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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
GREENWOOD—At 77 Summerhill avenue, Toronto, June 27, the wife of A. E. Greenwood, a son.
BRIDGMAN—On June 20, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bridgman, a daughter.
MARRIED.
PARKINSON-COLES—In this city, on June 15, 1899, by the Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, Mr. George Parkinson to Miss Rose Coles, both of this city.

Amusements and Lectures

Baseball Championship

Saturday, July 1,

London vs. St. Thomas,

Game called at 3:30 p.m.

DOMINION DAY.

Baseball Championship.

London Vs. Hamilton.

Two games. Morning 10:30. Afternoon 3:30

50c

GRAND TRUNK EXCURSION TO DETROIT, under auspices of Catholic Club, Monday, July 3. Special train leaves London 7:30 Monday morning. Returning, special leaves Detroit Monday night at 8:30. Eastern standard time. Tickets \$1.75, good to return on any train on 4th. Everybody welcome.

CHESTNUT GROVE, THE WELL-KNOWN family resort, now open. Price rooms, \$3 per week. Apply Mrs. H. Ryan, Port Stanley.

CLOSING RECITALS AT CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC tonight. Last of series.

COMING—FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 7, Townshend park, mammoth band concert and bicycle races. Concert by 7th Battalion Band (60 strong). Keep disengaged.

DETROIT—JULY 1, WOODMEN EXCURSION, on Michigan Central, good for 3 days; through train, no delays; this is the popular excursion; fare \$1.75; children 90c; trains leave at 7:15 a.m.

BOAT EXCURSION TO MONTREAL VIA the St. Lawrence. The popular steamers Persia and Ocean leave Toronto every Tuesday and Saturday, passing the Thousand Islands in daylight. Special hotel rates at Ball's Hotel, 100 Front street, next Advertiser. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

\$1.75 TO NIAGARA FALLS—CHOBEN Trunk Railway, July 1. Three days. 60m xstxytywv.

KEEP COOL BY TAKING A PLUNGE in the swimming ponds at Sulphur Springs, Col. & Edmonds. xzyt

\$37.50 UPWARDS IS THE SECOND cabin rate via the Euribia. This ship will sail Saturday, July 3, at 8 a.m. To reserve berths apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, agent Cunard Line.

THE FRASER PORT STANLEY (Tony Cortese) will be at the Fraser during July and August. Special rates to parties giving horse. Regular horse Wednesdays and Saturdays. Apply to William Fraser, proprietor. 80m

RACING MEN WHO INTEND TO TAKE part in coming meets in Tecumseh Park can secure permits for training privileges for entire season, for one dollar, by applying to Jas. McCormick, care Dayton & McCormick, or care of R. C. Struthers & Co.

Meetings.

Headquarters 7th Fusiliers,

London, June 30, 1899.

Regimental Order.

By Lt.-Col. A. M. Smith,

Commanding.

No. 1.—The battalion will parade for annual inspection in drill order at the Drill Shed, on Thursday, July 6, at 7:30 p.m.

No. 2.—The companies will parade for annual company inspection in drill order at the Drill Shed, on Tuesday, July 4, at 7:45 p.m.

By order, W. A. McCormick,

80c

S. O. E.—CHELSEA LODGE MEETS THIS (Friday) evening. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Gray, Pres.

A MEETING FOR THE STUDY OF THE International Sunday school lesson will be held Saturday in Y. M. C. A. lecture room, at 420 p.m. Rev. Dr. Johnston will conduct the class. Teachers and students specially invited. 101f v

Female Help Wanted

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GIRL ABOUT 15 or 20 years of age, who has had some practical experience in bookbinding and office work. Address Box 22, Advertiser, with references.

WANTED—GIRLS—DOMINION STEAM Laundry, Talbot street.

FUR MACHINE SEWERS WANTED. Apply John Marshall & Co., 68 Dundas street.

WANTED—GIRLS—APPLY PARISIAN Steam Laundry 81c

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED TRAVELER for Western Ontario to sell to grocers; state age, references and salary expected. Apply by mail only. C. F. Fuller, Credit Union, London, Ont.

WANTED—BOYS—FIVE BOYS, 14 TO 16, constant employment. Lion Spice Mfg. Co. 80m

WANTED—TWO HUSTLERS to handle new household furniture. Quick seller. Apply at once, 28 Dundas street. 80m

"MEN—OUR ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE explains how we teach the barber trade in eight weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 80m

FARM HELP WANTED—APPLY W. T. Wootley, Grosvenor Lodge, near London West.

Business Chances.

GROCERY STORE—GOOD STAND, CLEAN stock; can buy property or rent moderate. Box 17, Advertiser. 821f

INVEST \$500 SECURING LARGE WEEKLY income. Safe, conservative proposition. 2nd successful year. Statistics free. H. Griffin, 1180 Broadway New York.

FLANNEL SUITS

or Coat and Vest,

or Coat separate—just

the thing for the hot

weather. We have a

large assortment, and

our prices are very

reasonable.

Deeks & Munson

300 Richmond Street. Phone 1321.

Can You Beat Them?

HAVE you seen any other or better—any price—than our Men's Light Tan Cal Lace Shoes that we sell at \$4 a pair? Did you notice the nickel eyelets and hooks, the punched tips, the backstay and the new British toe? These things mark the latest style in footwear. Get a pair for Dominion Day.

J. P. COOK,

173 Dundas St.

Sole agents for the Serous Shoe for Women—\$4.50 a pair.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—APPLY to R. H. Reid, Ross House. 85c

WANTED GENERAL SERVANT—RE-FERENCES required. Apply 920 Dundas street. 85c

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework. Apply 386 Dufferin avenue. 84c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT given out. 575 Queen's avenue. 84c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—AP-PLY to Mrs. Jas. S. Luney, Grand avenue, South London. 84c

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK Apply 334 Dundas street. 81f

WANTED—COOK—J. O'FLAHERTY Wellington House. 79d

Articles For Sale.

COAL AND WOOD—GOOD HARD WOOD and mixed summer wood, cheap; the best hard coal, and smokeless coal guaranteed equal to or better than Pocahontas coal, at a low price. Green & Co., corner William and Bathurst streets. Phone 1291.

BUGGIES, PHAETONS AND GLAD STONES exchanged on Palmerston, buggies for what they will bring. Great bargains this month. Stringer's, 141 King street.

FOR SALE—TWO OVER-MANTELS, ONE of oak, with mirror, suitable for a dining room or parlor; the other for a library, arranged for holding books. May be seen at J. W. Jones' auction rooms, 127 King street.

PRINTING BUSINESS FOR SALE IN London. A bargain for anyone desirous of making a start in life, as there is a good business being done. Address Box 29, Advertiser. 80m

THOUSANDS OF STRAWBERRY BOXES very cheap. A. McInnes, 283 Talbot street.

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIV-ered in all parts of the city. W. G. Eady, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1134.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up to date at small extra charges. J. T. Westland, 304 Richmond street, upstairs.

HIGH-GRADE BICYCLE PEDALS, 85c each. Repairing, enameling and sundries at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

PIGEONS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Homing a specialty. Apply for particulars, Box 193, this office. 45f

FOR SALE—ONE SQUARE PIANO ON easy terms, quantity second-hand, extensive ranges, bedroom sets, sideboards, extension tables. Parish's store, 357 Talbot street, south market.

FOR SALE—SUMMER WOOD—AT THE sawmill, East Becharof street, Call, or phone 1972 and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co.

300 YARDS RAG CARPET AT 30c AND 30c a yard. Keene Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

KEENE'S MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stores or furniture. Large stock on hand.

ONE HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO, UP-RIGHT, 74 octaves, slightly used. Anyone returning same will be rewarded; anyone retaining same will be prosecuted. T. G. Davey, 23 Craig street, London South. 83c

MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS and Brass Work. Our Rabbit bells equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 124 Clarence street, London.

Lost and Found.

LOST—OFF C. P. R. LORRIE, JUNE 26 or 27—Tarpaulin, 10 ft. stranded Dog, 10 ft. Transport Co. Finder will oblige by returning. 80m

LOST—A PROMISSORY NOTE, DATED April 22, 1899, for \$30, drawn by John Thompson, payable to Charles Logan, ten months after date. Finder rewarded on returning it to Charles Logan, Thorncliffe. 80m

LOST—BETWEEN CORNER SIMCOE AND Wellington streets, Richmond and York, small hand satchel with grocer's sample tin. \$1 reward if returned to Advertiser. 81u

LOST—ENGLISH SETTER BUTCH, BLACK and white, very dark and small. Anyone returning same will be rewarded; anyone retaining same will be prosecuted. T. G. Davey, 23 Craig street, London South. 83c

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—2-STORY BRICK HOUSE IN good locality, 8 rooms, good lawn and garden, 60x120 ft. Richmond and Horton streets. Apply on the premises to Mrs. W. McCormick. 79c

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST 100-ACRE farms in Western Ontario, duplicate of the Garden of Eden, everything lovely. For particulars apply at once Joseph Brown, auctioneer and real estate agent, 398 Talbot street, London. 83k 49u

FOR SALE—BRICK VENEER COTTAGE East of city limits, situated on Homer street, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 308 Tenthury street, of this office.

FOR SALE—NICE RESIDENCE, WILLIAM street, all modern appointments. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office.

\$100 A YEAR WILL PURCHASE A farm in the township of Dawn, county of Lambton, or will exchange same for city property. Tennent, McDonagh & Coleridge, London.

FOR ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE the following properties are now offered for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 227 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 227 Queen's avenue, 228 Queen's avenue, 229 Queen's avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street; frame house, Nos. 197 and 198 Grand street; frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dorinda streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 201f

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS SCHOOL LIMITED.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL.

Autumn term commences September 6. For new calendars apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 651 Talbot street, London.

LONDON BUSINESS UNIVERSITY Summer term, from July 5 to August 31, 93. W. N. Yorex, B.C., Principal 34c

AMERICAN SHOES.

See this broad, new,

sensible-shaped "Walk-

over" shoe.

NETTLETON and**KEITH have made****behind every pair of****them.****They represent the****finest art of shoe-mak-****ing, as coupled with****the greatest business****sagacity in selling fine****shoes in great quanti-****ties through the best****shoe store in each city.****We are sole agents****for these shoes in Lon-****don.****J. S. BROWN & CO.**

145 Dundas Street.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—ROOMS IN UNION BLOCK, 139 Dundas street. Apply on premises. 85u

TO LET—STORE 129 DUNDAS STREET now occupied by W. Mann & Co. Possession Aug. 1. Apply R. Short, 673 York street. 81n

TO LET—THE UNION FURNITURE VAN Have your furniture carried by hand. John Day at 100 Dundas street, South London, late of London Furniture Co.

