

—Permits were taken out to-day for Knox Church repairs, to cost \$3 500, and Tambling & Jones, a two story double brick residence on Waterloo street.



## Amusements and Lectures

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**TUCUMSEH BICYCLE TRACK**—GRAND opening, Saturday, Aug. 17. Opening ceremonies at 8 p.m. sharp by his Worship Mayor Little, city council, and prominent citizens. First-class programme of races, city championships in classes A and B. Special music. Admission 50c, children 10c.

**CIVIC HOLIDAY**—L. B. C. EXCURSION to Sarnia, last special train service. A long day at Sarnia and Port Huron on the river. Return special leaves Sarnia 10 p.m. Tickets good for two days.

**SARNIA TO DETROIT AND RETURN**—Monday, 19th Aug. Boat leaves Sarnia 7:30 a.m., arrives 8:45 p.m. three hours in Detroit and a delightful sail on the river. Tickets 50 cents, good for return by morning or evening boat on 20th.

**LONDON TO CLEVELAND** and return via steamer "L. B. C." on Monday, 19th Aug. Leaving London Aug. 17, returning from Cleveland Monday night, 20th days in Cleveland.

**HERE'S YOUR CHANCE**—ORDER MAGNOLIA excursion to Toronto, via Grand Trunk, Aug. 19 and 20.

**SEE ONE OF THE SEVEN WONDERS** of the world by taking Foresters' excursion to Niagara Falls, city holiday, via Grand Trunk Railway, Fare 50c, 10c for children.

**PIONIC TO WONDERLAND**—THE CANADIAN Order Woodmen of the World will hold their annual picnic at this popular resort on Wednesday, Aug. 18. Every one should attend. Gates open at 10 a.m. 1:30 p.m. for dancing. Boat leaves at 10 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 4:30, 7:30 and 9:45 p.m. Tickets, 50c. Children, 10c. J. H. SACSENE, Chairman, 100 King St. W. Clerk, 100 King St. W.

**LONDON BICYCLE CLUB EXCURSION** to Sarnia on Friday, Aug. 18. Tickets only 50c; good for two days.

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE**—OPENING OF the season, Tuesday, Aug. 19. The largest and best force comedy before the public. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats on sale Tuesday.

**STEAMER THAMES**—ON and AFTER Aug. 11, will leave the city at 1:30 and 3:10 p.m.

**FOR ENGLAND**—FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond, Ont., represents the magnificent royal mail steamers of the Allan Line, via Montreal, and the American line via New York. Call and get information and rates.

**PALACE DANCING ACADEMY**—The recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Fall term will open on September 1st. DAYTON & McNICOLL, members of N. A. M. of D. Academy, 478 Richmond street, residence, 241 Oxford street.

**FOREST CITY BOAT HOUSE**—FOOT DUNDAS street; pleasure boats of all kinds. Telephone, 724. WHIT LANCASTER, Prop.

## Meetings

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**ST. JOHN'S LODGE**, No. 20, A. F. AND A. M. G. R. O.—A regular communication of above lodge will be held this evening, at 7:30, in Masonic Temple. Visitors welcome. A. SWAYZE, W.M.; M. D. DAWSON, Secretary.

## Domestics Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

**WANTED**—FIRST-CLASS DINING-ROOM girl. Ontario House. 60c.

**PERSON OF MIDDLE AGE** PREFERRED to undertake domestic duties; no children. Inquire HICKS & SON, 223 Dundas street.

**WANTED**—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant in small family. Apply 232 King street.

**WANTED**—GENERAL SERVANT—Must be a good cook, references required. Apply at once, Mrs. C. C. Wood, 151 Maple street.

**GIRL**—Wanted for CITY and OUT. Cooks, housemaids, parlour maids, general servants. On hand, housekeepers to suit all; also first-class dining-room girls. DRYDEN & McNICOLL, 231 Richmond street. Phone 1121.

**at OSBORNE'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICE**, 50 Dundas street.

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(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

**WANTED**—A REAL GOOD SALESWOMAN for millinery department in warehouse. Apply personally, JOHN C. GUNN & Co. 60c.

**WANTED**—HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE to study book-keeping and shorthand in London Shorthand School. Positions guaranteed.

## Articles For Sale.

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**NEW LUMBER WAGONS** FOR SALE at a bargain, 154 Fullarton street, adjoining Western Hotel. Buggies repainted equal to new. W.M. CATER.

**FOR SALE**—A BARGAIN—FAMILY poor, quiet and sound; also cart, outer harness, etc. Apply F. PLANT, 638 Dufferin avenue.

**13-FOOT HUNTING BOAT** FOR SALE cheap. Apply 43 Cartwright street.

**WANTED**—ONCE—YOUNG GIRL to assist in housework. Apply Mrs. JOHN GRAHAM, 610 Waterloo street.

**ONE 13-FOOT TURTLE BACK SHOOTING** boat and one small catboat. London boat works, L. CARY.

**FOR SALE**—BLICKENDECKER TYPEWRITER—New; cost \$45. Will sell at a good reduction. Apply this office.

**LUMBER**—WHOLESALE ONLY—CAR or cargo lot of Spic's extra British Columbia red cedar shingles; pine and Ontario cedar shingles; pine, hemlock, hardwood, cedar, lumber, posts, etc. D. Farnsworth, Mant. Agent, London, Ont.

**THREE OFFICE DESKS** in good order, walnut and oak. Will be sold at a reasonable price. W. A. RAIN, 357 Talbot street.

## Board and Lodging.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

**BOARD WANTED** BY TWO GENTLEMEN with private family, must be central and respectable. Address M. G. C. this office.

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**LIVE MEN WANTED** TO CANVASS for "The Work of Mr. Gladstone" by J. Castall Hopkins. Introduction by the Hon. W. Ross, LL.D., the scholarly Minister of Education, the thrilling narrative of the wonderful career of Mr. Gladstone. Profusely illustrated with portraits of great men of the century, with many of Mr. Gladstone, starting when six years old, published by his publishers. A big book, nearly 2 inches thick, 8 inches wide, 10 inches high, sent on request \$1.00, which we return with order for twelve books. Price \$1.00 to \$2.00 a week according to ability. BRADLEY, GARNETT & Co., Brantford, Canada. 686c ywt 41c.

**WANTED**—AGENTS TO SOLICIT BUSINESS for the Home Life Association of Canada. Good remuneration. Good remuneration. Apply to W. BUTLER, Superintendent, No. 5 Masonic Temple.

## Lost and Found.

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**LOST**—ON KING STREET—BETWEEN Matland and Wellington, memorial gold ring; name engraved on inside. Found and returned by person at this office.

**LOST**—BETWEEN WESTMINSTER bridge and Bruce street, on Worley road, grey striped shawl. Finder leave at Advertiser's office.

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**WANTED**—TWO HUNDRED LABORERS for Canadian Pacific Railway. Wages \$1.15 to \$1.25. Last shipment on Thursday, 15th. All parties wishing to go will have to apply by Wednesday evening to C. P. R. ticket office, London.

**AGENTS WANTED**—\$20 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 282 Dundas street.

## Houses, Etc., To Let.

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**TO LET**—BRICK HOUSE—SEVEN ROOMS—49 King; immediate possession. Apply next house west.

**TO LET**—SEVEN ROOM BRICK COTTAGE, convenient. 312 Oxford street. 70c.

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**ELECTROTHERMO BATHS** ARE THE most sure and reliable mode of treatment for chronic diseases, especially those of a nervous order. People from all parts come to take them and are cured. 320 Dundas street. J. G. WILSON, electrotherapist.

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—OUR RETURNS ARE SURE!—  
RATES BELOW HEADINGS.

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**STOCKWELL'S STEAM DYE WORKS**—220 Dundas street. Specialists: Outfitry, feathers and garment dyeing and cleaning. Parcels called for and delivered. Telephone 601.

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**PRINTING TYPE, INKS, PRESSES**—Supplies of all kinds; new outfits our specialty. Toronto Type Foundry, 44 Bay street, Toronto, and 230 Portage avenue, Winnipeg.

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**GO TO MRS. WOODLIFF'S**, 236 DUNDAS street, for your cut flowers, lettuce, parsley, celery, all kinds of green groceries and fruit. Phone 519.

**COMMON SENSE**—ONLY RELIABLE exterminator for roaches, bedbugs, rats, mice, etc. All drugs. 67c.

**SHINGLES**—SHINGLES—AWAY DOWN in price, arrived at Port Stanley by boat late; about 50,000 XX and XXX will be closed out at \$1.50 per 1,000; also about 1,500,000 first-class, having sold about 1,500,000 this season at my yard, Pall Mall street, opposite C. P. R. freight sheds, London. J. A. STURTEVANT.

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**CARPENTERING AND JOBBING**—promptly attended to by B. HUTCHINSON, shop 141 Piccadilly street.

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**DRESSING—LAUNDRY**—232 DUNDAS street; orders delivered free and delivered. All work done by hand; satisfaction guaranteed.

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**A MOST COMPLETE NEW BRICK COTTAGE**, 814 Dundas street, bath, furnace grate, electric light, 8 rooms, slate roof; price \$2,500. easy terms.

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Of Embroidery and Insertion, at 1c Yard.

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25c Pair.

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Whiskard's Price 15c Pair.

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Of Fancy Art Crepon Silk, in all the newest shades and patterns, regular price 65c.

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Whiskard's Price 12 1/2c Yard.

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See our Men's Braces, embroidered in silk.

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Black Felt Shopping Bags, embroidered.

Only 25c Each.

Travelers' Lace Curtain Samples,

From 20c Each Up.

200 yard White Cotton Spools,

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Silk Belting, in black, navy blue, cardinal, white, cream and pink,

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Do I love you? I only know  
Your presence fills my heart with  
sweet content;  
That in your absence hours lag so,  
Like childish feet towards the school-  
house bent.

That with your coming life seems  
fraught  
With all the springtime joyousness  
of May,  
Whose gladness leaves this truth un-  
taught—  
Each year holds back a dark Decem-  
ber day.

Dudley Girard.

Once more the stay-at-home club can  
rattle round in empty streets. It is  
slightly lonesome, and it may not be  
polite to say so, but this elbow room  
is rather pleasant!

Du bist wie eine Blume, "if" is an up-  
to-date reading of Heine's famous song.

