

Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.

BLATER-BEATTIE—At London, on Aug. 10, by the Rev. Dr. Smith, Edward Slater to Miss Alice Beattie, both of this city.

DIED.

FURNES—At Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 9, Clara Armstrong, wife of Mr. Richard Furnes, of the G. T. R.
Funeral private, Thursday.
Grand Rapids, Mich., papers please copy.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK, FRI. DAY and Saturday, Aug. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1898. Admission, 10c to 50c. Gates open at 12:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

50 CENTS—SARNIA TO DETROIT and return, via Star Line steamer, Civic Holiday; good to return Aug. 16. F. B. Clark, next Advertiser.

KEEP KOOL—SULPHUR SPRINGS swimming pool, hot and cold baths daily and evenings. Dundas street west. Phone 707.

VOICE CULTURE.

E. N. ROBIN. Studio, Bell Piano Parlor. Residence, No. 390 Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telephone 1270.

MONTREAL BOATS—TICKETS VIA THE palatial side-wheel steamers down the St. Lawrence, of the American Line, and by the well-known favorites of the St. Lawrence, the Perth and Ocean, F. B. Clark, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

BOAT EXCURSION TO MACKINAC AND return, from Detroit, Saturday 8 p.m. Fare, twelve dollars and seventy cents. From London, Ont., including meals and berth. Secure berths at once. F. B. Clark, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

MUSIC AND DANCING—OUR OR- CHESTRA can be engaged for parties and parties during the summer. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dayton & McCormick, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY—THE USUAL monthly meeting, Thursday, Aug. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1898. Address, 111 Cadwallader, secretary.

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48— Regular meeting this (Wednesday) evening. Visitors invited. Geo. E. Logan, N. G.; Thos. D. Hastings, L. S.

Domestics Wanted.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED— Apply 531 Queen's avenue.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, AP- PLY at 301 Piccadilly street.

YOUNG GIRL TO DO LIGHT HOUSE- WORK. Apply Mrs. James Loney, Grand avenue, South London.

WANTED—GOOD SMART GENERAL servant for menial duties. Apply 575 Queen's avenue.

Female Help Wanted.

EXPERIENCED SEWING-MACHINE WANT- ED. Apply Miss Logan, at Smallwood & Ingram's.

Lost and Found.

ASTRAY—DARK BAY MAINE—WHITE spot on nose; white on two hind legs; a reward on nose; white on two hind legs; information reported at McLean's Hardware.

LOST—ON SATURDAY, JULY 31—BY one of the London oil boys, a pocket letter case, containing checks, receipts, and money. Finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving same at Advertiser's Office.

Situations Wanted.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRIOUS middle-aged married man of good habits as a cook, shipper, or general helper in any kind. Not afraid of hard work. Address Box 44, Advertiser.

Money to Loan.

70c We have unlimited private funds for investment on real estate security, firm or city property, improved, at 4 1/2% interest. Write or call. Meredith, Cameron, Judd & Dromgoole, solicitors, Essex Building, London.

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO LOAN at 4 1/2% to 5% per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. Southend, solicitor, etc. 38 Dundas street, London.

SUMS OF \$100 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN on real estate and other security. Apply to Messrs. Rogers, corner Richmond and King streets.

\$100,000 TO LEND ON MORT- GAGES and notes. Ten per cent. McDonagh & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, 107-109 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Gloucester, Bath and Avignon.

Viatic Treatment.

MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS TO ladies of the country. 311 Hyman street, London.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish Movements. 407 King street, London, Ont. Phone 502.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING— J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufacturer Jeweler, 30 Dundas street up stairs, London, Ont.

Musical Instruction.

MRS. and MISS NOBLE, TEACHERS OF piano, organ and harmony. Residence, 635 King street.

SCHOOL OF ELOCUTION.

W. H. HEWLETT—ORGANIST DUNDAS Center Methodist Church, conductor, London Vocal Society, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and composition. Telephone 1218. 418 Queen's avenue.

Wanted.

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

Insurance.

A. N. UDY—INSURANCE AGENT— Office over C. P. R. ticket office. Telephone 725.

You Profit by Our Experience.

OVER thirty years buying and selling shoes has enabled us to experiment with and test all the different makes of shoes of any consequence, and to select from the many makes the few best ones. When you come here for shoes you can do so feeling certain you can buy nothing but good shoes—no matter what price you pay. Thus do you profit by our experience.

J. P. Cook,
173 Dundas Street.
Your money back if you want it.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

STORE TO RENT, WITH LARGE STORE 100 ft. x 120 ft. Dundas street. Apply 617 C. Treble, next door.

TO LET—OPPOSITE MARKET HOUSE— King street, large store, suitable for large goods, etc. Apply Thos. Caldwell, 681 Talbot street.