FOR RENT—COTTAGE, FURNISHED, Fraser Hill Heights, Port Stanley. Apply Strong's Drug Store, London.

TO LET—COMFORTABLE HOUSE—NINE rooms, furnace and all modern conveniences, stable, etc.; central location. Apply J. H. Shuttleworth, 383 Clarence street. 141f

Bicycle Livery.

\$25 REWARD—LOST—5 YEARLING cattle, 2 heifers, 2 years old; mostly red. Reward finder. Johnston Branton, Toronto, North street.

MORE NEW BICYCLES TO HIRE—Order at once for holidays. The best is not too good. Up-to-date 99 adams—the best price. Green & Co., corner William and Bathurst streets. 1291

WE HAVE PURCHASED THE BRANT-ford Rod Bird Bicycle Livery of East London, and will continue to operate it with our stock of Stearns and Brantford wheels will be cleared out at bargain prices. Messrs. Johnson's Bicycle Livery, 734 Richmond street. 85u

Wanted.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sain, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Architects.

MCBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHI-TECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street. H. C. McBride, F. W. Farncombe, H.S., C.E.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS and LAND SURVEYORS. CIVIL ENGINEERS. John M. Moore. Frederick Henry.

TENDERS

—FOR—

Placer Mining Claims

on Dominion Creek, in the Yukon Territory.

SEALED Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tenders for a placer mining claim" will be received at this department until noon on Friday, the 1st day of September, 1899, for placer claims and fractions of claims on Dominion Creek reserved for the Crown.

The following is a list of the numbers of the claims and fractions and the approximate frontage thereof as surveyed by Messrs. James Hibbons and R. W. Cuddey, Dominion Land Surveyors:

BELOW UPPER DISCOVERY.

No. Length in ft. No. Length in ft.

1 A 5 10 A 42 25

2 A 30 5 B 21 A 43

3 A 87 4 A 87 4

ABOVE LOWER DISCOVERY.

No. Length in ft. No. Length in ft.

1 A 50 3 A 24 7

2 A 72 4 A 49 8

3 A 31 10 O 33 8

4 A 38 25 18 A 164 7

5 A 35 4 8 A 43 3

6 A 40 25 81 A 15 3

7 A 20 2 7 A 50 7

8 A 7 9 8 A 50 7

9 A 60 7 8 A 50 7

10 A 44 2 8 A 50 7

11 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

12 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

13 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

14 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

15 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

16 A 50 7 8 A 50 7

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The City Council Committee Still at Work.

The City Council committee are busy meeting representatives of the Street

Railway Company and of the men's

association, alternately. Several of the

meetings have been held in public, but

the City Council committee appear to

consider there might be greater free-

dom of discussion were the meetings

conducted without undue publicity un-

til the various ideas and suggestions

assume more definite shape. To this

view of the City Council committee,

there can be no reasonable objection.

The members of the committee are

doubtless sincerely anxious to arrange

a satisfactory settlement on fair terms,

and the city will be disposed to give

them a free hand as to methods.

TITHE RENT CHARGES

Bill Passed in the Absence of the Irish Members.

Chamberlain Summoned to Windsor by the Queen.

Objections Brought Against the Pacific Cable Scheme.

The Irrepressible Khalifa Collecting Another Big Army.

Mrs. Susan B. Anthony Gives a Striking Address at the Meeting of the Women's Council.

London, June 30.—The House of Commons last evening, by a vote of 319 against 176, passed the second reading of the tithe rent charge bill, which relieves the clergy of certain local rates. The bill has been hotly opposed by several Liberal-Unionists, and the government's large majority is due to the abstention of the Irish members.

Mr. George Whiteley, Conservative member for Stockport since 1893, has resigned his seat, as a protest against the bill.

WANTED AT WINDSOR.

The Queen has summoned the colonial secretary, the Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, to Windsor. He will go there with Mrs. Chamberlain on Saturday, and remain over Sunday. It is presumed the Queen desires Mr. Chamberlain's personal views regarding Transvaal affairs.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Queen's Hall was crowded last evening, when a public meeting, convened by the political section of the In-

FOR SALE—ON THE MARKET SQUARE tomorrow, at 11 o'clock, first-class dairy cow and calf. Terms cash. Jas. Brown, 600 corner.

DIAMONDS ON HIS ANKLES

Louis Busch Arrested With \$20,000 Worth On His Person.

Charged With Smuggling Them Over From Canada.

Detroit, June 30.—Special Treasury Agent Charles E. Lewis, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., made a rich haul here Wednesday night, when he landed Louis Busch, who is charged with being a past master in the art of diamond smuggling. When arrested by Lewis at the Bush street depot, Busch had on his person diamonds amounting in value to over \$20,000.

The capture of Busch is the culmination of years of work on the part of the special treasury agents of the Niagara Falls district, who have been trying to stop the diamond smuggling business between Canada and the United States.

About one year ago Busch failed in the drygoods business in New York city, and made affidavit that he did not possess the \$25 fee necessary to accompany the license for bankruptcy. It is stated that he soon went into the diamond business. Recently the government received information that an especially large consignment of cut diamonds would be brought over from Canada, and the special agents all along the border kept a close watch for the goods and the smugglers.

Special Agent Lewis went to Toronto, and while there came across a diamond agent of New York city, who had recently arrived from Europe. The man waited at Toronto for a confederate, and Lewis also waited. The man changed hotels, and Lewis also changed. The confederate, in the person of Louis Busch, soon afterwards arrived, and the agent saw the two in close conversation. The agent telegraphed to Niagara Falls for an assistant, and one was sent. Lewis saw Busch take a train for Windsor, and suspecting that he had on his person the \$20,000 worth of diamonds, followed him.

Busch told the customs officers in Detroit that he had no dutiable goods. When he arrived at the Bush street depot, Busch tried to buy a ticket for Cleveland, when he was accosted by the special treasury agent, who asked him if he had any diamonds on his person. Busch said that he had not, and asked to be searched.

The search was conducted by Lewis and Special Agent Sullivan, and around Busch's ankles they found diamonds wrapped by the score, aye, by the hundred. Busch declared that he did not know that they were there, but he was taken to the county jail on the charge of robbing the government of a large duty. The agents, about two hands full, were weighed and tested at Wright, Kay & Co.'s yesterday afternoon. It was stated that at retail the diamonds would readily sell for \$20,000 as nearly all of them are of high grade.

Busch was arraigned before United States Commissioner Graves yesterday afternoon and his case was set for July 10. He was locked up again in default of \$5,000 bail. Busch says that he has a family in New York, and that he did not know that he was violating the law.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Mrs. (President) McKinley is in poor health.

Rev. C. A. Eaton (Baptist), Toronto, called to Winnipeg, declines the call.

Fourteen new cases of yellow fever are reported in Santiago. Total, 50; deaths 12.

Leading Mexican cigarette manufacturers are about to combine, with a capital of \$1,500,000.

Stephen Hill, farmer, fractured his skull through being thrown from his buggy in Paris, Ont.

The Bell Organ and Piano Company, Guelph, have received an order for 800 organs from England.

The prosecution in the Dreyfus case has cited 27 witnesses to appear in the Dreyfus court martial trial.

John Gilbert, painter, fell from the roof of the Canadian Hotel, Paris, Ont., and is unconscious from injuries to his head and neck.

The London Star today says the Todd assault case has been finally settled by the payment to the waiter of the sum of \$1,000.

The sale of Marlborough gems at Christie's realized £24,762, or within £238 of what David Bromfield paid for this entire collection.

Mr. Frank Ford, private secretary to Hon. A. S. Hardy, was married on Wednesday to Miss Nora Elizabeth Sampson, of Toronto.

Percy Williamson, the 10-year-old son of W. J. Williamson, barber, of Owen Sound, was drowned in the River Potawatomi on Thursday.

The British second-class cruiser Melampus, and the torpedo boat Gossamer have left Queenstown to destroy the derelict bark Siddartha.

Clouds of grasshoppers threaten to destroy the standing crops in Algeria, and the government is already spending large sums of money to suppress them.

An English syndicate has bought the Elkhon gold mine at Cripple Creek, Colorado, paying \$150 a share on a capitalization of \$1,250,000 shares, or \$1,875,000.

It is reported in naval circles that the British cruiser Indefatigable is to sail from Halifax on July 5 for Newfoundland to join the British fleet on the French coast.

The families of McDonald and Fraser, the two Nova Scotians who died

from neglect while laborers on the Crow's Nest Pass, have been given \$1,500 each by the C. P. R.

The body of Mr. Alex. Taylor, of Winnipeg, was found in the Red River. He disappeared on Monday night, and is supposed to have committed suicide owing to business troubles.

The British charge d'affaires at Washington on Thursday presented to the president the delegation from Jamaica, who are there seeking red-protection arrangement with the United States.

John R. O'Connor, a Chicago stenographer, claims to have been notified that he is one of four heirs to the estate left by the late Earl of Cochrane, near Dunfermline, Scotland, and valued at \$6,250,000.

The South Perth election protest trial is in progress at Stratford, before Hon. Justices Meredith and Street. There is a petition against Nelson Monteith, Conservative member-elect, and a cross petition against Valentine Stock (Liberal).

WESTERN ONTARIO

Miss Lillie Smelt was married on Tuesday at Woodstock to Mr. J. G. Archibald, of the Woodstock Bicycle Company.

Christmas, the divine healer, who has been conducting operations in Woodstock for the past six weeks, has gone to British Columbia.

Word was received in Windsor Wednesday morning of the death at Victoria, B. C., of Mrs. Kemp, wife of the late Rev. Alex. F. Kemp, who was pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church from 1863 to 1870.

Mr. C. W. Clark has sold his 250-acre farm in the 8th con. of Malahide, to W. H. Ashton, of the 2nd con. for \$15,000, and takes Mr. Ashton's farm of 155 acres for \$5,000. Mr. Ashton paid Mr. Clark \$10,000 cash difference. Possession is exchanged on Nov. 1 next.

William Reid, colored, borrowed \$1 from a Windsor colored woman named Mrs. Brown, giving her as security what she thought was a \$50 bill. She can neither read nor see well, and was advertising scrip issued by a business firm. The police are looking for Reid.

East Kent County Farmers' Institute has elected the following officers: President, Wm. Simpson; vice-president, Wm. Henderson; secretary, A. J. C. Shaw; auditors, John Coult and H. L. Johnston. During the coming year regular meetings will be held at Thamesville and Highgate, and supplementary meetings at Ridgetown, Blenheim, Bothwell and Croton.