Uncle Clearwater (noted temperance  
apostle, on a visit to his nephew, look-  
ing out of the parlor window)—What a  
fine building that is across the way!  
Nephew—Yes, yes; but the owner  
built it out of the blood, the aches, and  
groans of his fellow-men; out of the  
grief of crying children and the weep of  
wailing women.

Uncle C.—Ah! rum seller, of course!  
Yes, yes!

Nephew—Oh, no; he's a dentist.

Content has robbed more men of  
greatness than has defeat.

In an article in McClure's on Barnum  
& Bailey's great show, which recently  
visited the city, the writer says that  
in the circus, as on the stage, one in-  
curs the risk of disenchantment in go-  
ing behind the scenes. The queens of  
the ring, seen in their dressing-room  
chewing gum and mending an old gar-  
ment, are not what they are in mid-air.  
And it is a curious fact that women  
born in a circus and trained from child-  
hood in the severest athletic exercise,  
are liable to lose grace of form and car-  
riage, just as other women are, and  
perhaps earlier and more certainly.  
This loss, when it occurs, is not  
always conspicuous before the  
scenes, but it is more than conspicuous  
behind them.

"I hope you will not spend this time  
for rum," said the generous stranger.  
"Rum?" rejoined the grateful recipi-  
ent. "Do you take me for a Yankee  
saler? I am a hawn Kaintuckian,  
sah."—Indianapolis Journal.

The girl of the period welcomes the  
bicycle clasp and plate as a convenient  
novelty for herself, and a pretty gift  
chased silver band with name engraved,  
upon it, to establish ownership when  
many wheels are stacked together, and  
is also another little addition to the  
elegance and style of the outfit.—Table  
Talk.

A fool's folly is never noticed; every-  
body expects it.

Anatomists, to separate the bones of  
a skull, frequently fill it with small  
beans and place the whole in a basin  
of water. The beans swell and slowly  
split the skull. The force which beans  
are capable of exerting under these  
conditions equal to the average pres-  
sure in the boiler of a steam engine.

"Ma, that little baby across the street  
hasn't any teeth."  
"Of course not, Tommy. You didn't  
have any when you were that small."  
"But that baby's pa is a dentist."

The following purports, says the  
New York Observer, to be an exact  
translation of the letter sent by a  
Chinese editor to a would-be contribu-  
tor, whose manuscript he found it nec-  
essary to return: "Illustrious brother  
of the sun and moon—behold thy ser-  
vant prostrate before thy feet. I bow-  
tow to thee and beg of thy graciousness  
thou mayst grant that I may speak  
and live. Thy honored manuscript has  
been delivered to me. With raptures  
we have perused it. By the bones of  
my ancestors, never have I encountered  
such wit, such pathos, such lofty  
thought. With fear and trembling I  
return the writing. Were I to publish  
the treasure you sent me, the emperor  
would order that it should be made the  
standard, and that none be published  
except such as equaled it. Knowing  
literature as I do, and that it would  
be impossible in ten thousand years  
to equal what you have done, I send  
your writing back. Ten thousand times  
I crave your pardon. Behold, my head  
is at your feet. Do what you will—  
Your servant's servant, The Editor.

DAILY HINTS TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.

He who acts right will soon think  
right; he who acts wrong will soon  
think wrong. MacDonald.

BREAKFAST—Boiled rice. Beef  
Sausage. Potato Puff. Graham  
Bread. Stewed Fruit. Coffee.  
DINNER—Baked Fish. Stuffed To-  
matoes. Steamed Potatoes. Let-  
tuce. Summer Squash. Currant  
Jelly. White and Graham Bread.  
Berries. Cake.

SUPPER—Sliced Tongue. Potato  
Cakes. Bread and Butter. Blue-  
berries. Oatmeal Crackers. Tea.

STUFFED TOMATOES.  
Scop out the inside of smooth to-  
matoes, add chopped meat, bread  
crumbs, well seasoned, to the toma-  
toe—onion and parsley if liked—fill  
the skins and bake.  
Sleep is the indispensable rest of  
the brain, during which it recovers  
the substance lost by the wear of  
the day, and gathers up strength.  
Good sleep is the fundamental re-  
quirement for brain health.  
Health Calendar, Copyright, 1895.

A woman with a shabby gown and  
tightened purse strings, may easily be  
consoled if she will step into a large  
shop and see the many devices provided  
for the concealment of a bodice which has  
seen better days.

Has the back at the neck become slight-  
ly soiled, and does benzine refuse to  
wipe out the stains? She may seek com-  
fort in a large sailor collar of embroidered  
grass cloth. Is it the front of the neck  
which is the objectionable feature. She  
may secure a stock collar of some fancy  
color, or a jabot of lace, to be pinned  
with a bright bit of ribbon over the dis-  
colored spot.

Or, perhaps, the gown buttons down  
the front and the button holes have be-  
come ragged.

Ah, for such sufferers there  
are numberless modes of relief. There  
are soft silk blouse fronts, with rows of  
narrow Valenciennes lace running up and  
down. There are stock collars of chiffon,  
with a fall of chiffon, edged with lace to  
conceal the entire front. Or, maybe, the  
blouse front is made of grass cloth with  
a delicate color underneath. These vari-  
ous confessions may be served at very  
reasonable prices—say ranging from fifty  
cents up.

"But" some one is complaining "if I  
can't afford a gown how can I spend  
money on such things?"  
You need not spend money. We have  
all odds and ends of lace and silk and  
bright bits of ribbon, and for deft Ameri-  
can fingers it is the simplest matter in  
the world to stand at a counter for a few  
minutes (while the floorwalker, who  
knows what you are up to, frowns), and  
then hasten home to take of those pieces  
which were hitherto useless, a dainty bit  
of ornament for a gown which is not all  
it might be.

I don't advocate this sort of thing for  
those who can afford to buy. My advice  
is to the great host who envy the fortun-  
ate owners of their bright feathers, until the  
seeds of anarchy are planted in their  
hearts.

SILK WATERPROOF.

There is a material—silk waterproof—  
of which travelling cloaks, and even  
entire costumes are made now, which is  
extremely pretty, light and comfortable,  
but expensive. Several women who have  
gone abroad this summer have had gowns  
made of it, and are very much pleased  
with it. It is quite comfortable  
waterproof, and looks like a thin India  
rubber. The best colors are a changeable  
red and a dark blue with narrow white  
stripes.

Gowns made of it have gored skirts of  
medium width, trimmed with but a thin  
heavily corded ruffle two inches wide.  
These corded ruffles produce the desired  
flares without making the gown uncom-  
fortable and heavy as broadcloth would  
be.  
Dark silk petticoats should be worn  
when travelling. They can now be bought  
for \$5 and \$6, with full bias flounces,  
trimmed with narrow corded ruffles.  
They are made of tulle silk, which does  
not, alas! wear well, but while it does  
wear it is very satisfactory, for it is cool,  
light, and keeps out one's skirts far bet-  
ter than any heavy facing. White petti-  
coats are not to be thought of, but for  
those who have a prejudice against dark  
ones, there are the pongsies, which never  
wear out, and which wash like muslin.  
A pongie skirt, cut well, gored and hung  
well, and trimmed with ruffles, is a  
very nice garment, admirably adapted  
for wear when travelling.

White is a natural prejudice against  
black under clothing, but if it is ever  
desirable it is when taking a long journey.  
White corsets sold so easily, and are  
never just the same after being cleaned,  
and the black ones are vastly more sen-  
sible things to wear when travelling.

The Biarritz gloves, which are without  
buttons, are preferred to the buttoned  
ones, for it is the fashion to wear them  
to rest one's hand against the back of a  
seat and have the stiff rim of a hat inter-  
fere. An English walking hat that comes  
down on the forehead and fits well to  
the head at the back is the very best pat-  
tern of headgear, but it is not always  
becoming, so that individual tastes must  
be consulted. White hats, of course, are  
impossible. Black, dark blue, or brown,  
are the best colors, and trimmings of  
ribbon velvet with stiff wings, in pre-  
ference to feathers or flowers.

In a travelling bag it is well to have  
a flask of brandy, a bottle of salts, a  
brush, comb, and toilet articles, and a  
dressing jacket. The regular fitted bags  
are most delightful things to own, but  
they are so heavy as to necessitate a  
maid's services. A large supply of good  
humor and as little unnecessary baggage  
as possible, with a trim neat gown will  
go a long way toward making a woman  
look well and many a jolly time does she  
have who is always ready to start off at  
a day's notice and does not think it nec-  
essary to attire herself in elaborate and most  
inappropriate travelling costume.

What is believed to be the largest glaci-  
al bowlder in the country is near the lit-  
tle town of Madison, N.H. It is 88 feet  
long, 49 feet high, 46 feet wide, and 235  
feet in circumference. The weight is esti-  
mated at 13,800 tons. Marshall Field, of  
North Woburn, Mass., has spent many  
summers in Madison, and has taken  
much interest in this giant bowlder. He  
has consulted all the authorities on the  
subject, and finds there is only one glaci-  
al bowlder which will come anywhere  
near it in size, and that is in Greenland.

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## SCHOOL BOARD WAYS

Something Like Those of Last Year's City Council.

Members Get Very Warm in a Close  
Room and Use Unparliamentary Lan-  
guage—Hard Fight Over a Teaching  
Appointment.

They had a high old time at last  
night's meeting of the School Board,  
and close watchers could see some in-  
teresting by-plays. The trouble arose  
over the appointment of an assistant  
to Principal Graham of the Simcoe  
street school during the Model School  
term. The trouble may have been  
augmented by the heat of the small  
committee room in which the meeting  
was held (the adjournment was using  
the regular council chamber) and it was  
smoothly when Mr. Blackwell moved  
into the room at 7:30, and as chair-  
man Blackwell had not yet arrived at  
7:40, Trustee Murphy was moved into  
the chair. Matters were running  
smoothly when Mr. Blackwell appeared  
at ten minutes to eight, and the dis-  
cussion of the clause of No. 1 com-  
mittee's report, recommending the ap-  
pointment of W. R. Manning to the  
position of assistant, was entered  
upon.

Mr. Griffin moved, seconded by Mr.  
Anderson, that F. Bryant be appointed  
assistant. The chairman announced that  
Trustee Hunt, who was at Port Stan-  
ley, wanted a voice in the selection,  
and he asked that the matter lay over  
until he could arrive at 8:25. This  
debated and at last voted down. Then  
some of the members insisted on hear-  
ing the testimonials belonging to each  
man read. This occupied another ten  
minutes.