STORE TO LET—137 CARLING STREET— Last occupied by the R. Greene Mfg. Co. Apply Parker, Purdon & Purdon, Masonic Temple.

TO LET—ON KING STREET, NEAR Colborne street, inside half double brick house. Apply 409 King street.

Articles For Sale.

3 SHARES OF BILKBECK LOAN stock at \$90 per share. Paying 7% on par value. Apply A. J. Watts, 72 King street, East.

FOR SALE—NEW BARNES WHEEL, never used. \$25. Ontario Lithographing and Printing Company. 618.

FOR SALE—LARGE-SIZED CIDER PRESS Apply to 1083 Blythes street, East.

FOR SALE—BICYCLE CHAIN GRAPHITE, large steel wheels, 28 inch, 2 1/2 inch, 2 3/4 inch, 3 inch, 3 1/2 inch, 4 inch, 4 1/2 inch, 5 inch, 5 1/2 inch, 6 inch, 6 1/2 inch, 7 inch, 7 1/2 inch, 8 inch, 8 1/2 inch, 9 inch, 9 1/2 inch, 10 inch, 10 1/2 inch, 11 inch, 11 1/2 inch, 12 inch, 12 1/2 inch, 13 inch, 13 1/2 inch, 14 inch, 14 1/2 inch, 15 inch, 15 1/2 inch, 16 inch, 16 1/2 inch, 17 inch, 17 1/2 inch, 18 inch, 18 1/2 inch, 19 inch, 19 1/2 inch, 20 inch, 20 1/2 inch, 21 inch, 21 1/2 inch, 22 inch, 22 1/2 inch, 23 inch, 23 1/2 inch, 24 inch, 24 1/2 inch, 25 inch, 25 1/2 inch, 26 inch, 26 1/2 inch, 27 inch, 27 1/2 inch, 28 inch, 28 1/2 inch, 29 inch, 29 1/2 inch, 30 inch, 30 1/2 inch, 31 inch, 31 1/2 inch, 32 inch, 32 1/2 inch, 33 inch, 33 1/2 inch, 34 inch, 34 1/2 inch, 35 inch, 35 1/2 inch, 36 inch, 36 1/2 inch, 37 inch, 37 1/2 inch, 38 inch, 38 1/2 inch, 39 inch, 39 1/2 inch, 40 inch, 40 1/2 inch, 41 inch, 41 1/2 inch, 42 inch, 42 1/2 inch, 43 inch, 43 1/2 inch, 44 inch, 44 1/2 inch, 45 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Mr. T. D. Hodgkins and His Ram

Mr. T. D. Hodgkins, the member for East Middlesex, has begun his career of statesmanship, his first eventful step being a formal request of the ministry for all correspondence relating to the purchase of a ram by the Government from Mr. Hodgkins himself.

If we mistake not this is the ram more expressly described by Mr. Hodgkins in the late campaign as "the old buck." We give credit to Mr. Hodgkins for his evident desire to fulfill his pledge to the electors by tracing the ram through all its ramifications since it left his penfold for pastures new. He feels that the eyes of his constituents are upon him and the buck. In conferring this public distinction upon the venerable animal, Mr. Hodgkins shows a thankful spirit. It did him many good turns. Whenever the electors tired of hearing about the pigery and the asylum contracts, Mr. Hodgkins could always recall their rambling attention by trotting out the ram. Metaphorically he gallivanted up and down the side roads on the old buck, and some of his friends say it was the old buck that carried him to victory, so that to forget it now would be an act of heartless ingratitude, worthy the contempt of the Humane Society.

The member for East Middlesex has hinted at dark, mysterious chapters in the history of this beast which, when unfolded, will place the Government on the ram's horn of a dilemma. It is certainly unfortunate for the Government that so grave an issue should be projected on the Legislature when a short session is desired. But the Opposition may have staked on it heavily. If bye-elections come they will want a new policy, and the old buck may develop into an issue that will dwarf the pig and relegate the constable question to the dusty purlieus of the law. Mr. Hodgkins may yet wear the laurels which have dropped from the brow of the disconsolate St. John.

Misconduct of the War.

Now that the smoke of battle is out of their eyes, the American people are beginning to see and condemn the mismanagement of the Cuban campaign, in which failure was averted only by fortuitous circumstances. Had famine not compelled a premature surrender of the Spanish, the result to the Americans would have been dire disaster, as present conditions prove. The splendid fortitude and gallantry of the American troops would have been unavailing had the Spanish prolonged the siege until the climate began to get in its deadly work. One-fifth of the American force are on the sick list, and the remainder are in such a debilitated state that they must flee the country or risk annihilation by disease. The round robin signed by the officers in camp, demanding the immediate return of the troops to the United States, has created a profound sensation, and the people now realize that their brave men were rushed into the fray with an appalling inadequacy of preparation. The commissariat was wretched, but the hospital equipment was criminal. The sick and wounded who survived the horrors of Siboney were sent home in floating channel houses. In ordering an investigation of these outrages the government is responding to public sentiment.