Nicholas Bott, who was released from the Central Prison a few days ago after serving half of an eighteen months' sentence for embezzling \$500 from Hiram Walker & Sons, Walkerville, will, it is said, be taken back into the firm's employ. Some years ago another employee was sentenced to a term in prison for some dishonest transaction, and was given his old position on his release.

James Donovan, who was picked up on the street in Stratford in a semi-unconscious condition last week, and who was subsequently removed to the hospital, died there on Monday. He was suffering from heart disease and asthma, a complication of which diseases caused his death. The deceased was very reticent, and little or nothing was known of his past life.

Jas. Griffin, of Ottaville, who was recently tried for having in his possession an illicit still, came before Magistrate Field at Woodstock for sentence. The minimum fine for such an offense, \$100, was imposed, and the costs of the case, which made a snug total, were mentioned to the anxious Mr. Griffin. In addition the accused must spend a month in jail.

On Sunday evening occurred the death of Georgina Wright, wife of Mr. Allan Wright, Ingersoll. The deceased was 35 years of age, and came to Canada from England with her husband and family of three small children about three months ago. Mrs. Wright had been for some time in the London hospital undergoing treatment for an internal cancer, but all that medical skill could do proved of no avail.

A TORONTO WITNESS.

Benjamin Bacon of 255 North Lisgar Street Questioned Concerning Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto, June 26.—Among the many who have been cured of Lame Back (the commonest symptom of Kidney Disease) in the Queen City, is Mr. Benjamin Bacon, of 255 North Lisgar street. He was asked by letter recently whether his cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills was entirely satisfactory.

Here is Mr. Bacon's reply: Dear Sir,—I am in receipt of your letter in reference to my cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had a severe pain in the back, was unable to get up, and tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, did, and got instant relief. Yours truly, BENJ. BACON.

FIVE MEN DROWNED.

Clarksville, Mo., June 26.—Five men were drowned today in the Mississippi River a mile above here by the overturning of a skiff. They were government laborers engaged in the river improvement works.

DROUGHT IN NEW YORK STATE.

Rochester, N. Y., June 30.—The Post-Express today publishes reports from 23 correspondents, representing ten counties in Western New York, regarding the prevailing drought. Nearly all report that the hay crop will be less than half the average yield, wheat and oats are not developing, and some orchardists say the only way they can save the apple crop will be to water the trees by artificial methods. Early potatoes are said to be almost a failure. The strawberry crop was the poorest in years, and the outlook regarding raspberries is discouraging.

SIFTON'S DEFENSE

The Only Personal Charge Is Refuted.

Sir Hibbert Made a Mistake—An All Night Session.

Ottawa, June 30.—Mr. Sifton yesterday made his reply to Sir Charles H. Tupper's charges, and it was conceded that he did it very effectively. Speaking of Mr. Ogilvie and of Sir Hibbert's frequent reference to the fact that Mr. Ogilvie is connected with him by marriage, being the husband of his wife's aunt, he created a good deal of laughter by saying that he had never seen Mr. Ogilvie till after he had become a member of the government, and that he had not introduced him when they happened to meet at Vancouver. He went on to state what the government had done since it first undertook to manage the Yukon, and made an exceedingly strong point by showing that whereas all the charges of corruption made by the so-called Miners' Association, by the Klondike Nugget, by opposition papers in Eastern Canada, by Miss Flora Shaw, of the London Times, who, of course, spoke from hearsay, and by other reliable events which had taken place prior to August 25, 1898, the date of the miners' memorial formulating a case against the officials; yet when Mr. Ogilvie came upon the scene and opened his inquiry, neither the Miners' Association nor the Nugget editors were able to produce for investigation any charge worthy of the name, although every opportunity was given them.

The government was quite ready, nevertheless, to institute a judicial inquiry, if, after the receipt of Mr. Ogilvie's report with the accompanying testimony, it should appear that he has not thoroughly exhausted the subject. It would be impossible, of course, for any government to order a judicial inquiry into many of the matters contained in Sir Hibbert's motion. He charges, amongst other things, that the government was negligent in its duty, that it appointed unfit persons, that it followed a wrong policy with respect to this question or that. Obviously the conduct of the government cannot be passed upon by judges; that is a duty which devolves upon parliament, and which parliament could not delegate without violating the first principle of our parliamentary system.

THE ONLY PERSONAL CHARGE.

It will be remembered that the only charge of personal nature brought against the ministry by Sir Hibbert was the charge that Mr. Sifton had been "guilty of favoritism and partiality in the administration of the laws and regulations of the Yukon. By way of establishing this, Sir Hibbert pointed out that Mr. Sifton had granted a number of dredging leases, etc., to his former partners, A. L. Philp and A. D. Cameron, and proceeded to copy from a formal motion (No. 82) the description of the mining areas so leased. It was upon this evidence that he charged a minister of the crown with maladministration, but, as shown in these dispatches yesterday, Sir Hibbert had jumped at the conclusion that because in this public return these applications stood in the name of Mr. Sifton's former partners, the minister must have granted them; whereas the return sets forth as shown in each and every case, that the applications had been unsuccessful, and that Mr. Sifton's old partners had got nothing from him or from the department. Sir Hibbert's motion in one hand, and return No. 83 in the other, Mr. Sifton made a dramatic and crushing denial of this, the only charge which Sir Hibbert had leveled at the personal honor of the minister. There were loud and long cheers from the government benches.

ALL NIGHT SESSION.

Mr. Sifton was followed by Mr. Foster, Sir Louis Davies, Mr. McNeill and Hon. Wm. Paterson. At 2 a.m. the house was still in session.

BLAZE IN TORONTO

Machinery Hall on the Exposition Grounds Burned—Other Fires.

Toronto, June 30.—The large machinery hall on the Toronto Exposition grounds was completely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon; caused undoubtedly by sparks from a railroad engine passing the grounds. No other buildings were injured. The loss (about \$20,000) is covered by insurance in most of the companies doing business in the city.

Fire Wednesday night in the engine-rooms of McKenzie & Co.'s elevator, in the Northern Pacific yards, Brandon, Man., did \$5,000 damages to the elevator.

At Merriton, on Wednesday, the main in the back, was wrecked by John Bradley, of Marshville, and used by Ed. Hartley, were burned. Loss heavy.

Fire broke out in the residence of Hugh MacPherson, Stanley street, St. Thomas, on Thursday. The fire was extinguished, but the house was considerably damaged. G. N. Patterson's stable on Dorset street, Port Hope, and contents, two valuable horses, buggy, sleigh, harness, hay, oats and other articles, were destroyed by fire Wednesday. Mr. Patterson places his loss at upwards of \$1,000.

SYNOD OF ONTARIO.

Kingsford, Ont., June 30.—At the Anglican Synod, Rev. J. K. McMahon represented the report of the committee on the state of the church. The increase in communicants was 557. Sunday schools showed a satisfactory progress. There was a decline in collections for clerical stipends, the total for the year, \$33,417, being \$10,000 less than last year.

GOT \$1,000 FOR \$1.

Racine, Wis., June 30.—A. Altmann, clerk in the leading drygoods house here, a week ago received a silver coin in payment for goods that brought him \$1,000. The coin is dated 1804 and very valuable. There being only a few of that denomination in existence, Altmann sent the coin to Chicago, experts pronounced it genuine, and it was sold for \$1,000.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

Toronto, June 30.—The Supreme Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, accepted the amendment to the constitution providing for the expulsion of members whose dues are in arrears. The prohibition committee's report censured the Dominion Government for refusing to grant prohibitory legislation to the various provinces which had voted in favor of it.

SUDDEN DEATH AT WALKERVILLE.

Windsor, June 30.—Joseph D. Janisse died at his home on First street, Walkerville, shortly after 6 o'clock last evening. His death, although not unexpected, was a shock to his family, as he appeared in good spirits all day. About 6 o'clock the nurse left the room

and Oswald, a son of deceased, took his place. A short time after he entered the room his father raised himself in the bed, but immediately dropped back on his pillow, dead. He was 53 years of age, and was appointed a customs officer at Walkerville 14 years ago by the Conservative Government, a situation he held until this death.

PROSPECTS OF A BIG TIE-UP

In the Great Stock Yards of Chicago.

Strike in Detroit—White Men's Places Filled by Negroes in Pittsburg.

Chicago, June 30.—Labor is rapidly organizing at the stock yards in anticipation of a general strike on July 1. The leaders of the dissatisfied employees claim they are finding no trouble in uniting their forces. The labor organizations will be perfected whether a general strike is ordered or not. The packers are claiming that the present difficulty is practically over, and that there will be no general strike in July. The strikers who still refuse to return to work say they have the sympathy of the employed workmen, and unless all their demands are granted there will be a complete tie-up in the packing district.

The latest recruits to the strike at the stock yards are 40 girls from the butter and egg department of Armour & Co. They asked an increase from 75 cents to \$1 a day, and upon refusal walked out.

HAMILTON BRICKMAKERS' STRIKE.

Hamilton, June 30.—About 75 brick-makers, employed in five of the yards here, are on strike. The men were compelled to accept a reduction of a couple of years ago when bricks were lowered in price, and now that the price of bricks has been raised they ask for the old wages. The increase demanded is at the rate of 3 cents per thousand and has been refused.

THEY HIRED NEGROES.

Pittsburg, June 30.—Nearly all white puddlers employed at Moorhead Bros. & Co.'s iron works at Sharnburg, were discharged on Wednesday, and their places filled by negroes. The firm has opposed affiliation of employees with the amalgamated association, and recently a large number of the puddlers joined the union.

PULLED A PISTOL.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 30.—F. Connon, a non-union conductor, on the Central line, fired four shots into a crowd that held up his car at the Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad tracks. The bullets went wild. There was a panic among the passenger. The windows of the car were smashed, but no one was hurt.

STRIKE IN DETROIT.

Detroit, June 30.—Pingree & Smith's boot and shoe operators will probably soon be idle. Frank C. Pingree desires the whole trouble to be the attempt of the union to ruin the establishment. He says the firm has quit using the union stamp.

BLOW CAUSED DEATH

Serious End to a Dispute at Ayr, Ont.

Michigan Mayor Assassinated by a Disappointed Office-Seeker—Suicide of the Murderer.

Galt, Ont., June 30.—Harry Reeves, of Ayr, died Wednesday from injuries received about one month ago, and which the participants have since keenly regretted. Reeves, Wm. Gemmell, and George Guthrie were doing statute labor in a gravel pit near Ayr, when Guthrie made remarks which resulted in a dispute that was ended by Gemmell's hitting Reeves on the head with a stone, rendering him unconscious. He had since lingered between life and death, and passed away as stated. All three young men are well known and respectable fellows, and the two survivors have done all in their power to atone for the deed committed.

