

The Sporting World.

London Asylum Defeated by Hamilton at Cricket

London Bowlers Intend Having a Big Tournament.

Eastern and National League Scores—Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—FRIDAY.

At Scranton—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Springfield 1 3 1

Batteries—Johnson and Bergen; Coughlin and Leahy. Umpire—Gaffney.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—FRIDAY.

At Pittsburgh—First game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Brooklyn 6 12 3

Pittsburgh 2 0 4

Batteries—Payne and Grim; Hawley and Merritt. Umpire—Brett.

At Pittsburgh—Second game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Brooklyn 6 12 3

Pittsburgh 2 0 4

Batteries—Abner and Darr; Barrill, Foreman and Sinden. Umpire—Brett.

At Cleveland—First game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Baltimore 6 12 3

Cleveland 2 0 4

Batteries—Epper and Clarke; Cuddy and Zimmer. Umpires—Robinson, Wilson and Hurst.

At Cleveland—Second game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Baltimore 6 12 3

Cleveland 2 0 4

Batteries—Clarkson and Clarke; Cuddy and Zimmer. Umpire—Hurst.

At Cincinnati—First game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Washington 6 12 3

Cincinnati 2 0 4

Batteries—McJannet and McGuire; Fisher and Vaughn. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Cincinnati—Second game—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Washington 6 12 3

Cincinnati 2 0 4

Batteries—German and McGuire; Foreman and Peitz. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Chicago—R. H. E. 0 6 3

New York 6 12 3

Chicago 2 0 4

Batteries—Clark and Wilson; Griffith and Klitridge. Umpire—Limalie.

At Louisville—R. H. E. 0 6 3

Philadelphia 6 12 3

Louisville 2 0 4

Batteries—Carner and Clemente; McDermott and Dexter. Umpire—McFarland.

At St. Louis—R. H. E. 0 6 3

St. Louis 6 12 3

Boston 2 0 4

Batteries—Hart and McFarland; Lewis and Burgh. Umpire—Lynch.

SONG OF THE ROOSTER.

I don't care for politics.

Or pull, or place or plunder.

Give me a red-hot baseball game,

Where I can yell like thunder.

—Buffalo Express.

A curious accident happened in Boston a few weeks ago. Hughey Duffy drove a home run over the left-field fence on the Providence Railroad track. A laborer on his way from work was walking along the track, and the ball from Duffy's bat hit him full in the face and knocked him flat on his back, and broke the small bones in his nose.

—FLY.

Albany (late Toronto club) defeated Syracuse Friday by 22 to 12.

Anson has some mighty sluggers on his team, and yet he leads them all in batting. Rare old man!

Many league eyes are already fastened upon Fifeled, the successful young pitcher of the Detroit club.

The Washingtons are touted as the best team of waiters at the bat in the league, excepting Cleveland.

Washington has at last experienced a bit of genuine hard luck through the crippling of Maul's pitching arm.

—THE TURF.

WINDSOR RACES.

Windsor, Ont., July 11.—Results of yesterday's races at the Windsor Driving Park:

First race, 2:40 trot, purse \$500:

Happy Jim, b. s., W. G. Swearingen, Columbus, O. 4 1 1 1

Ellie, b. m., C. W. Zimmer, East Buffalo, Ohio 2 4 2 2

Magie B., gr. m., J. M. Bullock, Dickinson, La., dr 3 2 2 4

Otto Prince, b. s., A. C. Penock, Glenville, Ohio 3 2 2 4

Dorothea, blk. f., S. R. Miller, Windsor, 5 3 4 3

Peter, ch. g., Glen Oak Stables, Detroit 1 dis

Monitor, Stanton W. and Emma Carver drawn

Time—2:30 1-2, 2:35 2-4, 2:25 1-2, 2:36.

Second race, 2:09 pace, purse \$500:

Jeffie, b. s., T. Cootway, Monticello, Wis. 6 1 1 1

Raven, blk. m., R. E. Westlake, Scranton, Pa. 1 2 3 3

Bull-Mont, gr. f., J. E. Edwards, Chicago 2 5 5 2

Nellie Rooker, b. m., Jos. Lendhard, Buffalo 3 8 2 6

Edie Powers, b. m., A. A. Scott, Lima, Ohio 4 6 4 4

Fred K., br. g., A. McDonald, Buffalo 5 4 6 5

Wesley R. drawn

Time—2:15 1-4, 2:14, 2:14, 2:15.

Third race, 2:20 trot, purse \$500:

Little Jim, b. s., T. E. Pierce, Chatham 1 1 1 1

Oudan, blk. s., A. McDonald, Buffalo 2 2 2 3

Myra Simmons, m., Richmond Stock Farm, Toledo, Ohio 4 4 2 2

Brown Dude, br. g., J. B. Pettit, Port Huron, Mich. 6 3 5 5

Hans McDermott, ch. m., R. Bowman, Toledo, Ohio 3 9 4 4

Red Aaron, s. g., W. S. Rhodes, Canfield, Ohio 8 7 8

Forster, gr. s., G. W. McLaughlin, Detroit 9 5 6 7

Big York, sr. g., Geo. W. Singler, Baltimore 7 8 9

Nellie Alison, br. m., W. E. McLaughlin, Detroit 5 6 7

Time—2:19 1-2, 2:15 1-4, 2:16 1-4.

ROBERT J. WINS.

Elkhart, Ind., July 11.—Over 5,000 people witnessed yesterday one of the finest races ever given at Elkhart's racing park. It was the free-for-all pace, \$3,000 purse, and was a race for blood. Robert J. won in straight heats and lowered the track record 5 seconds. Sadie was second, Frank Agan third, and John R. Gentry fourth. Best time, 1:30.

CRICKET.

LONDON ASYLUM DEFEATED.

London Asylum cricketers were easy marks for the Hamilton team. The game was booked for 11 o'clock, but it did not start until the previous day's game induced old cricketers to believe that the team from the Ambitious City would share a similar fate. But in this they were disappointed. Southam, for Hamilton, made four more runs than the whole London team. Pope and England, for the Asylum, were the only ones to make double figures. Hamilton declared the inning closed after piling up 170 runs for seven wickets. The day had a tendency to dampen the ardor of the most enthusiastic cricketer, being showery at regular intervals, and the Asylum team no doubt thought that, having beaten Toronto, they could retire from the contest of yesterday on the laurels they won. The

game was witnessed by a large number of spectators. Score: HAMILTON.

Darcy Martin, b. Pope 30

Counsell, b. Reid 1

N. Gillespie, l. b. w. b. Pope 4

M. Southam, c. Sippi, b. Pope 4

Fleet, b. Pope 11

P. R. Martin, b. Pope 20

Dean, c. Daly, b. Reid 1

Crerar, not out 28

White, not out 7

Leggatt, not out 0

Levi, not out 0

Extras 7

Total 170

LONDON ASYLUM.

Walker, c. Fleet, b. Gillespie 2

England, b. F. Martin 11

Rev. F. W. Terry, b. F. Martin 2

Pope, b. Gillespie 12

F. Reid, b. Martin 0

Daly, C. Counsell, b. Gillespie 2

Bucks, b. Gillespie 1

Dr. Hobbs, b. Gillespie 0

Angus, b. Martin 7

Thurling, c. Counsell, b. Martin 4

C. Sippi, not out 2

Extras 6

Total 48

FOREST VS. WYOMING.

Forest, Ont., July 11.—An exciting cricket match was played between the eleven of Wyoming and Forest on the grounds of the former team on Thursday. Forest went to bat first, and secured 80 runs, the principal contributors being Karn (7), and Tripp (17), not out. Wyoming played steadily in the first inning, netting 76 runs, of which Rice batted out 15, and Mustard played for 12. Tripp got 15 runs by fine cricket on going to bat in Forest's second inning, he being the only man to get into double figures. Forest totalling up 51 runs. Wyoming went to bat with everything apparently in their favor, but owing to the excellent bowling of G. Van Valkenburg, who did the hat trick, and S. Pepper, they failed to make the necessary 37 to win, and were disposed of for only 22 runs. Forest won by 14 runs on the total. The game was keenly contested from first to last.

THE WHEEL.

It is now estimated that at least 4,000,000 people are riding bicycles on this continent, and that if the \$200,000,000 invested in cycle factories be added to \$10,000,000 paid for wheels and outfit for riders, we may fairly say over \$500,000,000 is invested in bicycles alone in America, and something like \$800,000 in Canada.

THE PROGRESSIVE BICYCLE BAG.

THE PROGRESSIVE BICYCLE BAGPIPE.

The Scottish bagpipe has been heard on the hills of mid Scotland; it has entered the soldier to deeds of daring on the battlefield; it has been heard at the festive gathering, but not until last Tuesday evening have we ever heard of its stirring music being discoursed from like modern institution, the bicycle. On that evening nearly 50 of the best riders of the South Side invited John Crerar, the well-known Scotch piper, to accompany them, and seated on one of the saddles of a tandem John pedaled with all his power and "hoed'd an' blew wi' might an' main" such stirring airs as "The Campbells Are Comin'" and other favorites from his soul-inspiring chanter. Starting from Mr. Crerar's place of business at 37 Thirty-first streets, the cyclists moved to Michigan avenue, and spinning down to Fifty-fifth street boulevard, passed through Washington Park and back to the starting point by way of the Grand boulevard. Shouts of applause greeted the piper and his cycling friends as they sped through the boulevards, and hundreds of sympathetic cyclists joined the procession as it wound its way over the South Side. Bagpipe music from a bicycle is a novelty that will not soon be forgotten.—Chicago Western British American, July 4.

LAWN BOWLING.

LONDON VS. SOUTH LONDON.

Lawn bowling was carried on at the London Bowling Club's grounds yesterday afternoon despite the rain. A one-rink contest was on between South London and the city, resulting in favor of the city by only two shots. The game throughout was remarkably close. Fine play was the order of the day. Score:

South London—E. Weld, J. Pope, M. J. Kent, John Weld (skip), 18.

London—D. D. Sutherland, Col. Fisher, J. S. McDougall, A. Faritt (skip), 15.

Majority for London, 2 shots.

A LOCAL TOURNAMENT.

London bowlers are up to their eyes in work at present. Early in May, on the completion of the new lawn and renovation of the club house, the bowlers took active steps to bind all bowlers together, and at the meeting for the purpose of organizing the Western Ontario Bowling Association, held here on May 25, the question as to grouping the different clubs and arranging the first year's games was referred to a committee, consisting of President Macbeth and Secretary Ed Ward. Since that time all of the western clubs have been communicated with, and although some have joined the association, yet quite a considerable number, either by reason of not being themselves thoroughly well established, or for other reasons, have not yet determined whether or not to join, or have postponed joining for the present. Under these circumstances, the committee have thought it best, at all events for this year, that the idea of grouping the clubs be abandoned, and in arranging for this year's games it was decided that a lawn bowling tournament be held in London, commencing on Labor Day, Sept. 7, next, at which there will be rink competitions, also doubles and singles. It was also decided that any club is to be entitled to enter either one or two rinks. There will be no limit, however, as to the number of players of a club in either the doubles or singles. A committee has been appointed to arrange for suitable prizes. No entry fee is to be charged in rink competitions, but a fee of 50 cents per rink is to be charged in doubles and singles, to go towards providing the prizes for the same. It is intended to publish a circular with as full particulars as possible, which will be sent to each club in ample time before the date of the tournament.

The London club confidently hope that at sister clubs will unite to make the tournament a successful and enjoyable one, and so promote a friendly feeling with the different clubs, and extend the interest taken in the game of lawn bowls.

ATHLETICS.