The indignation leveled at the war department has been given a filip by the publication of the Alger-Roosevelt correspondence. Lieut.-Col. Roosevelt wrote a well-intentioned but somewhat indiscreet letter to Gen. Alger, the secretary of war, advising that the Rough Riders and regulars be sent to Porto Rico, as they were superior to the volunteers. Gen. Alger had ordered the troops to the interior of Cuba, but when he received the round-robin, which was initiated by Roosevelt, he at once dictated a stinging reply to the brave young officer, accusing him of making invidious distinctions to the disparagement of the volunteers. Although Roosevelt's letter was private and confidential, Alger gave it to the press, along with his own rebuke. It was an exhibition of personal and official spite, unworthy of a man in Gen. Alger's high position. It strengthens the charge that the war department is honeycombed with political intrigue. Roosevelt is a possible Republican candidate for the governorship of New York, and it is openly alleged that Gen. Alger took this means of crushing his ambition by making him unpopular with the state militia. It is also said that Gen.

Alger gave Shafter the Cuban command in return for a suspicious favor during the civil war.

No Gain From Undue Haste.

The wisdom of those who favor cautious action in proceeding with the London sewerage system is upheld by the fact that though the best authorities in Great Britain have declared in favor of the land filtration system, as the most economical and satisfactory, there are hopes that improvements may soon be made. For this reason, not a few contemplated sanitary operations are postponed until such time as the Royal Commission on Sewage Disposal, now sitting, may make its recommendations. This commission is composed of men eminently fitted to make a thorough examination into every phase of this interesting question. Among its members are Lord Iddlesleigh, who is chairman, Sir Richard Thorne, F.R.S., Prof. Foster, F.R.S., Prof. Ramsay, F.R.S., Gen. Carey, Dr. Russell, and other eminent sanitary and scientific authorities. The commission has already taken a good deal of evidence, and will, during the present month, engage in bacteriological and chemical work. After some further evidence has been taken, the commissioners will draw up a report, and it will be printed along with the evidence of the municipal authorities.

There can be no doubt that the findings of these experts will be most useful to the public in centers of population, which are virtually interested in the economical disposal of sewage. So far as this city is concerned, the local authorities have done well in arranging for systematic conveyance of the sewage to the city limits, where, meanwhile, it is disposed of in a manner which inflicts but a limited amount of inconvenience or trouble to anyone. There is really no hurry for going on with the remainder of the work and the board of health and city council will have public opinion at their back if they suspend further developments till the British Royal Commission on the subject reports.

Let us have the best system, by all means. It will be cheapest in the end. Meanwhile, no money authorized by statute to be borrowed for this purpose should be diverted into other channels. Such a course would be dishonest, and worthy of the severest condemnation.

The Situation at Manila.

The news of a fierce fight at Manila comes like a bolt from the blue. Cut off from direct communication with the outside world, the defenders of the city have apparently heard nothing of the peace negotiations, or they would not have aggravated their own helpless situation by such a move. The battle is notable, as the first in which the Spaniards took the initiative. It was a midnight surprise, in the midst of a raging typhoon and a downpour of rain, but the Spaniards needed a stronger ally than the elements, and were, as usual, repulsed with heavy loss. The result may stiffen the attitude of President McKinley and his advisers, and dispose them more to retain the Philippines entirely. Complete possession would probably involve the United States in fewer difficulties. By keeping only a coaling station or one island, they would leave the remainder to be grabbed by rivals. As a London correspondent puts it, the Philippines would become the cockpit of the European powers. Great Britain openly desires American sovereignty over the islands, as it would give the United States a stake in Asia and strengthen the identity of British and American interests in the East.

The Opposition do not court an appeal to the courts.

Spain is a very poor object but a very good object lesson just now.

A country subscriber writes that if the devil made the little country town it was while he was absent from the city on a rural vacation.

Having discovered that Explorer Ogilvie is a relative of Mr. Sifton, some Conservative papers now wish that Ogilvie wasn't so honest.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Clifford Sifton has been fishing at Rat Portage, and the Opposition papers are imagining many vain things.

A St. Louis young woman has set a new fashion by publicly kissing young Hobson. Whether it was an act of good taste or not—well, Hobson best knows that.

The Austrian empire has more jarring racial elements than any other country on earth. Hungary, out of sheer spite, threatens to put up a tariff wall against the rest of the empire. The Austrians practice protec-

tion, but they will hardly relish this form of it.

Mr. Lumsden, M. P. P., recommends as a motto for the Opposition that stanza of Longfellow's, beginning: "Let us then be up and doing." Not doing the constables, we hope.

The Dominion Government are trying to work up a larger trade between Canada and the British West Indies. The omens are bright, as the last Government tried it and failed.

