilla wrap, a regal evening affair, carried a capuchin of drawn grey mousseline de soie, the turned-up edge of heavy, grey lace stiffened with runnings of gold thread. Every mentionable quality of soft satin, such as Orient, radium and rajah, is called to this lining craze, and is successfully ousting for the nonce the traditional heavy brocades and broches, the which now merely serve to stamp any possessors of a peltary per-

suasion as of the second order of demand.

There is an intense feeling, too, at present about these interior matters, as much care and frequently as much money, being lavished on the inside as the out of a garment.

THE LITTLE THINGS.

Count Particularly in Giving Right Look to Hat.

No matter how beautiful the entire costume of a woman may be, it avails her nothing if she does not know how to wear her clothes. She may so easily ruin the tout ensemble by lacking the perception that, what may seem to her the minor, perhaps unnecessary, details, are almost the most important part of her make-up.

Above all, it is of vital importance not only that her hair shall be well dressed, but that it shall be well arranged under her hat.

No one's hair grows to fit into each particular nook and cranny (where it undoubtedly should go) in every different hat she puts on. And if women only realized how short a time it takes to pin the wayward hair in just the right places to the tulle with which the hat is lined, or, if necessary, to the hat itself. The result is so charming that it would be worth much more trouble to attain.

All that is needed is a little patience and the help of a few invisible hairpins.

WINDOW POLISHING.

One Who Has Tried It Recommends Glycerine.

Nothing so quickly makes or mars the appearance of a room when viewed from the inside, or the character and smartness of a house, as the condition of the windows.

An excellent way to a brilliant sheen on the glass, which will last for a considerable time, is to take a pad of cotton rag, soak it in glycerine and rub the glass all over inside. Then take a clean rag, dry and lightly polish the glass until the glycerine is invisible, but not entirely rubbed away.

If this is done when the glass is fairly warm and dry the windows will take on a brilliant polish, there will be no condensation and a great saving in the amount of cleaning.

A WHISTLING GIRL.

One Who at Least Has Won Fame and Wealth.

A writer recently gave an interesting and amusing sketch of Mme. Melba, the celebrated prima donna, Miss Nellie Mitchell, by which name she was known as a school girl, was regarded as "a wonderful whistler," while her vocal powers were considered of a very ordinary variety. These soon developed, however. On coming to Europe she became a pupil of Mme. Marchesi, the well-known teacher of music.

Her introduction to the English public was due to the late Sir Augustus Harris. The latter, who knew little of music, trusted to his friends for advice, and one day he asked Mme. Bauermeister to come and give her opinion of a singer whom he was thinking of engaging. Mme. Melba appeared, and sang an air.

"Do you think she will do?" asked Harris, anxiously.

"Do!" cried Mme. Bauermeister. "Why, she has gold in her voice, and will put gold in your pocket."

EARLY FALL FABRICS.

Trimmings Fine, Though of Secondary Consideration.

For the first fall wear there is a new veil of very fine mesh which comes in navy, black and tan or three pastel shades. It is scattered thickly with pin-dots of velvet in a darker shade, and here and there at regular intervals larger dots of the same velvet. It is 42 inches wide, and comes at \$2.50 a yard.

Another novelty offered is silk voile, with velvet discs, which comes at \$3, and as it is in both light and dark shades it will answer for both formal and semi-dress purposes.

Although trimmings will be a secondary consideration this season, those used must be carefully chosen, and to this end the merchants have given special attention to the selection of their stock. At one end of the large shops are noticed some exquisite dress ornaments by the yard and which are suitable for separate motifs to be used either for coat or gown. One is of filed net intermingled with soutache in tones of apricot green and gray.

THE VOGUE OF BRAID.

It is Destined to Raise the Cost of Winter Wear.

The excessive amount of braiding up on the new autumn coats puts another burden upon our pockets, the great increase in labor and the expensive qualities of the braids used making a rise in the price of all such clothes inevitable. Coats and wraps will nearly all be

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VIOLET PASSE.

Double Dahlias and Half-Closed Water Lilies.

"Violet passe," by which the milliner describes the new purple, is being largely used, combining with dull green and black. Trimmings consisting of piece velvet in this shade, deftly caught here and there with a single stitch, and forming large and somewhat shapeless choux, are poised on one side of the crown of the hat, a lining of silk in the same shade being in some cases a sine qua non, while in others the dull violet of hat and trimming is set off by a soft brimming of peach-blossom pink, casting a becoming glow over the face.

Double dahlias are being allied to autumn foliage with excellent results, whilst another flower which is not suffering from the ennui with which the milliner is beginning to regard floral decorations is the half-closed water lily. In a hat of cinnamon-colored velvet, the crown was wreathed with a chaplet of velvet ivy-leaves in brown and lilac-green, whilst a single water lily of dazzling whiteness emerged from a sheltering cluster of its own wide-spreading foliage.

Salt Water Bathing. Salt water baths are strengthening and delightfully refreshing, but should not be indulged in ad libitum by those who are not in robust health. From ten to twenty minutes is quite sufficient time to remain in the water, and deep sea salt is put up in a chapter of those who cannot have their salt bath in the ocean itself, says Vogue. This has been abstracted from the waves after the most approved and scientific method; is pure and efficacious in results and can be heartily recommended.

REVIVALS.

Suggestions From the Fashion Plates of 1906.

In searching for inspiration among old plates where the long sleeve is concerned we find delightful examples in the forties.

A silk gown of a soft, dull, melon green is decorated with flat cross-cut bands of the same silk, held down in the centre by a twisted cable of the same, and opens a little, close-fitting sleeve half way to the elbow, where it ends in a band of cabled silk, and blossoms forth into a long but tight-fitting undersleeve of tucked Indian muslin, the ruchings held in place by narrow straps of embroidery. A second figure in the same plate has undersleeves to a delightful pigeon-grey satiny gown of tucked or rather box-plated white muslin, the pleatings running the length of the arm. Another pretty model gives us a long graduated frill of narrow lace slightly frilled and put on a twisting line round and round the arm, till it ends in a frill at the wrist. The same twisted effect is given by an embroidered strapping of silk, which is wound round and round between transparent muslin, diminishing in size, in a somewhat earlier dated design, and, finally, a long sleeve in softest white net has groups of little frills at intervals to the elbow.

YOUR FINGER NAILS.

Once a Week They Should Be Thoroughly Gone Over.

Once a week a thorough treatment should be given, each nail gone over carefully with file, emery board, orange wood stick and a liquid cuticle softener before the final polishing.

A combination set of implements can be had for a small sum, exclusive of the curved cuticle scissors, which are almost invariably among the possessions of every woman. The set includes a cake of nail enamel for polishing the nails, a dozen emery boards, two orange wood sticks, a flexible nail file and a nail clipper.

The natural shade of the finger nail differs slightly in individual cases, according to health or natural peculiarity. In some cases it is yellowish in tone and cannot be brought to the beautiful pink and white finish so much to be desired. In the latter instance a good bleach may be necessary. This is indeed invaluable in care of the hands, since it removes hang nails, dead cuticle, and discolorations of all sorts. It also gives the nails transparency and renders them capable of higher polish.

PAINLESS TEETHING.

There is no period in baby's life that mothers dread more than teething time. The little gums are tender and inflamed; the child suffers and is sleepless and cross, and the mother is usually worn out caring for the child. The use of Baby's Own Tablets allays the inflammation, softens the tender swollen gums, and brings the teeth through painlessly. Mrs. N. X. Sauve, St. Rose de Lima, Que., says: "When my baby was cutting his teeth he was feverish, cross and did not take nourishment. After giving him Baby's Own Tablets he cut six teeth without the least trouble. I have never used any medicine for children I prize so highly as the Tablets." Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box, from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

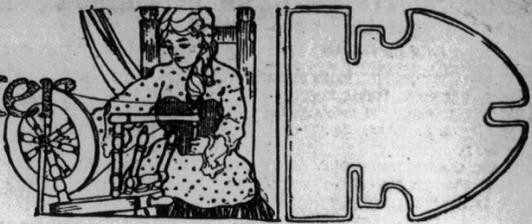
Little Ethel—When the mouse ran up the clock what did the clock do? Little Willie—I suppose the clock ran down. It isn't safe to call a policeman a lobster. He might pinch you.



Separate blouse of lavender to wear with tailor gown of purple cloth. It is effectively trimmed with clumsy insertion.

Broadcloth gown in dark purple, trimmed with black buttons and black silk braid. Hat of black corded silk with large choux of purple violet.

For the Home Dressmaker



Suggestions for Afternoon Frocks for Debutantes

The Proper Way to Use a Pattern

FOR the debutante nothing is really smarter than white, and the white nixon and lingerie frocks are delightful. They are nearly all made in the pinafore fashion. Elaborate and intricate masses of lace and broderie Anglaise, Irish crochet and guipure, all intermingled with wonderful hand tracings, gofferings and stitchings are frequently shown. The simply made pinafore is also frequently worn, and shows to good effect. Never was handwork more to the fore, from the finest lingerie stitching to the more elaborate braidings and embroideries. The real, old-fashioned flower-sprigged muslins, too, are beautiful in their many colors. Some exquisite fluffly creations are in printed chiffons in curious natter-blue, for blue, despite its popularity, still continues good. Delightful, too, are some of the purple muslins. A purple silk muslin, with a little gold and mauve embroidery, is most effective made in pinafore fashion and worn with a hat covered with purple and red clover. Toupe is rapidly coming into fashion again in chiffon and muslin. When blended with pale gray-blue it gives fascinating effects, and to dark girls is eminently becoming. An amazing amount of fine Val lace is used on lingerie frocks of the moment.