A TWENTY-ROUND DRAW.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 11.—The 20-round fight between Young Griffo, of Australia, and Jack Everhardt, of New Orleans, at the Lyceum Theater last night, was declared a draw at the end of the 20th round. The fight was very evenly contested, and at the finish both men appeared quite fresh.

Baking Powder, pure, 50c pound, at Anderson & Nelles' drug store. ywt

When a man has a holiday himself he seems to forget that the rest of the world is busy.

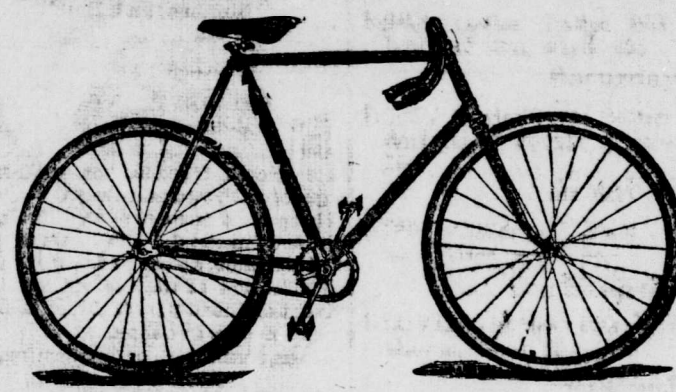
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DAVIDSON

The following are the wins made at this year's C. W. A. Meet:

HARLEY DAVIDSON, who won the professional half-mile championship, the professional five-mile championship and the professional mile open.

ANGUS MCLEOD, who won the professional mile championship, third place in the professional half-mile championship, and third place in the professional five-mile championship.

WILL MCINTOSH, who won second place in the professional mile open, and third place in the professional mile championship.

E. COOPER, who won the professional mile 2:40 class and fourth place in the professional one-mile handicap.

R. E. AXTON, who won the one-mile open amateur, in which he made the fastest competition mile made at the meet, besides winning third place in the one-mile amateur.

AXTON That Crimson Flash led the Procession in all the Championships

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Western Ontario.

Latest Happenings in This Section of the Province

The midsummer meeting of the Western Bar Association will be held at Stratford on July 17.

The Sarnia Post has ceased publishing its daily edition, after eighteen months' experience. The Sarnia Observer now has the daily field to itself.

E. Backader, for many years city agent of the G. T. R. at Brantford, was presented with a handsome gold pin, with a diamond setting, from a few friends Wednesday.

A special committee of the Stratford City Council has been appointed at Ald. Scrimgeour's request to ascertain if he used undue influence as an alderman to secure the election of Mr. MacLaren for North Perth.

At a largely attended meeting of Knox Church congregation, Guelph, on Wednesday, a unanimous call was extended to Rev. W. A. J. Martin, of Toronto, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum and one month's holidays.

Toronto Telegram: A relative of Dr. Dixon, who lives in this city, says he is positive that he has not yet arrived in Toronto. He was exceedingly surprised to hear of the doctor's departure from Chatham. The doctor is said to be in Mexico.

The notorious Tom Bowerman, of "Swamp Angel" fame, was before the judge at Woodstock on Wednesday, charged with stealing a silver watch from Wm. Campbell, near Otterville. He was found guilty and sentenced to eleven months less five days in the Central Prison.

Sarnia Observer: Mayor Morrison and Reeve Barr held a short session of police court Wednesday, at which about \$70 was taken in fines, three of the town hotel-keepers being charged by Inspector Palmer with keeping more than one bar-room on their licensed premises. They all pleaded guilty to the charge, and were fined \$25 each.

The council of Listowel are submitting a bylaw to raise \$15,000 for the purpose of acquiring or constructing

a system of waterworks, and gas or electric light works for municipal or other purposes. The vote will be taken on Aug. 21. The debentures will cover a term of years. The present debt of Listowel is \$80,000, and the rateable property is \$755,230.

Master Mechanic Flynn, of the M. C. R., at St. Thomas, has received orders to build two yard and one passenger engine at the shops there. The drive wheels are to be made of solid steel, the first of the kind to be used on the road. All the other engine drive wheels in use on the road are made of cast iron, and have only a steel outer rim or tire.

A congregational meeting was held at Knox Church, St. Thomas, Wednesday night. John McCall was appointed delegate to the meeting of the London Presbytery to be held at Port Stanley on July 14. He was instructed under the circumstances not to oppose the resignation of Rev. J. A. Macdonald, although the congregation regretted to part with the pastor.

Lewis Harmon was put in the dock at Windsor Wednesday charged with criminal assault upon Charlotte King, a 17-year-old girl, employed by his wife. The young woman, on cross-examination by Lawyer Hanna, failed to show that she had made any outcry while able to do so, but the evidence justified Harmon's commitment for trial. His case will come up at the assizes next September.

The domestic differences of Mr. and Mrs. M. Penhale, of St. Thomas, bid fair to be shortly aired in the courts. Mr. D. B. S. Crothers has been instructed by Mrs. Penhale to bring an action against her husband for alimony and against Messrs. Geo. Crocker, Dr. Fitzsimmons and T. Penhale for damages for the part they took in causing Mrs. Penhale to vacate the family residence on Talbot street.

Rev. D. S. Hamilton, B.A., of Forest, has gone to Montreal to assume the pastorate of the Point St. Charles Congregational Church, left vacant by the resignation of Rev. Thomas Hall. Mr. Hamilton studied at McGill University, and graduated from the Congregational College there over two years ago. Since then he has very successfully labored as pastor of a Congregational church in Forest.

Since April 1 the following are a few of the wills entered for probate in the Surrogate Court, Stratford: Robert Bone, Blanshard, \$1,400 personal, \$50-

000 real; Geo. Kerslake, Hibbert, \$1,500 personal, \$5,500 real; Thos. Foster, Blanshard, \$850 personal, \$3,500 real; Susan McLaren, Hibbert, \$3,950 real; John Cole, Hibbert, \$2,000 personal, \$5,000 real; Francis Brooks, Fullarton, \$945 66 personal; Wm. Workman, Stratford, \$16,778 personal, \$3,500 real.

The sudden and unexpected death of E. H. Hutton, chief clerk of customs at Guelph, at the general hospital Wednesday evening, came with a most painful shock to many of the citizens of Guelph, where the deceased was so widely known and so generally esteemed. Mrs. Hutton was married some twelve years ago to Miss Emily White, a daughter of the late Rev. Jas. White, one of the early Methodist ministers in British Columbia, and a sister of Rev. J. H. White, of Victoria, B. C. They have three children.

The season is sufficiently advanced to form some idea of how the different crops are likely to turn out this year. Fall wheat, except in a few instances, is not promising, being thin and uneven. There does not appear to be very much sown. Peas look better, so we think will oats, especially what was put in early. Hay varies considerably, but in general will be light. Perhaps half a crop would be a fair estimate. In low ground it is much better. Potatoes promise very well, but it is too early to speak of the root crops.—Warton Echo.

Maldstone has the honor of possessing a pugilistic ecclesiastic. This is Father Magee, who the other day administered a sound thrashing to Tollker Welsh. Welsh, it is said, made use of some very profane and abusive language towards the clergyman, and now carries many marks of the chastisement administered. I. B. Cornwall, it is said, is seriously considering whether or not he will prosecute Father Magee. Rumor has it that Father Magee secured an order from Inspector Pacaud forbidding hotel-keepers to supply Welsh with liquor, and that this led to the outbreak—Chatham Planet.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

A cycle-cleaning brigade is proposed for London, the boys to be stationed at street corners, like the bootblacks.

From a Balloon.

Cubans Will Let Fall a Rain of Dynamite.

Trochas, Warships and Cities Will Suffer—A Unique Scheme.

New York, July 10.—A report is current that the Cuban revolutionaries are at present considering plans for a monster balloon. This aerial ship will carry 100 men and a quantity of dynamite to Cuba. The dynamite is to be used in blowing up the trochas in Puerto Principe and Pinar del Rio, the Spanish warships in Cuban waters, and the big cities occupied by the Spaniards.

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The showing in this line is very handsome and complete. Pretty sure to have what you are looking for, and for less money than you expect. White and Drab Corsets, woven in certain sizes, worth 75c and \$1, selling now for 50c. Great demand for our Summer Corset, selling elsewhere for 50c, we sell for 40c.

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Pongee Striped, newest shades, 12c. Lawn, 10c yards wide, 10c and 12c. Organzies, black and white ground, 15c. Ladies' Tan Hose, fast, colors, seamless, spliced heels and toes, 25c and 25c per pair. Art Muslin, extra wide width, only 7c per yard. Art Satene, new patterns, 12c, 15c and 20c per yard. Fine Curtain Net, double fold, 10c, 12c and 15c. Special Line of Curtains, taped, three yards wide, your choice of patterns for 50c. Curtains, taped, 3 1/2 yards wide beautiful patterns, for 75c, \$1, and \$1 25. Ladies' Chatelaine Bags, leather, for 15c, 25c, 50c and 75c. Ladies' Bicycle Bags, 25c, 50c and 75c.

Ladies' Underwear.

Buy them here at lower prices than any other place. The best quality, light weight. Take this as a sample: Ladies' Undershirts, laced front, worth 15c, selling out at 10c. Ladies' Corset Covers, 15c. Ladies' Chemisettes, trimmed and plain 15c. Ladies' Night Gowns, full sizes, trimmed, 50c.

SUICIDED WITH A PIECE OF GLASS.

Montreal, July 11.—Louis Couillard, of St. Henri, Que., aged 46 years, who has been drinking hard lately, cut his throat late on Thursday night with a piece of glass, and died next morning.

KILLED BY A BINDER.

St. Jacobs, Ont., July 11.—Enoch Bauman, one of the most respected farmers of Woolwich township, who lived two miles east of this place, was accidentally killed yesterday afternoon while cutting wheat with a binder. How the accident exactly happened cannot be learned, as only a young son of Mr. Bauman was in the near vicinity of the accident. His team, a spirited one, no doubt, ran away while he was fixing something about the binder. When found Mr. Bauman's neck was broken and life was extinct.

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A miser had died very suddenly. The doctor who was called in to certify his death appeared to have his doubts about the case. "Place a shilling in his hand," said the doctor, "and if he does not grasp it, you may safely make the funeral arrangements."

Mrs. Seletia Coon, Syracuse, N.Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Farnell's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat any thing I choose without distressing me in the least." These pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required.

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Democracy's Choice.

Wm. J. Bryan of Nebraska Nominated for President.

A Great Stampede to His Support on the Fifth Ballot.

Virtual Conquest of the Cleveland Administration—Sketch of the Candidate.

Permanent Works.

What the Board of Works Has Been Doing

Around the City Street So Far This Year.

Over \$13,500 has been expended on the city streets so far this year, and the result is a decided improvement in every respect. The work has been done under the careful supervision of Acting Street Commissioner Ironside, and it has been done thoroughly and well. The work includes sewers, stone crossings, sidewalks, and the grading, graveling and rolling of roads.

Among the sewers that have been laid might be mentioned: Horton street (relaid), from Talbot street to Richmond, and from Ridout to the river outlet; and Talbot street (relaid), from Horton to Simcoe street.

The following streets have been gravelled and rolled: Park avenue, from Dundas street to Central avenue; Princess avenue, from Park avenue to Richmond street; Raglan street and George, from Oxford to Grosvenor; Oxford street, from Richmond to Talbot; Richmond street, from Horton to Grey; Simcoe street, from Talbot to Wellington; Clarence street, from Horton to Nelson; Maitland street, from Dundas to Nelson; South street, from Maitland to Colborne; Simcoe street, from William Burwell to Waterloo street; curbed, gravelled and rolled from York to Central avenue; Colborne street, from Dundas to Queen's avenue; curbed, graded and rolled; William street, from Dundas to Queen's avenue; curbed, graded and rolled; Queen's avenue, from Adelaide to Elizabeth, broken stone and rolled; the graveling of Queen's avenue, from Elizabeth street to Ontario, is in progress. Byron avenue has been gravelled, as have been Horton street, Cartwright street, from Dufferin avenue to Central avenue.