Mr. Mulock's claim to public appreciation rests upon something more than imperial penny postage. His administration of the postoffice department has been remarkable. When he took office he faced a deficit of \$700,997. In 1896-7 he reduced it to \$586,539. This huge balance on the wrong side has dwindled this year to a trifling over \$74,000, so that the department for the first time is practically self-supporting. In mail contracts alone, Mr. Mulock has saved \$103,936 a year. This is not only a great tribute to Mr. Mulock, and a relief to the taxpayers, but a proof of the late government's corruption and extravagance.

The Inventors' Review for July 22, gives the following summary of trade in Great Britain:

"Taken as a whole, the trade of the country continues in a very sound and healthy condition. Manufacturers are for the most part busy with a very fair number of orders on hand, and a good prospect of more to follow. Work has this week been largely interrupted in Glasgow and the West of Scotland, but this is owing to what are known as the fair holidays, not to any diminution in the amount of work waiting to be done. On the contrary, shipbuilders have still a plethora of orders, and the iron and steel makers have enough to do to keep them supplied. In Manchester things have a duller aspect than in any other manufacturing center. There is not much doing, and where there has been some little movement—as in gray goods for India—it has been caused by somewhat reduced prices. There is generally a waiting or expectant attitude."

Russia is the only country in the world without its Christian Endeavor Society. England has 4,647; Canada, 3,456; Australia, 2,284; Scotland, 535; India, 433; Wales, 331; Ireland, 213; China, 139; Africa, 110. The total enrollment from without the United States is 11,775 societies. The increase in South Africa, India, China, Germany and throughout Great Britain has been large. The constitution for local Christian Endeavor societies has been translated and printed in 37 different languages. The total enrollment of world-wide Christian Endeavor is 54,191 societies with an individual membership of more than three and one-quarter millions.

In discussing the question of garbage disposal at the American Municipal League Convention, which met recently in Detroit, Hon. F. A. Walker, of Trenton, N. J., advocated the incineration method in preference to the reduction or utilization plan. The city of Trenton, with a population of 75,000 people pays \$5,000 for the collection and destruction of its garbage at a rate of 30 cents a ton. He said that the cremation plan was being successfully used in a number of cities, and it was found that reduction plants would operate more cheaply than incineration plants as the bye products bring in an income. The mayor of Atlanta stated that that city spent more money to dispose of its garbage than for any other item, but they would rather keep on with their expensive system than waste money on experiments. The usual cost is from 30 to 50 cents a ton for cremation, and from \$2 to \$3 for collecting the garbage. Several attempts to establish a garbage system in London have failed. The promoters will find some practical information in the proceedings of the convention.

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absolutely and forever in Cuba, in the Philippines, and in Porto Rico; and, secondly, that America, and America alone, shall decide what is to be the ultimate fate of the former possessions of Spain. Unless these principles are insisted on absolutely, America may find that the war, instead of having been a blessing to the inhabitants of the Spanish colonies, has turned out a curse, and instead of a movement in the direction of humanity and civilization, an actual step backward.—London Spectator.

THE PRESS AND THE PLEBISCITE.

A few days ago, a Toronto dispatch contained the announcement that the officers of the Dominion Alliance claim to have reason to believe that they had now fairly complete knowledge that the plan of campaign of the liquor associations is to belittle the plebiscite, bribe the press and bulldoze the politicians. We have no knowledge whatever of their plans, but the evident intention of the officers of the Dominion Alliance in publishing the above statement was to arouse a suspicion against the press so that any newspaper which belittles the plebiscite and opposes prohibition may be suspected of being bribed by the liquor associations. Not long ago the Montreal Witness made a manly and honorable statement that a majority of the press was not in a position to take a just stand on prohibition, because it was in the pay of the liquor dealers. All such sweeping statements and insinuations are unjust and damaging to the press of Canada, and ought not to be allowed to pass unchallenged, since they are designed to create an erroneous and injurious impression that the press is, as a general thing, venal and purchasable.—Ottawa Journal.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

AN ABSENTEE.

Having missed one of his students from the kirk school for several Sundays a Scotch minister said to one of his relatives: "I haven't seen your cousin Bell at the class for a long while. Ye ken it's her duty to attend the schule. Whaur he she gait?" "I canna very weel tell ye that, minister," was the cautious reply, "but she's dead."

THE GOOD FIGHT.

When I am dead say this, but this, He grasped at no man's blade or shield, Or banner bore, but helmetless. Alone, unknown, he held the field; He held the field with sabre drawn, Where God had set him in the fight; He held the field, fought on and on, And so fell fighting for the Right. —Joaquin Miller.

THE DIFFERENCE.

A Chinese gentleman always sends a pair of geese to the lady of his choice. Among enlightened nations the man goes himself. It is a matter of number, it will be observed.

THE ATTACKS OF INFERIORITY.