Narrow edgings are finely gathered, and then arranged in elaborate scroll patterns, the spaces being filled up with motifs of Ireland or of Venetian guipure. These little scrolls of Val are possessed of an individual charm which must be seen to be appreciated. They are introduced on muslins as fine as Queen Mab's wings, and the skirts are mounted on under-dresses of mousseline or washing chiffon, never directly on silk. China wash silk is also considered eminently suitable for underskirts, for frail lingerie frocks, and every effort is made to keep the whole things as billowy and soft as possible, and to do away with any indication of silk or rustle! For a young girl nothing could be prettier than a mixture of embroidered muslin and Val, the muslin and lace being in the finest qualities. For evening wear the yoke might, with good effect, be made of piece Val and the insertions of embroidered muslin, edged with narrow frills of same lace. Home dressmakers ought to make themselves well acquainted with the possibilities of embroidered insertions edged with Val frills. At comparatively small cost wonderful effect is obtained, and a charming frock can be made up with little trouble. While these narrow frills do not wash well, or easily, they may be dry-cleaned to look like new, and

nowadays the difference between the price of the dry cleaner and the really good laundress is not a serious matter. In the first illustration is given a smart and very simple, easily made frock for a young girl. It is of pink and white voile, with trimmings of plain silk or chiffon, with a heavy bow of pink velvet, very soft, made in a flaring bow. White silk nixon, with allover Val lace yoke and Val edged sleeves, is shown on the second figure. The large hat is in white felt, faced with rhododendron pink and three large choux of soft velvet in white, pink and lavender. The third frock is in white China silk, with trimmings of natter blue velvet ribbons. The buttons are embroidered in white and blue, with touches of gold thread. The yoke is of dotted net. The frock is worn with a large lace hat.



FIRST of all, get the separate parts of the pattern thoroughly fixed in your mind. Observe the clusters of notches which denote how a pattern is to be put together. See that the goods have the right sides folded together, with the grain of the goods running the same way. Cloth should be cut with the nap of the goods running down, velvet up. For plain or striped goods, before cutting arrange the material so that the stripes or plaids match. Pin on the several parts of the pattern to the goods, noting especially if there are any pieces stamped "to lay on the fold" and "to be cut straight," and be sure to follow these directions. Have a piece of sharpened chalk and mark all the edges, notches and perforations. As to seam allowances, when the pattern is stamped 3/8-inch seam allowance, the goods should be cut the exact line of the pattern, and

the sewing line be three eighths of an inch inside. When the pattern is stamped, "no allowance for seams," the goods should be cut large enough to allow for seams, and the edges of the pattern will denote the sewing line. Sewing lines may be marked with chalk if helpful. In fitting, the alterations that are necessary should, so far as possible, be made at the shoulder and under-arm seams. Do not cut darts until garment is fitted and stitched. This assures the retention of the original lines and shape of the pattern. In skirts it is advisable not to cut darts at all; simply press flat. This will allow for alterations at any time. In waists, after the seams are stitched, notch the darts and seam the waistline. To those who are entirely inexperienced in the use of patterns, quite the best method is to cut at least and fit at least two unbleached muslin ones and put them together before attempting the production in the materials to be finally used. This will bring in a practical knowledge of every point necessary to satisfactory and artistic results.

Color Combination.

COLOR combination plays an important part in the matter of proportion. A solid effect increases the height, while a contrasting combination decreases it. The little woman must see that blouse or waist matches in color with the skirt. The tall woman should see to it that she wears a waist and skirt of contrasting colors. A tall woman should break the line of height at her waist-line by wearing a belt of different color than the garment. Or it may match the skirt. The stout woman should wear a belt to match the blouse, as this adds to the length of her waist. If she wears a black belt, it should be deeper in the back and well pinned down in the front.

The New Bags.

THE new leather hand-bags are decidedly flat in appearance. They are all in modish shades, and are wholly novel in shape. All the newest wrist-bags have for a handle merely narrow strips of leather, roomy enough to slip over the arm.

Touches for Evening Frocks

A NOTE of black is considered very smart. It is seen in all the imported models for early fall. A white moire shown was brocaded with pink rosebuds, piped with black velvet, and a pale blue grenadine, which was made over a slip of chintz-figured brocade, with pale blue ground, had ribbon trimmings and a sash of black velvet. There is also a revival of the black velvet neckbands that were so popular and so becoming when in vogue about twenty-five years ago. It is sometimes tied in the back with a smart little bow and sometimes crossed in front and pinned with a quaint, old-fashioned brooch. There is a decided fancy, too, for the relieving of all white frocks by touches of black taffetas. While this detracts from the simplicity of the white frocks it constitutes an air eminently Parisian.

Fetching Fichus.

FICHUS of silk or silk mousseline or chiffon have decided vogue. They are often worn in rather daring colors. But by one who understands the possibilities of color blending, a vivid color in a fichu may be made to relieve a costume of neutral tone.

Jewelry Cycles

JEWELRY, like furs, seems to run in cycles. When a piece goes out of fashion, instead of having it altered to suit the fad of the moment, it may be laid away, and is pretty sure to come in style again within the generation. Look at the broad, gold enamel bracelet that was worn some fifteen years ago. The girl who possesses a pair of them which have been handed down by her mother is an object of real envy at present. Watches have been globular of late, but now they are worn as flat as possible, and hang, locket-fashion, on a short, slender chain. Many fashionably attired women are wearing the long, old-fashioned earrings, which are once more becoming popular, especially with English and Spanish women. To confine the tops of long gloves, there is a flexible bracelet in the shape of a serpent, which is

Fabrics for Fall Frocks

FOR mannish tailor-mades, hard-finish worsteds are the favorite materials. They are medium in weight, their wearing qualities are above reproach, and they come in the most fascinating arrays of stripes, small broken and unbroken checks, plaids and plain colors. Serge and cheviot will also be much worn. Cloth plaids promise to be less a remoted fashion and more a fact this fall and winter than for many seasons. Dark blue serge tailor-mades will be exceedingly good for early fall wear. Touches of plaid or orange will often be employed in their trimming. The old-fashion crepon is just beginning to show itself in Paris, and satin surface silks, failles and bengalines will all be fashionable. At present it seems as if nothing could disturb the vogue for taffetas. Many warp-printed silks will be used as foundations for silk voiles and veiling costumes. The vogue for velvet will be more pronounced than ever, and much silky panne velvet will be used. Marquissette and crepe de chine will be frequently made up in combination with velvet for calling and

theater costumes, the velvet being introduced at the border, showing some novel form. Dress cords and corduroy will be extremely fashionable for two-piece skirt-and-coat suits. Tweeds, serges and chevots are among the best and the smartest materials for schoolgirl suits. The new tweeds are shown in a variety of colors in checks and stripes, the latter being most preferred. These materials may be secure at a reasonable price, and are nearly all rainproof. There is a new process employed in making them rainproof which has proved most satisfactory. The rage for Shantung and tussor shows no sign of abating, and these fabrics are being dyed in the most wonderful shades of raspberry, Copenhagen blue, myrtle green and old gold. They are equally fashionable in their natural colors.

Sleeves Will be Larger.

THAT larger sleeves will be worn is the edict from the fashion centers. The long mitten-like and the be ruffled wristed sleeves promise to be among the season's smartest models.



Fashion's Fancies

AMONG the novelties in hat trimmings are arum lilies in white velvet, with skeleton leaves of white net veined with silk. Vulture and casuar plumes, with sweeping Amazone or pleurause in ostrich falling below the shoulder, promise to be much worn. Trimming under the arms of the coat and gowns is a conspicuous feature of the fall gowns. This is expressed in various designs, but always with a view to increasing, never decreasing, the effects of slenderness and supple lines. Satin brocades will be popular, especially for trimming and vests. Some have large pompadour flowers and others are overlaid with black. It is rumored that this winter we will see the present fashion of braces still in evidence, but carried out in fur; that striped Shantung silks will be much worn in the autumn, and that tassels will run rampant over all kinds of garments. As the new styles come in each season there are a few of them which with some slight modifications may be used by the elderly woman. Her choice, therefore, of style, fabric and color is a large one and in no way restricted. The ubiquitous tailor suit is indisputably the favorite costume, and nothing is so unflattering in the demands made upon it. Dainty little handkerchiefs to match the tailored costumes worn are now being carried by the French women. There are new arrangements of checks and stripes, and the delicate shades make the handkerchiefs quite expensive. Where there is a colored border, the initial is on a solid ground of white. A charming evening frock of creamy chiffon had large woven satin dots, and a deep border of great pink and yellow roses in pale shades. This was worn over a shell pink supple taffeta slip, which was veiled by the same shade of chiffon. The embroidery laces are interesting worked in colors to match the ground and combination of several colors. The Oriental and Persian effects are sought. The soutache lace resembles sou-

tache braiding applied to net ground, yet, in many ways, it is much more attractive. Filet laces are shown in widely diversified effects. There is filet in colors, with gold and aluminum grounds, and filet antique, and so on indefinitely. The dyed laces will be greatly used. A gown of silk for an afternoon costume is always in good style for the elderly woman. Faille louisine, moire and the soft taffetas are among the best to choose from.