DISASTROUS RUNAWAY.

Ayr, Ont., June 30.—A serious accident happened here to Morton Robson, son of James Robson, reeve of North Dumfries. The lad hitched a colt to a hay-rack, when the colt bolted and ran away. Robson hung on to the lines, was dragged a considerable distance and was severely injured. His left thigh and collar bone were broken, his back and face badly bruised. His condition is not considered dangerous.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Muskegon, Mich., June 30.—Mayor James Balbirnie was assassinated yesterday by J. W. Thayer, a disappointed office-seeker. Thayer shot Mayor Balbirnie while the latter was standing in the doorway of his store. The ball entered his left breast. After the shooting Balbirnie turned and ran upstairs to his living rooms, and dropped in the hall. He expired 15 minutes later. Thayer swallowed some carbolic acid and then turned the revolver upon himself and fired. The ball entered his left breast. He died at once.

KIDNEY DISEASE

And Bladder Disorders Were Cured by . . .

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mr. W. D. Wilson, Center street, London, Ont., states:

"I was troubled with kidney disease and bladder disorders, which caused too frequent urination and scalding sensations. I was advised to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and found them to work like a charm. I can now sleep all night through without inconvenience, and consider myself entirely cured."

For kidney and liver disorders, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a specific of superior merit. They are purely vegetable, and act naturally and pleasantly. One pill a dose. 25 cents a box. At all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Saturday Bargains

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Boys' 3-Piece Suits for Saturday.

Children's 2-Piece Suits for Saturday.

Children's Washing Suits and Blouses.

Everything in the Children's Department goes at manufacturer's prices on Saturday.

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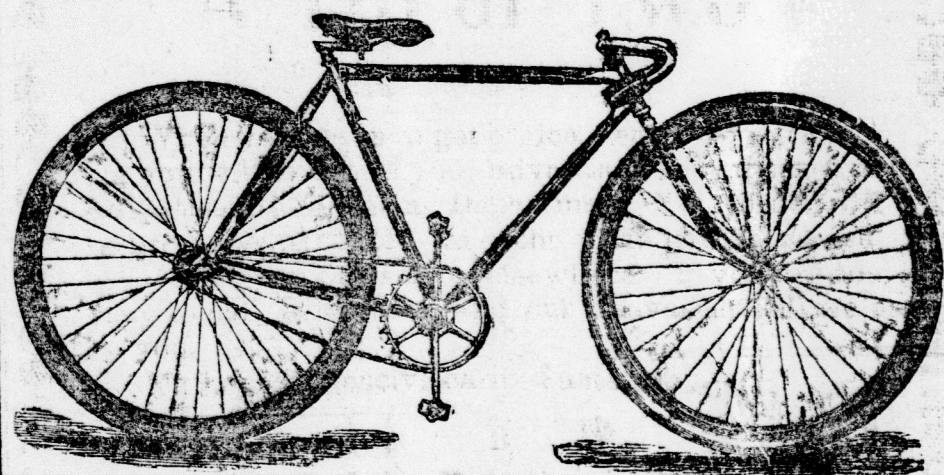
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TIME TO DO SOMETHING.

Mrs. Minnie—"Mary, it was 1 o'clock this morning, when you got in, I heard you." Mary—"Well, ma'am, if I was you, I'd take something to make me sleep better. I took my shoes off down in the kitchen and didn't make any more noise than a cat would. I've been kind of worried about you for a good while."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Babies Tortured.

By flaming, itching eczema, find comfort and permanent cure in Dr. Chase's Ointment, a preparation which has a record of cures unparalleled in the history of medicine. Eczema, salt rheum, tetter, scald head, old people's rash, and all itching skin diseases, are absolutely cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

LUCK.

"There is great excitement out in Kansas over a woman who is covered with feathers." "That so?" Say, her husband is in luck isn't he?" "Why?" "He needn't be afraid that she'll get mad if he forgets to call her duckie once in a while."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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. Two women were employed as track-walkers on a section of the Central Pacific Railroad east of Wells, Nev.

Boot Bacteria.

There is no more favorable place for the cultivation of disease germs than the shoes if they are not kept wholesome and healthy by the occasional use of some preventive. FOOT ELM is for this special purpose. There are imitations which dry the feet and crack the leather. FOOT ELM does not act this way. It preserves the leather and positively prevents chafing, blistering, sweating, etc. It gives comfort and satisfaction. Beware of imitations.

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25 CENTS A BOX, 5 BOXES \$1.00, AT DRUG STORES.

STOTT & JURY, L. A., Bowmanville, Ontario.

Seal Coffee

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(1 lb. and 2 lb. cans.)

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Beware of
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CHASE & SANBORN,
MONTREAL AND BOSTON.

They Won in the Last

Cockneys Did the "Garrison"
Act With Chatham,

Scoring Five Runs in the Ninth
Inning.

London's Lawn Bowlers Defeated
the St. Thomas Club.

Springfield's Team Shut Out the
Montreal Nine.

Tod Sloan's Winning Streak Seems to
Be Exhausted—Sporting News
From All Quarters.

BASISBALL

Canadian League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hamilton	11	5	.687
London	9	6	.600
Guelph	9	6	.600
Chatham	9	6	.600
St. Thomas	4	10	.286
Woodstock	1	12	.077

It was superb! beautiful! inspiring! exclaiming! that finish. There are no adjectives to describe it. It brought the grand stand to its feet and made the fans throw their hats in the air, and spoil their voices with frantic cheering.

It was the Chathams' game all the way until the last half of the ninth. The Londoners did manage to get a lead of one run in the fifth inning, but a wild throw to second by Lohman, in Chatham's sixth inning, tied the score. Then in the seventh, Nordyke hit to center field, and Crawford, after Lohman had misjudged an easy high foul, sent the ball into the remote, grass-grown corner, and Nordyke and Crawford came home, while Schwartz was hunting four-leaf clovers in the long grass. A miff of Sanders' high fly to Howells in the eighth inning, gave the Reds two more runs, increasing their lead to four. The Cockneys' eighth was a blank. The Reds' ninth closed with the bases full, but no runs scored.

At this point a number of the spectators went home, feeling certain that the game was too far gone for any material change to be made in the score. Hagerman had been strong and steady, and a hard puzzle for the Cockneys throughout. They couldn't get the ball beyond the infield. Then came the dazzling finish. Lohman began the music with a two-bagger to right field; Crow hit safely to left, Crawford dropped the ball, Mohler drove a grounder clear through Ziegler, and the bases were full. Howells hit by a pitched ball, forcing Lohman in; with McFadden at bat Crow tried to come home on a passed ball, but was caught at the plate. Nordyke's poor throw of McFadden's grounder again filled the bases; Babbitt drew a pass, and Mohler walked home, leaving the bases still full; Nordyke was very wroth, and began to say things to Umpire England. He kept on saying them until he was put out for the third time, coming in to third, and Cross going out to center field; Jones was at bat, and three balls and two strikes had been called on him. Charley took the next one and placed it beyond the track in left field. Those three men on bases came in and the game was won. The faithful fans went into ecstasies of delight, and the Chatham players still held their positions in the field, unable to believe that this thing could be. Even Pete Lohman had to pinch himself to make sure it wasn't only a happy dream. The score:

LONDON.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Mohler, 2b.	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
Howells, c.f.	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
McFadden, 1b.	4	1	0	13	0	0	0	0
Babbitt, s.	2	2	0	1	2	0	0	0
Jones, 1f.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Crow, 3b.	4	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
Schwartz, r.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lohman, c.	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Crow, p.	4	1	0	0	6	0	0	0
Total	34	9	5	27	14	4	0	1

CHATHAM.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Reed, c.f. and 3b.	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	1
Nordyke, 2b.	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	1
Cross, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crawford, 1b.	4	2	3	5	1	0	0	1
Conklin, r.f. and c.f.	5	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
McConnell, 1b.	5	0	1	6	0	2	0	0
Bombard, c.f.	4	1	1	5	3	1	0	1
Ziegler, 2b.	4	1	1	5	3	1	0	1
Sanders, c.	3	1	0	4	1	0	0	1
Hagerman, p.	3	6	0	2	1	0	0	0
Total	34	8	10	25	9	8	0	8

Winning run scored, one out.

Stolen bases—Mohler, Babbitt, Schwartz, Jones, Conklin, McConnell, Demott. Sacrifice hits—Howells, Nordyke, Ziegler. Two-base hits—Lohman, Crawford, Ziegler, Conklin. Three-base hit—Jones. Home run—Crawford. Base on balls—By Crow 5, by Hagerman 4. Struck out—By Crow 6, by Hagerman 4. Hit by pitcher—By Crow 1, by Hagerman 2. Double plays—Mohler to McFadden, Ziegler to Hagerman. Umpire—Geo. England. Time—2:04.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

If the Cockneys stay with the Hams

BEECHAM'S PILLS
CURE SICK HEADACHE
and act like magic on a weak
stomach and disordered liver

in that fashion they'll soon be in first place again, where they belong.

A spectacular finish. A few more like that will fill the stands again. Nobody dreamed those Cockneys were such stayers.

Jones knows what it feels like to be the lion of the day.

Crow scored a triumph on his last Canadian appearance.

Hagerman is a dandy. It was a case of hard luck pure and simple.

Nordyke, Reid and Crow found abusing the umpire.

England flung the fines amusement.

A book maker couldn't keep track of them.

HAMILTON DEFEATED GUELPH.

Guelph and Hamilton played a ragged game of ball yesterday. The pitchers' work was poor. Bradford suited and lost his head, while Damoth was very wild.

Guelph made the most hits, but made many errors, and the errors were full-grown and mellow, and Hamilton's hits were bunched.

It was anybody's game till the last inning, and a hit by the ninth instead of a long fly would have tied the score.

R. H. E. Hamilton 9 3 0 3 2 0 0 10 7 6

Hamilton 9 3 0 3 2 0 0 10 7 6

Guelph 9 3 0 3 2 0 0 10 7 6

Batteries—Bradford and Conwell; Damoth and Lafleur. Umpire, Popkay.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E. Pittsburgh 9 13 1

Brooklyn 5 10 2

Batteries—Sparks, Tannehill and Schriver and Bowerman; Dunn and Farrell.

At St. Louis—R. H. E. St. Louis 4 13 0

Baltimore 2 7 0

Batteries—Young and O'Connor; Kitzson and Robinson.