When people treat you ill and show their spite, and slander you, enter into their little souls, go to the bottom of them, search for their understandings, and you will soon see that nothing they may think or say of you need give you one troublesome thought.—Marcus Antoninus.

KEEPING ACCOUNT.

Average Wife—My dear, aren't you going to church with me this Sunday? Average Husband—Good land! Why, I went to church with you last Sunday.—New York Weekly.

BIRDS OF THE CHILDHOOD.

The other evening, as the twilight fell, I heard the red-breasts chirping in the beeches, and I reflected with soft emotion that they were singing precisely like those I heard in my childhood on the borders of the coyses in my province. The birds have this charm, they seem to be always the same. Years pass, we grow old, we see our friends disappear, revolutions alter the face of things, illusions fall, one after the other, and yet, in the trees of orchards and woods, the birds we have known from childhood repeat the same familiar calls, modulate the same musical phrases with the same fresh voice. Time does not seem to attack them, and as they hide themselves to die, we never see their death agony, we can almost persuade ourselves that we have always before our eyes those that charmed our earliest youth.

FATHER OF THE GREENBACKERS DEAD.

La Salle, Ill., Aug. 10.—Ex-Congressman Campbell, known as the father of the greenbackers, is dead.

FIRST GOVERNOR OF HAWAII.

San Francisco, Aug. 10.—Senator Morgan, of the Hawaiian commission, is quoted by the Call as saying that ex-President Dole will be the first governor of Hawaii, and not Minister Sewell, as recently reported.

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Brother John Has Recovered His Lost Fortune.

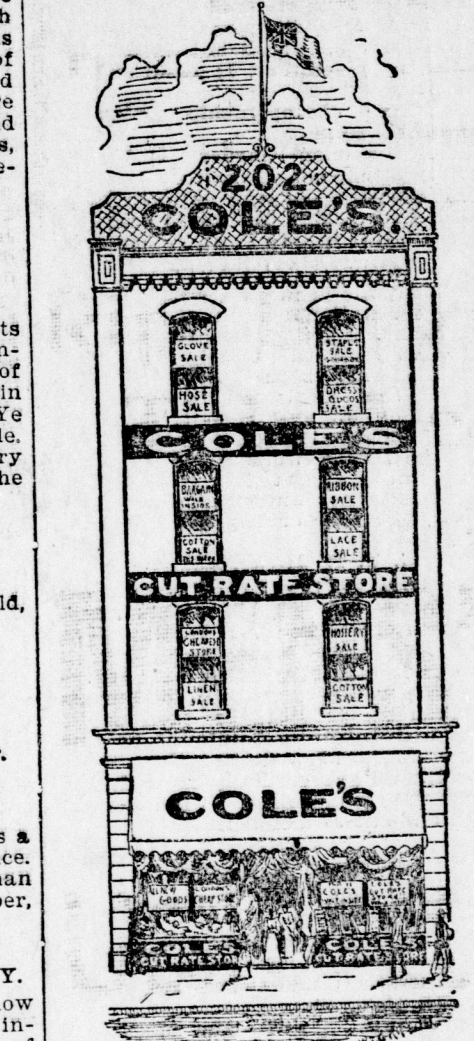
Chicago, Aug. 9.—John Cudahy has recovered the fortune he lost five years ago on the board of trade. He has paid in that time \$2,000,000 in debts. It was in August of 1883 he was caught "long" on pork, the panic preventing banks and his friends from coming to his assistance. Now he has paid all claims and is rich again.

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PORT STANLEY NOTES

Port Stanley, Aug. 9.—Mr. Drake and family, of St. Thomas, took a run down to Port and stayed at Hill Crest. Mr. and Mrs. Duncombe, of Orchard Beach, left for Cleveland Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Hyman has taken the cottage of his brother, Mr. Charles Hyman, for August.

Mr. Cloyne Higgins, who is summering at Erie Beach, has gone up to London for a few days.

Miss Aggie Lindsay, of St. Thomas, is visiting friends at Orchard Beach.

A picnic from Hagersville was the programme of yesterday. Four cars loaded with the crowd, who, after taking the train around to the beach, were conveyed by the elevator to the hill, where they spent the day.

A party from Hill Crest spent yesterday in St. Thomas. They drove up in the afternoon and stayed until the fireworks were over, about 11:30 p.m.

Mr. J. T. Luckie and wife have arrived to spend August at Port.

Mr. Nesbitt and family, who have been summering here, leave for their home in Toronto today.

Mrs. Dimick, of Toledo, will spend several weeks with her friend, Mrs. Flagg.

Mrs. Brown and her sister, Mrs. Wyatt, who, for the past few weeks, have been residing at Towhee House, have left for their home in London.

Mr. J. E. Adkins, of London, left for home today.

Mrs. Miller, of New York, and Mrs. I. J. Goble, of Brooklyn, are staying at Erie Beach.