SCHOOLGIRLS' Separate Coats. SEPARATE coats of heavy tweed will be much worn by schoolgirls this season. They are made in three-quarter length, semi-fitting or tight-fitting back, double or single breasted. The younger girl will, of course, wear the box coat, or one with a semi-fitting back and front. These coats are lined with farmer's satin—sateen with the new silk finish—mercerized cambric, Italian cloth, or a material, half silk and cotton, which is called silk serge. The silk or satin-finished materials will be found to wear much more satisfactorily for linings than taffetas or satin. Braid is used a great deal in the trimming of these separate coats.

HATS Do Not Match Frocks. IT IS distinctly the thing to wear a hat which does not match the frock. Though in the case of a costume with a contrasting coat, the hat usually echoes the coat color. Strong and vivid colors, such as equestre, sapphire or peacock blue, emerald green or pansy, are often chosen with frocks of neutral shade.

MULL TIES have become one of the dominating features of the season in neckwear lines. It is seldom that any article receives such universal approval in its first season. All widths are in demand, but the greater favor is shown to those about two inches wide.

New Colors.

KHAKI is a favorite shade. Green, particularly the vivid emerald green, is much used. Green and black combinations are much seen. Copenhagen blue is the blue par excellence. Various shades of red in fruit shades are excellent. Smoke and mole gray are to be more fashionable this season than ever.

Care of Neckwear.

LACE ties should be washed with great care. Do not rub or wring the lace, but rather dip in and out with occasional pressure of the hands. Milk will prepare the lace for a better finish after ironing than just the plain sprinkling of water ordinarily used. The lace should always be ironed on the wrong side.

Sewing Rug.

LAY a square of oilcloth under the machine when sewing. A large square of crash or denim would also do very well. Endeavor to have all the threads and trash fall on these rugs, and then all the litter can be removed in a few minutes. This is especially convenient where the sewing is done in the living rooms.

Buttons.

BUTTONS are placed on gowns in every conceivable shape. Many are cabochon shape, made of soutache, braided round and round like tiny beehives. The newest button is called the mushroom, and stands up about an inch in height, like veritable miniature mushrooms. These buttons are made of moulds covered with fancy braids.

Renovating Notes

AN OLD silk blouse from last season could be made attractive by using chiffon or lace to cover it. Use the old blouse for the foundation, and cover it entirely with chiffon or veiling, which should be put on with considerable fullness, or even better, accordion pleated. Chiffon is not the fragile, perishable stuff many people think it to be. On the contrary, when of good quality, it wears very well indeed. Lace collars, fichus and berthas are wonderful possibilities in the way of changing the character of dress into something dainty and becoming for the evening. Prepare a table large enough to hold the entire width of the goods. Lay the dress goods on the table wrong side up. Take a cloth, free from lint, dip in water, wring out tightly, for the cloth must not be wet, just damp. Cover the dress goods with this cloth and press with a hot iron.

Remember, press, but do not iron. Keep the goods smooth by allowing them to drop back over the table upon something. After it has all been gone over, hang it up so that the steam may dry off before folding. This is an excellent method to press old goods before making up. Most silks are ruined when re-dyed. Light silk might better be turned and dyed, veiled with some thin material. Black silk, sponged with strong black tea and some ammonia comes out wonderfully well if they are rolled when damp, very smoothly and very tightly, upon a smooth, round stick. Have the last edge kept in place by a flat, wide tape wound round, and in this manner stand to dry. Do not iron the silk. If greasy in spots and otherwise clean, sponge all over with chloroform and hang in the air to dry.

Home Dressmaker Problems Solved

IN CUTTING out, so some tailors say, it is better to cut with the nap up, instead of down. This method, it is said, prevents rubbed spots, the material retaining its bloom for a much longer period.

When cutting out patterns mark all perforations carefully, and baste with the utmost care, using a fine thread and taking a long stitch on the wrong side and a short one on the right.

In making a skirt placket cut the underlap double, about one and one-half inches wide when finished, and allow the underlap to extend one and a half inches below the placket opening, then join underlap to seam. When stitching be careful that the skirt seam does not pucker. After this turn the remainder of the lap over the seam neatly to the seam on

the inside. The opposite side should be faced the same width as the lap-over side.

The hooks and eyes should be sewed in place with a space of one and a half inches apart, with hooks on right side, eyes on the opposite side.

The trouble with the necks of most blouses is caused by two mistakes of most frequent occurrence. The space between the shoulder seams in the back is too narrow. This causes a hump.

The neck should be divided into three equal parts, back and two fronts.

Shoulder seams should always be straight at the neckband, any alteration being made toward back or front at armholes.

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Saturday, October 5.—There was a meagre market this morning, and the fruit farmers got a bump. Peaches were forced as low as a dollar a basket, and the bottom very nearly fell out of the price of grapes, they sold as low as 15¢ a basket. Pears were a little cheaper, and other fruit was all plentiful. Meat was selling well, and the prices were not too high.

Poultry and Dairy Products.

Butter, per lb.	0 15 to 0 25
Cheese, per lb.	0 12 to 0 18
Eggs, per dozen	0 25 to 0 35
Chickens, pair	0 10 to 0 15
Turkeys	0 15 to 0 20
Ducks, per pair	0 50 to 0 75

Fruits.

Pears, basket	0 20 to 0 30
Apples, basket	0 15 to 0 20
Oranges, basket	0 30 to 0 40
Peaches, basket	0 10 to 0 15
Elderberries, steamed, quart.	0 10 to 0 15

Vegetables.

Watercress, bush	0 05 to 0 10
Celery, per dozen	0 15 to 0 20
Potatoes, bush	0 05 to 0 10
Yarropa, white, dozen	0 20 to 0 30
Cabbage, dozen	0 10 to 0 15
Onions, large, basket	0 40 to 0 50
Do., picking, basket	0 10 to 0 15
Cucumbers, basket	0 20 to 0 30
Pickling cucumbers, basket	0 15 to 0 20
Radishes, bush	0 05 to 0 10
Parley, bush	0 05 to 0 10
Spinach, bush	0 05 to 0 10
Beans, basket	0 20 to 0 30
Do., each	0 05 to 0 10
Corn, dozen	0 10 to 0 15
Tomatoes, basket	0 15 to 0 20
Winter melons	0 10 to 0 15
Watermelons, each	0 10 to 0 15
Mushrooms, quart	0 10 to 0 15

Meats.

Beef, No. 1, cwt.	6 00 to 6 50
Beef, No. 2, cwt.	5 00 to 5 50
Pork, per cwt.	8 75 to 8 85
Live hogs, per cwt.	6 35 to 6 50
Veal, per cwt.	7 00 to 7 50
Mutton, per cwt.	7 00 to 7 50
Yearling, lb.	0 08 to 0 10
Lamb	0 10 to 0 12

Fish.

Salmon trout, lb.	1 25 to 1 50
Smoked salmon, lb.	0 15 to 0 20
Lake Ontario herring, dozen	0 10 to 0 15
White fish, per lb.	0 15 to 0 20
Cloves, dozen	0 40 to 0 50
Pickeral, lb.	0 05 to 0 10

The Hide Market.

Wool, pound, washed	0 24 to 0 30
Wool, pound, unwashed	0 20 to 0 25
Patle	0 05 to 0 10
Calf skins, No. 2, each	1 00 to 1 25
Sheep skins, each	0 75 to 1 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	2 15 to 2 30
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	0 45 to 0 50
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	0 35 to 0 40
Hides, unselected	0 05 to 0 10

Grain Market.

Barley, per bushel	0 45 to 0 50
Wheat, white, bush	0 90 to 0 95
Do., red, bush	0 85 to 0 90
Oats, bush	0 35 to 0 40
Peas, bush	0 15 to 0 20
Eye, bushel	0 10 to 0 15
Buckwheat	0 25 to 0 30

Hay and Wood.

Straw, per ton	8 00 to 11 00
Hay, per ton	10 00 to 12 00
Wood, cord	7 00 to 8 00

Cheese Markets.

Listowel, Oct. 4.—At the cheese fair held here to-day 12 factories boarded 2,336 boxes of cheese, 150 boxes colored. No business done on board; afterwards 12 1/2¢ was offered, but no sales are reported; cable, colored, 62¢, white, 61¢. Next fair Friday, Oct. 18.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

Receipts of grain to-day were small, the wet morning interfering. Wheat is unchanged, 100 bushels of fall selling at \$1.10. Barley firm, 100 bushels at 70¢. Oats also firm, with 100 bushels selling at 68¢ a bushel.

Hay in small supply, there being only a dozen loads, which sold at \$21 a ton. Straw is nominal at \$15.50 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged at \$8.50 to \$8.75 for light, and at \$8.25 for heavy.