Sidewalks have been laid as follows: North side of Simcoe street, Richmond to Clarence, 5 ft. 4 in.; west side of Talbot, Bathurst to York, 6 ft.; west side of Raglan, John and half a block south, 4 ft.; south side Lichfield street, Talbot to river, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Grey, Maitland to Colborne, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Simcoe, Waterloo to Colborne, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Dufferin avenue, William to Adelaide, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Queen's avenue, Ontario to Chelsea, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side York street, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Askin, Cynthia to Wharncliffe, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Langstaff, Cathcart to Warden, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Wharncliffe east, 40 feet, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Elmwood avenue, Ridout street to Marley Place, 5 ft. 4 in.; Askin street, between Warden and Cathcart, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Victor street, Wharncliffe road east, 4 ft.; west side Wharncliffe road, from overhead bridge to Evergreen avenue, 4 ft.; east side Chesley avenue, from Horton road to Van street, 4 ft.; north side Ormsby, from Egerton to Sackville, 4 ft.; south side Oxford, from Adelaide street to Elizabeth, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side of Byrds, from Gore to Egerton street, 4 ft.; north side Grey, Rectory street, west, 4 ft.; north side Piccadilly, Colborne to Maitland, 5 ft. 4 in.; east side Colborne, Queen's avenue to Dufferin avenue, 5 ft. 4 in.; east side Colborne, Queen's to Dufferin avenue, 5 ft. 4 in.; east side Maitland, Pall Mall to Piccadilly, 5 ft. 4 in.; east side Colborne, Pall Mall to Queen street, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Princess avenue, Cartwright to William, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side York, Colborne to Waterloo, 4 ft.; south side Bathurst, Wellington street to Waterloo, 5 ft. 4 in.; north side Horton, William to Hamilton road, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Waterloo, Grey to South, 5 ft. 4 in.; east side of Wellington, from King to York, 5 ft. 4 in.; south side Queen's avenue, Park avenue west, 5 ft.; north side of Central avenue, Richmond to Wellington, 6 ft.; west side George, Ann to Carling's Creek, 4 ft.; south side Nelson, Clarence to Wellington, 5 ft.; west side Wellington, York to Bathurst, 6 ft.

Stone crossings have been laid at Queen's and Pall Mall, Pall Mall and Colborne, Queen's avenue and Elizabeth (2), Simcoe and Maitland, Hamilton road and William, Simcoe and Waterloo (2), St. James and George, and Adelaide and Hill.

All the street railway lines have been gravelled and put in shape. Bruce street, Pall Mall, Bathurst and Clarence street, abandoned railway streets, have been graded from curb to curb by the company.

A 12-foot sidewalk has been placed on the south side of Carling street, behind the stores. This is a great convenience in unpacking goods.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron states: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a like trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than a half bottle cured me. I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

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FOUND A CAN OF GOLD.—Vancouver, B. C., July 10.—A story was recently chronicled of a farmer finding a gold nugget in the crop of a hen. Now comes another story from Lorne Creek, this time about a dog. John Weale, of Lorne Creek, is showing his friends \$750 in gold dust in a rusty old can. Mr. Woods says he saw his dog Jack digging a hole in the corner of the house. He stopped him, and when plugging the hole up found a can. It was very heavy and contained nearly \$800 in gold dust. Mr. Woods has a theory that it belonged to an old miner named Bengby, who was drowned in the Skeena.

Fiendish Work.

Forty Deaths Caused by Train Wreckers in Russia.

Revolt in Mashonaland Has Become Very Formidable.

Reported Offer of Amnesty to the Matabele Forces.

The Deceased Wife's Sister Bill Passed by the British Lords.

CABLE CONFERENCE DEFERRED.

London, July 11.—It has been decided that the Pacific cable conference will not reassemble in London until October next.

A GIFT WORTH GETTING.

Berlin, July 11.—The Allgemeine Zeitung announces that Baron Hirsch's widow has donated \$20,000,000 to promote the emigration of Russian Jews to Argentina.

CHANGED HIS MIND.

London, July 11.—Earl Gray, administrator for the Chartered South African Company at Bulawayo, has accepted the services of the Cape Transvaal Corps, which he had previously declined.

TRAIN WRECKERS' TERRIBLE WORK.

St. Petersburg, July 11.—A passenger train has been derailed near Bartraki, on the Samara Railway, in South-east Russia. Forty persons were killed and injured. The accident was caused by obstructions placed on the rails. The authors of the act have not been traced.

ENTERPRISING CANADIANS.

London, July 11.—The town council of Birmingham has before it an offer from Mr. Wm. McKenzie, president of the Toronto Street Railway Company, and Mr. Jas. Ross, president of the Montreal Street Railway, to purchase the whole street system within the town. The total length of the line sought to be acquired is 27 miles 34.7 chains.

IN SPITE OF THE CLERICALS.

London, July 11.—The Deceased Wife's Sister Bill passed its third reading in the House of Lords last night by a vote of 204 to 142. The Duke of Argyll, the Duke of Norfolk, the Duke of Rutland, and the Duke of Devonshire, all voted in support of the bill.

CYCLIST DIED OF APOPLEXY.

London, July 11.—Mrs. Anna Hodgins, wife of a well-known Canadian barrister while riding a bicycle in Battersea Park on Wednesday fainted and fell from her wheel. Mr. John Burns, the labor leader and member of Parliament for Battersea and Clapham, lifted her, and she died a few minutes later. A coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the cause of her death was apoplexy.

IMPROBABLE.

London, July 11.—The Government was questioned in the House of Commons in regard to the truth of the statements contained in a dispatch from Athens, published in the Westminster Gazette, that Russia was prompting France to occupy Crete and hold that island against Great Britain's tenure of Cyprus; that the Greek Government had become alarmed at the idea of the Greeks to accept the terms of the Porte, and that the British fleet had been so strengthened as to practically block the island of Crete.

MAY DRIVE OUT THE BRITISH.

London, July 11.—A Bulawayo dispatch to the Telegraph says the expedition into the Matopos Hills against the Matabeles has been temporarily abandoned. The Afrikaner corps refuses to fight owing to dissatisfaction with the conditions of the expedition.

BRITISH STYLE OF ROWING THE BEST.

London, July 11.—A dinner was given last evening at the Sports' Clubs to the members of the Yale crew who took part in the Henley regatta. Mr. Jackson, the president of the Sports Club, presided. Commander Cowles made a speech, in the course of which he said he believed that Yale would again compete at Henley, and would profit by their experience of this year. The Americans, he added, were beaten, but the defeat was tempered by hospitality the English knew so well how to dispense. Chairman Jackson eulogized the Yale men as sportsmen and ex-athletes.

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COMMENTS ON THE DEMOCRATS' CHOICE.

London, July 11.—Commenting on the action of the Chicago convention, the Standard says that the only alternative for the honest money Democrats is to rally to the support of McKinley, who now alone represents the forces of honesty and fair financial dealings. The paper assumes McKinley's election, and says it foresees that Great Britain will have to face downright commercial hostility. It concludes by saying that the collapse of the Democracy, and the triumph of McKinleyism, will not gladden the hearts of Englishmen.

The Daily News says that Bryan's views are great nonsense; nevertheless he is a perfectly logical bimetalist. McKinley is almost certain to win. Anyhow, he is sound on the money question, despite his rampant protectionism.

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AYLMER.

"Advertiser" Agent, Dan Conrad. Aylmer, July 11.—Mr. Charles Titus, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending a few days in town with his friends.

Rev. E. Bridgeman, of Aylmer, will occupy the pulpit of the Springfield Baptist Church tomorrow.

Mr. R. Holme, route agent of the Dominion Express Company, was in town this week.

Court Surplus, Ancient Order of Foresters, Aylmer, will attend church service at Tilsonburg with the lodge of that town on Sunday, July 19.

A large number from Aylmer will go to the Falls on Friday next with the Michigan Central employees.

A violin recital was given last evening in the kindergarten school room by Miss Blanche Ridsen and her pupils. There was a large crowd present.

Miss Lottie Ballah, of Aylmer, graduated with honors at the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

Miss Anderson, of St. Thomas, is visiting in town, the guest of Miss Campbell.

Miss Nellie Campbell will spend her vacation with friends in Galt.

Mr. W. W. Rutherford, principal of the Aylmer Collegiate Institute, left yesterday for Belleville to attend the Grand Lodge of Masons.

A large number of young people from Aylmer were picnicking yesterday at Port Bruce.

The weather not being favorable, many were prevented from attending the "At Home" given at the Baptist Church by Mrs. Kimball and Rev. C. H. Kimball, but all who were there report having a most social and enjoyable time. The basement, in which refreshments were served, was very prettily decorated with flowers and bunting. The tables were most inviting, and after all had partaken of the tempting viands the company adjourned to the room above where a short programme was given. Mr. J. W. Hutchison occupied the chair, and short addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Livingston, of the Methodist Church; Rev. R. W. Ballah, of the Disciples; Rev. Mr. Bridgeman and Rev. Mr. Kimball.

Miss Helen Arkell left today for Tyngton to spend the holidays.

Mr. Burwash, of Port Burwell, was in town yesterday.

Aylmer's Civic Holiday, Aug. 13. Still they keep coming—the horses, for the Aylmer big race meeting.

Mr. Graves, of Malahide, had some parties up before P. M. McMillan today, the trouble arising over the ownership of some fruit. The case is not finished yet.

Man's Advantage Over Women.

A man, unfortunately for him, is not such a victim to fashion's decrees as a woman. Neatness and comfort are the main requisites; after that, the rest is left to the clothing manufacturer or tailor. Extreme features of any kind are rarely a success, as few men care to make themselves noticeable by any pronounced effect in their costume, and very few changes are made through different seasons in the cut and style of men's suits. But any new idea for gaining extra comfort is quickly appropriated, and thus the Fiber Chairs, which furnish the stylish to women's clothes, is now being used through men's outer coats, to give that comforting warmth and protection which will defy wind or rain, equally well, and yet adds no perceptible weight.

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—Browning.

London, Saturday, July 11.

The description of a new electrical contrivance for the thawing out of old oil wells, contained in our news columns today, will prove particularly interesting to "Advertiser" readers in the Canadian oil region. If the invention can be successfully worked in the United States it will, no doubt, be given a trial in Canada also.

No telegraph wires or poles are to be found in the British metropolis. If they were allowed, the sky would be black, and the streets impassable with them. Such is the contention of Mr. Perrault, one of the Canadian delegates to the Congress of Boards of Trade. In an interview with the Montreal Star, Mr. Perrault says that every wire in London is under ground—that is, under the footpaths. Nine 3-inch iron tubes are imbedded, and clustered under the pavement about two feet deep, and in these pipes are enclosed hundreds of isolated wires and cables. At certain distances from traps two feet square are located to make connections and perform any necessary repairs. The system works admirably. Doubtless, it will in due time be adopted in all large cities on this continent. The danger, in case of fire, from a network of poles and wires in the crowded streets of a city, is very great.

Whiskered men are not in it in the United States this year. Both the candidates of the two great parties are bare-faced.

Sir Charles Tupper never sat in the House as Premier. He did not take hold till Parliament was dead, but he started in to promise offices with a greater prodigality than had ever been displayed by a Parliamentary leader.

The warmth of the reception tendered to the visiting Boston military men by Queen Victoria is said to have much displeased Col. Denison, of Toronto. It is not improbable that the fiery colonel may take steps to impeach her Majesty for lack of loyalty to herself.