Mrs. D. H. Steele, of Port Stanley, received word to go to Brussels, Ont., where, she is informed, her father lies very ill.

Mrs. M. J. Legate and family have taken a place at Erie Beach.

Mr. R. A. Robbins, of St. Thomas, has vacated his cottage at Erie Beach.

Mrs. (Dr.) Hadel, who has been staying at Mrs. Ellison's, has left for her home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morley are visiting Mr. Morley's mother, Mrs. A. C. Morley, at Port.

The picnic party from Dexter, Boxwell, Fingal, Union, Sparta and Mount Salem visited the Fraser Hill today.

The Flora made a number of excursions for the convenience of the picnickers, and everybody seemed to be having a jolly time.

The Kalamity Kampers made an excursion the other day. They left Port about 4 a.m. on the steam yacht Laura, and arrived in Port Burwell about noon, where they had dinner, and went to Bruce. After having supper at one of the leading hotels of the latter place they started for home, where they arrived about 1 a.m. next day. All gave evidence of a delightful trip, except one Kalamity, who, while sitting in a dangerous place in the yacht, collided with a shore-bound wave, which gave him a genuine ducking.

Mrs. Nesbitt, who has been spending some time with Mrs. Flagg at Orchard Beach, left for her home today.

Miss Katie McFadden is visiting friends here.

Miss Clara Moore is a guest of Mrs. Trell Duncombe.

Three young men, who decided upon going frog-hunting, caused considerable excitement here. They started upon their expedition about noon today, and did not arrive home until late in the evening, much to the alarm of their parents.

Upon their return, by their statements, great things had happened. They had been attacked by an eagle of monstrous size, and by great snakes, besides wild bears, etc. They showed three pairs of frog legs as a result of their wonderful trip.

A woman caused much commotion today in the vicinity of the station. She had procured a little too much fire-water, and its effects upon her proved very alarming to many a peaceful citizen. After drinking the liquor she obtained a revolver, and ran around the platform of the station waving the dangerous weapon like a train signal. However, she did no damage, and with little resistance she was taken home.

The boys of Camp Death left for home Saturday night.

The first vessel that will arrive in the new slip-dock is the Shenango No. 2 from Cleveland.

Masters Douglas and Gordon and Miss Pearl Campbell wheeled to Port from Rochester today. They will spend some time with their uncle, Mr. Campbell, of Orchard Beach.

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THUNDERSTORMS TONIGHT.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 9, 11 p. m.—Tonight the pressure is nearly average and very uniform throughout the Dominion. There is a very shallow depression approaching the lake region from the west, but it seems to be dispersing. Fine weather has prevailed today throughout the Dominion, and winds have been light and variable. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 56-78; Kamloops, 64-100; Calgary, 44-80; Prince Albert, 50-72; Qu'Appelle, 50-74; Winnipeg, 58-74; Port Arthur, 48-64; Parry Sound, 52-72; Toronto, 56-78; Ottawa, 62-76; Montreal, 64-80; Quebec, 62-74; Halifax, 62-80.

Toronto, Aug. 10, 10 a. m.—Probabilities: Lower lakes: Light winds; fair and warm; thunderstorms in some localities by night.

Local temperature:—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday were 74.5 and 51 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—The L. E. and D. R. R. train leaving London at 2:30 p. m., will run through to Port Stanley daily during the month of August.

—Mr. Jas. J. Mason, manager of the furniture department of Henry Morgan & Company, Montreal, was in the city yesterday on his semi-annual purchasing tour.

—The firemen had a needless run last night about 11 o'clock to the corner of Wortley road and Briscoe street, South London, where some boys had pulled the box for the "joke."

—Annie Ryan, aged 18, who was sentenced to two years in the Mercer Reformatory for vagrancy, was taken to Toronto yesterday afternoon. Annie has a lengthy police court record.

—Robert McGuire, superintendent of Grand Trunk bridge and dock work between Windsor and Chatham, died Tuesday morning, and will probably be taken back to his old home near London for interment—Detroit News.

—Mr. A. Provost, of Ottawa, has returned home from Toronto, where he has been in consultation with officials of the Licensed Victuallers' Association, in reference to the plebiscite campaign. He says Toronto will give a big majority against prohibition.

—John McKay, the Kansas City tramp who was arrested by Detectives Ward and Northgreaves in Robt. Hill's barn, near the old race course, on Monday night, was sent down by Squire R. F. Lacey for 10 days' hard labor in default of \$2.41 fine and costs of \$4.60.

—Mr. H. F. Jones, of the Guelph Herald, who is suffering from a complication which renders a crutch necessary, passed through this city yesterday, accompanied by his daughter, en route to Hot Springs. Mr. Jones was a former resident of London, having lived here 27 years ago.