Wheat, new bush 1 00 0 00

Do, red, bush 0 95 0 00

Do, spring, bush 0 95 0 00

Do, goose, bush 0 92 0 00

Oats, bush 0 37 0 58

Barley, bush 0 69 0 70

Peas, bush 0 85 0 70

Hay, ton 20 00 21 00

Straw, per ton 15 50 0 00

Seeds:

Alaska, No. 1, bush 8 25 8 50

Do, No. 2, bush 7 40 7 75

Dressed hogs 8 25 8 75

Eggs, per dozen 0 25 0 27

Butter, dairy 0 25 0 28

Do, creamery 0 25 0 30

Cheese, dressed, lb. 0 09 0 11

Chickens, lb. 0 10 0 12

Ducks, dressed, lb. 0 12 0 10

Turkeys, per lb. 0 17 0 20

Apples, per bbl. 1 25 2 25

Onions, bag 1 25 1 35

Potatoes, bag 0 75 0 90

Cabbage, dozen 0 40 0 50

Beef, hindquarters 8 50 10 00

COBALT NOTES

Howell Hinds of Cleveland, President of the Cobalt Central Mines Company, who recently made an exhaustive study of the Cobalt mining district of Canada, is authority for the statement that the mining engineers as yet have but scratched the surface of the real values of this rich silver mining territory.

The operating of the Coniagis contractor is proving a source of interest to many in the camp, and parties are visiting the mine daily to see it working. It has a capacity of 100 tons a day, and the main building is 50 by 100 feet.

The strike which was made on the McKinley-Darragh property last week at the 150-foot level, is said to be one of the richest in the camp. The report is that there is actually three inches of solid silver lying between two cobalt veins.

Word has been received from Fairview of the finding of a big seam of well mineralized quartz, 51 feet from the cross-cut at the 300-foot level of the new shaft of the Stenwinder Gold and Coal Mining Company, Limited.

Several mining men who have arrived at New Liskard from Larder Lake confirm the reports of the great discoveries made on the Highland Mary claims, which are situated near the northeast arm of the lake, and specimens containing much free gold are shown, and one sample exhibited had visible free gold over its surface that would assay many dollars to the ton.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the City Cobalt Mining Company was held to-day. The City of Cobalt is in a good condition financially, and the company expect to be able to declare a good dividend shortly.

The shareholders present were highly pleased with the recent strike made on their property.

STOCKS GOING UP.

The Directors of the Helion Electric Company, Limited, held their first regular meeting at the office of the company, 200 St. George Street, Toronto, on Thursday last, when satisfaction at the progress being made was expressed on every side.

A very enticing offer to buy out the present shareholders and their rights, made through a representative of prominent Hamilton and Toronto financial men, was laid before the board, but was laid over for further consideration, as it was decidedly the general feeling that the prospects of the present company were far too good to be sold out except at a very fancy figure.

During the meeting, at which a very exuberant spirit was manifested throughout, one of the directors with the utmost enthusiasm exclaimed, "Helion stock is going up."

MASTER BOOMERS.

Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman Speaks on Canadian Methods.

London, Oct. 4.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, speaking to-night at Peebles referred to the important function which such comparatively small towns discharged in the community by keeping the people who work at the great industries within reach of the fresh air and the blue skies. "Our kipsmen in Canada," he remarked, "who are past masters in the art of booming their own country, give advantages to industrial leaders of different kinds, and actually tempt them, and even almost drive them, into the country districts, in order that the mixture of events which I have referred may be secured."

SENTENCE SET ASIDE.

Court of Appeal Annuls Ten-Year Term of Edwards.

Winnipeg, Oct. 4.—In the Court of Appeal this morning a unanimous order was made setting aside the ten years' sentence passed by Police Magistrate Daly on September 27th upon Edwards, the fraudulent banker.

Mr. Justice Richards presided, with Mr. Justice Perdue and Mr. Justice Phlippen. George A. Stewart Potts and R. A. Bonnar appeared for the prisoner, and George Patterson for the Crown. The prisoner was brought into court, and inquiry will be made by the court before a sentence is passed. The latter will be further dealt with by the court on Monday.

WOULD NOT CLIMB STEEPLE.

Painters on Guelph Church Laid Down Brushes.

Guelph, Oct. 4.—"We are not going to risk our necks for 25¢ an hour," was the announcement made by the three painters employed at St. George's Church when they were ordered to climb the steeple to put on a fresh coat of paint. A sordid dispute followed, during which the paint brush artists demanded more pay, but the master of ceremonies was obdurate, and the three men jumped the job, preferring to walk the streets rather than turn steeplejacks.

Socialist Candidate.

Berlin, Oct. 4.—At a meeting of the Socialists of this vicinity in Berlin on Wednesday evening it was unanimously decided to put a candidate in the field for the Dominion elections.

Mr. Heikiah Martin will be the candidate, and a series of meetings are being arranged throughout the riding.

The man who tries to tinker with his own watch doesn't always improve his time.

Highland Mary

is meeting with great favor with investors—More than 250,000 shares sold first eight days of sale, and applications increasing daily.

A GOOD INVESTMENT, NOT A GAMBLE.

Forty-nine men out of every fifty who make a practice of buying and selling speculative stocks lose their money. The man who watches the stock market quotations from day to day, and buys when he thinks they are going to advance, and sells when he thinks they are about to go down, is simply gambling with his money. He may win once in a while, but will oftener lose, and eventually become penniless, with no established or settled income.

Don't gamble. Don't try to get rich in a day. If you would create an income that would be permanent, so that some day you may take life easier, be an investor. Invest your money, do not gamble it away. Place your money in something good, that is sure to bring you an income. The shares of the Highland Mary Gold Mines of Larder Lake are this kind of an investment. It is an investment that will bring you an income. Buy the shares now at 10¢ per share, before the big advance that is sure to take place. Buy the shares now, and keep them, and don't think of parting with them. Some day they will be worth many times what you can buy them for now, and that day is not so very far away. Its worth value will not be fictitious either, but will be based upon actual earning and dividends therefrom. We firmly believe that the dividends on each and every share of the Highland Mary will within one year equal or exceed

10 CENTS PER SHARE

the price it can be bought for to-day. We firmly believe that within five years the yearly dividends on Highland Mary will equal or exceed \$1.00 per share.

This is the kind of an investment we feel justified in advising our friends and clients to invest their money in. The Highland Mary properties have been thoroughly examined and tested by our engineers and assayers. We feel that through our extreme caution in this respect the element of chance, that usually enters into mining propositions, has been practically eliminated. The Larder Lake gold fields are proving the greatest the world has ever known. This is being demonstrated from day to day to a certainty.

We want to induce our friends and clients to make a good, profitable investment, one that will bring them an income for the balance of their lives; an income that will amount to something, that will do some good; an income that will each year exceed the total amount of the investment; an income that will be your good friend in time of need; an income that will stand by you through sickness and adversity. An investment of this kind are the shares of the Highland Mary Gold Mines, now selling at 10¢ per share. We feel certain that an investment in these shares can be relied upon to do all this, and it will do it just as soon as the stamp mills can be established and the mine placed in proper working order. Some may be impressed with the idea that the shares of Highland Mary are a gamble or a speculation, but we say to all who think this, in all seriousness, that it is not. We say that it is a legitimate, honest and safe investment. A better, safer or more profitable one was never offered. It is no more of a gamble or speculation than the new dry goods store or shoe store to be established by a good business man, or the new bank to be established by tried financiers. You probably will ask, How is this? We say to you, a business man or financier will look the ground over, make calculations and figure out almost to a certainty whether the new business or bank to be established will pay. We say, further, that Law & Co., Limited, use this same caution in their business. We have looked over the ground. We know the mining business thoroughly, and we can see no possible chance of loss in the shares of the Highland Mary.

We are in a position to look ahead with some degree of certainty and figure it out. We are not making miscalculations. There is no more element of chance in purchasing the shares of the Highland Mary than there is in any legitimate business undertaking.

From our reports and examinations we figure out that there are thousands and thousands of tons of ore available for the stamp mills, and that when these thousands of tons have been milled there will have been developed many thousands of tons more. We figure that no stockholder of the Highland Mary will live long enough to see the ore exhausted.

There has never been a gold mine that did not have to make a start. It had to have a beginning. The greatest gold mines of the world had to take out the first shovel of dirt, or fire the first blast, and those who made the largest percentage of money and obtained the largest incomes were those who went in at the beginning, bought shares at the first issue price, put them away and kept them. Highland Mary is just starting; it is going to be a great mine; investors are going to get rich from shares of this Company.

The property consists of thirty gold claims of forty acres each, amounting to 1,200 acres. There are many veins and thousands of tons of ore available for treatment. Those who buy Highland Mary shares now at 10 cents and keep them will never regret it. They will secure

A NEVER-FAILING INCOME

The ore veins at Larder Lake assay all the way from \$5.00 to \$20,000 to the ton of ore—the most marvelous results known of any mining camp in the world. We figure out that the ore will run \$50.00 to the ton right through, but, for an example as to future earnings, and to figure safely, we will say that the ore will average \$25.00 to the ton. Now, the capacity of a five-stamp mill is about fifteen tons of ore per day, but for safe figuring we will place it at ten tons per day. Ten tons of ore at \$25.00 per ton per day will amount to \$250.00 per day. It will cost to operate a five-stamp mill, including cost of mining the ore, about \$25.00 per day, which will leave at least \$225.00 per day profit for each five-stamp mill installed. One mill alone for one month, 26 working days, will make a profit of \$5,840, or a trifle over \$70,000 for one year. Ten of these mills of the capacity of five stamps will be installed at the earliest possible moment. Ten mills of this capacity when in operation will produce a profit for the company of from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000 per annum, but the number of mills will eventually be more than ten.

