

Agan vs. Robert J.

Interesting Trotting Contest on the Providence Track.

Maple Leafs Win at Hamilton — Chatham's Club Collapsed.

Champion of the City's Sculling Cham- pionship Challenged.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—FRIDAY.
At Buffalo—L. H. E. 9, H. E. 1.
At Rochester—Batteries—Dunbar and Gray; Gray and Upp- hart. Umpire—Swartwood.

At Rochester—Batteries—Whitcomb and Ryan; Callahan and Boyd. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Scranton—Batteries—Gillen and Gannon; Dolan and Cogan. Umpire—Curry.

At Wilkes-Barre—Batteries—Kearney and Sente; Coughlin and Leahy. Umpire—Keefe.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—FRIDAY.
At Baltimore—Batteries—Dab and Grim; Hemming and Robinson. Umpire—Hunt.

At Washington—Batteries—Dunbar and Gray; King and Far- well. Umpire—Lynch.

At Pittsburgh—Batteries—Terry and Donohue; Hastings and Merritt. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Louisville—Batteries—Phet and Vaughn; Cunningham and Miller. Umpire—Lynch.

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1. Sky Blue 2. Gladia 3. Time, 1:15 1-2.
Fifth race, mile and an eighth—Miss Perkins 1, Stark 2, Wolsey 3. Time, 1:55 1-2.

ROBERT J. LOST.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 12.—The track events at Narragansett Park yesterday included the free-for-all race, in which Robert J., Frank Agan and Sphinxetta were entered. The track had dried, but was fully a second slow. Fully 20,000 people witnessed the events. After losing two heats Frank Agan captured three straight heats and the race.

The first heat of the free-for-all broke the track record of 2:05 1-4, made in an exhibition mile by Hal Pointer in the State Fair in 1892. In the third heat Sphinxetta, who had been entered by her owner, R. H. Franklin, simply to fill the race, broke her own time of 2:08 1-2, pacing the mile slightly better than 2:08. Summary:

Free-for-all pace, purse \$2,000:
Frank Agan 2 2 1 1 1
Robert J. 1 1 2 2 2
Sphinxetta 3 3 3 3 3
Time—2:03 1-4, 2:05, 2:05 1-2, 2:05 1-2, 2:06.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, Sept. 12.—The Doncaster meeting was continued yesterday. The Doncaster cup, of 600 sovereigns about two miles, was won by W. W. Pulton's bay mare Lædania, Mr. Dobell's colt The Rush second, and Mr. A. F. Bassett's br. c. Diana, third. The Doncaster stakes were won by the Duke of Westminster's Labrador, Lord Zetland's Red Ray second, and Sir R. Jardine's Nicholas third.

LONDON PRIZE-WINNERS.

In the races for hunters and saddle horses at the Industrial Exhibition on Thursday, the results were as follows: Saddle horse, gelding or mare—Toronto Horse Exchange 1, R. Myles (Toronto) 2, A. Beck (London) 3. Hunters, heavy weight, up to 15 stone—A. Beck's (Toronto) Huntsman 1, D. K. Smith's (Toronto) Golden 2, E. Bond (Toronto) 3. Hunters, light weight, up to 11 stone—A. Beck (London) 1 and 2, Hillhurst Farm's Hartington 3, W. Buckle's (Guelph) Tommy Dod 4. Light weight saddle horse—A. Beck (London) 1, Hume Blake's (Toronto) Nora Crenea 2.

ATHLETICS.

Jack Everhardt, of New Orleans, and George Lavigne, of Saginaw, known as the "Saginaw Kid," have been matched to box 25 rounds before the Bohemian Club, of New York. This bout will practically decide the lightweight championship of the world.

J. Corbett says he will meet Bob Fitzsimmons at the Police Gazette office today (Saturday), and will surely accept his challenge. Fitzsimmons telegraphed Corbett that he would meet him at any other place, but did not propose to do business at the Gazette office.

THE WHEEL.

Bessner, at Ottawa yesterday, on a Stearns bicycle, won the mile novice in 2:15, breaking the Canadian record. Davidson, who also prefers the Stearns wheel, broke the ten mile record at Waterloo on Monday.

C. W. A. RACING BOARD BULLETIN.

The racing board of the C. W. A. has suspended Roy D. Miller, of Hamilton, pending an investigation into his amateur standing. The suspension against J. B. Bailey, Halifax, has been removed. John P. Scholes, Toronto, and George L. McKay, Galt, are declared amateurs.

ROAD RACES RECOGNIZED.