One of the pre-election threats of the Conservative managers was that the Kingston cotton factory would shut down unless Tupper was sustained. A combine organ went the story one better, the other day, and asserted that the mill had actually been closed. Now the secretary of the company asserts that this is a lie, and that the mill is running full time and is likely to do so for some time to come, as there are sufficient orders on hand to keep the present staff employed. There is no talk whatever of closing the mill. Cotton manufacturing was a paying industry very many years ago, and will continue to be so.

Something awful may happen if Premier Laurier and his Ministers refuse to read the diatribes planned for their instruction by disgruntled correspondents of Tupper newspapers.

A man who had been dead several years had the enterprise to come back and vote at polling division 15, Moore, West Lambton, at the recent general election. As his name was on the antiquated voters' list, no one was able to prevent the ghost from exercising the franchise.

Mr. Gladstone recently wrote an interesting article for a New York Journal, in which he stated that far too many persons wasted their energies on writing mediocre verse. His advice is that no one should write poetry unless he can make it really good verse. The trouble with the embryo poet, however, is that he is rarely contented to accept the judgment of others as to his abilities, and the longer he lives the more firmly does he become possessed of the idea that he is a Shakespeare, or a Burns, or a Moore, in disguise. If anyone says him nay, woe unto him!

Fate of Offensive Partisans.

When Sir Charles Tupper left his High Commissioner's office in the British capital, in 1891, and came to Canada to help to fight his party's battles, he acknowledged that a civil servant who became a party worker when his friends were in power necessarily had to look for retirement when they were defeated. Taking the defeated Prime Minister's declaration as a fair statement of the risks which civil servants openly run when they become offensive partisans, it is readily seen why some officers, with strong Conservative proclivities, who entered violently into the recent campaign, are now afraid that they will have to go. If they are superseded, they will only have themselves to blame, for they got ample warning from their own political leader.

A civil servant who has simply been doing his duty has nothing to fear from a change of Government. The fearful ones are those who know they deserve dismissal.

Imperative Work for the First Session.

It has been stated that the only business to be done at the ensuing session of Parliament will be the passage of the estimates for conducting the public service for the next twelve months.

Something more must be done. In view of the bye-elections that must come off, a measure must be introduced and passed providing the cheapest and best means for securing a decent voters' list.

This is especially necessary in city elections, where the constant change of population makes an up-to-date list an absolute necessity.

A simple measure would surely have the unanimous support of the new House.

Certainly no greater farce could be enacted than to hold the bye-elections on the voters' lists now existing.

Burked Inquiries and the Duty of the New Parliament.

It would not surprise us if a considerable portion of the time of the new Parliament, soon to hold its first session in Ottawa, is taken up with the investigation of rascalities condoned or glossed over by the men who were recently driven from power. Under the regime which has just closed, when most serious charges were made against Ministers of the Crown, members of Parliament and judges, if the accused were partisan friends of the men in power, no proper investigation was permitted, and men who ought to have been sent to the penitentiary were sympathized with and honored, apparently because of the very evil that they had done.

For example, Mr. Edgar, M.P., formulated a straight indictment against Sir Adolphe Caron, a member of the Government, and asked for a committee of the House to investigate the charges, which, on his responsibility as a member of Parliament, he declared to be true. The Conservative Government first refused point blank to permit any investigation, on the ground that the charges were not specific, and though there was not a precedent for their course, the baffled Ministers resolved to appoint a commission of their own creation to inquire into the charges. But the Conservative leaders declined to accept Mr. Edgar's indictment. They emasculated the charges made by him, so as to deprive them of their true meaning, and by this means whitewashed their Ministerial associate! Why should the accusations, as originally laid before Parliament, not be investigated now?

Then there were the charges of gross partisanship of judges, of which those made in the London election case are a sample. It will be remembered that after the election scandal of 1892 a petition couched in respectful terms was presented to Parliament. In it responsible citizens of London made serious allegations against County Judge William Elliot, and respectfully petitioned the representatives of the people to appoint a committee to inquire into the charges set forth in the document. All investigation was contemptuously refused, though no defense of the conduct of the judge was essayed. It will be for the new Parliament, the majority of the members of which, we feel assured, are ready to say that justice must be done, to consider whether the treatment of this petition by the late Ministry shall be allowed to stand as a precedent.

Inquiry ought also to be made as to whether or not there was warrant for voting down all investigation into the charges against Hon. John Haggart, and it might not be out of place for the new Parliament to satisfy the country if it can, why Ouderdonk, the con-

tractor, found it so easy to get from Sir Charles Tupper far more money than the estimated value of the work which was paid for.

And when these burked investigations have been cleared up, the new Dominion Parliament will find that it has but touched the outer edge of that which has been hidden away because it would not bear the light of investigation.

Outlets for Our Factories.

The successful enterprise of the Bennett Manufacturing Company, of this city, suggests further development in the same direction in the near future. This company conducts a business of a staid character than the majority of Canadian enterprises. A large portion of its trade is done with Great Britain, though it does business in every section of Canada. Within the last few days it has shipped seats for the historic chapel of Linlithgow Palace, besides filling orders for school desks for Swansea and West Ham, a suburb of London, which has grown at a marvelous rate, and other old world cities. The Bennett Company places the manufactures produced by London workmen in competition with the world and carries the day.

Are there not other departments of the woodworking industry in which our mechanics could be employed for the export trade with suitable profit to capitalists? We ought to be just as able to compete with other countries in the manufacture of portable houses as in the production of school and church furniture. It is remarkable how the manufacture of houses of this description has increased in New York State in recent years. According to the Sun, there are portable dwelling houses and portable boat houses, and portable barracks, and portable club houses, lawn pavilions, engineers', miners', contractors' and other offices; bathing houses, stables, bowling alleys, billiard rooms, hospitals, and so on. There have lately been made two-story portable houses. A two-story portable house of ten rooms costs \$1,800. A house of one room, 8 by 11, with one door and one window, can be bought for \$50; with two cots, two tables and two stools, for \$90. Sometimes a man who owns a portable house hires land on the seashore or in the mountains and sets his house up there for a season, takes it down and stores it in the fall, and next season hires land in another place and sets his house up there. Portable houses are set on stones or blocks, and on posts, and sometimes they are set on permanent foundations. People sometimes have chimneys built where they set up their houses. The portable house manufacturers sell terra cotta chimneys in sections to be stacked up, and it is not unusual for the house owner simply to run out a stovepipe for a chimney.

The United States now exports portable houses to Cuba, South America and South Africa. With our wealth of timber, moderately-paid skilled labor, and other natural advantages, our manufacturers ought to have a fair share of the ever-increasing trade in portable houses. If the taxation on tools or raw materials required in this or kindred manufactures is such as to in any way handicap our manufacturers, we are certain that under the new Government at Ottawa representations to that effect will have every consideration.

What this country needs above everything else is markets—good customers for its products.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

G. and Commandery of Michigan to Visit

London in September.

Detroit Commandery, No. 1, of the Knights Templar, of the Grand Encampment of Michigan, will visit London during Fair week, and by special request will give one of their unequalled exhibitions of drill before the people on the afternoon of Sept. 17. For the past 25 years this body has led all competitors in the United States in the friendly contests of the triennial Templar conclaves for prize drilling. They do not perform for money, their members being composed of Detroit's leading citizens and men of means. They will be joint guests of the Great Priory of the Canadian Knights Templar, the local preceptory and the Western Fair Board, and have consented to remain over for a day and give an exhibition of Templar tactics for the benefit of London's visitors. This body has, perhaps, the largest number of banners and trophies of any order of its nature in America, and at all conclaves in which they have entered, competitors have stood in the background. This exhibition of drill will possibly serve as an educator to all those interested in military movements.

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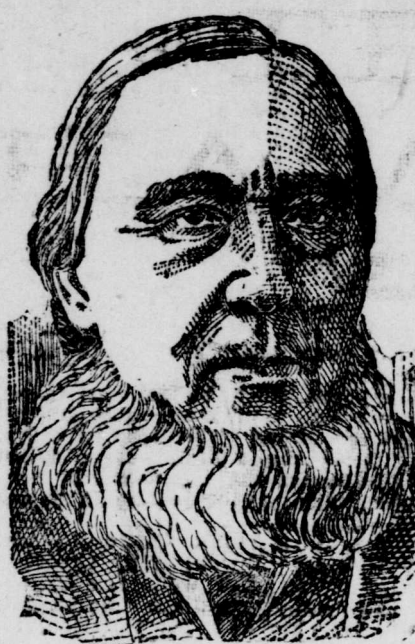
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CHAPMAN'S.

ON GROUND FLOOR.

HOSE—Ladies' Fine Maco Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf black, double soles, heels and toes, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 19c

HOSE—Ladies' Italian Silk Hose, double heel and toes, worth 60c.
Saturday Night 42c

HOSE—Ladies' Mago Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf black, double heels and toes, worth 18c.
Saturday Night 13c

HOSE—Children's Black Cotton Hose, small sizes, worth 8c.
Saturday Night 5c

GLOVES—Ladies' Silk Taffetta and Lisle Gloves, worth 20c.
Saturday Night 10c

GLOVES—Ladies' Colored and Black Silk Gloves, worth 35c.
Saturday Night 25c

TIES—Colored Silk Windsor Ties, worth 30c.
Saturday Night 20c

HAIR PINS—Worth 2c box.
Saturday Night 6 for 5c

GLOVES—White and Natural Chambray Gloves, worth \$1.
Saturday Night 65c

GLOVES—Ladies' Black Silk Gauntlet Gloves, worth 75c.
Saturday Night 45c

NIGHT DRESSES—Ladies' Fine Cambray Night Dresses, trimmed with embroidery, worth 90c.
Saturday Night 63c

BLOUSES—Fine Muslin Blouses, lace or embroidery trimmed, worth \$1 50.
Saturday Night \$1 15

SHIRTS—Men's Fine Cambray Shirts, worth \$1 and \$1 25.
Saturday Night 59c

SHIRTS—Men's Fine Oxford Shirts, separate collar, worth 60c.
Saturday Night 39c

SHIRTS—Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, worth 75c.
Saturday Night 50c

SOCKS—Men's Natural Cotton Socks, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 2 for 25c

SHIRTS—Boys' White Honeycomb Shirts, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 39c

SWEATERS—Boys' Sweaters, all colors, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 39c

TIES—Men's Silk Wash Ties, worth 18c.
Saturday Night 10c

TIES—Men's Light Ties, flowing ends, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 25c

SHIRTS—Men's Black Sateen Shirts, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 50c

DRESS SHIRTS—Men's White Dress Shirts, sizes 17 and 17½, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 29c

LACE—1 lot Colored Wool Lace, worth 10c.
Saturday Night 2c

PLUSH—1 lot Black Plush, to clear
Saturday Night 5c Yard

BINDING—1 lot Combination Binding, velvet, rubber and Wigan, worth 12½c.
Saturday Night 2c

HAIR CLOTH—1 lot Hair Cloth, for stiffening shirts and sleeves, worth 35c.
Saturday Night 12 1-2c

DEBEIGE—1 lot 42-inch All-Wool Debeige, worth 35c.
Saturday Night 17c

WASH GOODS—1 lot Wash Goods, velvet, organdy, muslin, princess checks and chambray, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 10c

DRESS GOODS—1 lot Colored Dress Goods, worth 35c, 50c and 75c.
Saturday Night 25c

CHEMISE CURTAINS—7 pairs only Chemise Curtains, worth \$3 50.
Saturday Night \$2 50

SILKS—1 lot Silks, worth from 30c to 50c.
Saturday Night 17c

GIMPS AND BRAIDS—1 lot Gimps and Braids.
Saturday Night 2c

SHEETING—Bleached Twill Sheet, 2 yards wide, good quality, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 20c

LAWN—45-inch Victoria Lawn, fine texture, worth 15c.
Saturday Night 12 1-2c

CHAMBRAY—Pink and Blue Scotch Chambray, fast colors, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 12 1-2c

SATEEN—Broadened Sateen, pink, cream, garnet and rose, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 12 1-2c

DAMASK—Bleached Table Damask, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 50c

QUILTS—White Quilts, toilet patterns, full size.
Saturday Night 90c

CHALLIE—Figured Wool Challie, dark colors, worth 30c.
Saturday Night 12 1-2c

LAWN—Apron Lawn, 42 inches wide, fancy border, worth 13c.
Saturday Night 10c

MUSLIN—Swiss Muslin, fine quality, worth 13c.
Saturday Night 10c

FLANNEL—Canton Flannel, heavy nap, worth 7c.
Saturday Night 5 1-2c

ON FIRST FLOOR.