Trustee Martin moved to adjourn, but  
the chairman ruled the motion out as  
there was a motion before the board.  
Trustee Keenleyside moved in  
amendment to the amendment that the  
appointment be deferred until the in-  
spectors could report.

Mr. Stephenson seconded, but the  
amendment was lost.  
The first amendment to appoint Mr.  
Fryant was also lost by a majority of  
one vote.  
The clause appointing Mr. Manning  
was then carried, and all that was  
lacking to complete the appointment  
was the adoption of the report as a  
whole.

At this point Mr. Blackwell asked  
that fifteen minutes be given to hear-  
ing a dictionary agent in order that  
Mr. Hunt might arrive. The Board  
agreed.

At 8:30 Mr. Jeffery said that the time  
was up, and with others insisted upon  
the question being put.  
Mr. Anderson denied that the fifteen  
minutes had elapsed.

"It has," asserted Trustee Jeffery,  
hotly, "and I don't want any lying  
about it."  
"Order, order," shouted the chair-  
man.

"I don't allow anybody to call me a  
liar," said Mr. Anderson, rising and  
speaking above the tumult in the room,  
"and you are no gentleman to do so."  
"Fifteen minutes passed," said Mr.  
Martin.

"The time is up, and I am going,"  
said Mr. Jeffery, as he and sev-  
eral other trustees reached for their  
hats.  
The board was in danger of being  
left without a quorum, and Mr. Black-  
well put the question. Mr. Manning's  
appointment was then confirmed and  
the board adjourned.

## FAMOUS CANADIANS ABROAD.

A correspondent writing from London,  
July 22, says: "Yesterday the argument on  
the prohibitory powers of the Federal and  
Provincial Legislatures opened before the  
Law Lords of the Privy Council. I dropped  
in and had the pleasure of a moment's con-  
versation with Sir Oliver Mowat and Mr.  
Edward Blake, both of whom appear to be  
enjoying remarkably good health. I had  
expected to find a magnificent court room,  
where the glory of even Solomon's temple  
was eclipsed, instead of which I found my-  
self in rather a dingy, ill-lighted room, the  
law lords sitting around a table much after  
the fashion of a municipal council commit-  
tee meeting, listening to the argument. The  
counsel, however, were arrayed in gowns  
and wigs, endeavoring to carry on a con-  
nected argument with one after another of  
the lords interjecting questions, very fre-  
quently, before a sentence could be finished.  
However, it was interesting."

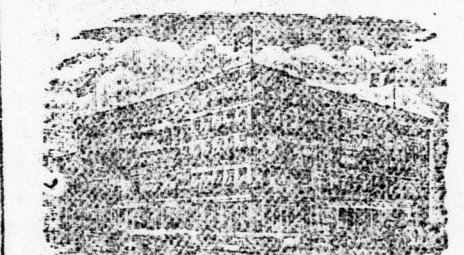
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## A COMING BOON TO CANADA.

One of the best of all gauges for measuring the rise and fall of the world's trade is the production of pig iron. It is the one metal indispensable to a state of high civilization, and a leading characteristic of civilized peoples is trade. If the times are prosperous and commerce is in a healthy condition, the iron furnaces are busy and the demand for iron in the various forms in which it is prepared for use in the arts is large and steady. But on the other hand, if the times are dull and commerce is languishing, mines are closed down or worked with a reduced force, and furnaces are blown out to reduce the output. In the period of depression from which Great Britain and the United States are now emerging, the production of pig iron had fallen off by fully one-third, but now that trade is reviving the output of the mines and furnaces is showing a steady increase.

What is the prospect for increasing the make of iron, and what are the signs of the business times? Here in Canada we have had it dinned into our ears that there has been no trade depression at all, and that the blessed N. P. has singlehandedly kept the wolf from the door. Of course every business man, every farmer, every workman knows that this is not true. The United States they are heavy over Canada from ocean to ocean. When prosperity comes to others, and especially to those two countries with which we are so closely allied in business affairs, its influence will extend to us also, and the only effect of trade restrictions such as we maintain is to delay its coming.

But what is the outlook?

This question is discussed very interestingly by Edward Atkinson, of Boston, in the August number of the Engineering Magazine, and this usually careful writer is sanguine enough to forecast a period of great industrial activity. Mr. Atkinson is no believer in a policy of trade restrictions; neither does he give any countenance to the nostrum of a double standard in coinage, and both these causes, he believes, contributed largely to the unsettlement of trade in 1892-4. Writing of the United States, Mr. Atkinson says:

"This country is the only machine-using nation which produces food, fuel, metals and fibres far in excess of its own wants. If to that advantage is added a difference in the burden of national taxation corresponding to the previous figures" (he had shown that in the United States the tax imposed for all national purposes does not exceed 2 1/2 per cent of the product, while in Great Britain it is more than 6 per cent, and in the Netherlands, France and Germany more than 10 per cent) "there can be no competition on the part of other countries with this country in making any products, except those which depend either upon fashion or fancy for their sale or upon the skill of the handicraft man for their production. These fabrics are relatively unimportant and insignificant in comparison with the great mass of useful goods which the world is calling for in increasing quantity. Capital has accumulated in recent years faster than ever before, especially in this country. Anything that shows a gross profit of 10 per cent would be instantly taken up by capitalists for development. Therefore when useful goods show a profit of 10 per cent free of national taxation, the ratio of our national taxes to that profit is 2 1/2 to 10; in Great Britain at least 6 to 10; in France and Germany 10 to 10. That is to say, our rate of national taxation takes only 2 1/2 parts from gross profit of 10; other things being equal, the British national taxation takes 6 parts from 10; in France and Germany national taxation takes the whole. But other things are not equal, the advantage is with us. Manifestly the capital and the skilled workmen will tend year by year to that section of country in which the highest wages can be earned by converting the greatest abundance of crude products into finished goods under the least burden of national tax-

ation. Yet Great Britain will retain her supremacy in manufactures and commerce if she maintains her standard of unit of value, the pound sterling and we do not maintain our own. When we surely establish the unit of value in this country so as to give confidence in its maintenance and in its integrity, we shall assume our paramount position in the production and distribution of all useful fabrics. Possessing as we do the power to produce food, fuel, fibres and metals in excess of all our wants; enjoying absolute free trade on a continental scale over a large area and among a greater number of people than ever before secured that great advantage, and holding the control and use of practically unlimited supplies of the ores of iron and copper upon which the commercial world must soon rest for its principal supply of these metals—our dominion is established."

These are all important points for consideration, and particularly to us in Canada who have been committing the three-fold folly of piling up a national debt, increasing the rate of taxation for national purposes, and building a Chinese wall to shut out trade with our continent. But as to the coming period of good times, Mr. Atkinson finds the evidence of it in the almost steadily increasing demand for iron and the rapid growth of the production of that metal. In 1856 England's consumption of iron per head was 144 lb., that of the United States 117 lb., of Belgium 70 lb., of France 60 lb., of Germany 50 lb., and the world's total production in that year was 6,000,000 gross tons. In 1859 the estimated consumption per head in the United States was 300 lb., and in Great Britain, France, Germany and Belgium 175 lb., while the total production in all those countries was 22,800,000 tons. Mr. Atkinson estimates the world's production in 1890 at 25,000,000 tons, and on the rate of progress since 1856 he computes the prospective demand of the world in the year 1900 to be 40,000,000 tons. In this large increase he finds the evidence of his forecast for a period of great industrial activity, and out of the total 15,000,000 tons of growth from 25,000,000 in 1890 to 40,000,000 in 1900, he assumes that 7,000,000 tons will fall to the share of the United States, or an aggregate production of 14,000,000 tons.

If these estimates are realized the boon to Canada cannot fail to be very great, in view of the immense iron ore deposits we possess as yet untouched by the hand of man. But much depends on what we may do in the interval. Very much depends on what we shall never before in the history of Canada did so much depend on the adoption of a liberal trade policy and the establishing of closer and friendlier relations with our great neighbor.

## POINTS.

Hamilton still collects market fees from farmers who go to do business in that city. This is a primitive discouragement to trade. London long ago abolished the market fees.

The Farmers' Sun must seek for some other cause of offense against the Bowell Ministry than the holding of a session in January.—London Free Press.

Well, at a pinch, the Sun might gently allude to the Tay Canal, Curran bridge, Cornwall Canal, Langvin Block, Caraqueotte Railway, Connolly-McGreavy works, and a score or two other malodorous affairs.

New York now beats Michigan as a salt producing State. Last year Michigan produced 3,341,425 barrels.

In Germany many of the people are jubiling over victories won from the French 25 years ago. How much gaiety is there for the widows and orphans of the slaughtered ones?

The Dominion Government have plundered the people of so many millions of dollars that they have not the heart to prosecute a customs collector who stole only a few thousands.

The missing Christian Endeavor delegate, Mrs. Gardiner, has been discovered by the Boston Globe and restored to her husband and family. Another proof of the value of the newspaper as a detective agency.

The very latest sea serpent, 40 feet long, is alleged to have been seen in Lake Manitoba. The credulous ones should remember that prohibition has not yet been enforced in the Prairie Province.

Converted Japanese might make good missionaries to the Chinese. At any rate they would be safer than Europeans or Americans. The Chinese evidently hold the Japs in greater respect than they do the subjects of Britain or the United States.

Waterloo county, Ont., is 43 years old, and they never have had a hanging. This condition of affairs the sequel to the recent dreadful crime will change.

## MR. BLAKE'S FUTURE.

Hon. Edward Blake, according to our cable dispatches, is making steady headway in Great Britain, both in his profession and as a member of the British House of Commons.

Our fellow-countryman has in recent months been engaged in some of the most important legal cases coming before the British Privy Council, and we have information from England that if he chooses he can have the advocacy of the cream of the colonial appeals that go before the highest court in the empire. Politically, Mr. Blake also holds a position of prominence, and it is asserted that if he chooses he can have the position of leader of the Irish M.P.s. It is doubtful if he will accept such an onerous post, however. Mr. Blake comes to Canada to visit his relations, and then proceeds to New Zealand on an important legal mission. No Canadian has done more to effectively advertise Canada as a producer of men of ability than has the member for South Longford.