At Chicago—R. H. E. Chicago 17 14 7

New York 9 12 7

Batteries—Griffith and Donahue; Gettig, Doheny, Grady and Warner.

At Louisville—R. H. E. Louisville 11 14 1

Philadelphia 3 9 7

Batteries—Cunningham and Powers; Fifield and Douglass.

At Cleveland—R. H. E. Cleveland 7 9 1

Boston 2 11 2

Batteries—Knepper and Schreckengost; Lewis and Bergen.

EASTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Springfield (first game)—R. H. E. Springfield 2 2 3

Montreal 0 4 1

Batteries—McDermott and Phelps; Felix and Moran.

At Springfield (second game)—R. H. E. Springfield 11 14 1

Montreal 4 13 5

Batteries—Hemming and Phelps; Duggleby, Souders and Jacklitz.

At Providence (first game)—R. H. E. Providence 6 10 0

Rochester 0 6 3

Batteries—Evans and Leahy; Conn and Smink.

At Providence (second game)—R. H. E. Providence 8 11 3

Rochester 4 9 6

Batteries—Dunkle and Leahy; Morse and Smink.

At Hartford—R. H. E. Hartford 5 7 2

Toronto 3 9 4

Batteries—Johnson and Urquhart; Sutthoff and Rothfuss.

At Worcester—R. H. E. Worcester 19 22 7

Syracuse 4 8 6

Batteries—Klobedanz and Bransfield; Villanueva and Dickson.

WESTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

At Milwaukee—Kansas City 5, Milwaukee 1.

At St. Paul—St. Paul 6, Minneapolis 1.

At Columbus—Columbus 14, Detroit 4.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 3, Buffalo 2.

THE AMATEURS.

With regard to the challenge issued by the Imperial Baseball Club, the Olives desire to state that they "will not accept any challenge whatever from their club until they assure the Olives that they will have their men on the grounds before 7:45 p.m., and not ask another inning at 8:45, when the umpire says it is too dark, and that they will not blame the Olives for any mismanagement of their own affairs. We play ball as it should be played, for fun only. Why should we be afraid to lose?"

FOR THE FANS.

In Cleveland, when a man plays unusually well, the papers say he is playing for release.

Ball players usually guard their favorite bats carefully, but Lajoie, the greatest of sluggers, is careless. After making that heavy hit, which knocked the cover completely off the ball, at Cleveland, he handed his bat to a friend, who wanted it as a souvenir.

President Andrew Freedman has paid into the National League treasury the \$500 fine imposed on him for allowing his club to leave the field in the game with Brooklyn on June 18.

Brooklyn made a request for the money. In paying it Freedman gave notice of appeal to the board of directors. No request has been received from St. Louis for the fine money, where New York forfeited a game under similar circumstances.

TURF.

THE STRATFORD RACES.

Stratford, Ont., June 30.—The second day of the Stratford Turf Association's annual meet was largely attended.

Summary:

2:25 pace, purse \$300—R. & R. Richardson & Rocky, Ridgeway 1; Kitty R., Ed. Jackson, Dufferin Park, 2;

Jerry Chimes, J. A. Livingston, Grimsby, 3. Best time, 2:20 1/2.

Second race, 2:30 pace and 2:15 trot, purse \$400—Miss Delmarch, Gus Goebel, Mitchell, 1; Richard A., James O'Halloran, Toronto, 2; St. George, W. J. Anderson, Hamilton, 3. Best time, 2:22 1/2.

Third race, purse \$150, half-mile run—Dogma, R. Hueston, London, 1; Caspar, John Hurns, Cedar Springs, 2; Wilfrid Laurier, F. Smith, Southcoote, 3. Time, 1:52 1/2.

Fourth race, purse \$400, 2:15 pace and 2:30 trot—A. Thompson, Stratford, 1; Golden Prince, F. D. Miller, Bath, 2; Roddy, D. R. McGarvin, Chatham, 3; Furioso, C. L. Owen, Campbellford, 4; Little Hector, John A. Dous, Fenelon Falls, 5. This race was unfinished, on account of darkness.

AT FORT ERIE.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 30.—Yesterday, at Fort Erie:

First race, selling, 6 1/2 furlongs—Rubel 1, Rena Campbell 2, Shieldbearer 3. Time, 1:24.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 4 1/2 furlongs—Shepherd 1, Owensboro 2, Alfred Vargrave 3. Time, 1:56 1/2.

Third race, Owners' handicap, 1 mile—Topmast 1, Pearl 2, Gold Car 3. Time, 1:41 1/2.

Fourth race, selling, 6 1/2 furlongs—Prince Pablico 1, Sister Alice 2, False Bay 3. Time, 1:23 1/2.

Fifth race, selling, 1 1/4 miles—Jessamine Porter 1, Kitty Regent 2, Vanessa 3. Time, 2:09 1/2.

Sixth race, selling, 6 1/2 furlongs—Jim McGibbon 1, Beguile 2, Coralis 3. Time, 1:22.

WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.

Hartford, Chicago—Earl d'Or, Tulane, Marston, Brigade, Canova and Frank Thompson.

St. Louis, Mo.—Hi Kollar, Sir Gateau, Hindooet, Southern Girl (Missouri) selling stake, \$1,500, Lady Calahan, and Midlan.

Sheepshead Bay, New York—Kinley Mack, Mazurine, Prestidigitator, Bangie, Manville and Central Trust.

NEWMARKET RACES.

London, June 30.—The Princess of Wales stakes, run at Newmarket yesterday, were won by Flying Fox. Royal Emblem was second and Minus third, in a field of nine. The Sloan road Birkenhead, but was unplaced.

A selling plate was won by the Duke of Portland's 3-year-old bay colt Latheronwheel. Mr. E. Brasse's Merrybuck was second. Sloan road Birkenhead was third. This event is of 400 sovereigns, for 3-year-olds and upwards, the winner to be sold by auction for 200 sovereigns; entrance, 5 sovereigns. Eight horses ran.

The Xmas stakes were won by Mr. H. McCalmont's chestnut filly Jeunesse Doree, Terraphin, Lord William Beresford's bay colt, ridden by Sloan, was second. Mr. Arthur James' The Gordon third.

The July cup was won by Mr. Fairlie's 5-year-old bay horse Eager, by Enthusiasm—Greba. Sloan road Lord Wm. Beresford's 6-year-old bay horse Knight of the Thistle, and finished second. Mr. Covington's 5-year-old Candelaria was third. The betting was 100 to 30 against Knight of the Thistle.

The Ladies' Stand handicap was won by Mr. J. B. Leigh's 4-year-old bay colt The Wyvern, by Ben d'Or, out of Playaway. Sloan road Mr. C. F. Dwyer's 4-year-old chestnut colt Siv Fox, but was unplaced.

AQUATIC.

HARVARD DEFEATS YALE.

New London, Conn., June 30.—Harvard's University eight won from Yale over a four-mile course yesterday by 6 1/2 lengths; time, 20:52. Harvard's freshmen eight won from Yale over a two-mile course by 2 1/2 lengths; time, 9:34; and Harvard's substitute four won from Yale over a two-mile course by 6 lengths; time, 10:51.

CRICKET.

AUSTRALIA VS. ALL-ENGLAND.

Leeds, England, June 30.—The third test cricket match between the visiting Australians and an all-England eleven opened here yesterday, when the Australians made 172 runs in their first innings. At the close of play all-England had scored 119 runs, for four wickets down, in the first inning. About 12,000 spectators were present.

LAWN BOWLING.

LONDON DEFEATS ST. THOMAS.

Following is the score of the return match of lawn bowls played here yesterday:

London. St. Thomas.

Rink No. 1—

John Pritchard, M. A. Gilbert, J. A. Beddome, Judge Ermatinger, W. Jackson, Col. Burke, J. S. McDougall, skip, 20 skip, 12

Rink No. 2—

J. Stevenson, S. C. May, W. Bullen, T. Duncombe, T. Blakeney, W. W. Skidmore, A. Parfitt, N. W. Moore, skip, 25 skip, 8

Rink No. 3—

J. Carlie, J. Slade, G. Powell, F. Lewis, H. Finchamp, Simpson, J. Mattinson, J. Renwick, skip, 17 skip, 22

Total, 63 Total, 42

Majority for London, 21 shots.

It seems incredible that a woman can be bad form who has a good figure.

PAINS SEVERE!

A Port Hope Citizen Who Suffered

Agony, Promptly Relieved and

Cured by Doan's Kid-

ney Pills.

The terrible pains and aches consequent upon kidney derangement, the Rheumatism, Lumbago, Backache, Urinary Difficulties, which follow the failure of these organs to filter the poisons from the blood—make any sufferer thankful that there is such a remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills. Plenty of Port Hope citizens are testifying to the wonderful power of these conquerors of kidney ills.

Mr. W. A. Russell, the popular district agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Company, proves by the following statement that Doan's Kidney Pills are a positive cure for kidney ills:

"I suffered for five or six years with pains across my back, headaches, dizziness, and kindred kidney troubles. I got very bad, and when driving would have to stop the horse, as the pains were so severe that I could not stand them.

"I tried a great many medicines, but they did me no good. I then got Doan's Kidney Pills, took them for one month, and am completely cured!"

"I regard the cure as a remarkable testimony to the virtues of Doan's Kidney Pills, and am only too glad to recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble in any form."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price, 50c a box, or 3 for \$1.25. The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont. Remember the name, Doan's, and refuse all others.

GREAT STORM ON THE LAKES

Cleveland Steamer Went Down and Nine Persons Drowned.

The Gale Blew 60 Miles an Hour—Fishermen's Narrow Escape.

Chicago, June 29.—The steamer Margaret Olwill, owned by L. P. Smith, of Cleveland, went down in the storm off Lorain, Lake Erie, last night, and nine persons were lost, including Capt. John Brown, his wife and son, and Miss Baldwin, a passenger. The Olwill, of 554 tons, was bound from Keeley's Islands to Cleveland, with limestone. Her cargo, listing in the heavy sea, sent her down by the stern.

Seaman Coyle was picked up by the steamer State of Ohio. John Smith, mate, Alex. McRae, and Engineer Schenkele were picked up by the steamer Sacramento and taken to Lorain.

COYLE'S STORY.

According to Coyle's story the steamer left Keeley's Island at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, bound for Cleveland, with a cargo of stone. There was little or no wind, and everything was favorable for a pleasant trip. At 8 o'clock the wind began to blow from the northwest, and the boat began to go at a lively clip. At 1 o'clock the gale commenced, and the wind blew at the rate of 50 miles an hour. Capt. Brown found that the boat was making little headway, and concluded that the only thing to do was to turn back and go with the storm. It was 2 o'clock when the captain gave the order to turn about. The vessel had turned half-way round, when the rudder chain parted, and in an instant the boat was

AT THE MERCY OF THE STORM.