The great Treadwell mines at Juneau, Alaska, now have more than 3,000 stamps in operation. Their ore averages only \$2.00 per ton, yet it is one of the most profitable gold mines in the world. They started at one time just as the Highland Mary is starting now. They have grown, and the stockholders have grown rich. Ore can be mined and milled at Larder Lake as cheaply as at Juneau. The ore at Larder Lake averages twenty times the value per ton, and there is more of it to mine than at Juneau. These are facts that should be remembered. Highland Mary will make stockholders rich. Buy now before the big advance that will soon take place. Buy to keep; buy for investment.

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PRICES ARE FALLING.

London Economist Sees Evidence of Downward Movement.

London, Oct. 4.—In a leading article this morning the Economist will state that a distinct downward movement in the prices of commodities is in progress. "Little doubt can be entertained," runs the article, "that the fall is mainly due to a slackening in the activity of trade, since it has manifested itself principally in the quotations for raw materials used in the staple industries. Possibly the enormous fall in copper has been accentuated by American manipulation, and in other cases there have been contributory causes. Of course, the excessive rise that has taken place in many directions, particularly in coal, has operated to check the demand, and

the decline is by no means an unmixed evil. It should help to regulate the ebb in the industrial tide, and so mitigate any disturbances that may attend the pause in the manufacturing industry."

The Statist also considers that trade both in the United States and Germany has received a check, but believes that it will not be carried very far, and it will not last very long. The chief reason on which this opinion is based is that there has been no wild craze, and no undue sinking of capital in unproductive enterprises.

A grand liberal demonstration was held at Athens yesterday. The speakers were Rev. Mr. Chisholm, of Elgin; Mr. Cummings, of Lynn; Hon. George P. Graham, Hon. A. G. MacKay and Mr. Lewis.

A GIGANTIC STRIKE.

Twelve Thousand Laborers Will Go Out at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 4.—The Dock and Cotton Council of New Orleans, whose membership is made up of all classes of laborers employed in connection with the shipping of the port, numbering about 12,000 men, voted this afternoon for a general strike. They demand an increase in wages.

SKULL WAS CRUSHED.

Mr. Joseph Taman, Run Over, Dies From His Injuries at Godrich.

Godrich, Oct. 4.—Near Smith's Hill a few days ago Joseph Taman suffered injuries from which he died last night. He was driving to town with a load

of wood when, through the wagon striking a large stone, he was thrown to the ground and the front wheel passed over his head, severely crushing his skull. Medical attention was promptly summoned, and everything possible done to relieve his sufferings. He was brought to the Alexandra Marine Hospital here, where the surgeons found it necessary to remove considerable bone from the head. Although he rallied for a few days, death ensued last night.

Killed by Street Car in States.

Corwall, Oct. 4.—William Page, son-in-law of Mrs. E. Dixon, of this town, met his death as the result of an accident at New London, Conn. He was knocked down and run over by a street car. The remains were brought to Corwall for interment.

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desiring to know the truth regarding any investment they have made or are about to make in any Canadian mining company should write to the Inquiry Department of The Canadian Mining News and they will receive without charge prompt and reliable information as to the value of the property and the mining operations.

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Thorough Draining First Principle of Good Roads.

Mr. A. W. Campbell, Deputy Minister of Public Works Deals With This Subject.

(By A. W. Campbell, Ontario Commissioner of Highways.)

Good roads are of more importance to the development of any country than is commonly attributed to them. A vague impression prevails that railways have superseded them, and that, so far as industrial, commercial and social progress is concerned, the condition of the common road is of little consequence. A more indefensible position could not be taken. Railways mean, above all, further development, and that development demands the improvement of country roads as feeders to the railway, and for communication with the adjacent country. Every nation that has achieved supremacy has been a builder of good roads. Good roads are not merely an index of, but a means towards, national greatness.

Since the days when Rome built the Appian way, and those other great highways over which the commerce of her colonies passed, the art of road-making has been materially changed. These old roads were—and many of them still remain—masses of rock and masonry several feet in thickness. The necessity of this great depth of material has been done away with by the very simple discovery—yet one which is still but tardily accepted—that the natural soil, if kept dry by drainage, will support any load. As contrasted with ancient methods, the keynote of modern road-making is drainage, both surface and deep drainage.

A good country road has two well-defined features. These are:

(1) The foundation of natural soil over which the road passes, and which must be kept strong enough by drainage to support not only the weight of vehicles, but the road covering as well.

(2) The surface covering of broken stone or gravel, which resists wear, and distributes the concentrated wheel load over a greater area of sub-soil.

If one of these is of more importance than the other, it is the former—the natural or sub-soil—and it is the one the proper treatment of which is most frequently neglected. The right way to make a good gravel or broken stone road is to first make of the natural soil on which the gravel or stone is to be laid the best earth road that the soil is capable of producing.

This is a matter of drainage and grading, and, if possible, rolling. The grading and drainage are largely the same thing, and have to be considered together. That is, the grading should be such as to give good surface drainage.

The first step that naturally presents itself in opening an entirely new road, or to throw up in the centre of the road allowance a smooth and level wagon track. This work is most cheaply and effectively done with a grading machine. In throwing up this grade the excavation of earth at the sides forms the open drains.

The completed earth grade should, for the average country road, have:

(1) A circular rise or camber of about two inches to the foot from the bottom of the side drains to the centre of the road. This "crown" will carry water from the roadway to the side drains.

(2) A slope following the axis of the road should be such that the open drains at the side will have a constant fall to a free outlet. That is, the side drains should carry water away—not hold it in pockets and depressions. Drains which hold water instead of carrying it away are as useless in draining roads as they would be in draining farm land.

Almost any soil, when kept dry, is strong enough to support the traffic of loaded vehicles. Good drainage is the only means of keeping the soil of a road dry, and consequently strong. If the open drains are not sufficient then deep tile drainage can be adopted.

The effect of deep drainage is that, whereas the raised grade and the open drains beside it may keep the natural soil dry for a foot or so in depth, the tile will greatly increase this thickness of dry soil, which will give proportionate strength of foundation.

The round shape of the roadway is particularly important. It sheds water quickly to the side drains. Whereas, if flat or hollow in the centre, the rain falling on the road does not run off, and is held on the surface to soften it and turn it into mud.

The soils found in the sub-grade may be described in three general classes:

1, clay; 2, sand or gravel; 3, sandy loam.

(1) Clay, as found in the sub-grade, is variable in quality. It may be a pure blue clay, or it may have sand mixed with it in different proportions. With blue clay, the ground water must be removed as far as possible if stable results are to be secured. In addition to the open surface drains, one or two deep tile drains should be laid along the roadside underneath the open drains and leading to free outlets. It is customary to place one tile drain on an uphill side, and one on each side in a cut or on a level grade.

If the clay contains a considerable proportion of coarse sand, it drains more freely than does pure blue clay, and one tile drain along the roadway will do all that two can do, if placed at sufficient depth. If, on the other hand, the sand is fine-grained, it may be in greater need of deep drainage than if it were blue clay, becoming when wet almost a fluid in consistency.

(2) Sand or gravel sub-soils may demand little or no tile drainage to produce a reasonably strong foundation. The drains may be omitted at the time of construction, but can be put at points where the condition of the road under traffic indicates that the "water line" should be lowered.

(3) A sandy loam is a soil which is often difficult to treat. As a rule, in addition to good surface drainage, a tile drain at one side will be of benefit, particularly in drying out the road quickly in the spring, when it is most subject to injury under traffic.

The perfect drainage of the earth sub-soil in this way by means of a crowned roadway, open drains and deep tile drains, will do all that can be done to make a good earth road, and thus to provide a firm, dry sub-soil on which to lay the gravel or broken stone. If the stone is newly thrown up, however, a roller should be used to compact it, before spreading the road metal.

On clay soil a standard thickness of consolidated road metal is six inches, on sandy loam, the thickness should ordinarily be greater, particularly at any points where the soil is noticeably weak. On a sand or gravel sub-grade the thickness of road metal (broken stone) may be reduced to four inches. On low ground, between hills, or on a flat road, a greater thickness of road metal is required than on a slope or on the top of a knoll.

Having made a good earth road, and over this having spread gravel or broken stone, the next point is to see that the metal is compacted into a closely-knit layer, loose gravel or stone on a road is an abomination. A roller should be used to consolidate the metal in order that it may perform its office of making the smooth, hard surface for traffic, which will distribute over the subsoil the concentrated wheel loads and which will form a waterproof coating that will shed water quickly to the open drains at the side of the road. If a roller cannot be procured, the wheel tracks made in the loose metal should be raked full from time to time, until they are thoroughly consolidated by traffic, and flush with the rest of the road.

The materials commonly used for the surface of country roads are gravel and broken stone. Broken (or crushed) stone is, as a rule, much the better of the two. Roughly estimated, for average quantities of each, six inches of as well a foot of gravel. Gravel is a natural broken stone, but is rounded stone broken into a durable a roadbed

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CANADIAN SANCTUM NOTES INDICATING CURRENT THOUGHT.

What is Socialism?

(Toronto News.) It is good or bad, religious or atheistic, national or international, according as the controversial exigencies may require, or as its various exponents may argue. One thing, however, it is not, and one thing it will not do. It does not recognize monarchies and will not take off his hat to the King, while to smite "God Save the King" is to blaspheme its high priests.