—Dr. Graham, of Clarence street, had a narrow escape from serious injury on Monday night at the corner of Dundas and Wharncliffe road, West London. His horse took fright at an approaching trolley, with the result that one of the buggy shafts was broken, the rig otherwise damaged and the horse's legs cut.

—Hugh Cameron, aged 61, well known to the police, met with a mishap yesterday. Cameron became drunk, and then ascended the loft in the Boswell House stables to sleep. By some means or other he fell out of the loft door, and dropped 12 feet to the ground. He was removed to the hospital in the ambulance. He is not injured beyond a few bruises.

—The ice cream social given on the grounds of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League, was a grand success. The orchestra were present during the evening, and delighted the people with some choice music. Mr. Moyer, the leader, is of German descent, and is a natural born musician.

—A large party of Americans who have been summering at the Fraser House, Port Stanley, spent several hours in the city today sight-seeing. The party included G. Kahn and wife, of New Orleans, La.; Sam Wolf and

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man, New Orleans.

JUMPED FROM A MOVING CAR.

Mr. Thos. Howard, blacksmith, corner Adelaide and Oxford streets, last night boarded a Wellington street car at the corner of Richmond and Oxford

streets in mistake for an Oxford street car. Discovering his error, he jumped

from the moving car, fell heavily to the ground and was rendered unconscious.

The unfortunate man was carried into Dr. Thompson's office, at the corner of Richmond and Oxford streets, opposite where the accident occurred, where his injuries were attended to. He was badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

LONDON CAPITALISTS' SCHEME.

The Detroit Journal says: "What might have been the biggest hotel deal in Windsor's history was only last week knocked in the head by adverse circumstances. Several capitalists of

London, Ont., who may figure yet in another similar scheme, made arrangements for the remodeling of the Leys block, on Sandwich street, in the heart of the town, and for making it a first-class, up-to-date hotel, with special bath for public use, at an expense of \$50,000. The plan was to

demolish the old structure and make the building a counterpart of the well-known Hotel St. Claire, in Detroit. On good terms, it is said, the D. B. I. and W. Ferry Co. was approached with a view to shifting the Windsor ferry dock a block in order to

steer trade to the new hotel. This move would not only have greatly benefited the proposed hotel, but would have greatly added to the value of the property. The D. B. I. and W. Ferry Co. is a British-American firm which together with a number of obstacles not to be avoided at present, resulted in the scheme's going into the air. The project has not been wholly abandoned, however, and St. Louis, the real estate man, who has been acting as agent for the London men, expects that the plan will be further pursued this fall."

DEAD IN THE WOODS

"Gifted Genius" From Huron Gone to Find the Peg-Leg.

Says That Toohy's Murderer Became Disguised With Life and Shot Himself 12 Miles West of London.

The policemen of the London force are somewhat agitated over the turn of events the last day or two. Yesterday morning a man named Rau, a day called at the police station. He said he belonged to Crediton, Huron county, and had come to see if the \$500 reward offered for the capture of P. C. Toohy's murderer would be paid if the body of the tramp were turned over to the authorities. He was a mind-reader, he said, and possessed a very rare gift, by which he learned that the murderous tramp had committed suicide in the woods twelve miles west of London. Rau said he had made a study of such things for nine years, and as nothing of this nature had failed him before, he was sure it would not now. The chief

laughed, but P. C. Rowell, volunteered to accompany the stranger to the woods, where the body was to be found concealed in a log. The tramp, Rau said, had gone to the border before he was arrested, and he had found it impossible to cross. He returned east, and when about twelve miles west of London he met a small boy, to whom he told the whole story of P. C. Toohy's death. The tramp complained of hunger and of being hounded by the police, and suspiciously eyed everybody who sighted him. He felt sorry that he had fired the fatal shot. The boy, the mind-reader says, told him to get the peg-leg something to eat. The tramp would not allow it, fearing the boy might return with help and have him arrested. He left the boy alone, went into the woods, and, according to Rau, shot himself, near a big log.

P. C. Rowell went out with the mind-reader, or "gifted genius" yesterday, but the latter could not locate the body. They drove out the first fourth concession road. The mind-reader said he felt a strange sensation, and said they were nearer the body coming back than going out. P. C. Rowell asked if the sensation he

felt was not being caused by the Delaware lager. Rau replied "No," and then gave an account of several other mysterious works he had performed.

Last night Rau was not satisfied with the day's hunt, and went out this morning, telling the police authorities that he would acquire the tramps' all night. He promised to return this afternoon, and if he should not have the body he would acquaint the farmers in the vicinity where the tramp lay dead and let them search their own woods.

The police look with interest for his arrival this afternoon.

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Awarded to the London Electric Company.

The Wiring of the New Hospital Partly Arranged For—The Committee Undecided About Putting in Conduit—More Tenders Called.

Tenders on the modified specifications of the wiring of the new hospital were received from the Rogers and the London Electric companies by the hospital building committee last night, and discussed for a couple of hours before the contract was awarded.