The following official road records have been allowed by the United States Century Road Club: A. E. Smith, Chicago-New York, 5 days, 17 hours, 21 minutes, June 28, July 4, course record; A. E. Smith, Chicago-Rochester, 2 days, 20 hours, 22 minutes, June 28, July 1, course record; A. E. Smith, Chicago-Buffalo, 2 days, 11 hours, 34 minutes, June 28, July 1, course record; A. E. Smith, Chicago-Cleveland, 1 day, 11 hours, 30 minutes, June 28-30, course record; A. E. Smith, 50 miles, 2 days, 8 hours, 5 minutes, June 28, July 1, American record; A. E. Smith, Cleveland-Buffalo, 15 hours, July 10; A. C. Mortenson, 10 miles, 27:30, May 1, 1896, Minnesota record; P. Carlton Wright, Colorado Springs-Pueblo, century course, 5:33:45, May 24, 1896, course record; N. M. Crawford, Louisville, Paris and return, via Versailles, 193 1-2 miles, 12:32, July 17, 1896; Linus Schilling, 5 miles, 11:42, Aug. 7, New York record; Linus Schilling, 10 miles, 24:47 1-2, Aug. 5, New York record.

SPOKES.

In the big meet at Springfield, Tom Butler, on a Stearns "Yellow Fellow," defeated the best cycle racers in the world. Asa Windle, for many years trainer of the Pope Manufacturing Company, says "Butler is the fastest man in the world today." Butler himself admits that he owes his victories in a large measure to the easy running qualities of his wheel.

It has been decided to wind up the Hamilton Bicycle Track Company, and to divide the money on hand—a little over \$2,000—among the stockholders. The capital stock of the company was \$5,000, but only about \$5,000 was paid. The stockholders will realize about 40 cents on the dollar, the secretary-treasurer says.

Messrs. E. C. Stearns & Co., manufacturers of the popular "Yellow Fellow," who have a large factory at Toronto, and who recently erected a factory near Paris, France, have now established themselves in Germany. They will soon be establishing a factory in Europe. Already Stearns bicycles have found a ready market abroad, and large shipments have recently been made to England, France, Germany, Holland, Sweden, Spain and other countries. This firm employs a large number of Canadian workmen, and every Canadian will rejoice at their success.

The First Congregational Church, Hamilton, Ont., has accepted the resignation of the pastor, Rev. John Morton. A resolution of regret that he was compelled to resign owing to afflictions in his family, passed. At the Press Cycling Club meet at Boston, to trophy, valued at \$500, given by the Boston Journal to the manufacturer who scored the most points in the races, was won by Messrs. E. C. Stearns & Co. with 21 points. A. C. Stearns & Co.'s bicycles.

Addison Graham, aged 22, who works for his father in Tweed, Hastings county, on Thursday, at the Toronto Union station, was thrown under a train and his leg cut off.

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

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DEATH OF ENGINEER NORRIS.

A Well Known Grand Trunk Man Dies in Windsor—Formerly Lived Here.

Mr. John Norris, of Wingham, the well-known G. T. R. engineer, died at the home of his father-in-law at Windsor yesterday after an illness of several months, caused by a cancerous growth in the neck. He formerly resided in London, and was past president of the Locomotive Division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He was also a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, being a Comptant of St. John's Royal Arch Chapter, No. 3, and a Past Preceptor of Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4, Knights Templar, both of this city. In 1894 he was grand master of the Great Priory of Canada. Mr. Norris formerly ran on the Western Division of the G. T. R., but later on the London, Huron, and Bruce. He leaves a widow.

At the regular meeting of the London Knights Templar last night, feeling references were made to the great loss the order had sustained in the death of Sir Knight Norris. It was decided to send a floral wreath; and R. E. Sir Knights D. R. Burck, and Arthur Carrothers, V. E. Sir Knight Joseph Dambra, and E. Sir Knight W. J. Carson were deputed to attend the funeral on Sunday afternoon. Representatives of Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4, it is understood, that many of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of London Division, No. 68, will also attend.

THE TORONTO FAIR.

Wind Up of the Toronto Industrial—A Great Success.

Toronto, Sept. 12.—Yesterday was review day at the Fair, and all departments were open until 10 p.m. The weather was large, and the prizes horses and cattle were paraded in front of the grand stand, and the usual performance given both afternoon and evening. The evening entertainment was concluded by a magnificent display of fireworks. The exhibition has been a decided success, the receipts being greatly in excess of last year. Prominent among the exhibits was:

TYPEWRITER SPEED CONTEST.

The well known firm of Creelman Bros., Typewriter Company made the finest display of up-to-date writing machines ever made at Toronto's great Industrial Exhibition. Fifteen machines were shown, among which was the "Duplex," the fastest and favorite universal double keyboard, and the wonderful little "Bickenseder," with visible writing and visible price of \$45.

Miss Hunter, of Buffalo, and Mr. J. J. Seitz, manager of the firm, at the request of Mr. Creelman, entertained the immense crowd of interested spectators with a speed contest, Miss Hunter operating on the "Duplex," and Mr. Seitz on the "Jewett," with the extraordinary result and speed of 212 words a minute for Miss Hunter, and 129 for Mr. Seitz, both in 20 minutes, thereby exceeding the wonderful speed of 200 words a minute claimed for the "Duplex."

The "Duplex" is certainly the writing machine par excellence, fully entitled to the claim of being the fastest in the world.

The extraordinary speed of 250 words a minute has been attained by Mr. H. Baldwin of Philadelphia, and other experts, which places the "Duplex" not only up to date, but half a century in advance of the old-timers.