The Master Key.

(Catholic Register.) To the employers Cardinal Gibbons says, in part: "There would be less ground for complaint against employers if they kept in view the golden rule: 'Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.'"

Not in Vainglorious Stage, Anyway.

(Windsor Record.) The dominant note at the meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association last week was the actual recognition of poverty as a manufacturing institution. There is no sign of this deep-at-the-heelness heretofore.

Humbly!

(London Free Press.) The west has grown faster than has her railways. It is less grain and so much money, then the frosts have been in the nature of a disguised blessing.

Some Tory Organs Deny It.

(Vancouver Saturday Sunset.) Canada, as a whole, has smarted from loss and burned with humiliation as a result of the Ashburton, the Alvestones and others for its share of the profits of the last six months, and the estimate is that in a little while the payments will amount to \$1,000,000. It will be a better result than could possibly accrue from the roads being operated by the local political machine.

Beats Public Ownership.

(Stratford Beacon.) Under the new franchise arrangement made as a substitute for municipal ownership of the street railways, Chicago received \$25,000 for its share of the profits of the last six months, and the estimate is that in a little while the payments will amount to \$1,000,000. It will be a better result than could possibly accrue from the roads being operated by the local political machine.

Who Held Sir Hibbert?

(Montreal Herald.) A whole week has passed and still Sir Hibbert has not taken off his coat and fought. Can it be that Mr. Borden requested him to keep his coat on?

A Monstrous Evil.

(London Advertiser.) Two-thirds of the whole area of England is held by 10,217 persons, and two-thirds of the whole area of Scotland by 280 persons. Half Scotland is held by 70 persons, who own over nine million acres equal in area to the whole Kingdom of Denmark. One-sixth of Scotland is under deer forests, which are increasing at an enormous rate. The Highland and Islands Commission found that 1,700,000 acres set apart as deer preserves were suitable for small farming.

The Warning Voice.

(N. Y. Journal of Commerce.) The advice of Mr. M. E. Ingalls to the bankers at Atlantic City to give no encouragement to their customers who wish to enlarge their plants, and his remark that "all the extensions should wait until the capital of the country seeking permanent investments could be used," was eminently sound, and we doubt not that most of the bankers who heard him have already used their influence in the same conservative direction. What not only this country, but the commercial world has been suffering from of late is the excessive transformation of floating into fixed capital, as the economists call it. Both here and in England this process has in previous years been carried to the extent of causing wide-spread disaster. The English panic of 1847 was due almost entirely, and the panic of 1856 and 1857 to the great measure, to excessive investments in railways.

The Treaty-making Power.

(Montreal Herald.) Mr. Fielding and Mr. Brodeur have just made a treaty with France, without having to fight for the right to do so, as Sir Charles Tupper had to when he negotiated an earlier treaty; yet the British Foreign Office maintains an untrifling front, and the British navy is just where it was before. And things will be just the same after Canada has done a lot more negotiating. The long and short of the matter is that Great Britain does not value the continuance of the colonies within the Empire for the privilege it affords her of negotiating an earlier treaty; yet the British Foreign Office maintains an untrifling front, and the British navy is just where it was before. And things will be just the same after Canada has done a lot more negotiating. 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THE LABOR WORLD

Winnipeg civil servants have organized and ask an increase of wages.

The railroads of Denver, Col., have granted an increase of one cent an hour in the wages of yardmen.

The total immigration to the United States during the last fiscal year was 1,285,394; for the previous year, 1,100,000.

The building trades of San Francisco, Cal., are discussing a proposition to settle upon a scale of wages for three years.

Unable to obtain men enough for the harvest fields, Marinette county (Wis.) farmers have hired women in their places.

The American Federation of Labor now comprises 119 National and international unions and has 2,500,000 members.

More than 500,000 men and women are injured or killed in the industries annually in the United States, or one person every minute.

On the last day of the year, ended June 30, 1906, the Transval gold mines employed 17,959 whites, 90,882 blacks and 62,332 Chinese coolies.

The next annual convention of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees will be held in New Orleans, La., October 7th.

Co-operation among wage earners is spreading rapidly in Switzerland. In 1901 six consumers' co-operative societies were founded; to-day there are 100 societies.

The International Glove Workers' Association has voted to increase its per capita tax 25 per cent. The purpose of the increase is to organize unions in the smaller cities.

The Wage Earners' Capital Alliance, a banking institution for wage earners exclusively, with a capital of \$10,000,000 and a branch office in Chicago, Ill., has been incorporated in Oklahoma.

A big strike of miners has taken place in several of the Rand, South Africa, mines in consequence of the companies attempting to compel the men to work three machines instead of two.

More than 25 new laws in the interest of the wage earners of New York and their children were passed by the Legislature and approved by Governor Hughes during the session of 1907.

The first labor journal published in Alaska appeared at Nome last month, and is entitled the Nome Industrial Worker. It is a four-page weekly, representing the Western Federation of Miners.

In the course of a recent address the Rev. Jenkin Lloyd, of Chicago, Ill., declared that the United States stands next to Russia in the matter of "transforming children into wage earners and slaves."

The recent national convention of the Metal Polishers, Buffers, Platers, Brass Molders and Brass Silver Workers' Union held at Chicago, Ill., voted a 20 per cent. increase in wages.

The societies not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor have a membership of about 500,000, making the membership of all the labor unions in the United States about 3,000,000.

During 1907, 41 of the 64 unions affiliated to the general federation of German trades unions at Berlin paid unemployed benefits. The amount granted to members out of work varied with the union.

The highest accident death rate among industrial workers in Great Britain is among seamen (.53 per 10,000) and the death rate of seamen in sailing vessels is three times as great as even this ratio.

A campaign for the organization of saleswomen is about starting. The International Association of Retail Clerks is responsible for the movement, and is now preparing to launch the organization in Chicago, Ill.

The total number of members of the International Typographical Union is as follows: Typographical Union, 42,488; German American, 924; mailers, 1,059; newspaper writers, 43. Total altogether, 44,514.

Boston, Mass., Church Organ Workers' Union has received the international permission to continue its strike for sixteen more weeks.

The rule of the piano, organ and musical instrument workers' union

is that after a strike has been on for 16 weeks its continuance depends upon a referendum approval. That has been granted the Boston union.

Organized labor is in the lead as regards improved conditions in Richmond, Va. The unorganized workers work twelve and fifteen hours a day, while the union men are, as a rule, on an eight-hour basis.

The third annual report of the International Trade Union Federation shows that in countries of Europe, the total membership of trade unions in 1906 was 4,414,389, out of whom 259,544 were females.

The members of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers of America now exceed the 70,000 mark. During the first six months of the present year ninety-seven new unions were organized.

An effort is being made in the East to begin July 1 the ten-hour day by affecting cotton mills of South Carolina went into partial effect, for a sixty-two hour schedule a week was adopted January 1; next the sixty-four schedule a week will be adopted.

Prussia has a police corps of women. Its duty is to take care of drunken men, and usually the members work in pairs. Sometimes, when a conveyance is not available, the women literally carry their patient to a place of safety.

The Glass Bottle Blowers' Association has membership of 13,000 and is now approaching the 100,000 mark. There has been no strike for fifteen years, and that body is now one of the strongest labor organizations in the world.

The scale for book and job printers at Vancouver, B.C., has been increased, and from August 1 the weekly wage is \$24 for 48 hours. The old rate was \$22. The union experienced no difficulty in securing the advance in wages from the employing printers.

Agitation against the tipping system has begun by the Hotel Employees' Association. A business agent of the union says that the practice of tipping has grown to such proportions during the past few years that wage scales in a large number of cases are not considered all when an applicant seeks work, the employer telling him what the place is worth in tips and regulating his wages accordingly.

The secretary of the South African Typographical Union, has written all printers against emigrating to the Transval, where at present there is a great deal of unrest in the trade. A movement for a 15 per cent. annual reduction in the printing trade is in progress, and an effort is being made to prevent the employers from reducing the scale. The recognized rate varied from \$15 per week at Cape town to \$25 at Pretoria.

Some of the other day. "The direct reason for this heavy increase is recognition of the concessions which union labor has obtained from the forces controlling our industrial development. Arbitration is constantly gaining ground in the minds of the laboring classes as the most satisfactory method of settling differences between employer and employee. The desire for temperate and sane adjustment of discussions is due to the tremendous strides the workman has made by reading and study."

Women telegraph operators in Copenhagen, Denmark, employed by the government, following the example of the American telegraphers, struck recently to enforce demand for higher salaries and treatment equal to the men. The demands were granted by the government, provided the women's work should be equal to the male operators, in case of emergency, they called on the work of the men. The women agreed, and several have since been doing high wire work, repairing broken telegraph wires.

The fight of the Jewelry and Silverware Casemakers, at New York City, which began on May 1, of this year, appears to be nearing its end. In the case the employers demanded that the employees should withdraw from the union. This proposition was declined, so the trouble has since been called a strike by the employers and a lockout by the employees. The advancement in position to know, will have a tendency to withdraw opposition to the union by the employers and thus restore harmonious relations.

Colorado, always coming to the front with something new, sometimes startling—in the labor field, now proposes the organization of a State Building Trades Council. Building trades councils covering a city or the cities and towns in a compact area of certain limits are quite common, and some years ago a national building trades council was organized, though it was not very successful. But Colorado unionists are the first to try to draw all the building trades unions into an organization which will direct the affairs of the many trades employed in that industry.