SUITS—Men's All-Wool Waterproof Bicycle Suits, worth \$8.
Saturday Night \$4

SUITS—Men's Good-to-Wear Light Tweed Suits, worth \$5 50.
Saturday Night \$3 95

SUITS—Men's Fine All-Wool Tweed Suits, all shades, worth \$7 50.
Saturday Night \$5

SUITS—Men's All-Wool Fine Colored Worsted Suits, worth \$10 50.
Saturday Night \$7 95

SUITS—Men's Black, Brown and Gray Tailor Made Paris Cord Suits, worth \$13.
Saturday Night \$10

SUITS—Men's Fine Tailor-Made Black Worsted Suits, worth \$12.
Saturday Night \$9 50

PANTS—Men's Good All-Wool Summer Pants, worth \$2.
Saturday Night \$1 25

COATS AND VESTS—Men's Fine German Silk Coats and Vests, worth \$6.
Saturday Night \$3

COATS AND VESTS—Men's Black Luster Coats and Vests, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$1 50

COATS—Men's Fine Gray Luster Coats, worth \$2.
Saturday Night \$1

SUITS—Boys' 3-Piece All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$4.
Saturday Night \$2

SUITS—Boys' 2-Piece Fine English Tweed and Worsted Suits, worth \$4 75.
Saturday Night \$3 50

SUITS—Boys' Fancy Trimmed Duck Blouse Suits, worth \$1 25.
Saturday Night 93c

SUITS—Any Child's Jersey Suit in the house, worth \$3 50.
Saturday Night \$2

KNICKERS—Boys' Good-to-Wear Knickers, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 30c

SILK WAISTS—Silk Waists, pale green and blue, very new, worth \$5.
Saturday Night \$3 19

SILK WAISTS—Black and White Check Silk Waists, natty goods, worth \$5.
Saturday Night \$3 75

SILK WAISTS—Figured Silk Waists, worth \$3 75.
Saturday Night \$2 71

SKIRTS—Ladies' Nobby Tweed Skirts, summer weights, lined throughout and bound, worth \$4 50.
Saturday Night \$3 21

SKIRTS—Black Skirts, Black Figured Lustre and Cashmere Skirts, worth \$5.
Saturday Night \$3 71

WRAPPERS—Ladies' Print and Wool Delaine Wrappers. Note special prices—Worth \$1 15, for 75c; worth \$1 75, for \$1 25; worth \$2 50, for \$1 50; worth \$3, for \$1 75.
Saturday Night

DRESSES—Children's Dresses, gingham, cambric, lawn and cream cashmere, worth \$1, for 50c; worth \$1 35, for 85c; worth \$1 75, for \$1 25; worth \$3, for \$2.
Saturday Night

MILLINERY—See our west center window. Hats for \$1 50, worth \$4; Hats for 50c, worth \$2; Hats for 10c, worth \$1. Flowers and Ornaments for 5c, worth 40c. Everything a bargain
Saturday Night

CHAPMAN'S

126 and 128 Dundas Street, London.

Commerce and Finance

The Oil Markets.
PETROLEA.
Petrolea, July 10.—Oil opened and closed
at 81 1/2 today.

CHESTERVILLE, ONT.
Chesterville, Ont., July 10.-
boxes of cheese were boarded

522 sale at Carson Adair's, just east of
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IT'S ON THE GO

and will push itself along. It starts on July 1. From that date on until our surplus stock of Pictures, Picture Frames, Wall Paper, etc., is cleared out, look out for bargains. We mean to dispose of it. Some of it will be given away; the balance will be sold at sacrifice prices. It will pay you to buy even though you may not need the goods just at present.

H. N. HUNT.
120 Dundas Street.

A Brother's Error.

Shielding himself and his father, and coloring all the facts in his own favor, Tom Bliss told the story of the Weidons, and represented with considerable accuracy the condition and value of the estate of John Weidon, with the terms of his father's will. He did not say that Dr. Blanchard or his children could contest the will, but he gave Bouton to understand that if the doctor and his son were out of the way that all would be "plain sailing."

"I see," said Bouton. "If the doctor and his son were out of the way, then you think you and your father would be safe, particularly if you and your brothers married the doctor's daughters, eh?"

"No, not that; there are other heirs."

"In West Virginia?"

"Yes."

"And they, you think, are the only heirs in your way?"

"The only ones."

"Tom Bliss, you may be a good lawyer and as prime a rascal as myself, but you are mistaken about the heirs."

"How do you know that? What can you know about it?" asked the amazed Tom Bliss.

"When we began to speak just now, I didn't think I knew anything, but since I have heard you I find I know more than you do, a great deal more than you do."

"Then I hope you will be equally candid and tell me all about it," said Tom Bliss, who still believed that Bouton was joking him.

"See here, Tom Bliss, how old do I look to be?" Bouton straightened himself up and turned his face to the lawyer.

"About 30, I should say," replied Tom Bliss, after a judicial survey.

"Many thanks for the compliment to my youthful appearance. It is the compensation for my moderate life. I am now in my 29th year, and, like every man, I am just as old as I look and feel, and I never felt better in my life."

"But what has your age to do with this question?"

"More than you think, Tom. Eighteen years ago I was a grown man."

"Twenty-one years of age?"

"Yes, and for four years I had been guiding parties from Council Bluffs west to the mountains."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, indeed. And let me say, Tom, that I guided many curious parties. I've known men to leave Council Bluffs with one name and to have another when they got to the mountains, and I've known men to start out with high hopes and to die before they saw the mountains."

"Yes?"

"Yes, Tom, just as sure as you're sitting there beside me. Oh, I've had lots and lots of experience with people from the States, but I never met such a curious outfit as the Weidons."

"The Weidons?" exclaimed Tom Bliss.

"Yes, Valentine Weidon and his wife and two sons, with signs of another child. I didn't guide them to the mountains, but I was with the man that did."

"To what mountains?"

"I won't say I dare not say. But I'll tell you this: I know where Valentine Weidon and his family are."

"You do?"

"I do."

"And have they changed their names?"

"Yes."

"What name have they now?"

"That I can't tell."

"Why not?"

"Because I haven't got so low as to violate an oath. I see you are surprised at my knowledge."

"I am amazed."

"I could amaze you still more if I wanted to. And Bouton threw back his head and shook with dumb laughter."

"But," said Tom Bliss, "Valentine Weidon is a murderer, and he dare not make himself known—not if he was heir to a kingdom."

"Perhaps not, but the sins of the father, if I know anything about it, are no bar to the children. What's your opinion?"

"I'll think you're right," stammered Tom Bliss. And now his jaunty manner had vanished, and there were dark rings under his eyes.

"Oh, it's very funny how things do happen in this world. I often think that fate is against me, and just as I am about to give up, fortune gives her wheel a whirl, and all is dazzling and bright. She never gave it such a whirl as this."

"No."

"Never, Tom, for I now see that I can possess that estate as easy as you can—easier, indeed, for I have the whole game in my own hands."

"I don't understand you," gasped Tom.

"And I don't intend that you shall. Look at me, Tom, and tell me if you think I'm a cursed fool."

"Tom did look at him, and said:

"No, Bouton; you have lots of sense."

"Yes, Tom, lots and dead loads of horse sense, but I don't much on the fancy kind. You could give me points and beat me out and out on book learning. In a city I'd need a guide, just as city men do in the mountains, but I'm in the mountains now. I'm at home. And I'm going to pan out this find just so long as there is a show of color in the gravel. I must have an equal share of the plunder. I'll let you have charge of the girls. I can make my market in another place."

"Again I don't understand you."

"Put the contract into writing and make me an equal partner; then we'll talk. When I find that you are doing the square thing by me, I'll come right out and tell you the truth—that is, I'll tell you all I know, and I know things that'll make you head them when you hear them. What do you say?"

"What can I do but agree?"

"You'll take me in on the ground floor?"

"Yes."

"Well, Tom here's my hand. Now let us get back and have some breakfast. Business is crowding me now, but I like it. After years of trying I see my way to wealth, and I feel that fortune is again with me."

CHAPTER X.

In obedience to the stronger will and the additional fact that Capt. Barrie had rescued him from his pursuers, Howard Blanchard submitted at once to his control and followed where he led. Back into the hills they went until it was nearly daylight when Howard, who had been stumbling on behind with feet as heavy as his heart, called out:

"Captain, do you think we are bettering ourselves by this flight?"

"You are deceived," replied the captain. "The man who gallops back for reinforcements when the battle is raging can hardly be said to be retreating. If Louis Kyle is living, I expect to hear from him before the sun goes down."

The captain resumed the lead and descending from the mountain side, which they had been traversing, entered a valley. This valley narrowed as they went on, the sloping sides rising at a sharper and sharper angle until they became perpendicular and the valley became a canyon. Through this canyon a thread of clear water flowed, with a splashing and waving that struck Howard to the heart of all proportion to its size. Even the fall of his own feet and the sound of his voice impressed him as painful exaggerations.

The high, perpendicular walls of the canyon magnified the sound, the echoes being dashed back and forth like lost in a hoarse murmur far overhead. As they went on it seemed to Howard as if they were descending into the bowels of the earth. The narrow strip of blue sky looked like an ethereal river in which the stars were reflected for miles and miles in the profound depths that characterize the mountains of the west, the stars can be distinctly seen even when the cloudless sun shines with midsummer fervor in the sky of the upper world.

(To be Continued.)

KILLED HIS BROTHER.

Barrie, July 11.—Two sons of Moses Blackstock, Innisfil, were hoeing roots a few days ago, when they decided to stop and have a little target practice. In taking the rifle from the left in which it was kept, it was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering the back of Fred's head, killing him almost instantly. He was about 12 years of age.

A MISER'S FATE.

Barrie, Ont., July 11.—Alex. McKenzie, an old bachelor, living at LeRoy, was missed in the neighborhood, and was found lying dead in a filthy and partly decomposed condition in his apartment. He was supposed to be penniless, but in looking through his baggage bottles were found, several bills of the Bank of Upper Canada, that bank being now long extinct. He also had three watches, besides many kinds of musical instruments.

FATAL WRECK.

Port Rowan, Ont., July 11.—The schooner Arctic, of St. Catharines (Capt. Sidley), loaded with cedar posts, from Providence Bay, Ont., for Buffalo, N. Y., became water-logged about five miles from the West End lighthouse point Thursday morning. Two sailors—Robt. Pigeon, of Toronto, and Dugald Bine, of Warton—while trying to reach the shore in the vessel's yawl, were drowned. The life-saving crew stationed here rescued the balance of the crew, consisting of the captain, three men and two women.

Think It Over.