## KEEPS UP WITH THE PROCESSION.

The London "Advertiser" keeps up with the procession. It has long been one of the most progressive journals in Canada, and it bids fair to remain so. The latest development in its management is the introduction of linotype printing machines by means of which the chief part of its matter is set up. This alone would not amount to much in the improvement, were it not that it is in keeping with the general spirit of enterprise and the general evidence of ability which have so long secured for the paper a prominent place.—Toronto Week.

## THE IMPERISHIBLE FOOL.

It is a curious fact that the supply of foolish people never gives out, although they are dying of their folly every day.—Hartford Courant.

## THE ONLY SAFE EXPEDIENT.

The only way one can positively escape drowning is to learn how to swim and then for ever after refrain from going in swimming.—Boston Globe.

## ADVANTAGE OF BEING A NEIGHBOR.

Let it not be forgotten that all Don Dickinson has to do when he wants to board the British lion in his den is to reach across the Detroit River and pull the lion's whiskers.—St. Louis Republic.

## LETTERS TO THE "ADVERTISER."

If you have a grievance to ventilate, information to give, a subject of public interest to discuss, or a service to acknowledge, we will print it in this column, provided the name of the writer is attached to his or her communication for publication. Make it as brief as possible.

## THE HOUR OF CLOSING.

To the Editor of the "Advertiser": I see that the license inspector has expressed "the-fact" observed "that" when the hour was half-past ten. We can agree with him that, that if the saloons were allowed to sell the whole 24 hours, there would be few infractions of the law. Notwithstanding the sharp but shallow saying that people cannot be made good by act of Parliament, most ordinary people will continue to believe that increased opportunities for getting drunk will be followed by increased drinking, and that increased drinking is always followed by an increase of poverty, hunger and crime. It is the old story—history repeating itself. Many will remember some years ago when the hours for closing the bars was eleven o'clock, but the liquor dealers succeeded in convincing the authorities that the law would be better observed if the hours were made twelve, and twelve it was made. You will soon see that the next move will be for twelve o'clock, on the plea that the law would be better observed. Drinking in bars after ten o'clock is surely unnecessary, and citizens had better be warned before it is too late. If they do not govern the saloon, the saloon will govern them, as it does in many other places. If Christian people will continue to encourage the saloon, to work with the saloon and to vote for the saloon candidate, they must expect saloon consequences to follow. H. AINOTT.

## Children Shrink

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There is not a remedial agent in the world that will cure Fever and Ague and all other Malarious Bilious and other fevers, aided by RADWAY'S PILLS, so quickly as RADWAY'S READY RELIEF.

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Will be accomplished by taking Radway's Pills. By their ANTIBILIOUS properties they stimulate the liver in the secretion of the bile and its discharge through the biliary ducts. These Pills in doses of from two to four will quickly regulate the action of the liver and free the patient from these disorders. One or two of Radway's Pills taken daily by those subject to bilious pains and torpidity of the liver keep the system regular and secure healthy digestion.

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Sugar.....Two Pounds  
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Dissolve the sugar and yeast in the water, add the extract, and bottle; put in a warm place for twenty-four hours until it ferments, then place on ice when it will open sparkling and delicious.  
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We come at once to the object of this advertisement which is to inform the public that we have

175-White Quilts-175

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Which we must dispose of in the next few days. They range all the way from 75c to \$4 50. The regular price as usual here is lower than the lowest, but to make them exceedingly interesting we have made substantial reductions throughout. Every one will be found a money saver. Don't neglect to see these goods.

## Special to Mothers!

The holiday season will end with the month, and the boys will require a new outfit for school. For the next two weeks we will sell a splendid serviceable All-Wool Tweed, worth 35c, for 25c per yard. There are only 10 pieces to be sold—remember only 25c.

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Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, and we cannot praise them too highly. First, Hood's Sarsaparilla cured a swelling on my right breast, which was called cancerous tumor. This winter we all had the Grip, but resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills and were soon well again. We all take Hood's Sarsaparilla when Mrs. J. Fallowfield we feel bad or our blood is poor and it always makes us well. Mrs. J. Fallowfield, Brampton, Ontario.

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## BASEBALL.

## TORONTO WINS FROM WILKES-BARRE.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Aug. 12.—The game between Wilkes-Barre and Toronto this afternoon was a see-saw exhibition, which was finally won by the Canadians. Four pitchers were used in the contest, and Gray, who went in at the last for Toronto, did the best work. Brunneman was wild, and was hit hard. Attendance 900.

## EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—MONDAY.

At Springfield..... 11 13 8  
Rochester..... 6 8 6  
Batteries—Chesbro and O'Connor; Stevens and White. Umpire—Joescher.

## At Providence.....

Providence..... 5 11 2  
Syracuse..... 9 14 3  
Batteries—Egan and Delaney; Delaney and Hess. Umpire—Swarlow.

## At Scranton.....

Scranton..... 6 8 2  
Buffalo..... 8 8 0  
Batteries—Morgan and Wadsworth; Wadsworth and Umpire—Hurst.

## At Wilkes-Barre.....

Wilkes-Barre..... 10 12 1  
Toronto..... 11 12 1  
Batteries—Clegg and Diggins; Brunneman and Casey. Umpire—Gaffney.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—MONDAY.

At Boston..... 3 11 8  
Washington..... 3 10 3  
Boston..... 3 10 3  
Batteries—Boyd and Mercer; McGuire; Nichols and Ganzel. Umpire—Burnham.

## At Brooklyn.....

Brooklyn..... 2 8 1  
Philadelphia..... 3 9 1  
Batteries—Taylor and Clements; Kennedy and Grim. Umpire—Keefe. Eleven innings.

## At Baltimore.....

Baltimore..... 2 4 1  
New York..... 3 4 2  
Batteries—Meekin and Farrell; Clarkson and Robinson. Umpire—Kinsie.

## At Cleveland.....

Cleveland..... 4 11 4  
Cleveland..... 5 10 0  
Batteries—Ehrert and Young; Otten; Wilson and Zimmer. Umpire—O'Day.

## At Cincinnati.....

Pittsburg..... 4 9 3  
Cincinnati..... 10 15 1  
Batteries—Hawley and Sugden; Rhines and Vaughn. Umpire—Jerns.

## At Chicago.....

Louisville..... 5 11 5  
Chicago..... 6 9 2  
Batteries—Wohlschlag and Terry; Terry and Doucette. Umpire—McDonald.

## CORBETT PLAYS BALL.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 12.—Champion Jim Corbett played his first official game yesterday with the Scranton team against Buffalo. He covered everything that came his way, getting a number of easy chances. Corbett was struck out the first time up, but in the fourth and ninth he made singles. In the latter inning, with two men on bases and one out, Jim knocked out a lively one, and the runners came in. The champion's brother, Joe, also played with Scranton. The home team had an easy victory for the Buffaloes. There was a large attendance at the game, there being upwards of 6,000 people present. Corbett gets 40 per cent of the gate receipts. Corbett left for Buffalo at midnight, where he will meet Manager Brady.

## AQUATIC.

## "BUSH" THOMPSON HOME.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—E. A. Thompson, the Argonaut champion, who rowed at Henley, returned to Toronto early Saturday afternoon last, via Niagara. He spoke in the highest praise of the treatment of himself and comrades while in England, and though regretting that he had not made a better showing in his races, offered no excuses for defeat. He admitted, how-

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ever, that in the Metropolitan regatta race, in which he had as competitors the Nickalls brothers and Guinness, that he had the worst position, and was twice accidentally fouled by Vivian Nickalls.

At Moleworth, he said, the course was as crooked as the letter S, and not being accustomed to it, he was greatly handicapped. He was beaten in this race by Blackstock, whom he had previously defeated on another course by several lengths. In Thompson's opinion, an American oarsman must either spend considerable time in training upon them or else be considerably faster than the English oarsmen with whom he competes on English waters.

## THE TUNING WINDSOR RACES.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 12.—Three thousand people attended the races here yesterday. Two favorites and three outsiders won. Summaries:

First race, 7 furlongs—Atterley 1, Simcoe 2, Mrs. Morgan 3. Time, 1:28 1/2. Montepenso, Weola, Begue and Ruthen also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Hester 1, Fay Belle 2, Subito 3. Time, 1:02. Concession, Margaret Allen and Sycamore also ran.

Third race, 4 furlongs—Aunt Lida 1, Miss Perkins 2, Sunset 3. Time, 1:23 1/2. Venustus, Lester, Molly and May Thompson also ran.

Fourth race, 4 1/2 furlongs—Star Beam 1, Lillian E. 2, Miss Kitty 3. Time, 55 1/2. Maid of Honor, Lady Head, Gensbok, Bombard and Little Off also ran.

Fifth race, 5 1/2 furlongs—Readina 1, Anna Mayer 2, Belle Western 3. Time, 1:06 1/2. May Star, Brazos, Miss Emily and Penelope also ran.

## THE GREAT STALLION.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Joe Patchen will be shipped to Milwaukee to go an exhibition mile for a purse of \$1,500. Col. Taylor wanted a match against Joe Patchen, John Gentry and Robert J. for \$5,000 a side, the distance flag to be moved within 50 yards of the wire. This he failed to get, because after Robert J. had been defeated by Patchen, and the Stallion refused to set him up as an easy mark the second time. Instead, they offered \$2,000 for a race between Gentry and Patchen, leaving Robert J. out, but Col. Taylor would not consent, alleging that his stallion would be at a disadvantage, as he had just had a bruising race, while Gentry was fresh. Gentry, Patchen and Robert J. will meet at Fleetwood Park the last week in August, and not till then.

## LAWN TENNIS.

## BRANTFORD VS. WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 12.—The Brantford Lawn Tennis Club played a friendly game with the home club yesterday on the club lawn here. Following is a summary:

Singles—Rhodes (W) beat Watt (B), 6-2, 6-2; Dixon (W) beat Richardson (B), 6-3, 4-6, 8-6; Longmore (W) beat Hardy (B), 5-7, 6-3, 7-5; Greenree (B) beat Little (B), 6-4, 6-2.

Doubles—Richardson and Watt (B) beat Rhodes and Dixon (W), 6-4, 10-8; Little and Longmore (W) beat Hardy and Greenree (B), 7-5, 7-8.

## CRICKET.

## THE WANDERERS' CRICKET TEAM, OF CHICAGO, AND THE CHATHAM CRICKET CLUB.

Played a match at Chatham on Monday. The visitors, winning, Chatham made 50 in the first inning and Chicago 116. In the second inning Chatham made 140 for six wickets when time was called.