She was caught between two waves, and as she was borne along the top of one of them she rolled over on her side. The cabins were torn loose and floated on the water, while the rest of the ship went to the bottom. Coyle caught hold of part of the after-cabin, climbed up, and held on. The wheelman was clinging to a part of the same cabin. Capt. Willoughby, of the steamer State of Ohio, sighted the wreckage about 5:15 in the morning directly in the course from Cleveland to Toledo. The large crowd immediately put into service her life-saving crew, and after sailing around for an hour and a half Coyle was rescued.

Heffron was thrown a line, but he was too weak to take hold of it, and died around in the presence of the crowd on board the steamer. Coyle was more dead than alive when taken in.

GALE BLEW SIXTY MILES AN HOUR.

Detroit, June 29.—The steamer City of Cleveland did not arrive in Detroit until after 8 o'clock this morning, on account of the fierce storm that prevailed on Lake Erie last night, which Capt. Archie MacLachlan says was the worst he ever experienced at this season of the year. "The gale blew 60 miles an hour," said he, "and the waves almost reached the pilot house. The steamer weathered the storm all right, but had a large crowd of passengers to look out for, so we turned tail to it and went around through the south channel below South Bass Island, to avoid the heavy seas that we would have encountered in the passage around the Dumfries. This gave us the wind over our quarter, while by the other route we would have been in the trough of the sea. This roundabout course accounted for our being so late, but it was the safer one, and we took it."

BIG RAFT LOST.

At Menominee a raft of 600,000 feet of logs, owned by Donovan & O'Connor, was carried away.

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Roosevelt Rebuked.

Governor Roosevelt, ardent soul, has been preaching a gospel which cut against the peaceful grain of Prof. Goldwin Smith. That master of the pen takes up his favorite weapon against the man of the sword and castigates him gracefully, through the columns of the Independent. He says that Governor Roosevelt's doctrine appears to be that the force of national character must suffer by prolonged peace—"swollen slothful ease"—and can be preserved only by "strenuous endeavor," which the professor takes to be a euphemism for war. The professor holds it does not appear to be true that nations, so long as their governments are good, their habits healthy, their sports manly and their feelings patriotic, have any tendency to lose their force in peace. Germany had been externally at peace, with the inconsiderable exception of the Schleswig-Holstein affair, for nearly half a century when, under Bismarck and Moltke, she put forth in her wars with Austria and France such force as the world has seldom seen. Great Britain had been at peace for nearly 40 years when she went into the Crimean war, and though, at the outset, her war department was out of gear, her military energy did not fail her on the Alma or at Inkerman. The people of the United States had been at peace, with the not very considerable exception of the Mexican war, for 45 years, before the outbreak of the war of secession, in which the military qualities shown upon both sides were as high, and the fighting was as desperate as in any war in history. On the other hand, it was after a long period of incessant wars that both Spain and Italy sank into decrepitude. Professor Smith quotes further from history to show that war is by no means a national tonic. The writer adds:

"Governor Roosevelt tells you that unless you take to the life of strenuous endeavor 'bolder and stronger people will pass you by and win for themselves the domination of the world.' Why is the world to be given over to anybody's domination? Why cannot we all be content with our own and allow each other to grow in freedom and peace? Why should there not continue to be a community of nations, peacefully co-operating and vying with each other in the promotion of the general objects of humanity? The domination of the Anglo-Saxon race is just now the prevailing aspiration. Might not the attempt to establish it provoke all the other nations to combine their forces for the liberation of the world? 'Who has said or thought that the American people were an assembly of well-to-do hucksters, sitting huddled within their borders?' One overlooker at all events thought they were expanding over an almost boundless territory and bidding fair, with their material advantages, to lead mankind in the march of improvement, and redress in some measure the sad inequalities of the human lot. The war of secession was at all events not 'huckstering.' Governor Roosevelt lends color to the injurious surmise that an unceasing war is to nations a restless desire to be on a par with the great military powers of the old world were at the bottom of this sudden transformation. Napoleon took England for a nation of shopkeepers and formed his plans on that hypothesis, with what result is well known."

Prof. Smith complains that there seems to have come over us a satiety of civilization. He points out such signs as the revival of the lust of war, of such barbarous practices as duelling, and such sports as prize-fighting and bull-fighting—the latter about to be imported into France. If we want to keep war as indispensable to national virility, and at the same time to mitigate its horrors, he facetiously suggests the old system of waging of battle as a way which cannot fail to commend itself to the burning valor of Governor Roosevelt.

The Movement of Gold.

The depletion of the gold reserve of the Bank of England is puzzling British financiers. The Bank of England used to be the gold box of the world, while the United States was frequently on the ragged edge of a currency crisis, through the scarcity of the yellow metal in that country, aggravated by bad monetary laws. Now the position is reversed, and the United States is the largest gold-holding country in the world. This has been largely brought about by the revival of prosperity and the enormous trade balance last year, the excess of exports over imports being \$725,000,000. A great deal of this excess was employed in reducing American debts in Europe, but the imports of gold into the United States exceeded the exports last year by at least \$100,000,000. This undoubtedly was a serious drain on the Bank of England. The tide is now turning, and the United States is shipping gold to Europe, though not in great quantities. This is better for Europe, which needs the metal, and for the United States, which can spare it. Those who understand the delicate and vital relations of gold to the trade and commerce of the world, know that a nation may be injured by having too much of the metal, as well as too little. As the British Chancellor of the Exchequer has promised to address himself to the question

of the gold reserve of the Bank of England, we may soon expect an instructive lesson in currency and finance.

One beneficent result of the plethora of gold in the United States is the blow it gives the silver heresy. The principal thesis of the silverites—that the scarcity of gold and its consequent appreciation of value were the causes of low prices and hard times—has been overturned by present conditions. As a campaign issue, "Sixteen to One" is dead at this moment. Only one eventually—hard times—will revive it before the next election, and hard times are not in sight. Bryan will probably train his heaviest guns on the trust evil instead of the "money power" in 1900.

General Hutton, since leaving the London camp, has been at the Niagara camp, and is now going to the Laprairie camp. He is the most distinguished camp-follower on record.

The Free Press quotes from a number of Liberal papers, which condemn the wrong-doing in West Elgin. It is a good sign that Liberal papers do condemn corruption in the Liberal ranks. If the press of both parties would act vigorously on the same principle, there would be more hope of stamping out the evil on both sides.

Sir Charles Tupper leaves for England on July 20. The inference is that the Opposition will permit Parliament to be prorogued before that date. The last time Sir Charles left the House for a few days, there was confusion worse confounded in the Opposition ranks, and the veteran leader, upon returning, had to disavow the tactics of his lieutenants. He will hardly risk leaving them alone a second time.

Mr. D. S. Mitchell has exhibited a most marked civic patriotism by offering to the public library at Sydney, New South Wales, a collection of books, manuscripts, engravings, etc., valued at the lowest estimate at about half a million dollars. Is there any citizen of London willing to follow this good example? If so, let him imitate this Australian Carnegie, and thus enjoy the luxury of doing good.

The Eastern Telegraph Company has begun the fight against the Pacific cable scheme by protesting against state competition with private enterprise. This is corporate cheek with a vengeance. The Eastern Company is a state monopoly of the worst kind, since the British Government is under a penalty to secure the Eastern line from competition. It is reassuring to note that the Eastern Company's protest has received a rather frigid recognition from British Cabinet Ministers.

"By-elections unfortunately are not in this country much of a gauge as regards the trend of public opinion. The Conservatives kept winning by-elections up to the eve of their defeat in the general election of 1896.—Ottawa Journal.

Our contemporary is not often astray in its facts, but here it undoubtedly is. The fact is that prior to the election of 1896 the Conservative Government sustained serious losses, not only in the constituencies, but through defections in the House of Commons. Its majority, which ranged from 45 to over 60, in the year following the general election, fell in the last session to about 40, some times even less. It is entirely different with the present Government. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's following has been augmented in both the House and the constituencies by accessions from the ranks of his opponents.

What Others Say.

London's Got Him.

[Hamilton Herald.]

If Mgr. McEvay is appointed bishop of London, London will have a first-rate business bishop.

It Dissolves and Runs.

[Ottawa Citizen.]

It may have been noticed that whenever there is a hot time in France the first thing that dissolves is the cabinet.

What a Change.

[Buffalo Express.]

The British and Canadian flags will be wanted on the Fourth of July. They are the companions of "Old Glory" now.

Americans Hit Hard.

[Hamilton Herald.]

The trusts are carrying things with a high hand in the United States. The Standard Oil Company is said to have cornered the whisky business, the price being \$95,000,000. Our neighbors patiently endure the oil grab, but will they stand to see a monopoly corner the national beverage?

How to Read a Newspaper.

[British Workman.]

Read thoughtfully, and every part of the paper will yield some fruit. It will cease to be simply a means of passing an idle hour. It will become a real instrument of education. The latest news, when you stop to think over it, may remind you of many old and half-forgotten things, out of which it grew. Every story of common toil, and every-day heroism—even the tragedies and failures of life—will help to remind us that the lives of men touch one another at many points; that no one is really "independent" or "self-made"; that none of us liveth unto himself. To know these things is to be well on the way to true culture and abiding usefulness.

Tom Brown's School Days.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

The dispatch announcing the unveiling of a statue of the late Thomas Hughes at Rugby will recall an author for whom the older boys of today feel a high and tender regard. "Tom

Brown's School Days" and "Tom Brown at Oxford" were great books to a generation ago. They are scarcely known by the boys of today. Perhaps they would be voted slow by admirers of Kipling's impish school heroes, and possibly they are a little out of date. But there is a host of older boys, boys with gray milestone marks on hair and mustache, who still cherish a deep and lasting affection for the big hearted creator of manly "Tom Brown."

Now You've Got Me.

[Christian Guardian.]

It reminds us of an incident reported in class meeting last Sabbath morning. A venerable member of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Toronto, was visiting relatives in an American town in the Niagara district, near the border. On a recent Sabbath morning, while walking through the streets, he found business going on much as usual, and was somewhat surprised to be accosted by a merchant, with a request to purchase some goods. After a moment's reflection, the Canadian Methodist asked: "What day of the week do you observe as Sabbath here?" To which he received the following somewhat significant reply: "Now you've got me."

THE "TIMES" ON CANADA

The Thunder on the Prosperity of the Dominion.

[From the London Times.]