Have you ever heard of a medicine with such a record of cures as Hood's Sarsaparilla? Don't you know that Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier, has proved, over and over again, that it has power to cure, even after all other remedies fail. If you have impure blood you must take Hood's Sarsaparilla with the utmost confidence that it will do you good.

HOOD'S PILLS assist digestion. 25 cents.

A settler at Hay, New South Wales, reports that he and his sons destroyed 30,000 rabbits in four days, and that on one occasion he poisoned 16,000 in a night.

SLEEPLESSNESS is due to nervous excitement. The delicately constituted, the financier, the business man, and those whose occupation necessitates great mental strain or worry, all suffer less or more from it. Sleep is the great restorer of a worried brain, and to get sleep cleanse the stomach from all impurities with a few doses of Farnes's Vegetable Pills, gelatine-coated, containing no mercury, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction or the money will be refunded.

Write down the advice of him who loves you, although you like it not at present.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

We have heard of men sowing wild oats, but woman's mission is to sow tares.

To The Deaf.

A gentleman who cured himself of Deafness and Noise in the Head after fourteen years suffering will gladly send full particulars of his remedy post free. Address H. CLIFTON, Ambury House, Norfolk Street, Strand, London, W.C.

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Mr. John Law's Scheme for Their Provision.

World Place Them on the Vacant Lands, The City to Act as Emigration Agent.

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Point of View.

IF THE Observer's remarks this week have a slightly singed flavor they must be accounted for by a set of somewhat burnt fingers. There is danger lurking everywhere, even in an apparently innocent-looking taffy-pull. If someone had only happened to mention it, I might not have burned my fingers as I did, nor would my feet have got so wet.

Standing apart from the rest, and watching the fire-light from the heap of drift wood piled up on the beach, as it flashed in their faces, I suddenly awoke to a realization that the taffy was almost gone. I lost not a moment of precious time in covering the strip of sand that separated me from where it was cooking, and as my hand grasped whatever it could to the very bottom of the plate, I understood what makes it necessary that the fingers should be well buttered. As I stood in the lake half a minute after, with the water gently laving an "elegant, lasting, waterproof" dressing from off my tan shoes, I remembered the little marmalade jar, filled with butter, which had been stuck in the sand, and to which everybody seemed to be applying themselves, and it occurred to me to wonder if it is not possible sometimes to be too devoid of curiosity, and if a proper use of questions, as we go along, may not serve us best in the end.

For real, rollicking, exciting fun, the summer girl, here, would seem to have decided that nothing compares with canoeing.

The canoe itself is a fascinating, bewitching little craft, in its beauty and gracefulness, and appeals to woman's sensibilities as no other boat can.

Then, one is so independent in her little, open-decked canoe, although there is plenty to do, both for head and hands. She must act as crew, captain, pilot and ballast; must look out for squalls, boats, driftwood and waves.

It struck the Observer the other evening, at a family tea party, that the old familiar question, "How do you take your tea?" is being gradually but surely superseded by the one, "Do you take tea?" which is of another significance altogether.

A few years ago it was taken as a matter of course that if there was tea on the table you would require some, but now the careful hostess always has a supply of other beverages at hand, of which many a one is composed of hot water chiefly, and some equally innocent and refreshing addition. It is a sign of the times, and the babies of the next generation will not only be deprived of this favorite mothers' narcotic for infants, but will not know where to find it when they are grown up, if out of curiosity they should wish to imbibe a little of this wonderful beverage, which was so much to their grandmothers in days gone by. Tea, that most potent destroyer of digestive power, will then have gone to its proper place, along with snuff and everything else that's nasty, while a tea-caddy will be a quaint and curious object to put on a shelf along with other curiosities.

I read in an exchange the other day, apropos of the fascinations of golf, of a Scotchman, a retired minister of the kirk, who was deploring the tendency of the game to induce bad language. "In fact," he said, "I had to give it up for that reason." "Give up golf?" exclaimed his friend. "No," said his reverence, "the meistrity."

What a powerful incentive to the brain and hands of woman, "new" or old, is love, and in what strange lines of achievement it often leads her. In a well-known and not far distant city, the wife of the chief of its fire department has presented an invention so wonderful and life-saving, as to make her henceforth written as a public benefactor. With every alarm of fire she was filled with anxiety, for the fate of her husband, and the brave fellows who obeyed his commands,

"Just the Thing."

Dr. L. W. Sapp, of Cleveland, advised me to use Mellin's Food for my little girl, Alice Rudd Bullard, and it seems to be just the thing for her.

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lest they be suffocated by the dense smoke of the burning building. The outcome of this is the wonderful cap made from asbestos cut in strips, and fitted the head closely, with mica inserted to give opportunity for unobstructed vision. A silk sponge fills the opening for the mouth, and is arranged in such a manner that it admits air freely, and still keeps out the smoke. Statistics show that five minutes is the limit of time in a smoking building without being overcome, while with this instantly and easily adjusted little cap, a person can remain, if necessary, in the stifling atmosphere for an hour. There are clever women in these days who by no means live in vain for the world's progress. In connection with fire, and its dangers, the summer outing in hotels and boarding houses is by no means exempt. As an ever-ready and bottled protection in an emergency, dissolve three pounds of common salt and one and a half pounds of sal ammoniac in a gallon of water. Pour in quart bottles and stand in closet, or washstand, convenient for instant use as a fire extinguisher.

All literary women who figure in English society are reported to dress with no regard for fashion, harmony or taste. Ouida dresses absurdly with futile striving after juvenility. Her hair she always wears in a curly crop, bound by bands of ribbon.

Mrs. Walford, it is said, chooses for her gowns heavy, rich materials that would be excellently adaptable as curtain stuffs. Heliotrope is her favorite color.

Miss Braddon, who is a domestic woman, likes velvet, solid colors and a superabundance of furbelows. The most charitable persons confess that Miss Braddon's gowns are uniformly unbecoming.

Mrs. Lynn Linton, when at home, always wears a black gown and a white cap. She inclines to rich stuffs, and wears much silk velvet and brocade.

Pale pink and pale blue are the colors oftenest chosen by Marie Corelli. Being very small, she has her gowns made simply. She often appears in pure white.

OBSERVER.

JUSTIFYING THE OCCUPATION.

Out of Cowardly Fellaheen Good Soldiers Have Been Made.

London Spectator.

It was doubted whether even British energy could build up a native Egyptian army. The officers, it was said, might make good regiments of the blacks who passed their lives in fighting, but you cannot carve upon rotten wood, and the fellaheen, born in the mud of a tropical delta and enslaved for ages, had lost, if they ever possessed, the Arab courage, and could no more be drilled into fighting men than Bengalees or the Indians of Peru. Egyptian troops would be perfect regiments for parade, being the most obedient and orderly of mankind, but would be useless in the field.

Those who held this opinion were able to justify it, for they could quote the astounding cowardice of Gen. Hicks' army, in which whole regiments, moved, we fancy, as much by superstition as by fear, threw down their arms, fell on their faces before the British, and begged as fellow-Muslims for their lives. The British officers, however, worked on; they gained hope from the behavior of their men in some petty skirmishes, and at their young chief, Gen. Kitchener, trusted the fellaheen frankly in the field at Elrich.

The Egyptians, who had been well fed, well treated, and thoroughly disciplined, responded to the call. They not only did not fly, but they charged as well as the Sudanese, "who are born fighters," and the last doubt as to their efficiency in actual hand-to-hand fighting disappeared. Good treatment and steady discipline had in the course of years restored their confidence in themselves and in their officers, and they showed themselves the equals of men who for generations have despised them as "tame Arabs."

That is a triumph for British organization, with its persistence, its lenity, and its almost automatic justice, and it is a triumph, too, for British honesty of purpose. It is not our interest to make good soldiers of the fellaheen, for the instant conclusion of the campaign will be that if the Egyptians can defend themselves the main argument for the British occupation of Egypt disappears.

It was not our business, however, to consider that danger, but to show that even in the creation of a native army British administration was, as a Governor-General of Java once described it, "the most vivifying despotism the world has ever seen," and that the work, which has taken fourteen years, was carried on patiently and steadily until the very nature of the conspiracies seemed changed, and the Arabs of the Delta charged victoriously upon the most renowned fighters of the Arabs of the Desert. The born children of Misr, where for 2,000 years no man has been free, disciplined and led by British officers, scattered the descendants of the Shepherd Kings in a charge.

That, and not the victory itself, is the thing for Englishmen to be proud of, for no one who reads of it, not the most satirical stroller of the Parisian boulevards, can afterward say, at least if he knows anything of history, that the British occupation has debased the Egyptians.

An Up-to-Date Defense.

"We propose to show, gentlemen of the jury," said counsel for the defense, "that it is impossible for the defendant to have committed this crime."

"In the first place we will prove that the defendant was nowhere near the scene of the crime at the time the crime was committed."

"Next, we will offer the indisputable testimony of persons who saw the defendant on the spot, and who did not see the defendant commit the crime."

"We will show that no poison was found in the body of the deceased."

"Not only that, but we will prove that it was put there by the prosecution in this case."

"We will furthermore show that the deceased committed suicide."

"And last, but not least, we will prove beyond the shadow of a doubt, that the deceased is not dead."

"In view of all which corroborative facts, gentlemen of the jury, we respectfully ask for an acquittal."

City and Other Workers.

Painters Want to Work Fewer Hours on Saturday.

Report That the Metal Polishers and Brassworkers Will Amalgamate.

No Change in the Molder's Scale of Prices—Labor Notes of General Interest.

The regular meeting Monday night of the Shoemakers' Union was largely attended, and an interesting discussion of the celebration of Labor Day was indulged in.

Through the efforts of Organizer Geo. W. Dowry, of Toronto, a typographical union has been formed in Belleville, Ont. Wm. Black, formerly a member of London Union, is one of the charter members.

Labor Day demonstration committee will meet Tuesday night. The souvenir programme is progressing satisfactorily, and no doubt will be eagerly sought after by the members of the city labor organizations.

The petition to the City Council for the appointment of a shop inspector has not yet been presented by the Trades and Labor Council, but will no doubt be brought forward at the next meeting of the aldermen.

At the last meeting of the Typographical Union two candidates were initiated and an application for membership received. Mr. John McLean, formerly of St. Louis, deposited his card, which was taken up by his residence in this city.

Mr. Richard Gray, of this city, who is in Syracuse attending the meeting of brassworkers and metal polishers, has been elected to the office of president of the Metal Polishers' Union.

The Painters and Decorators held their regular meeting Wednesday night. It is reported that some of the members are agitating for a Saturday half-holiday, but there is opposition to such a move. A number of painters are favorable to quitting work at 4 p.m. on Saturday.

GENERAL LABOR NOTES. California has 13,000 miners. Brooklyn has 800 union tobacco workers. The A. R. U. has gained a foothold in Boston.

Cigarmakers issued three new charters last month. A branch of the A. R. U. has been organized in Toronto.

London, England, has 10,000 building trades' unionists. New York Central Labor Union is bankrupt.

Jerusalem has eight printing offices and no union. The Metal Workers' League has 5,000 members in New York.

The strike of the scoopers in Buffalo has been won by the men. Cleveland bench molders have struck for an advance of 25 cents a day.

Wheeling, W. Va., job printers have won their strike for a nine-hour day. In Vienna laundry women work seventeen hours a day for \$2 50 a week and their men for \$3 50.

The American Federation of Labor issued forty-five charters in June to local unions. Cincinnati has secured Eugene V. Debs and Samuel Gompers as speakers for Labor Day, Sept. 8.

Boston painters receive \$2 50, Washington, D. C., painters, \$2 80, and San Francisco painters \$3 for eight hours. Cutters in clothing factories are viewing with disfavor the introduction of an electrical cloth cutting machine.