Henry Fisher, president of the tobacco workers' union whose headquarters is in Louisville, Ky., has had the central labor body of that city adopt a resolution which if it becomes effective generally would render strikes against public utilities impossible. It provides for arbitration of all disputes between public utilities companies and employees and makes it compulsory when not voluntarily agreed upon by the parties in the controversy, conveying rights and privileges to individuals or corporations wishing to operate public utilities. President Fisher believes that the plan if adopted will work no hardship to the unions involved, and will protect the conveniences of the public.

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A Socialist Debate.

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A somewhat sensational incident occurred at a Socialist meeting in Malton market place on Saturday, which ended in the discomfiture of one of the organizers of the Independent Labor party by a Scarborough lawman. It was a debate on the issue of a series of articles for the propagation of the Independent Labor movement in the York district.

Mr. F. Hick, of Ruskin House, was the principal speaker. After a strong speech in support of Socialism from this gentleman, an old Socialist, who was present, rose to the aid of the platform, and urged them to pester the workingman. You are introducing atheism into our midst. Socialism is another name for atheism. I say, and I can prove it, it is the founding of atheism. There is no man who ever stood on a platform, and spoke publicly and sensibly—who can introduce that system into our midst without appealing to our common sense and reason. It is an attempt to strike at our God, our King, and our country.

This downright utterance seems to have displeased the gentleman from Oxford, who could find nothing better to report than the remark that here was a woman "canning" about her country when the only part she had in it was a plant pot in her window. Thus the honor of the movement remained with the fishwoman, who, content with the impression she had made, excused herself from continuing the discussion by the necessity she was under of attending to her business: "I have a bit of stuff to sell, or I am the last that could talk to you."—Tablet.

SOME OPINIONS.

There is nothing in the Bible, says a minister of accommodating nature, against marrying people while roller skating. No, no, against doing while standing on the head.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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TRUTH BETTER THAN FICTION.

Thos. Alexander Told Fib and Got Six Months.

J. J. Smith Will Likely Go to California.

Case of Boys Who Threw at Train Settled.

Thomas Alexander, a Scotchman, got a good taste of Canadian justice this morning, when he was sent down for begging, for a term of six months. He was arrested by Constable W. McLean for holding up people on the street for money, last night. Several witnesses swore to the fact. Alexander, when sworn, stated that he wished to deny all the accusations made against him. He denied, when asked by the Chief, that he had ever been up before for begging. Sergt. Finch was on the spot, however, and when Alexander made this statement he asked to be sworn. He swore that he was in court about a year ago when a conviction on a similar charge was registered against the prisoner.

"It would have paid you better to tell the truth," said His Worship, as he committed the prisoner to Central Prison. John Warren, 147 Mary street, was accused of trespass on the property of T. J. Holland. He pleaded guilty and asked for a chance. As he appeared to be verging on the D. T., he was remanded for three days and will probably be allowed to go on Tuesday, as he wants to go away to where no booze is sold.

The case of John J. Smith, charged with theft, was on the list this morning. Through J. L. Counsel he pleaded not guilty and elected to be tried by the Magistrate. It was shown that the charge of stealing the coat was brought as a means to get the young man to keep away from his mother's home. The Magistrate did not pronounce him guilty, but remanded him till Tuesday, to see if a satisfactory arrangement can be made. It is likely the defendant will go to California.

Martha Powell, Florence street, was allowed to go to the Sunrise Court, after sobering up in the cells. The following were fined \$2 each: Ed. Pettit, Park and Mulberry; Ben Campbell, Flamboro' Hotel, and Ed. Richardson, no address. The three boys who were caught throwing stones at the H. & B. trains at Vinemount, last week were to have come up to-day, but the case was settled out of court, the parties getting together and coming to a satisfactory arrangement.

Allan Nicholson, contractor on the B. & H., was sued by Thomas Stevens for \$20 wages. The case was dismissed, as it was shown the defendant had accepted a cheque for the work he had actually done and had made no stipulation when accepting it as to money for his month's notice. S. D. Biggar appeared for the complainant and William Bell for the defendant.

TO HOLD BANQUET

In Connection With Methodist Missionary Campaign.

The first meeting of the Hamilton Methodist Ministers' Association for the season of 1907-8 was held yesterday afternoon in the board room of Centenary Church. Besides the Ministers a number of the prominent laymen were present. The meeting was largely devoted to a discussion of the programme for the missionary campaign to be held in January, extending over the last three Sundays of the month. It was decided to hold a Methodist missionary banquet some time during the first week of the campaign.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The opening meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary for this season will be held on Monday next at 3.30 o'clock. All old members of the Auxiliary are expected to be present, and any ladies who would like to help with the good work the Auxiliary is engaged in will be cordially welcomed at this meeting.

Young Men's Bible class at 3 o'clock, and the men's meeting at 4.15, will be in charge of J. A. Kneale. All men cordially invited. The Business Men's class will open on Monday next at 5 o'clock. Old members and new ones will be cordially welcomed. Junior rally at 4.15. Every boy in the city over twelve years of age is invited. Presentation of certificates to the boys who passed the recent International Bible examinations. Mr. E. M. Robinson, International Boys' Secretary, will address the gathering. He is the boys' friend, and every boy in Hamilton should make an effort to hear him. Make it a point to be present.

Y. M. C. A. MEMBERSHIP.

For students, clerks, mechanics, business and professional men, is now open, and offers advantages unexcelled in the country. The fee is merely nominal, in comparison with the privileges offered, and prospective members should join at once and get in with the opening classes. See special physical department, announcement. Call at the office or telephone 1,575.

Greatest Sale Hamilton Has Ever Known.

Just a few hours more to purchase goods at odd sale prices. No goods will be delivered to-night if purchased after 8 o'clock, but they will go out on the first delivery in the morning. See last night's papers for the big list of bargains. Men's top shirts 19, 49, 99c; men's undershirts 19, 49, 99c; men's and women's umbrellas, 49, 99c; ladies' vests and drawers 19, 49c; curtain ends 19c; floor oilcloth 19c; ladies' felt shoes and ready-to-wear hats 49c and 99c; men's and women's handkerchiefs four for 19c; lace 19c dozen; plain and fancy ribbons 19c; nickel alarm clocks 49c; automobile veils 19c. All the above mentioned articles at half and less than half price. Put in your supply of groceries for a month. You make a big saving.

Over 70 per cent. of the natives of India till the land; hence the population is scattered, and their power of co-operation is greatly lessened. The output of all the vineyards of the world is estimated to be 3,554,416,000 gallons.

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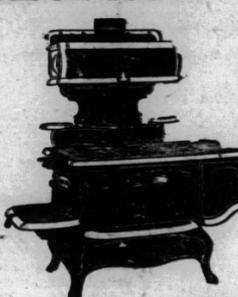


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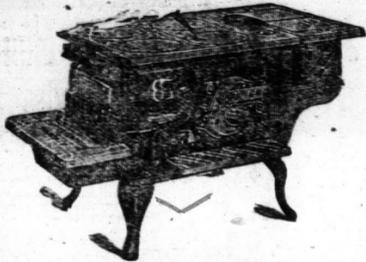


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Wiring of Dundas Fire Alarm System So Characterised.

Inquest on Death of Samuel Sutton Resumed

And Dundas Manager of Cataract Company Examined.

Dundas, Oct. 5.—The enquiry into the cause of the death of Samuel Sutton was resumed at the Town Hall last evening before Coroner Dr. McGregor.

Crown Attorney Washington was not present, but was represented by Town Solicitor Gwyn. Mr. Ross, of Hamilton, was present in the interest of the Cataract Power Co., and W. E. S. Knowles in the interests of the deceased's family. Alex. Farquharson, local manager for the Cataract Power Co., was the only witness, his evidence in chief and cross-examinations lasting over two hours. On reaching the scene of the accident, he said, he found the company's wire on the pavement. The current had been turned off before he got there. The wire carried 2,000 volts, feeding two street lighting transformers. He saw the end of a fire alarm wire hanging in front of Wilson's house just above reaching distance. Climbing a pole to the south, his head came in contact with another wire, which caused it to slip, so he tied the end around the pole to keep it from falling. While doing so he heard a piece of wire fall to the ground. He then got a lantern and found the piece. Matters were left in this shape, by order of Mayor Moss, until daylight. He made arrangements to meet Chief Twiss at 6 o'clock next morning. In the morning Chief Twiss ordered Frank Nelson to climb the pole. Witness went across the street to notify Van Mere, an experienced lineman in the company's employ, to be on hand. While doing this Chief Twiss, he said, attempted to destroy all evidence at the pole top by ordering Nelson to remove all fire alarm wires from the company's pole. Witness ordered this not to be done, and a shouting match between the chief and witness resulted. The result was that Nelson left things as they were. The fire alarm wire was thrown off the pole and the stretch removed by Nelson under orders from Fire Chief Knowles. The power was put on again at 7 o'clock. The stretch was put up between 12 and 1 a.m. Witness could not tell the life of an insulated wire. It would be, barring accidents, as good at the end of ten years as when first put up. The broken wire would safely carry 10,000 volts. He considered the company's wire that broke was in good condition. Asked as to his theory of the cause of wire breaking, witness stated that a gale had loosened the knob of the fire alarm wire from the pole. This wire had a stretch of 200 feet from Main to Halt street. The rain on Friday had soaked the insulation of the company's wire, and the fire alarm wire crossing the company's wire under these conditions had formed a short circuit between the company's wire and caused the breakage. The fire wires are four or five feet above the Cataract's wires. He considered it extremely dangerous to have the fire wires above the electric wires.