## THE WHEEL.

The Wanderers' Bicycle Club held their monthly meeting last night, and a good deal of important business was transacted. It was decided to buy a first-class pool table for the club house, and of the club. A number of applications for membership were accepted, and a resolution to present Mr. W. H. Abbott with a testimonial in appreciation of his efforts in connection with the evening meets held by the club, was carried unanimously.

## LONDON BICYCLE CLUB.

A special meeting of the London Bicycle Club was held last evening at the club house, there being a large attendance of members, and considerable business was transacted. Twenty new members were elected, including eight ladies.

It was decided to open the new track in Tegumsh Park on Saturday next. Invitations have been issued to the City Council, London West Council, chairmen of the boards, and other prominent citizens. Mayor Lillie will preside at the opening ceremony, which will be of an interesting character.

## A LONDONER'S TOUR.

Montreal, Aug. 12.—Mr. M. P. Baldwin, of London, Ont., son of his Lordship the Bishop of Huron, is on a cycling tour which will cover fully 1,500 miles of road before he returns home again. About three weeks ago Mr. Baldwin, leaving the city of London, wheeled to Windsor and thence to Owen Sound, where he took the steamer City of Collingwood for Manitoulin Island. He traveled some 200 miles on the island. Returning to Owen Sound by steamer, Mr. Baldwin wheeled back to London and thence on to Toronto, to Kingston and to Montreal. From there he will proceed to Quebec and Riviere du Loup, and when he returns to London Mr. Baldwin estimates he will have wheeled over 1,500 miles. One thing which he remarked was that the worst roads which he met with were in the last 75 miles before he reached Montreal, having sometimes to leave the public highway and proceed for miles on the railway track. While coming back to London Mr. Baldwin and a companion, Mr. Andrews, also traveled 200 miles. Mr. Baldwin's biggest run in one day was about 150 miles.

## AQUATIC.

## ENGLAND'S CHAMPION YACHT.

New York, Aug. 13.—Unless Valkyrie III. arrives tomorrow she will not equal the record of the Vigilant in crossing the ocean. This now seems exceedingly improbable, as last night a sailing yacht "thought to be Valkyrie III." was reported to have been seen passing Cape Race. As the run from Cape Race will take about five days, it appears as if the English cup challenger would not reach this port before Saturday or Sunday. There is no certainty, however, that it was Valkyrie that was sighted off Cape Race, but if she is any nearer this port her presence has not been noted.

## SUICIDE OF A BOY.

Cincinnati, Aug. 12.—A special from Warsaw, Ind., says Leroy Cardiff, aged 9 years, committed suicide Sunday night by taking a heavy dose of "Rough on Rats." His mother recently obtained a divorce from her husband upon sensational grounds, and the little boy left a note saying that he could no longer stand the taunts of his playmates about it. Ex-Mayor Maxwell G. Cardiff, the boy's father, is a prominent attorney of this city, and has served three years in the State Legislature.

Does your house, barn or woodshed need shingling? If they do, go to Bowman & Co., corner Clarence and Bathurst, where they sell good shingles at 85 per 1,000. Lath 15c per bundle, and cedar posts at 14c each. ywt

## SHOT AT HIM.

Mrs. Fred Pickard, Horton Street, Fires a Revolver

At a Man Who Looked in Her Window—The Bullet Took Effect.

For some time past residents on the west end of Horton street have been bothered with an unknown man who has made a practice of prowling around at nights and looking in people's windows.

Sunday night the intruder went to the room of Mrs. Fred Pickard, at 92 Horton, and endeavored to raise the window. Mrs. Pickard was in the room at the time and frightened the man away, warning him that if he returned she would shoot him. The intruder disappeared a short time afterwards and had raised the window only a few inches when Mrs. Pickard, true to her word, got the revolver and fired it at the man retreating figure.

The bullet is supposed to have struck the fellow in the shoulder, as he was seen to raise his hand to it. Blood stains were found in the man's tracks, but they are the only clue to his identity. The police have been notified, but no arrest has yet been made.

## SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

Movements of People Chronicle—Visitors to London and Londoners Abroad.

Mrs. S. R. Manes has gone to spend a few weeks at Port Dover.

Miss Bella Barnett, of 280 Talbot street, is visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Elsie Twitchell, of Clinton, is visiting Miss Lucy Barnett, of 280 Talbot street.

Misses Nellie and Maggie Barnett, of 280 Talbot street, are visiting friends in Michigan.

Mrs. Hutton and Miss E. Sterling Case have left for a two weeks' visit to Grimsby Park.

Mr. J. R. Shuttleworth, Mrs. Shuttleworth and son Hugh, are enjoying the sea breezes and surf bathing at Cape May, N. J.

John R. Morrison and Ab. Friendship, of this city, left for Toronto on Sunday. They are the advance guard of the Pickwick Club, who leave for the Soo and Mackinaw on Wednesday.

Mr. H. Dignam, city left yesterday for St. Paul, Minn.

Miss Marie Aletter, of this city, is at Berlin on her vacation.

Miss Alice Wood, of Ingersoll, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Eva De Wolfe, 599 York street, is visiting friends in Scotland.

Miss Crane, of this city, is visiting Miss Lizzie Ross, Brussels, last week.

Mr. George Brownlee, of this city, is renewing old acquaintances in Hyth.

The Misses Tufts, of Rectory street, have returned from a visit to friends at Kitchener.

David Cathro, of Indianapolis, an old Londoner, is visiting relatives at home at present.

Miss Stanzel is visiting her parents at Leadbury. She purposes remaining there only a short time.

Miss Jennie Gordon, of Carlton street, Toronto, is visiting with Miss Morehead, of Queen's avenue.

Mr. F. H. Silk, manager of the Merchants' Bank, Shelburne, is visiting his parents, 551 Talbot street.

Messrs. J. A. Darraek and Peter Nicholas, of St. Catharines, are visiting Master Robert Leonard, of Elias street, is spending his holidays at his grandfather's in Woodstock.

Misses Carrie Davis, Fannie Ferguson, Jean Jacobs and Minnie Jacobs are summering at Port Stanley.

Mrs. Henry Cromwell, of Beachville, is on an extended visit to her son, Conductor Cromwell, 143 Waterloo street.

Miss Julia Wittels left Leadbury for here on Saturday. She has been home for a month spending her holidays.

Misses Cassie Mullin and Miss Ida Headford have returned home, after spending their vacation at Port Stanley.

Mr. T. Alexander, inland revenue collector, of this city, is in Kingston with his wife and family, spending his annual vacation.

Mr. J. E. Fleming has returned from a trip up the lakes, where he has been with the Salvation Army Marine Band. He is expected to visit at his private place on Lakes Erie, Huron and Ontario.

## CANARIES FOR CONVICTS.

Michigan Convicts Keep Them for Comfort and Eat 'em 'tween for Food.

Jackson, Mich., Aug. 12.—Convicts in the Michigan state prison have many more than those of almost any other penitentiary in the United States, and it is the belief of the management of the institution that for this reason there are fewer outbreaks of lawlessness than are found elsewhere. Among the favors granted to them here is that of keeping and caring for birds. There are fully 600 feathered songsters in the prison, principally of the canary, all owned and cared for by the convicts, and as soon as daylight approaches on bright mornings their sweet notes are heard in striking contrast to the natural feelings of their owners.

Many of the most hardened criminals, who, from their general appearance and history, would not be expected to provide with any degree of refining nature, tenderly care for and cherish their little pets.

More than three-quarters of the cells in the prison contain one or more canaries, and the convicts are also allowed during the day the cages are hung outside the cells to give the birds light and air, but as soon as the convict returns from work at night the cage is taken inside.

This practice has been carried on in the prison for years, and the officials say that instead of any detrimental effect being produced by the birds, the songsters have proved a benefit, as they not only give the cells a more home-like appearance, but they also yield a decided influence in the way of humanizing the most reckless and hardened criminal.

Besides being permitted to keep the birds for the sake of their company and influence, the convicts are also allowed to raise them to sell, and many a dollar is credited to the accounts of the prisoners from this source. Of course, the convict handles none of the money raised from the sale of the birds, until he is discharged, but it is placed to his credit in the prison bank.

It is interesting to walk up and down the prison corridors and note the different kinds of canaries in the cages, and more particularly to note the different methods adopted by the convicts in caring for their pets. All styles of cages are to be seen, and while one kind is provided with a veritable palace of a home and all the luxuries known in the bird world, the one in front of the next cell will have simply the plainest wooden cage and wire cage, and the ordinary seed and water holders. This is also true in the shops, and the character of the convict can

## B. &amp; J.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY:

Fair and very warm.

## MANY MAIDS and MATRONS.

Have made their money double in purchasing power during our celebrated Jacket Sale. Those who prefer Capes to Jackets can have their wants supplied, as we have added to our \$2 and \$3 lots about 30 or 40 Capes. New Goods and just the thing for summer wear at eventide. Every lady should have a light jacket or cape, and every lady can at these prices. We are not giving goods away, though some customers think so when they see the prices. It's as near to a free presentation as we care to go, however, and only an urgent call for more room for goods coming to hand prompts us to put such paltry prices on such pronounced values. For \$1 we are selling Jackets that could not be bought two weeks ago for less than \$4 and as high as \$8 50. Ladies, you will never buy good, honest-made Jackets for less money. For \$2 we are selling \$5 and \$10 Jackets, and for \$3 Jackets worth \$5 75 and as high as \$20. A splendid lot of new Capes has been added to the \$2 and \$3 tables. These are all of light and medium weight cloths, suitable for summer evenings and early fall wear. Don't delay. Present satisfaction is better than future regrets. Such bargains as these never go a-begging.

## HEPTONETTE CLOAKS

Keep out rain, dust and cold. The capes are detachable and may be worn when the evenings are cool. To Heptonette there is no offensive odor so common to other waterproofs. No other store in London sells Heptonette, we having the sole right. It's a good thing. We are opening a first lot of Golf Capes. Will be all the style the coming fall. *Smallman & Ingram*

149-151 Dundas St.

In almost every instance be safely estimated by the care he gives his feathered friends.

Through the day the music of the birds is hardly noticeable, although it can be heard more or less at almost any time, but on a bright morning the songsters are pleasantly noisy. One of the officials who has been quiet with the prison for years says that when he first came to the prison the music of the birds in the morning made him wild, but he has now become so accustomed to it that the place would be terribly silent without it.

## MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

On the afternoon of July 25 the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Ralph, Dorchester Station, was entered and taken possession of by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren in honor of the 50th anniversary of their marriage. Two members of the family were not present, the eldest son, Frank, residing near St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. R. Great, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. For a short time the scene, as homes generally do where the children enjoy unrestricted freedom. After spending a very pleasant time together, the self-styled guests took their departure, not, however, before presenting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph with a purse containing a little of the "needful" with which to secure a suitable memorial of the event.

Mrs. E. Howard, of Glenora, is visiting with her mother in Petrolia.

Alex. Thompson, formerly in Glenora, has bought out the tailoring business of J. McEwen, in Alvin.

Mrs. J. A. McKenzie, of Glenora, who has been visiting friends in Toronto, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. H. Taylor, of Detroit, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robt. Stevenson, Glenora, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kennedy, con. 12, London township, were "at home" on Tuesday evening last to the numerous friends and members of the Littlewood auxiliary of the W. M. S. The rooms were well filled and refreshments served by a most attentive staff. Addresses were given by Rev. Messrs. Garbutt, Barltrop and McVitty; recitations by Miss Harvey; city songs by Mrs. Dr. Robson, Rev. C. Barltrop, Messrs. Graham, Merritt, and the Messrs. Hodgins and Kennedy. A good silver collection was taken up.

Rev. John Campbell, who recently arrived in this country from Scotland with a commission from the colonial committee of the Free Church of Scotland, preached in Gaelic and English in Burns Presbyterian Church, Moss, last Sabbath with much acceptance. Mr. Campbell's discourses were of the rich, experimental kind which characterized the preaching of Scotland in her palmiest preaching period. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell go to Glensandfield for a few weeks.

## INDIANAPOLIS MEN MOBBED.

Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 12.—The Indianapolis baseball players were mobbed here on Sunday. After the game had been finished, and Indianapolis had won, the crowd became frenzied and rushed on the field. Three of the Indianapolis men were injured—Motz, Hogan and Fisher—though their injuries are not serious.

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Western Ontario.

Blenheim people are petitioning for a \$6,000 town hall.

Lewis Wigle, of Leamington, has threshed 2,100 bushels of oats from 29 acres.

Sunday while playing in his yard.

Constable Metcalf, of Walkerville, has been suspended on the charge of firing a pistol into the room of a house to which he was denied admittance.

Mrs. Andrews, of Clinton, who is visiting Dr. Steep, Fort Rouge, left last evening for Portage la Prairie, where she will be the guest of Rev. A. W. Ross—Winnipeg Free Press.

Constable Atkinson, of Guelph, discovered two youths on Sunday night burglarizing Quigley's shoe store. He captured both. They were Edward White, of Detroit, and Wm. Smith, of Chicago.

An epidemic of dysentery of a serious nature has broken out among the inmates of the Thomas Williams Home, St. Thomas, the source of which it is believed, has been traced to a disused sewer running under the building.

Wm. Carrick, of Oba, Sarnia township, who died Aug. 7, was one of the oldest settlers and most respected residents of that part. He was a native of England and 80 years of age. He settled in Lambton in 1852, clearing 200 acres of land, then woods. A wife and nine children survive him.

The St. Thomas police are looking for John William Bell on a serious charge. On Saturday night, it is claimed, he went to the residence of Frank Keegan, who is employed at the Wilson House, and attempted to assault his wife, who is a delicate condition. A number of M. C. R. employees, hearing the woman's screams, went to her assistance. Bell made his escape. Bell was tried at the assizes in March last on a charge of assaulting Mrs. J. A. Smith, St. Thomas. The jury brought in a verdict of "not guilty."

## SCANDAL.

Character Robbery One of the Meanest Offenses of Which Man or Woman Can be Guilty.

In a recent address Rev. Angus MacKay, of Lucknow, Ont., spoke on "The Unbridled Tongue," and roundly condemned those who circulate scandalous and unfounded stories about their neighbors. Among other things he said: "The slanderer injures others by robbing them of what is more precious than money. The man who robs another of a cow or a horse would probably if discovered be sent to prison; but the slanderer may do a hundred times worse than that, and yet escape the law of the land. To rob a man of his character, or friends, is surely worse than robbing a man of his cows or horses, or even burning his house. Shakespeare represents a character as dropping poison into an ear. That is full of deadly poison. He drops it into the ears of others, in the form of lying or insinuating words. He drops it into their eyes, in the form of insinuating looks or actions. We are told that the deadliest poisons in nature are those for which no test is known. One drop of these insinuating words produces death in three seconds; and yet, no chemical science can separate the poison from the blood, and say—this is the poison. So the most hurtful slander may be that of which no hold can be taken. It may be produced by a shrug of the shoulder, a nod of the head, a glance of the eye, or by silence when duty demands speech. In such and other ways the tongue may rob of character, and in a short time poison dear friends, thus making them as if they were dead to each other. It thus transgresses the sixth, the eighth, and the ninth commandments. If the thief, the burglar, the incendiary, or the murderer is wicked, need we hesitate in saying that the slanderer with his unbridled tongue is a wicked and dangerous character?"

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"Even her white hair. Why, sir," the doctor proceeded, after a moment's pause, "have you thought what she went through in a few hours? Her disappointment in Moleworth, the revelation of feeling that must have caused her return, her meeting with Mildred, dressed and ready to take her part in the great drama they were playing, the shock and realization which must have come at the sight of what her change of intention would mean to the poor girl with whom she had just become acquainted every token of affection; then the hurried rush to get back into her own clothes which likewise meant her own identity, followed by that final act of Mildred which in one moment made the room a charnel-house and threw across her triumph and the festivities of the hour, a pall of mortal fear and horror, which was all the more terrible that she must hide it from every eye, even from that of her bridegroom. And then that shriek, telling of some unknown terror and discovery. Either Mildred had come to life, and was in anguish to find herself locked in the room with her memories and the smell of death upon her; or the key that Genevieve held in her bosom had not turned the lock, and in a moment, perhaps, she would hear a shriek and this time that of Murder! Was there no time that of a weakened and already greatly troubled woman? And when by her hurried action she had forestalled his possible speech, and by her woman's wit succeeded in hiding herself with him in that room of death above, can you not imagine the shame and horror which must have overcome her as she found herself forced to show him the ghastly results of her trick and plot with him for aid where she hoped to triumph over him in her disdain. If this and all of this was not enough to whiten her hair in a night, I can imagine no train of thought that would. My own hair almost turns at the thought of it, and I am a hard and world-worn man."

"You are her worthy advocate," affirmed the inspector, "and I am almost convinced by your arguments. I should like to ask you one question, however, which may strike you as impertinent and unfeeling, but which I assure you is prompted by no desire to offend more than the desire to do you a service."

"Ask it; I know of nothing which I should dare withhold from you in this matter."

"It presupposes that you know me to be acquainted with the letters you have just shown Mr. Gryce, and it is in regard to the sentiment with which you now suppose your wife to regard you. Is it love, you say?"

"Not gratitude simply, nor regard; but love."

"Love?"

"Yes, it is but a short time since she was pouring out the most extravagant expressions of affection for another. Excuse me; I cannot stop to soften these hard truths."

"I know; but a passion so wild and unrestrained has terrible revulsions. She needed just such an experience, perhaps, to show her what true love is."

"And you have missed nothing?—nothing in her regard for you I mean?"

A smile appeared on the doctor's pale lips for an instant. "If I had not trouble but that I should be a very happy man."

The inspector, grave beyond his wont, eyed the doctor keenly.

"You are not deceiving yourself?" he asked significantly.

"No."

"Pretty women can often make a man believe anything."

The doctor rose. Anger flashed from his eye and sounded in the tone of his voice.

"You insult a most miserable man," he began, but meeting the inspector's eye, he stopped, quivered and sat down. "I see that this is only another wrench of the rack," he exclaimed. "You have a purpose other than that of destroying me."

"I want to find out if Genevieve Greyfox was of so light a nature she could turn from one love to another in the twinkling of an eye."

Dr. Cameron surveyed the speaker, realized what danger might lie in his reply, and was silent.

"I cannot believe," the inspector inexorably pursued, "that a woman who could feel and express herself as Genevieve Greyfox has done in these letters we have read, could from any momentary revulsion of feeling, give her whole self to you with that freshness and ardor four languid seems to imply."

"And still the doctor was silent."

"If time had elapsed, after a season of indifference and mental depression she had shown, first appreciation of your goodness and then a gradual

awakening love for the man who cherished her so fondly, I could have understood her conduct. But to leap from one ardent passion into another without pause or transition seems so unnatural that I should not blame you if you felt some doubt as to the truth."

"But—" the doctor began in protest, though he got no further. He felt himself in a net and he did not know which way to turn.

The inspector noted him keenly and proceeded with seeming heartlessness.

"Would not that have been your opinion if it were another man's case than your own that you were considering?"

"Possibly; I cannot say—I seem to have lost the power of thinking; you awake a nest of sleeping serpents in my breast and ask me to stand off and analyze their writhings. Is it necessary to make me suffer so?"

"It is necessary. That you suffer fixes an important fact in my mind. Had you not suffered—had you been able to contradict me—I should possibly have drawn different conclusions. You will forgive me when you receive the clue to my motives."

"But am I not to know them now? Am I to be kept waiting in this suspense?"

"Dr. Cameron, I will not keep you in suspense. Though in consideration of Mrs. Cameron's condition I shall refrain for the present time from placing her under actual arrest, I am so confident that she knows more than she ever told us concerning this poor girl's death that I must beg of you to consider her as under surveillance. You will find when you return home, a woman in your parlors whom I request you to place at your wife's side in the capacity of nurse, though her business directly is that of a detective. She is a kindly, capable and discreet woman who will neither offend you nor betray us. I rely upon you to receive her and put nothing in the way of fulfilling her duties properly."

"Ah, sir," came from Dr. Cameron in a burst of shame and agony, "can I do otherwise! Are you not the master of my fate and honor?"

The inspector who found this as hard a piece of work as he ever had had to do in his life, shook his head. "I go no further than my duty compels me," said he. "You have been made the victim of a woman wholly unworthy of you and have my sympathy, as you will have that of every other honest man in the community."