The Rogers Electric Company offered to do the work for \$1,246, with \$450 extra for complete switchboard, with all switches and instruments as originally specified. The company also agreed to do all the work first called for by Mr. Wilkes for \$2,300—\$76 lower than the lowest tender offered on Monday night.

The London Electric Company offered to do all the wiring called for in the amended specifications for \$1,300, and to place one marble switchboard for the power plant, with instruments and switches, wires for power conduit to laundry, main wires from generator to switchboard, and from switchboard to feeder wires of public vendor, for \$600 extra.

On motion of Ald. Jolly, the latter tender of \$1,300 was accepted.

Messrs. Rogers and Hunt, representing the tenderers, were present, and when asked to give prices on conduit fencing from the specifications, the procedure was characterized by Ald. Jolly as "very unfair." "Stick to the specifications," he said, and then did.

Messrs. James Grant and Frank Love, representing the Armorie Conduit Company, of Pittsburgh, Pa., urged that the conduit system be adopted.

The article made by the Armorie Company was conceded to be the best made. It was approved of by the underscribes of New York, Chicago and other American cities, and insured absolute safety from fire. It also gave permanency to the system. The patient, James Cunningham, an old London boy, Ald. Hunt was in favor of putting in the conduit. Others thought it unwise to limit the kind of conduit to one kind of conduit. Finally, on motion of the mayor, it was decided to ask for prices for putting in the several kinds of conduits.

Ald. Jolly wanted a meeting of the city and county council committees arranged to consider the amount of stock to be taken by the county in the hospital. It will not be held until all the tenders are in, and the total cost of the building can be arrived at.

Some of the members were Ald. Carrothers (chairman), McPhillips, Wilkey, Jolly and Hunt, Mayor Wilson and Secretary Bell.

RUINED LIVES

Rev. Ralph H. Baldwin, of Saginaw, Deserts His Wife, And Flies With a Former London Woman—A Sad Case of Neglect Exposed.

Charged with Having Betrayed Another Woman—Deposed From the Ministry.

(Condensed from the Detroit News.)

For the sake of a woman whom he met in a house on Gratiot avenue, Rev. Ralph Harold Baldwin, of Saginaw, Mich., sacrificed his wife and family, his position in the church and in society, and his brilliant prospects of advancement, and is now a wanderer, hiding himself from those who knew him while he was a respected member of society. The woman in the case is known in Detroit as Alice Keays, and is said to be a native of London, Ont. The two went in that direction yesterday (Friday), closing up their affairs at 608 Second avenue, which has been their home for the past five months. During all that time he neglected his wife completely, and she, in turn, neglected her duties as a wife and mother. On Saturday afternoon 11 Monday in Saginaw. All the rest of the time he was with the Keays woman. Mrs. Baldwin, having guessed the real state of affairs, summoned her father, Mr. Crittenden, the New York millionaire. Mr. Baldwin then decided to give up everything and seek refuge where he was not known.

Before going he sent to Bishop Davies his resignation as rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, and his complete renunciation of holy orders, and instructed the trustees of the church to take any money he had left behind to pay any accounts he might be owing. With only \$20 in his pocket he set out for a new career for himself, and as soon as possible, marrying the woman who has come between him and everything that men hold dear in life.

The most charitable supposition is that he is crazy, and it is strengthened by his wild excited manner while he was talking to a newspaper man who went with him on the train to Chatham, Ont. He threw up his hands, and in a broken voice, asked the reporter not to reveal his whereabouts.

As to the woman with him, he would only say that he had done what he considers his duty by her. I will marry Alice Keays as soon as I can consistently do so, but at present I only want work and peace.

Baldwin studied at Yale, and afterward attended the Berlin Union seminary, where he attained a wonderful proficiency in modern languages. He became private secretary to Bishop Potter, of New York, and married the daughter of a millionaire. It was alleged that his father-in-law allowed him \$750 a month, but this is denied by Baldwin, who asserts that he never received a penny outside of his salary.

He was a man of great intellectual force, and possessed a vast fund of general information. He was a brilliant conversationalist, and a powerful preacher, and his elevation to an archdeaconship was confidently

Ten Years in Opposition

For the past ten years Cashmeres have not known the favor of Queen Fashion's smile. They have been decorating the chilly benches of her majesty's loyal opposition, Fabrics of far less noble lineage, of far less worth and wealth, and of far less aristocratic tendencies have been usurping the place of Cashmeres in the world of style.

But the autumn of '98 sees Cashmeres again returning to favor. 'Tis the treasury benches that are now bedecked with Cashmeres. There are thirty-odd new shades—new for '98—and you can't be in the style this fall unless you're wearing one of them. If you come to Kingsmill's—the store of style and satisfaction—you'll find all the new shades, not only in Cashmeres, but in Velvets and Dress Trimmings.

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