The lean years have gone by, and there is reason to hope that British communities in different parts of the world are entering upon a period of fat years. This is the summary of the financial and industrial position which reaches us from the various groups of self-governing colonies.

First in the prosperous list stands Canada, where the fiscal year ends on June 30, and Mr. Fielding, the Dominion minister of finance, was able, in making his budget speech the other day, to estimate the surplus of 1898-99 at \$4,600,000, or not far short of \$1,000,000. The revenue for the year, assuming that the estimates of receipts for the last three months are well-founded, will be \$4,632,338, or \$32,338 in excess of the estimate of \$4,600,000. This is a substantial advance on the revenue of last year, which amounted to \$4,555,238; and the advance in expenditure, which for 1897-98 amounted to \$38,332,525, though considerable, is quadrupled by the receipts. In addition to the expenditure from income in the Dominion there is every year for purposes of railways, canals and other public works and services a further expenditure from capital account. This expenditure was last year \$2,417,929, or \$68,735. Allowing for the deduction of the surplus and the outlay for sinking fund estimated in the regular expenditure, the net increase to the public debt of Canada will this year be \$1,700,000. In the last year, \$2,417,929, every particular of the year shows a better result than last year. Yet last year was also good, and to obtain the full value of a comparison, it is well to take a longer period:

	Expenditure, Net Inc.	Revenue, Con. Fund, of Debt.
1894	36,374,631	27,585,025
1895	33,973,129	28,132,005
1896	36,618,591	36,949,142
1897	37,829,778	38,349,759
1898	40,555,238	38,832,525
1899	46,632,338	42,026,028

The present Liberal administration came into office in the course of the fiscal year ending 1897. They reap, therefore, the full advantage of the prosperity of the last few years, and not unreasonably claim some credit for the happy state of their finances.

Good harvests and the better prices ruling in the markets of the world for the staple produce of the colonies have, of course, much to do with the prosperity of Canada, as well as with that of Australia, to which allusion will presently be made. But there is something to be attributed to the increase of local enterprise which has resulted from or accompanied these conditions. The development of wheat-farming and cattle-breeding on the prairies, and the opening of new productive mineral districts have helped to swell the total of Canadian foreign trade, as well as to increase the demand made by one part of the Dominion upon the produce and industry of the others. In the years which have been quoted the mineral production of Canada rose in round figures from an annual total of \$19,000,000 to \$35,000,000. The actual increase of animal and agricultural products is more difficult to arrive at, but it has very greatly increased, and the number of farming homesteads taken up on government lands in Manitoba has grown from 2,406 in 1897 to 4,848 in 1898. Along the course of the rail-

GLENDOWER—"I can call spirits from the vasty deep."

HOTSPUR—"Why, so can I, or so can any man."

"But will they come when you do call for them?"—SHAKESPEARE.

How quickly Hotspur's wise and witty retort tears the tragic mantle in which Glendower stalks, and shows beneath the seer's robe, the shrewdness of the mountebank. Most people would have taken the Welchman at his word, and called him seer, without noting the difference between to call and to command.

Certain points of comparison are suggested between Glendower's tragic claim and the comic claim made in some specious advertisements. "I am a woman, I know all about woman. I understand woman, and I can cure woman because I am a woman." The modern Mrs. Hotspur puts her finger right on the weak spot of that clamorous claim by saying: "Why if you can cure woman simply because you are a woman, then so can I and so can any woman." Which very plainly brings out the common sense fact that the cure of diseases does not depend upon being a man or being a woman but does depend upon being a trained and experienced physician.

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8 pieces Bleached Table Linen, 66-inch, Belfast make, our regular price 62c a yard, Saturday for.....49c

1 piece Table Linen, grass bleached, 72 inches wide, satin finish, double damask, regular price \$1 45, Saturday.....\$1 00

2 pieces Bleached Huck Toweling, 21-inch, with red border, regular 16c, Saturday.....12½c

2 pieces Red Check Glass Cloth, 24-inch, pure linen, regular price 15c, Saturday.....10c

Gents' Furnishings.—Your choice of any Regatta or Soft-Front Shirt in the house, regular \$1, \$1 25, and \$1 50; all sizes; Saturday, each.....59c

Hosiery.—Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Hose, seamless feet, double knees, heels and soles, all sizes, at, per pair, 12½c, 15c, 18c and 20c

Ladies' and Children's Ribbed and Plain Hose, worth 15c to 18c, special at.....10c

Ladies' Bleached and Unbleached Vests, with or without sleeves, regular 8c and 10c, Saturday.....5c

Ladies' White or Cream Vests, lace shoulder straps or short sleeves, Saturday, 2 for.....25c

Children's Undervests, from 5c to 25c

Blouses.

Black and White Spots and Stripes, Fancy Percales, etc., regular 60c and 75c each.....

60 dozen Assorted Blouses, in muslins, percales and cambrics, plaids, stripes and fancy-fancies, regular \$1, \$1 25 and \$1 50 each.....

Stripe, Muslin, Plaid, Gingham, and Fancy Percales, new goods, in pink and blue, special.....

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Shoe Section.

You'll want a new pair of shoes for the holiday. We can make walking easy, and the price light. Men's Cordovan, whole foxed, Goodyear welt, lace boots, regular price \$3; Saturday.....\$1 90

Men's Dongola, sewed soles, new shaped toes, laced and Congress, \$1 50

Women's Chocolate and Black Dongola, two-button Trilby shoes; Saturday.....\$1 25

Boys' Box Calf Laced Boots, sizes 11 to 13, \$1 45; sizes 1 to 5.....\$1 65

Whitewear & Corsets

Ladies' Gowns.—Balance of odd lines, fine goods, sold for \$1 25, \$1 50, \$1 65 and \$1 90, all go Saturday, each.....90c

White Cotton Skirts, wide embroidery flounce, regular price \$1 25 to \$2 each, Saturday.....\$1 00

Summer Corsets, all sizes.....29c

Our 75c Short Waist White Net Summer Corset, special.....69c

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100 dozen Ladies' All-Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, ½ and ¾ inch hem, worth 25c each; Saturday and until sold, 9c each, or 1 for 25c.

Another lot of Fancy Silk Ribbons, 5 to 7 inches wide, all shades, suitable for ties or belts, worth 25c to 35c a yard, Saturday.....10c

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One pound of our Imperial Blend Black Tea for.....25c

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Cowan's Soluble Cocoa, regular 25c; Saturday.....15c

Three pounds Washing Soda, regular 10c, for.....5c

Three pounds of Laundry White Starch for.....15c

40 one-pound jars of Durham Mustard, each.....15c

Nice, crisp Ginger Snaps at, per pound.....5c

6 dozen Decorated Cuspidors, regular 25c each; Saturday.....15c

60 only 8-inch Jardinieres, assorted colors, each.....25c

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GROWTH OF FOREIGN MAILS.

In 1840 the foreign mail from England for the United States, carried on the Great Western consisted of two sacks of mail. As late as 1873 a steamer from Europe, with 20,000 letters on board, was considered a record-breaker. Today the Cunard steamers and other transatlantic ships carrying what is called a "full European mail" usually bring some two hundred thousand sacks of newspapers and printed matter for New York city, not to mention the five hundred and odd sacks for Canada, Mexico and United States exchange offices, which are now taken direct to the trains and not handled at the New York office.—E. G. Chat, in the July Scribner's.

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B. M. E. YOUNG FOLK

Convention of Sunday School and Y. P. Societies at Brantford.

The Sunday school and Young People's Societies convention in connection with the B. M. E. Church conference, convened in the city of Brantford, on June 26, Rev. R. A. Ball presiding in the absence of the president, R. W. Johnston, of Windsor. The pastors and officio members; only eight delegates were present, and are as follows: Miss E. Lucas, and Miss E. Melby, Toronto; Miss M. Lewis, London; Miss M. Smith, Guelph; Miss Eva McComas, and Rev. S. A. Lucas, Brantford; Mrs. M. Anderson, Chatham; Rev. H. Wright, Dresden; Rev. R. L. Holden, Buxton; Rev. H. Davis, Windsor; Rev. C. H. Snowden, Woodstock.

The children's day money amounted to \$22.50, and after expenses were paid \$3 remained to be placed in the treasury.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Miss E. Lucas, Toronto, president; Miss M. Lewis, London, vice-president; Miss H. Melby, Toronto, recording secretary; Miss M. Anderson, Chatham, corresponding secretary; Miss E. Pippin, Windsor, treasurer.

The evening programme was a decided success, consisting of solos, duets and essays. Miss E. McComas, of Brantford, greeted the convention on behalf of their Sunday school, and Rev. Mr. Snowden on behalf of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Rev. Mr. Holden replied with fitting remarks. Mrs. M. Anderson read a paper on "The Forward Movement of the Sunday School." Miss E. Lucas, on "Progress of Spiritual Work of the Sunday School." Miss Melby, on "Profits of Sunday School Teaching." Miss M. Lewis, on "Recognition of the Holy Spirit." Miss M. Smith, "Asleep at the Switch."

The Christian Endeavor Society gave the convention a pleasant outing in the afternoon, at Mohawk Park. The convention closed, feeling that some good had been done in the name of Jesus, to meet at Dresden, in June, 1900.

NEW GRAND STANDS
AT QUEEN'S PARK

The Western Fair Board Decide Upon a Large Expenditure—Tribute to Retiring Secretary Browne.

The Western Fair Board met yesterday afternoon and ratified the executive's appointment of Mr. J. A. Nelles as secretary in succession to Mr. Thos. A. Browne, who will enter tomorrow upon his new duties as postmaster. Mr. Nelles' salary was fixed at \$700 per year. In recognition of the interest Mr. Browne has shown in the association's welfare by hurrying as much as possible all preparations for the coming fair, the board gave Mr. Browne \$600 for the past six months.

The executive committee and the grounds and building committee were empowered to award contracts for building two new stands at Queen's Park. The outlay will be about \$5,000. It is estimated. The present open stands are to be torn down and larger ones put in their places. The seating capacity, not including the big covered stand, will be increased by 314. The new stand at the south end is to be 120 feet long, and the one at the north end 200 feet long, and each one will contain seven more rows of seats than the present stands.

The Orangemen had been granted the use of the track and stands on payment of \$25. In view of the fact that no charge of admission is to be made, the \$25 will be refunded.

A request that a class for hen pheasants be included in the prize lists was not complied with, as the prize lists have already been issued.

There was a large attendance of directors. Col. Gartshore presided.