The merchants of Anderson have made up a donation of \$1,000 to be used in making Labor Day demonstration a success. San Francisco hackmen won their strike for \$150 a day, but when their leaders were not reinstated the strike was renewed.

have stated to an investigating committee of the Legislature that they were compelled to reduce their forces one-half by reason of the penitentiary competition in pants manufacturing.

An effort is on foot to secure four or five Mergenthaler typesetting machines for Typographical Union, No. 3, of Cincinnati, the object being to give all unemployed members who are not operators an opportunity to learn. The matter has been placed in the hands of a committee of the union with instructions to report at the next meeting.

The Labor Leader, of Glasgow, Scotland, says: Miss Jane Addams, who is at present on a visit to this country, is one of the most remarkable women in the United States. She is the head and moving spirit of Hull House, Chicago, a center of work and good influences, in the poorest part of the city. Miss Addams is held in high repute by educationalists, prison reformers and reformers generally.

LORD KELVIN.

Character of a Famous Scotchman, Whose Jubilee Has Just Been Celebrated.

The jubilee of Lord Kelvin's professorship in Glasgow University is being celebrated this month; and Rev. Donald Macleod avails himself of the occasion to contribute to Good Words an interesting sketch of "the great scientist of our time," as he calls his friend.

SECOND ONLY TO NEWTON. After recounting the series of discoveries and inventions which have been claimed for Lord Kelvin's place second only, the writer tells of one remarkable peculiarity.

While the higher mathematics and all the mysteries of logarithms and the calculus are as easy to him as the alphabet, he often appears puzzled when a sum is presented to him in ordinary numerals. A question of simple addition placed in this way on the board will sometimes lead to the query being put to the class or to an assistant, with a certain funny look of helplessness: "How much is that?"

NO MAN LESS SELF-CONSCIOUS. Macleod bears willing witness to the beautiful simplicity of this child-like sage. He says:

I never knew a man less self-conscious. He is absolutely without affectation or any thought of self-importance. He will converse with a nobody in a manner so respectful and attentive as to make that nobody imagine himself that he has been delightfully interesting and even informing to Lord Kelvin. This arises from the simplicity and sweetness of a great nature. There are, however, some things which do rouse that equable spirit into a white heat. In politics, for example, all the intensity of his nature is aroused.

His ATTITUDE TO RELIGION. But no one is more reverent as regards all religious questions. He is neither agnostic nor materialist. His studies have led him into the widest fields of speculative research as to cosmogony and the destiny of the material universe. He has weighed everything, from atoms and molecules to sun, moon and stars; he has calculated the rate of loss of energy in the sun's heat, and has entered with zest on speculations as to the origin of life on this planet, and has seen in the dust of meteors suggestions as to the conceivable source of those seeds from which evolution has proceeded; he has dealt with geologic time and plutonic forces; but none of these fascinating and awful problems have ever shaken his faith in God.

Like Newton and Faraday, he can rise with reverent heart into the thought of the spiritual as well as material glory which has been revealed, and has continued an humble Christian worshipper. With deep interest I once listened to him and his friend the Duke of Argyll conversing on these subjects and speaking of the contradictions whereby some scientists justify their disbelief in God, and a page without employing terms which expressly involve it. A purer and nobler nature than that of Lord Kelvin I have never known.

LIGHT OUT OF DARKNESS

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Mrs. Margaret Patterson, 91 Vine street, Hamilton, Ont. Thomas Emil Stirling, 96 John street north, Hamilton. Mrs. Ann Caffrey, 227 Ferrie street east.

James A. Campbell, 109 King street east, Hamilton. Jacob Fisher, Niagara Falls, N. Y. John Langley, 175 Hunter street west, Hamilton. Madame Dery, 227 Church street, Ottawa.

Emerson Hannon, Glanford township, Wentworth county, Ont. James Dilworth, 374 Ery street north. Thomas Moffatt, 176 Murray street, Ottawa. George C. Armstrong, 184 Bessier street, Ottawa.

Martin Watson, 112 Cathart street, Ottawa. Thomas Warren, 135 Strachan street, Hamilton. Charles Sayer, 119 Hannah street west, Hamilton. Mrs. Elizabeth Cummings, 23 Gore street, Hamilton.

Mrs. Nelly Guy, Brait avenue, Hamilton. George Ball, Sanford avenue, near Huron street, Hamilton. Michael H. Dwyer, 52 Leeming street, Hamilton. John McCauley, Beamsville, Ont. E. Rice, Beamsville, Ont. J. D. Parsonage, 369 John street north, Hamilton.

Patrick Curran, 41 Wood street, Hamilton. As the belief has been widespread that Rheumatism was incurable, we publish the above facts as evidence that a sure cure has at last been found. Thousands testify to the merits of Ryckman's Kootenay Cure. Write for particulars, Ryckman Medicine Co., Hamilton, Ont.

RHEUMATISM'S VICTIMS.

After Spasmodic Efforts for a Cure Usually Give Up.

There is One Medicine That Has Cured Thousands After Other Medicines Had Failed—A Released Sufferer Adds His Strong Indorsement of This Wonderful Remedy.

From the Trenton Courier. What an innocent sounding name has rheumatism, and yet how terrible a reality to the thousands who suffer with it. Doctors agree that rheumatism results from poison of acid deposits in the blood, but as to just how they can be reached and eradicated, it would seem that their knowledge fails. The usual treatment is a long series of medicines which may give temporary relief, but do not cure, and then the patient usually gives up, thinking that there is no medicine that will cure him. This is a mistake. Rheumatism is not a necessary evil, and because one is growing old it is not imperative that one should accept rheumatism as a natural accessory to advancing years.

There is a remedy for rheumatism, despite the general belief that it cannot be cured—a remedy that has cured thousands of the most severe cases. A noted instance of the truth of this assertion which has just come to the knowledge of the editor of the Courier, is the case of Robert Francis, Esq., formerly of Trenton, now retired from business in Rat Portage, Ont., and still residing there. He has been a victim of rheumatism for over three years. Last winter he visited his friends in Trenton, and was then contemplating a visit to the South in search of relief from his constant foe. He had to use a staff in walking, and went at a slow pace. This Christmas he was here again on a visit to his friends, smart and erect and without the stick or the sorrowful look of a year ago. His friends and acquaintances all accost him as a new man and congratulate him on his healthy, fresh and active appearance, in contrast with a year ago. He has cheerfully and gratefully given the following statement of his efforts after a cure. "My home is at Rat Portage, Ont., where for years I was engaged in business and where I still reside. For three years I have been a great sufferer from rheumatism. I tried several highly recommended remedies to no purpose, as I continued to grow worse, till it was difficult for me to walk. I was for thirteen weeks confined to my bed at home and in the Winnipeg hospital. I was then induced to try the Mount Clemens springs. I took six courses of baths of 21 baths each, without any seemingly beneficial result. I read of several cures in the Courier from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and friends who used them with benefit to themselves urged me to try them. I did so, and after a short time I felt an improvement in my condition. I have taken twelve boxes in all and my improvement has been continuous and satisfactory, so that I need the cane no longer, and I have increased my weight from 140 pounds to 175 by the use of Pink Pills. I am not entirely free from rheumatism, but I am a new man, 1,000 per cent better than I was a year ago, and I attribute my health entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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AT THE DERBY. The Princess of Wales performed one of those sweet and womanly acts which endear her to the nation. Sir Henry Keppel, who is 87 years of age, was led towards the Princess to pay his respects to her. When the Princess saw him approaching, she ran forward to meet him, and as the dear old boy bent his head she leant forward and kissed him on the top of his shining bald head. Sir Henry was affected to tears by this dainty compliment from the Princess.

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A BLACKBIRD has reared its young in a hothouse at Dunstable, Swallow, again built in a Suffolk school house, and taken into an open window, and are not disturbed by the presence of the children.

UT IS reported that the marriage of the Princess Helene of Orleans, with the Duke of Aosta, has turned out unhappily and that the Duchess is anxious to obtain a separation, but has been prevented so far by the Duke of Aosta.

THE House of Lords was recently surprised at the appearance of the new Lord Portlough, an immensely rich landholder in Argyllshire, just announced on his birthday. He stood on taking oath, 6 ft 1-2 in. As head of the clan "Callum" he is generally addressed as "the MacCallum" and from his height and physique is fully entitled to be that head.

ACCORDING to the Jewish Chronicle, Baron Edmund de Rothschild has established another colony in Palestine. The new colony, which is situated in Galilee, not far from Damascus, consists of a village of 3,000 acres, with many a river Jordan. This settlement will be colonized by 50 farm laborers of tried experience.

THE following amusing bit of evidence was heard in Hamilton (Scotland), J. P. Court: Clerk of court to female witness (wife of the accused): "Why does your husband keep a dog if he cannot pay for the license? Witness—Well, ye see, a man aye fancies something. If he didna fancy a dog he might fancy something waur. He might fancy another man's wife. (Great laughter.)

IT IS related that a lady was introduced to Sir Morell Mackenzie at a London soiree as "John Strange Winster," and when he incredulously repeated the name she replied, "Oh, yes! I'm Boodle's Baby." Whereupon the great physician drew a friend aside and confided to him that he had just met a poor demented laborer who was introduced as a man had thought herself a baby.

IT IS interesting to note the change in the cost of a fair copy of the Bible during the course of centuries. Dr. Plummer, in his tract, "How to Use the Bible," says: "In the thirteenth century, in England, a fair copy of the Bible cost £25. At the same time, a copy of the Bible with a few explanatory notes, cost £20. Then the wages of a laborer amounted to but ninepence a week."

A MEDAL, called the Neumayer medal, will be conferred soon by the Berlin Geographical Society on persons who have distinguished themselves in geography or meteorology, in honor of the 70th birthday of Prof. George Neumayer, who, after having been director of the Melbourne Observatory, has since 1870 been at the head of the Marine Observatory at Hamburg.

THERE came near being a row at the memorial services for the late Marquis de Mores in the Madeleine Church in Paris the other day. While the mass was being celebrated several wagon loads of English tourists drove up and tried to enter the church. They were turned back with difficulty after a long wrangle with the beaules and some of the Marquis's friends, who remembered that he had died in making what he intended to be an attack upon England.

DURING the progress of the terrible heat wave over Australia in January last, 300 persons died of sunstroke. The Government requested a medical board to issue directions to the people as in case of an epidemic. The doctors declared that all predisposing causes undue indulgence in intoxicating liquor is the most common and the most dangerous. They added that liquor was not only a predisposing cause, but would also be a very dangerous remedy if prescribed to those suffering from the heat.

IT IS proposed to present a testimonial to Benjamin Jeans, the oldest guard on the Great Western Railway, if not in England. Jeans will retire from the company's service at the end of the present month, after 33 years' service. He has, it is estimated, traveled some 500,000 miles in his guard's van. When he joined the service the railway guards wore guinea beaver hats, were not permitted the adornment of a moustache, and on Sunday it was imperative that they should wear white trousers.

QUEEN VICTORIA has had several telephones installed in Windsor Castle. They are placed on her Majesty's study table and communicate with Lord Salisbury at the Home Office, Marlborough Place, and telephones will be introduced at Windsor Castle and the Queen will be enabled to hear all the latest entertainments in the London theatre and concert halls. It will even be possible for the royal

ears to hear the latest music hall songs, and that, too, without compromising in the slightest degree queenly dignity.

DURING her recent visit to Spain the Empress Eugenie received much attention from the authorities and nobility in Andalusia. She visited her estates in the South of Spain, and the house in Granada where she was born. She is now on her property at the Marchioness of Viadem, who has kept in its original state the room where the Empress was born. The Empress sent Queen Christina a courteous telegram on landing, to which her Majesty replied, inviting the Empress to come to spend a few days in Madrid. This invitation was gratefully declined, as the Empress could not spare time to visit the Spanish capital.