But the doctor did not care for sympathy; it was justice he wanted. "And there no escape?" he cried. "Must we submit to this indignity, though you do not even know there was any murder committed?"

"There is a mysterious death to account for and Mrs. Cameron is the only one who can account for it. To be sure if we knew all that Dr. Moleworth could tell—"

"That he shall tell. I will appeal to him and he will answer with the truth."

The inspector gazed at the other, compassionately. "You might not want to hear it," he suggested.

But the doctor flashed out quickly and earnestly.

"I do. These doubts, this uncertainty will ruin me. If you think he knows the facts which surround Mildred Farley's death, confront me with him. He will not long retain his secret when he sees what his silence will cost me."

But the inspector was not so easily gulped. "Dr. Moleworth is a very strong man, and having made up his mind to suppress the truth in this matter, it will not be so easy to force him into speech."

"He does not know that my wife has confessed to the death of this girl in her room."

"And do you propose to tell him?"

"If you will countenance me in so doing."

"And you think that will be sufficient to loosen his tongue?"

"Yes, sir."

"I do not agree with you. Men of his stamp have peculiar ideas of honor. If he was willing to perjure himself to save your wife from consequences that he feared, he will need something more than this indirect acknowledgment from her to make him change the story predetermined between them."

"Not with the arguments I shall add to it. If he is a strong man, I am a desperate one and I will wring the truth from him if he be made of iron."

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## LARRY LAWLESS' SUICIDE.

One of the Bullets Passed Through the Heart.

What Transpired at the Coroner's Inquest—Deceased D-sponding—The Verdict.

The circumstances surrounding the tragic death of Lawrence Lawless, the postoffice clerk who fired seven bullets into his left breast on Friday night last, were ventilated before Coroner Dr. Flock and a jury last night. The inquest was held at the police station at 7:30 o'clock, and lasted about two hours, but in that time an unusually large amount of evidence was taken. From the very first, however, everything pointed to suicide, and the jury judging by their remarks, were very weary. In fact one member wanted to stop before half the witnesses were examined, but things were not going that way, and the proceedings went on.

The story of the suicide, as published in Saturday's "Advertiser," was fully corroborated by John R. Gosling, proprietor of the house where Lawless boarded; John E. Rose, who assisted in forcing open the door of the deceased's room; Sgt. Robt. Crawford, and P. C. Thomas Howie, who were called by Mr. Gosling, and Misses Etta and Sarah McIntyre, two servants in the house, the former having just entered her room across the hall from Lawless' when the firing began. It was she who raised the alarm, after a partial recovery from nervous prostration.

R. J. C. Dawson, postmaster at the city postoffice, spoke of Lawless as a class clerk, whose attendance to his duties had been very good. Mr. Dawson had seen him very frequently, and never considered him unfit for duty. Lawless was appointed in 1873, and had been once suspended for delinquency, registered letters. That was many years ago.

Mr. Arthur Carrothers, a fellow-clerk of Lawless', was a pretty intimate friend of Larry's and frequent visitor to his insurance assessments. The money was always repaid. Mr. Carrothers had heard that Lawless was in financial difficulties, and that his wages were to be garnished. That was the end of it. Deceased had a United Workmen policy for \$2,000, payable to his wife.

The only evidence to show that poor Lawrence was in the least despondent, was given by Mr. Addison Raymond, stamp vendor at the office. The rest of the witnesses had always found him very quiet, yet agreeable. Raymond had found him the same, even the afternoon of his death. A few days or so previous to that, however, Lawless was reciting his troubles to Raymond, and said that a man was better dead than in such difficulties. Raymond made an impression on me," said the witness, "as he had talked rather strangely before, and I was not in the least surprised when I heard he had taken his own life."

The result of the post-mortem was given by Dr. Waugh. The body was well nourished and developed, and all the organs were in a healthy condition, except the kidneys and liver. Six of the seven bullets had entered the body, and one had become lodged in the chest wall. The lowest ball entered the spleen, two passed through the stomach, another went through the lung, another took the same course and injured the heart, while the highest passed through the lung and heart. The bullet, the doctor was satisfied, had produced death. Dr. Waugh was satisfied from the direction of the bullets, that Lawless had worked the revolver with his left hand.

Coroner Flock, before leaving the matter to the jury, called attention to the many stories which had gone about the Lawless' domestic troubles. Derogatory remarks had been made about his (Lawless') mother-in-law, Mrs. Barrett, of Dundas street, London West. The coroner had learned, however, that she had acted a very good part, and had proven herself a lady. During Larry's financial troubles she had mortgaged her house for \$450 and advanced it to him, and that mortgage, with the exception of \$50, was still standing against the property. Both Mrs. Barrett and her daughter were ladies in every sense of the word, and were in no way to blame for the rash act.

The jury unanimously agreed, and without leaving the room returned a verdict that the wounds were inflicted by Lawless with suicidal intent.

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## DIED.

**NESBITT**—In this city, on Tuesday, Aug. 13, 1895, Charlotte Stella, daughter of James and Anna Nesbitt, aged 8 years and 10 months. Funeral from the family residence, 591 Hill street, on Wednesday, at 10 o'clock a.m., for St. Peter's Cathedral.

**PALMER**—In this city, on Aug. 12, 1895, Elizabeth, beloved wife of Thomas Palmer, aged 54 years. Funeral from family residence, 77 Matland street, on Wednesday, at 3:30 p.m., services at 3 o'clock.



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This supplies a long-felt want, giving

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VERY INTERESTING NOVELTY

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FINE AND VERY WARM.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—11 p.m.—A depression of some importance is now over the Northwest Territories, and another depression of feeble energy covers the St. Lawrence Valley. Rain has fallen heavily today over Quebec, and it is now raining in the Maritime Provinces. In Ontario and the Northwest the weather has been fine.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Calgary, 45—62; Qu'Appelle, 48—84;

Winnipeg, 44—84; Parry Sound, 54—72;

Toronto, 62—84; Montreal, 66—78; Quebec, 56—64; Halifax, 58—72.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—1 a.m.—Light to moderate, variable winds; fine and decidedly warm. Very warm tomorrow.

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Johnson Bros.' Bread

5c per loaf retail.

In all parts of the city. Telephone 813.

MAD DOG SCARE.

Four-Year-Old Child Bitten on

the Hand.

Wound Cauterized and the Dog Kept a

Prisoner Awaiting Developments

—Acts Queerly—Who Owns It?

There was a genuine mad dog scare on William street near Grey yesterday afternoon, and as a result a little girl has a cauterized hand, and a spaniel dog is a prisoner, awaiting developments.

The little 4-year-old daughter of Mr. Thomas Evans, of 152 William street, was playing in her father's yard, when the dog entered. The animal appeared to be a right, but as it came near the girl it snarled at her, sinking its teeth into her hand. The screams of the child brought the other members of the family to her. Medical aid was summoned at once, and the dog was locked up in the barn. It was acting queerly, and the family thought that it showed signs of hydrophobia.

A doctor came, and the child was put under chloroform and the hand cauterized. A veterinary and a dog fancier were also brought to examine the dog, and it was decided to keep it for awhile and await results.

Today the little girl was resting very easily. The dog was still in the barn, and still acted queerly, although Mr. Evans thought that distemper might be the trouble with it. Mr. Evans is cashier at the M. C. R. depot.

The dog is a nice specimen of a black cocker spaniel. It had no tag and nothing to identify it except a leather collar and brass buckle.

A Good Investment.

There is no surer or better way to invest spare funds than in endowment policies in a well-established and prosperous company. The returns may not be as large as in some other lines, but when taken in connection with the protection afforded to the life assured in the event of early death, no more desirable investment is possible. Dr. Moore, of Brampton, took out an endowment policy of \$1,000 in July, 1880, which matured on the 1st inst. The policy returned to him \$133 for every \$100 he paid in premiums, yielding 3 1/2 per cent. compound interest, besides fifteen years' insurance. The following letter to the Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company will show that Dr. Moore has been eminently well pleased with his policy in that company:

"Brampton, July 1, 1895.

"Gentlemen,—

"I have received your check for \$1,012 37, being in full of my endowment policy 5,243 in your company, which matures today. A better result could not be had in safe lines. I have had fifteen years' insurance, and have got back all the money I paid in, with such a handsome amount added as proves it to have been an excellent investment. I have to thank you for the promptness and courtesy which any communications of mine have always received at your hands. Yours truly,

"CHAS. Y. MOORE."

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

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AN ESSENTIAL LACKING.

The goods were new and fresh. The store was clean and neat. The clerks were all polite. But the owner indiscreet. The store was unsuccessful. The reason you'll surmise. Tho' the owner was a hustler, He didn't advertise.

—Printer's Ink.

A bicycle stolen from a shed the other day. He had purchased it recently, paying \$25 therefor.

—A clerk who talks briefly, pointedly and respectfully will sell goods—so will the advertisement that talks so, only it will sell more.

—Rev. J. H. Best, of New Westminster, B. C., has declined the call to the pastorate of Adelaide Street Baptist Church in this city.

—The Government patrol boat Petrel, which has been at Port Stanley for some weeks, has been ordered to Port Arthur, and will leave for the north in a few days.

—Acc. William Crane, formerly of the Holman Opera Company of this city, nearly killed himself in New York recently by drinking two glasses of ice water while overheated.

—Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, now of Brantford, occupied the pulpit of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church Sunday afternoon and evening—much to the satisfaction of his former congregation.

—John Bouch and Ira Teops, of Springfield, have been arrested on a charge of breaking into Mr. Baker's house near Wonderland and stealing a watch, \$2 in money, and a few articles of jewelry.

—The Ward &amp; Vokes Company arrived in the city on Monday. They open their season on Thursday evening at the Grand Opera House. They have been in active rehearsal in Detroit for the past two weeks. It is a great show for the opening.

—Thomas Holland was fined \$5 and costs by Squire J. B. Smyth yesterday for trespassing on the property of Logan lives on Lot 17, con. 2, and Holland immediately adjoints. The latter persisted in making a thoroughfare of Logan's property.

LATEST BUSINESS CHANGES.

Irvine &amp; Co., shoes, Aurora, are offering to compromise. Henry Nott, Blenheim, has assigned to W. Crosby. Simon Meyer, tins, Breslau, has sold out to J. R. Good.