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to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. A large number of friends of the family followed the remains to the grave. Rev. Thomas Wilson conducted the services. The pall-bearers were: The Hart, Thomas Wilson, Roy Wallace, Murray Wilson, and Willie Baker. Among the floral offerings was one, the "Gates Ajar," from Whitson's playmates.

A national photographic exposition will be held in Madison Square Garden, in New York city, for one week during the month of October of this year. The exhibition will include optical magic lanterns and general optical goods, photo-engraving supplies, and general exhibits, lithographic materials, and all trades, arts and sciences connected with photography. A large historical collection will be on view in connection with probably the most complete exhibit of modern photographic work ever brought together under one roof.

FRACTURED HER WRIST.

While Mrs. John Hodgins, of Cartwright street, was standing on Dundas street yesterday, waiting for the circus parade, she was run into by a lady bicyclist. The handlebar of the wheel struck Mrs. Hodgins' wrist, fracturing the bones.

BOOKS ABOUT CANADA.

The list of new books at the public library this week contains about 60 volumes of rare books of history and travels in Canada, from 50 to 100 years ago. Among them are Liancourt's "Travels Through the United States and Canada," 1795, two volumes; Jameson's "Wintour Studies," 1839; Mackenzie's "Through North America," 1802; Moodie's "Roughing It in the Bush," 1856; Talbot's "Five Years Residence in Canada," 1823, two volumes; the Earl of Selkirk's "Settlements in North America," 1815, and many others.

AT THE CONSERVATORY.

Miss Bertie Macalpin, pianist, and Miss Constance Fraser, vocalist, gave a delightful recital at the Conservatory of Music last evening. Miss Macalpin, whose home is in Petrolia, is the winner of the Barron gold medal in the class of '99. The programme consisted of Sonata, op. 2, No. 3, Beethoven; Romanzome Felice ("Osteria"), Little Miss Fraser.

(a) An den Fruhlung, op. 43, No. 6, Grieg; (b) Rigoletto, op. 38, Verdi; Liszt; Miss Macalpin.

Mou Cover Souvre a ta Voix

Miss Fraser.

(a) Scherzo, op. 43, No. 6, Chopin

(b) Rhapsodie, op. 43, No. 6, Liszt

Miss Macalpin.

(a) Entreaty, op. 43, No. 6, Smith

(b) The Rosary, op. 43, No. 6, Tosti

(c) My Ideal, op. 43, No. 6, Moore

Miss Fraser.

APPEAL DISMISSED WITHOUT COSTS.

Judgment was given in the court of appeal at Toronto yesterday in the case of Fraser vs. the London Street Railway Company on cross-appeal by plaintiff from judgment of a divisional court, which, although it sustained a verdict for plaintiff in an action for negligence, reduced the amount of the verdict from \$3,500 to \$2,000, or directed a new trial if the plaintiff should refuse to consent to the reduction.

The plaintiff, while standing on the foot-board of one of the defendants' cars, was struck by one of the side-posts of Kensington bridge, over which the car was crossing, the space between the post and the side of the car being only fourteen inches. The court below held that an invitation to the plaintiff to stand on the foot-board must be implied, and while here he was entitled to be carried safely, which the improper construction of the bridge prevented, but they found the damages to be excessive. The defendants appealed from the judgment, also, but their appeal was dismissed at this court at the hearing. The court now dismissed the plaintiff's cross appeal, but without costs. Hellmuth (London) for appellants; Aylesworth, Q.C., and A. Stewart (London) for plaintiffs.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH GARDEN PARTY.

A most successful garden party was held at the St. Mary's Church grounds last night. The attendance was large, in spite of the somewhat cool weather.

The Altar Society, under whose auspices the affair was held, are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts. The proceeds of the evening go to the funds of the society. The grounds were gorgeously decorated with flags, bunting and Chinese lanterns, and there were numerous refreshment and flower booths. All received a liberal patronage. The Harpers rendered sweet music at intervals during the evening, and the following programme was also rendered: Chorus, "Welcome," girls of the separate schools; song, "Asleep in the Deep," Mr. James Connor; song, "The Gauntlet," Mr. William Miller; song, "Springtide," Mrs. Sylvia Warren; song, "Because," Mr. Jack Birmingham; song, "Mona," Miss Kate Hobbs; song, "Talk of the Town," Mr. M. McKeough; chorus, "The Maple Leaf," separate school girls; song, Mr. James Connor; song, "Paddy," Miss Warren; song, Mr. M. McKeough; song, "Love's Proving," Mr. Wm. Miller; song, "Ashore," Mr. Joseph Leitch; song, "Just at the Close of the Day," Mr. J. Birmingham. The set-verse numbers were well received, more especially those by Miss Warren.

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Busy Day for the Council's Special Strike Committee.

The Conference With Representatives of the Employees' Union.

The wheels set in motion by the city council with a view to bringing the street railway strike to an end were turning all day yesterday. Chairman Parnell and his co-workers on the strike committee had a busy day. After the long talk with the company, the aldermen met Messrs. Crawford, Pennington and DeLisle, the employees' representatives, and engaged in soundings operations. It was four o'clock when the second meeting was held. Ald. Parnell (chairman), Mayor Wilson, Ald. Rumball, Dobglass, Graham, Wilkey and Carrothers were present. The chairman stated the object of the meeting. Mr. Crawford, in reply, said the agreement proposed by the men set forth exactly what the men wanted. Ald. Graham—If we start out with the absolute necessity of recognition of the union, our negotiations will be useless. We can't get the company to argue that question at all.

Ald. Rumball (to the strikers)—What would be your object in demanding recognition of the union if the company agreed to arbitration?

Mr. Crawford—We've got to have a union or a non-union road. One or the other. If half the men are union, and some not, there will be friction just as there has been. We don't think we have asked anything unfair in our proposed agreement.

Ald. Rumball—Why do you want more than was accepted in Cleveland?

Mr. DeLisle—We are not asking more than they have there.

A press report of the Cleveland agreement was read, and the committee contented that there was no recognition of the union in it.

The strikers maintained that the press reports gave a wrong impression. The men there had secured recognition, said Mr. DeLisle. He was asked for a correct copy of the agreement, and promised to obtain it.

It was pointed out by the aldermen that in case the question of the union was dropped, the men might still be able to deal with the company through a committee. That committee could be the properly accredited officers of the union, if they were chosen, to present the grievances to the company.

Ald. Parnell thought the company would receive them. They might not be received as officers of the union, but what difference would that make?

Mr. Pennington—Would the company agree to submit the question of recognition of the union to arbitration?

The aldermen thought not.

Messrs. Crawford, Pennington and DeLisle said they could answer for all the strikers without submitting the question to them, but they did not think a man would go back unless the road was unionized. Otherwise, they would be just as badly off as they had been.

Ald. Rumball said little hope if the men were determined to stick to their proposed agreement.

The chairman thought it would be possible to deal with the men if they gave up the recognition of the union.

The company's arbitration offer was discussed. In event of not getting satisfaction from the management, an employee could appeal to the city council, the body to whom the company's offer was to be given, and have the grievance adjusted by arbitration. The employee, if he was a union man, could get the union to choose an arbiter, if he desired; the company would select one also, and in event of the two selected being unable to decide upon a third, the county judge would appoint

one. This was all according to the act of the local legislature.

Mr. Crawford said that such an arrangement would be of no use if the company would only hear individual grievances. Why would the company not make the proposed agreement with the men instead of with the council?

Ald. Rumball—The council is here all ways. Employees change. Suppose all the present employees signed an agreement with the company. In a few years there would be a new set of men, not bound by the agreement, and it would be binding on them. If it is given to the council it will last.

Mr. Pennington—Would the company agree to deal with the employees collectively?

Ald. Parnell—I think they would meet a committee.

Mr. Crawford—We must have a union or a non-union road; otherwise, there'll be friction.

The possible reinstatement of some of the strikers was discussed.

The employees' representatives said they would not consent to go back unless all went.

Ald. Rumball—How many men are now out?

Mr. DeLisle—Ninety-four.

Ald. Rumball—But the company say they now have 23 old employees at work for them.

Mr. DeLisle—They're not old employees. They are men who came to work since the first strike to take our jobs.

The alleged Cleveland agreement was discussed fully.

Mr. Crawford said: "That's a one-sided agreement."

Ald. Rumball—The old agreement is better.

The strikers did not look upon the actions of the Cleveland employees as a precedent which they were bound to follow, anyway. The cases were not parallel, they said. "This is a strong union town, and the men are determined," said Mr. Crawford.

The question of wages was touched on briefly. Finally, at the chairman's suggestion the strikers' representatives agreed to submit the following proposition to the union this morning:

"If the company would take back all the old employees, would the men waive the question of recognition of the union, provided the company agreed to hear any grievances, past, present or future, through a committee of the employees, and falling in a satisfactory settlement of such grievances, to refer the same to arbitration; the wages to be 15 cents an hour, and 8 hours to constitute a day's work?"

Adjourned.

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Makes Corrections

To the Editor of the Advertiser:

In your issue of June 28, there is a

letter under the heading "Street Rail-

way Company's Tactics," in which a

reference is made to the conduct of

special detectives and police court

disclosures. I see that my name has been

dragged into the controversy.

It is true a man by the name of

Winfield Armstrong, guilty committed to

prison on June 22, and shortly after his

commitment a number of alleged friends

came to see him, to whom I refused

admission. A brother of the prisoner

came also and was refused admission,

but I told him that I would carry any

message to the prisoner that he wished,

and suggested that I would send for

any lawyer that he might desire to

engage for counsel. At the brother's

request I immediately interviewed the

prisoner and asked him if he wished

to engage a lawyer, and he replied by

saying that he wanted no lawyer. Then

he made an attempt to disclose to me

his grievances. I told him that I

did not want to know anything about his

case, and the statement by Mr. Marks

that I put him through an examination

is entirely false and without the

slightest foundation.

I want the public to know that I am

not at liberty to let every person that

chooses to run into the jail the privi-

lege of seeing prisoners confined there-

in, particularly when they are under

a criminal charge. I hope that the

people of the county of Middlesex will

think that I would for one moment act

in that arbitrary, despotic manner

which Mr. Marks would wish to stig-

matize me with.

Thanking you kindly, Mr. Editor, for

the space you have given me in your

valuable paper, I am respectfully

yours,

R. BOSTON.

Governor County Jail.

London, June 29, 1899.

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good way; a book, I guess, like "Treasure

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else had written it. By all that I can

learn, it is the very book for my com-

plaint. I like the way I hear it opens;

and they tell me John Silver is great

fun. And to me it is, and must ever

be, a dream unrealized, a book unwrit-

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From "The Letters of Robert Louis

Stevenson," in the July Scribner's