DOGS and diplomacy do not seem to harmonize. The Italian agent at Seville recently and whistled for him. He was at once arrested by the police, taken to the station house, and detained for nearly an hour, till he was able to prove who he was. Bulgaria has had to apologize for this. Almost at the same time, Spain was begging the pardon of the Russian Legation at Madrid for a similar case. Baron Wrangel, First Secretary of the Legation, had strolled out with an unmuzzled dog in his arms, when the police, to enforce the city ordinance against unmuzzled dogs, fell upon him and tore the dog away by force, scratching and bruising the Secretary.

MISS NANCY GOLDMAN, a maid of New York, is in great distress, all because she was not content with the color nature gave her hair. Nancy has a lover, or had one until the hair catastrophe took place. Her young man, August Schwartz, did not admire the shade of her locks, which was a pretty pronounced red, and so she went to a hair-dresser to have them bleached. Her tresses came out of the order and she looked like a scarecrow. The hair-dresser, the critical August, either, and so she went back to the hair-dresser to have the original color restored. This was the last stroke. The second process made Nancy's hair turn red, white, purple, and black, and it is beginning to fall out. The variegated plumage was more than she could stand, so he broke the engagement, and now Nancy is suing the hair-dresser for \$2,000 damages.

SOME details are to hand by the mail just in of the wedding of Khama, the South African king who recently visited Queen Victoria, the bare fact of which was announced some time ago. The ceremony was performed at Palapye by Mr. Willoughby, the missionary who came to England with him. The chief had gained sufficient insight into the ways of that country to know how a function of this character should be carried out. He appeared at the altar dressed in a frock coat and light trousers and a white tie; while his bride, a young woman of about 20 years, wore white satin, with a tulle veil and orange blossoms. Afterwards the guests met at the house of the missionary, where the occasion was being celebrated, the chief attraction being a great wedding cake. The wedding ceremony took place at the abnormally early hour of 9 o'clock.

PETER THE GREAT'S house at Zaandam, in Holland, has just been inclosed within a protecting building. The opening ceremony was performed in the presence of the Russian Consul General and other notabilities. The building bears a commemorative tablet with the following inscriptions, in Dutch and Russian: "In 1697 the Czar Peter the Great dwelt in this house on the Krump from 18th to 25th of August. In May, 1698, he visited it on his way back to Russia. In 1717 the Czar Peter the Great again visited it with Empress Catherine and their suite. In 1818 King William I. (of the Netherlands) bought it for the purpose of offering it to the Grand Duchess Anna Pavlovna, married in 1816 to the hereditary Prince, afterwards King William II. In 1836 King William III. presented Peter the Great's house as a gift to the Emperor Alexander."

OYSTERS should not be eaten by dyspeptics, if we are to believe a statement in Modern Medicine with regard to the number of microbes in oyster juice. Says that paper, describing recent experiments: "It was found that one cubic centimeter of oyster juice produced, in an agar culture, 1,500,000 colonies. This observation entirely justifies the maxim of the late Dr. Jardin-Beaumez, one of the most eminent French physicians, that oysters should never be eaten by persons with feeble digestive powers or those suffering from dilatation of the stomach. There is no article of food which decomposes more readily in the stomach than does the oyster, and none more likely to communicate infection through the setting up of decomposition and fermentation in other foods. The oyster is always a carrier of microbes, and recent observations show that it often communicates typhoid fever and other pathological germs."

SEPTIZEBERGEN will have a brilliant season this year. The Andree expedition will be followed by a German steamer from Hamburg, which will reach the islands in time to see the balloon start. A Norwegian steamship company will run steamers regularly while the season permits, and will put up a temporary hotel on the Els Flord. Mr. J. Russell Jeaffreson of the Geological Society, will explore the interior of the western island, and if the ice will permit will try to visit the islands between Spitzbergen and Franz Josef Land. Another English expedition with which went Mr. Trevor Battye, who explored Kolner, started recently for Spitzbergen. The relieving vessel for the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition, the steam yacht Windward, has just started for Franz Josef Land, with provisions and sledges, will embark live sheep and reindeer in Norway and convey them north. The North Atlantic will be more lively beyond the Arctic circle this year than ever before.

LADY BURTON'S will is a curious document. She gave orders that after her death a doctor should pierce her heart with a needle, she was then to be embalmed in a curious way and placed by the side of her husband, in the tent at Mortlake. She had been a valet, however, and left directions that in case a revolution should break out in England, that she should be despatched to the dead.

her body and her husband's shall be placed in the vault. The strangest provision, however, in view of the loyal manner in which his wife stood by Sir Richard Burton during his lifetime, is that by which Mr. Coote, secretary of the National Vigilance Society, the English Anthony Comstock, is made a literary trustee of Burton's works, and is directed not to allow an indecent or obscene word to be issued in connection with the publication of his books. It was by Mr. Coote's advice that she burned her husband's "Scented Garden," for which she had been offered \$30,000, and another work for which \$5,000 was to be paid.

As a Favor to Hunt Susan.

That the Colonel Will Never Make Such a Call Again.

"I say," said the Colonel, looking around the table, "did either of you fellows ever try to hunt up one of your aunt's sixth or seventh cousins whom you had never seen?"

"I never," said Johnson, "never had that pleasure. Kindly pass me the mustard."

"Well," continued the Colonel, stroking his mustache tenderly, "if ever you get to feeling too happy for health just try it. It's a sure cure for undue joy."

"A few weeks ago," he went on, "I got a letter from Aunt Susan, who lives in Chicago, asking me to look up the second cousin of her sister's first husband's step-brother."

"Her what?" inquired Johnson, sharply.

"I said it," retorted the Colonel, "if you can't understand anything as simple as that I give up trying to tell this story. The lady's name, Aunt Susan said, was Mrs. James Jackson. As I don't often have a chance to do anything for Aunt Susan I consulted a directory with all the names. I found there were thirty-seven James Jacksons in the city."

"What did you do?" said Johnson.

"Put 'em in a hat and draw one!"

"I did think of sending a type-written letter to the fifty-three Mrs. Jacksons," answered the Colonel, "asking them if they were the second cousins of the step-brother of my Aunt Susan's sister's first husband, but it occurred to me that one or two of the seventy-two James Jacksons might be unmarried, in which case they would probably say mean things about me, so I wrote to Aunt Susan and asked her which one of the eighty-three Mrs. Jacksons was the second cousin of her sister's first husband's step-brother by marriage this one was, and where the devil she lived. In a few weeks I got an answer saying that the second—"

"Yes, we know," said Johnson, "if you do speak Dutch."

"Well, all right—she lived at a certain number in Forty-second street. So one Sunday evening, being in a benevolent mood, though I was a trifle tipsy, I went to Mrs. Jackson's heart with a slight of me."

"When the maid opened the door I said 'Is Mrs. James H. Jackson in?'"

"She said she was."

"Please take my card to her," I said. (She said she would. Then she showed me into the drawing-room, which was as dark as a war cloud, and went away without lighting the gas. I tried to find a chair and fell over a clock. While I was on all fours hunting for my hat, I saw a man's figure outlined against the doorway.

"Mr. er-er-Howe?" he said inquiringly.

"I said, I am it. But I asked for Mrs. Jackson, I believe—Mrs. James H. Jackson."

"Oh," he said, "Please walk this way." "I tried my best, but I couldn't. He waddled like a duck. I followed him into the library."

"Maria," he said, "This is Mr. Rowe." "A tall, gray-haired woman with a Roman nose rose from the far corner and stood still."

"Indeed," said she, "I dare say you have heard my name before."

"Oh, yes, to be sure," she said, with a vacant grin. "Rowe—yes, to be sure, of course."

"Having thus been assured that I was welcome, I helped myself to a chair and went on: 'My aunt Susan, Miss Reed, of Chicago, wished me to look in on you. She said she spoke to you of me last summer.'"

"M-m, yes—so she did," said Mrs. Jackson, looking as if she were having a tooth pulled. "So she did," Mr. Jackson was writing letters in the corner. I was looking at the pictures on the opposite wall, and trying to remember where I had seen some ones. Suddenly I saw the light of a dawning intelligence in her eyes.

"You—you—er—write, or—something, don't you?" she said hopefully. I said I did.

"And your mother was—"

New Life for Oil Wells.

The Standard Oil Company to Test an Electrical Contrivance for Thawing Them Out.

Philadelphia Times.

The result of a useful invention, which is just about to be placed on the market, will be to create a new era in the history of oil and to start fresh life into the regions which have flourished in the past, but are now regarded as played out. It will turn the desert regions of the oil sections into bustling towns, and will furnish an enormous supply of petroleum that would be sufficient of itself to do the work of the greater part of the world. The dead wells will become as fountains, and the springs of the deep will give up their wealth in an inexhaustible quantity.

This invention is the work of a Washington gentleman, Mr. Topley W. Young, and consists of an electric heater, which can be lowered into the well. The electricity is generated in large quantities, and is so powerful as to melt the refuse matter, which clogs the pores of the stone, will be melted and run out, thus allowing the fresh upward flow of oil.

To understand the principles upon which this invention is founded, it will be necessary to explain that the theories as to exhaustion of so many wells is that the oil, in passing upward through the stone, has clogged the pores with paraffin in such quantities that the further flow is stopped and the well ceases to produce. Some think that it is because the supply in the earth has given out, but the generally accepted idea is that the oil is still in abundance, and only ceases to flow when the exit is stopped.

The stone through which the oil passes is of a very porous nature, and as the liquid is in a crude state, the thick matter becomes as drags, settling in the rock near the edges of the bottom of the well. It has been common to use torpedoes to shatter the stone at the bottom of the well, thus breaking up the clogged matter, but this is an expensive process.

By the Young method the machine, which is about three feet long and resembles an iron cartilage, is placed at the bottom of the well, and the electricity turned on so powerfully that it receives just enough volts to produce an intense heat, which melts the metal. The current goes down the wires, and by the peculiar construction of the carbon-padded chambers the intense heat is radiated about into the rock in all directions. Thus the paraffin and other refuse is softened and melted up so that it runs, and when the well is started a fresh start takes place just as strong as it did when the well was first sunk. This rejuvenating of the dry wells of the oil districts of the United States means a great deal of money to the people of Pennsylvania, New York, Kentucky and Indiana. Many a man who has lost his fortune in the drying of oil wells will be again able to pump dozens of barrels, hundreds of wells will spring into new life, thousands of dollars will be made from iron cartilages, which are placed in the well, and millions of barrels of oil will be added to the annual production of the country.

The machine made by Mr. Young is in the hands of the Standard Oil Company, and will be thoroughly tested. As that company owns so much oil property, and has so many wells, the saving of great wealth to them, as well as to the many hundreds of people all over these districts in New York and Pennsylvania.

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Clark.....	11:30 a.m.	11:40 a.m.	11:40 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:40 a.m.
Hiawatha.....	2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Clark.....	3:00 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	3:10 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:10 p.m.
Hiawatha.....	4:00 p.m.	4:10 p.m.	4:10 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	4:10 p.m.
Clark.....	4:30 p.m.	4:40 p.m.	4:40 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Hiawatha.....	5:00 p.m.	5:10 p.m.	5:10 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	5:10 p.m.
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Clark.....	6:30 p.m.	6:40 p.m.	6:40 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:40 p.m.

Saturday evenings Hiawatha leaves Island 7:30 p.m., and makes one extra trip; leaves Port Huron 8:30 p.m., Sarnia 9:40 p.m., arriving at Island 10:10 p.m.; leaving Island 10:10 p.m., arriving Sarnia 11 p.m., Port Huron 11:40 p.m.

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