KEEN INTEREST.

In Montreal in the Game With Argos To-Day.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—The keen interest in being shown in football circles in this afternoon's match between the Argos and Montrealers, and arrangements are being made to accommodate the record crowd which is expected to turn out to witness the match. It is not expected that Captain Jimmie Craig will play. This being the case, the Montreal's back division will have to be made over. The sentiment of the Executive favors "Buzz" Baillie for the position. This would make the back division Stinson, full; Baillie, centre half; Russell, left half; Small, right half, and Hammy Gordon, quarter.

The scrimmage will contain Percival Roberts and Bennie Lesser for sure, and the third man will be either Loirne McAllen or Fegg Lornie, who was out of the game last season.

There are nineteen American colleges with an enrollment of more than 3,000 students each.

CLEVER ARTIST.

Young Italian's Work at N. Y. Art Students League.

New York, Oct. 5.—Antonio Barone, an Italian youth of 19 years, is now a student at the Art Students' League, and is turning out work in portraiture which is gaining him the commendation of such masters as Kenyon Cox and Wm. McHugh. Yet about a year ago Barone was soldering tin cans in a factory at Leroy, N. Y., and his chances of being a painter were remote. Miss Ida C. Leroy, who had studied art in this city, heard from some friends that an Italian hand in the factory, who could hardly speak English was making such good portraits of his fellow workmen that they were the talk of the place. She sent for him, looked at his sketches, and made arrangements with his employers by which he could have more time for drawing. Last autumn he entered the Art Students' League and by the end of the year he had won a scholarship.

OBITUARY

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Kitchen took place this afternoon at 3.30, from her late residence, 186 Hughson street north, and was very largely attended. Rev. F. W. Hollinrake conducted the services and the pall-bearers were Wm. Booth, W. Waugh, A. Bartlett, M. Purlong, F. Bowerman and T. Bennett. The floral tributes were beautiful and numerous.

The funeral of John Webb took place this afternoon from his late residence, Garth street above Aberdeen, and was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were personal friends of the deceased. Rev. Mr. McLoughlin conducted the services.

Money in Toronto.

Toronto Saturday Night: The local money market is not favorable at this time to bull activity in the stock market, neither is it favorable to new enterprises demanding large banking accommodation. Nevertheless, the general financial situation is stronger than it was three months ago. The conservatism on the part of lenders during the early summer months has, as it were, saved the situation, and conditions have improved in consequence. The squeezing out of water in the capitalization of various concerns and the liquidation of trade accounts which were tinted with suspicion, have been helpful to the country at large, and strengthened the intrinsic value of investment securities. The tendency toward a trade reaction is felt in some quarters, and there is but little doubt but that it will extend further. However, there are no signs of it in the general movement. The foreign trade of Canada has increased the past few months, and the domestic trade, which is reflected in the traffic movement of our railways, shows no signs of decadence.

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Caretaker Hunting Has Plan to Facilitate the Work Not Balanced.

Only One Case of Typhoid Fever Reported This Week.

An insurance adjuster from Toronto had a look over the sandusker yesterday afternoon, and the city expects to have the matter settled up by next week so that the work of repairing the damage can be gone on with.

Publicity Commissioner John T. Hall, of Medicine Hat, gave an address on "Assessment Laws" at the meeting of the Union of Alberta Municipalities at Medicine Hat.

A good many complaints are heard about the way the City Hall clock is lighted at nights. It is a frequent occurrence for the tower to be in total darkness.

The health report for the week shows two cases of scarlet fever and one each of typhoid and diphtheria.

The Grand Trunk has begun putting in the switch across Barton street.

So that there may be no mistake in the future like the one made in the grade of Herkimer street, Mayor Stewart will ask the council to pass a resolution to the effect that no grade of any street on which there is a car track shall be changed until ordered by the City Council.

Building permits were issued this morning to J. A. Stuart for a brick house on Locomotive street for Henry Morris, to cost \$2,100, and to J. B. Ridge for an addition to 180 King William street, to cost \$200.

The Board of Health says Markets Committee meet on Monday night.

W. C. A. NOTES.

W. C. A. gymnasium classes this week with a good attendance. The evening shirt waist class, as in the past, has been one of the popular classes. Miss Duffield has charge of the work again this year.

Other classes will open next week, and plans are being laid to make every department of the work as attractive for the young women as is possible with the present very inadequate equipment.

A sewing circle has been formed among the young ladies in the home to make fancy articles for the October bazaar. The home is now, as always, full to overflowing, and this fall again there is the same demand daily for boarding house accommodation, and more difficulty in finding places to which to direct young women coming to the city as strangers.

HAMILTON LEGAL CASES.

The following cases were heard at Toronto yesterday: Re Clark—W. M. McClemt (Hamilton), moved for order for continuation of allowance for maintenance of infant, Harcourt for infant. Order granted. Davis vs. James Dickson (Hamilton), moved for order for administration. No one contra. Order granted. Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway Co. vs. Simpson Brick Co.—H. W. Mickle, for defendants, moved for order postponing trial on ground of absence of necessary and material witness. C. J. Holman, K. C., for plaintiffs, contra. On a motion. Trial postponed until next sitting. Costs in cause unless otherwise ordered at trial.

A QUIET MONTH, TOO.

Real estate transfers for last month, by T. J. Baine's agency, corner King and Walnut streets, were as follows: 280 King William street. 35, 37, 39 West avenue north. 326 Wellington street north. 109-173 Jackson street east. 30 Shaw street. 354 Cannon street east. Lorne and Central avenues. Totalting \$20,050.

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Steamship Arrivals.

October 4—Pannoch—At Liverpool, from St. John. Southwick—At Father Point, from Liverpool. La Province—At New York, from Havre. Olympic—At Boston, from Liverpool. Arabie—At Queenstown, from New York. Sylvia—At Liverpool, from Boston. British Isles—At Liverpool, from New York. Legia—At Genoa, from New York. Potemkin—At Cape Race, from Rotterdam. Vireo—At Montreal, from Montreal. New York, Oct. 5—Arrived, St. Louis, from New York.

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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.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP. Mr. Robt. Harkness will leave for Europe on Monday. The Creation chorus will practice on Monday evening in the Conservatory of Music Hall.

MARRIAGES. WEBBER-GREEN—On Thursday, Oct. 3, 1907, at the manse, Burlington, by the Rev. D. Anderson, Frederick C. Webber to Emma Green. Both of this city.

DEATHS. YOUNG—On Friday, October 4th, at his late residence "Oak Bank," Burlington, Ont., 25 Midland Street, his 77th year. Funeral Sunday afternoon, at 3.30, to St. Luke's Church, Burlington.

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Auction Sale. Monday, October 7th, at 10.30 a. m., at the Residence of Mrs. M. J. Johnston, No. 140 Bold Street. The costly furnishings, comprising hand-some parlor suite in silk, mirror set, fine carpets, large rug, fancy tables, rockers, easy chairs, etc.

THE WEATHER. FORECASTS—Fresh westerly winds; fair. Sunday, fresh westerly winds; fine weather. The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries:

Judicial Sale of Farm in the Township of Binbrook. PURSUANT to an order of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of the late James Gillies Ptolemy, the partition of the late James Ptolemy and others vs. Charles Ptolemy and others, there will be offered for sale with the approval of His Honor, the Master of the Court, the property at Hamilton, by Thomas Burrows, auctioneer, at his auction rooms, No. 11 Rebecca street, in the City of Hamilton, at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, the 2nd day of November, 1907.

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TIGER WEEK—BENNETT'S THEATRE. October 7th to 12th. Reserve tickets in advance. On sale at King east—H. Teeter's, W. Howell, Fred. Mills, E. R. Newberry, Fred. S. Street, Waldorf Hotel, Stanley Mills & Co., John Nelson, James North and Barton—Begg & Shannon, Gardner & Thompson, J. P. Hennessy & Bro., G. stores, H. E. Hawkins (4 stores), A. Zimmerman (2 stores), James south and west—A. E. Drewery, B. Griffin, C. J. Cunningham, W. Harty's, J. Brigger, W. Appleghat (2 stores), J. H. Hovey and all officers of the club. Kindly patronize the above places as we do not get credit for other tickets sold.

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JOINT MEETING. I. O. O. F. The members of Unity and Crescent Lodges, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present in I. O. O. F. Hall, John street north, on Monday evening, October 7, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of discussing plans for remodeling hall. W. R. WEBB, P. G., Chairman; Trustee Board. W. AMOR, P. G., Secretary; Trustee Board.

Y. M. C. A. Card. Bible class at 3 p. m., and Men's Meeting at 4.15, in charge of J. A. Kneale. All men invited.

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Hospital Fair, Welland, October 8th, 9th and 10th. \$1.15. For the Round Trip. Going p. m. trains Oct. 7th, all trains Oct. 8th, 9th and 10th, good for return and including Oct. 11th.

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