Frank Metcalf, jeweler, Blyth, has sold out to John Metcalf. Stephen Downing, liquors, Port Arthur, has sold out to Andrew Watson. The Malakoff cheese factory has dissolved. Henry Gilliam, flour-bag, has assigned to W. McGuire.

MASONIC.

The Great Priory of Canada of the Order of the Temple is to meet in St. John, Aug. 23—the first time it has met east of Quebec. At the close of the proceedings the members will go to Boston to participate in the festivities connected with the triennial meeting of the Grand Encampment of the United States. Great preparations are making in Boston for this meeting, and the whole scheme for the entertainment of the 30,000 or 40,000 members of the society who will be present is on the most extensive and elaborate scale.

THE LATE ROBT. GARDINER.

Dr. Gardiner, city, yesterday received intelligence of the death of his uncle, Mr. Robert Gardiner, Farquhar, Huron county. The information came with startling suddenness, as no word had been sent of the death of the deceased. He was even ill. Deceased was a representative farmer. He formerly lived in Hibbert, Perth county, and his neighbors elected him to the honor of a member of the order of the United Empire Loyalists. Dr. Gardiner left today to attend the funeral.

SAYINGS ABOUT AUGUST.

August days are hot and its evenings cool, the first foreshadowing of autumn touching the air with its marvelous alchemy. To be a perfect August it should be dry.

A dry August and warm, Does harvest no harm."

August 24 is St. Bartholomew's day, of much importance in parts of England and Scotland.

"St. Bartholomew Brings the cold dew."

If Aug. 12 be fair and calm farmers hope for a prosperous harvest that year.

The Spanish proverb regarding the month says: "When it rains in August it rains wine or honey."

The Italians say that respects to the eighth month in this wise: "In August ask neither for olives, chestnuts nor acorns."

A PIONEER'S BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Logan, Thorndale, mother of G. T. R. Detective Robert Logan, celebrated her 95th birthday yesterday. Mrs. Logan is the widow of the late Stobart Logan, and was born in Edinburgh. They settled in Nissouri, in a clearing in the forest, over half a century ago, and there Mrs. Logan still lives. The old lady retains all her faculties, and remembers when in the early pioneering days of herself and her husband they had to bring their sheep into their log hut over a severe winter to save them from the wolves. Even then the animals were so ferocious that they came and placed their front paws on the sill of the only window the place could boast of, and pressed their heads against the glass. Mrs. Logan has seen Middlesex grow from the virgin forest to be the head center of Western Ontario. Her children are Robert (G. T. R.), and George, city; Andrew, William and Thomas, Nissouri; John, Arkona; Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzsimmons, Arkona, and Mrs. Margaret McQueen, Sault Ste. Marie.

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Dec. 24, 1894.

Y. C. Briggs &amp; Sons, Wholesale Drug-

gists, Hamilton.

Dear Sir,—About three years ago,

you may remember I handed some of

your medicines at Queenston, Ont. I

am not positive, but I think that the

"Bark-Well's Sure Corn Cure" that we

had was got from your house. Will

you kindly reply to this note, telling

me if you do handle Bark-Well's, and if

so, would it be possible to send by

mail? If I am mistaken, can you tell

me what firms do handle it? I WANT

NO OTHER except Bark-Well's Sure

Corn Cure. It is put up in bottles re-

talled at 25c. Hoping to hear from

you soon, and wishing you compli-

ments of the season, believe me, yours

truly,

HARRY H. YOUNG.

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But the very best eatables to adorn your table. Poor eatables are dear at any price.

You Can't Get Anything

But the very best if you buy from us. We have a reputation for keeping first-class goods, and we don't propose to lose it.

You Will Get Something

Better than you can get elsewhere if you buy our

High Grade Coffee.

T. A. Rowat &amp; Co.

228 Dundas Street.

Phone—317. ywt

## BUILDERS AT PORT.

The Annual Picnic at the Lakeside on Saturday—The Sports and Prize Winners.

The annual picnic of the London builders and their employees was held at Port Stanley on Saturday, and building operations in the city were entirely suspended for the time. Every trade was represented, making a large crowd and an exceedingly pleasant time. A varied programme of sports was carried out, with the following winners:

Tug of war—W. Jones' team won from the brickmakers.

Girls' race, under 8—A. Tambling 1, R. Hodge 2, May Spay 3, F. Scott 4.

Boys' race, under 6—W. Nash 1, W. Tamblin 2, B. McLeod 3, F. L. Tanton 4.

Girls' race, under 9—C. Tambling 1, E. Mansbridge 2, M. Pace 3.

Boys' race, under 9—H. Boyce 1, B. Tambling 2, B. Parks 3, E. Scott 4.

Girls' race, under 12—M. Hayman 1, R. Symes 2, M. Tambling 3, F. Northy 4.

Boys' race, under 12—A. Dowell 1, A. Tambling 2, O'Rourke 3, A. Fitzerald 4.

Girls' race, under 16—M. Tambling 1, J. McLeod 2, N. McLean 3.

Boys' race, under 16—G. Tambling 1, M. Powers 2, E. Gerry 3.

Single ladies' race, over 16—Miss Griffith 1, Miss Benson 2, Miss Pring 3.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Pring 1, Mrs. Channer 2, Mrs. Hamilton 3, Mrs. Stewart 4.

Apprentices' race—E. Brooks 1, F. Burns 2, E. Gerry 3, Hayman 4.

Fathers' race—W. Daxter 1, Fitzgerald 2, W. Lewis 3.

Plasterers' race—J. Pritchard 1, A. Irwin 2, S. W. Mann 3.

Carpenters' race—J. Wilkey 1, R. Madge 2, W. Devlin 3.

Bricklayers' race—R. Garratt 1, Murray 2, Heaman 3.

State and felt roofers' race—G. Roughly 1, Beggell 2, S. Scott 3.

Tinsmith and plumbers' race—B. Noble 1, Morkin 2, Hoffman 3.

Hodcarriers' race—D. Mason 1, Dale 2, Early 3.

Brickmakers' race—W. Walker 1, Cahill 2, Warwick 3.

Comic race through horse collar—C. Walker 1, G. Gibson 2, Kains 3.

Baby show—Mrs. Ray 1, Mrs. Morkin 2, Mrs. Nugent 3, Mrs. Reid 4.

Irish jig—A. Patton 1, H. Galbraith 2.

Highland fling—A. Patton 1, H. Galbraith 2, G. May 3.

STRANGE RELATIONSHIPS.

It is rarely that a daughter becomes her mother's mother-in-law, yet this curious coincidence does occasionally happen.

A friend of mine, a colonel in the army, had been a widower for some years, and resided with his sons and daughters in Plymouth.

At a ball given by the officers of his regiment he met a beautiful young girl, with whom he fell desperately in love, and to make a long story short, they were soon married.

At the year's end there was an addition to the family. Of course, the mother came to be with her daughter on this interesting occasion, and, being a handsome, well-preserved woman, the colonel's eldest son became much attached to her, and before long led her to the hymeneal altar. Thus the daughter became mother-in-law to her own mother.

Another strange relationship is that of a lady who is mother-in-law to her two sisters in a somewhat similar fashion to the above, they having married her stepsons. I myself am cousin to my own sister, she having espoused my husband's first cousin, and am second cousin to my nephews—her sons.

—Tit-Bits.

One of the best attractions to our citizens on Monday next (Civic Holiday) is the excursion to Niagara Falls under the auspices of Court Forest Queen, Ancient Order of Foresters.

The rate for a two-day excursion has been put within the reach of all, being only \$1 75, so that none need be deterred from attending on that score.

The many attractions at the Falls make this a most pleasant resort, and it is becoming more popular every year.

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Slobbs—Did you borrow that money you were after from Holdfast? Slobbs—No. Slobbs—I thought he was a close friend of yours? Slobbs—So he is; very close.

DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also, being the principal cause of Headache, Paramelee's Vegetable Pills taken before going to bed, for a while, never fail to give relief and effect a cure. Mr. P. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Paramelee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock."

J. W. STRONG, 333 Simcoe street, does papering and sign painting at very reasonable prices. ywt

L. D. Trompou, jeweler, has removed to 387 Richmond street. Geo. W. Pitt has charge of the watch repairing department. ywt

## BEFORE WE CLOSE

"Do you want to save money?" You often buy Houses, Horses, Cattle and many other things to make money, but did it ever occur to you the necessity of buying from the merchant that first buys cheap, and then slaughters at almost ridiculous prices, to clear when the word is given? This is the case now at

## MARA'S

- I. Boys' Odd Knicker Pants, 25c pair.
- II. XXX Best Wide Skirt Lining, now 5c yard.
- III. Men's Fine Flannelette Shirts, pretty, narrow stripes' 19c.
- IV. Henrietta, all new shades, including black, pure wool, was our 40c line, all going at 25c.
- V. Best Table Oil Cloth, 1 1-4 yards wide, 18c a yard.
- VI. Best Dress Steels, 8c per set.
- VII. Coats' and Kerr's Best 200 yard spools, white and black, all numbers 4 for 10c.
- VIII. See our 25c Parasols, only a few left.
- IX. Linen Buggy Dusters, 35c each.
- X. 28-inch Prints, fast colors, 5c a yard.
- XI. Men's Heavy All Wool, regular \$2 Pants for \$1.
- XII. Silk Ties, four-in-hand and made up knots, other stores' 25c lines, Mara's figure 12 1/2c.
- XIII. White Lawn Blouses, with neat collar and cuffs, just 25c each.
- XIV. 96-piece Dinner Sets, regular \$7 50 goods, now \$4 50.
- XV. All Colors in New Velveteens, 25c yard.
- XVI. All our 50c Straw Hats now 25c.
- XVII. Girls' Sailor Hats 10c each.
- XVIII. Fine Narrow Linen Edging, 2c and 4c, worth double.
- XIX. See our 19c Black Silk Gloves and Lace Mitts.
- XX. We are doing the Hosiery trade of London. See our Fast Black Stocking at 10c a pair. Lace Curtains 25c a pair. See our 50c line, bound and taped, 3 yards long. White Silk Parasols, half marked price. Black Silk Parasols, half marked price. Moire Silk Parasols, half marked price. Frilled Silk Parasols, half marked price.

## Mail Orders

We pay special attention to mail orders. If you reside out of the city and cannot conveniently come to our store, order by mail, state what you require and want, inclose the amount. If the goods come to less the change will be sent back with the parcel. All amounts over \$5 prepaid.

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