In connection with this exhibit was a fine display of power and hand knitting machines, made by Creelman Bros., of Georgetown, Ont.

Cheese cannot be properly digested under three hours and a half.

Rev. James de Buchanne, Ph.D., M.D., will be buried in the Gulf of Mexico, according to his request. He declared that the happiest hours of his life had been spent at sea, and that he wished to be buried there. He died in Galveston, Texas. A tug boat has been engaged for the funeral.

I was cured of lame back, after suffering 15 years, by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Two Rivers, N. S. ROBERT ROSS.

I was cured of Diphtheria, after doctors failed, by MINARD'S LINIMENT, Antigonish. JOHN A. FOREY.

I was cured of contraction of muscles by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Dalhousie. MRS. RACHEL SAWYERS.

Britain's Changed Policy.

The Queen Credited With Stirring Up Lord Salisbury.

Letter from Lord Rosebery on the Turkish Question.

London, Sept. 12.—The orders issued to the British squadron under Admiral Seymour to rendezvous at Salonica in October are distinctly connected with the change in British policy towards the Porte, which marked the arrival of Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador, in Constantinople. Sir Philip, without ostentatiously declaring a more active and isolated English policy, has conveyed the impression to other European diplomats at Constantinople that henceforth the European concert will be adhered to by England only so far as it agrees with a purely English policy. There must be no more massacres of Christians nor Muslim mob rioting, nor inciting to general murder, without practical intervention by England with or without the approval of the other powers. The game which Russian diplomacy has played under Prince Lobanoff's artful hand of parlaying all interference in the Sultan's misdoings until the time became ripe for the utter ruin of Turkey to the aggrandizement of Russia, seems about to end.

The question is asked here why Lord Salisbury so long followed a merely tentative policy, and what caused the change to a more pronounced and independent tone. There is no doubt that the Queen's indignation over the Constantinople massacres had much to do with it. Her Majesty rarely interferes, but when she does the interference is effective. Lord Rosebery, the Liberal leader and former Premier, has written a letter condemning in strong terms the recent massacres at Constantinople. In this communication he says: "It is far above a party question, outside of common Christianity, humanity and civilization. I do not doubt that her Majesty's present advisers share with the rest of us in detestation of the Government under which such things are possible, and I think more than by public meetings, the hopes in the natural sentiment of the young Emperor soon to be among us, who has such power and such responsibility for well-doing."

THE W. C. T. A. CONVENTION.

Reception to Lady Aberdeen — The Election of Officers.

Hamilton, Sept. 12.—The reception tendered to the delegates to the W. C. T. A. convention in Central Church society room was a most enjoyable affair. On Mrs. Charlton devoted the pleasant duty of presenting the guests to Lady Aberdeen. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. John Macdonald, Montreal; Provincial vice-presidents, Mrs. J. Macdonald, Toronto; Mrs. Asher, Carnarvon, Ontario; Mrs. Gordon Grant, for British Columbia; recording secretary, Mrs. W. J. Macdonald, Toronto; treasurer, Mrs. Durie, Ottawa.

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To those who intend becoming shareholders in the Colorado Gold Mining and Development Company notice is given that the shares will be advanced to 15 cents Sept. 15 and a further advance of 20 cents will be made Oct. 1, and under no circumstances will shares be allotted at less than the advertised price. All orders by mail at the original price must show a postmark not later than the 15th inst.

The Colorado Gold Mining and Development Company has taken up as a business the handling and working of such properties as have been developed and have disclosed to view positive profits on our original investment. As we work collectively an unlimited number of these claims it gives us much greater chances for success than though we confined our attention to developing one, or even a half dozen "prospects." It is a well known fact that a great many mines have been worked and large quantities of ore brought to sight, but continued development was impossible owing to a lack of necessary funds.

These properties can be bought at prices much below their commercial value, so that profit on the investment is assured at the outset, and as your product is money as soon as produced, gold mining, if properly managed, may be looked upon as bringing in the surest and quickest returns of any business which is engaged in, and it is this class of properties only we handle.

Our plan is purely mutual, as all stand on an equal basis, and every stockholder is entitled to his share of the profits from all properties now belonging to the Company or that we may acquire, and his proportion will be in just such ratio as the amount invested, as no stock is set aside for an officer or director, except as it is paid for the same as by any other shareholder, and all are equal participants in the profits as their interests may appear.

This is worthy of your serious consideration, for never before did the small shareholder have an equal chance with the promoters of the company.

We should be pleased to have you carefully consider our plan and to receive your subscription for as many or 'as few' shares of the above company as may be agreeable to you. Price 10 cents per share until date advertised. Par value of shares \$1, full paid and non-assessable and subject to no further call.

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Silk Plushes at 37c yard, all colors, wide width.

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Art Satens, fine patterns, 12½c, 15c and 20c yard.

Silk Tassel Fringe, 10c, 15c and 25c yard.

Linen Fringe, worth 12½c, for 7c yard.

Fancy Ball Fringe, worth 10c, for 5c yard.

Fancy Stamped Table Covers at 25c each.

Stamped Pillow Shams, fine, only 25c pair.

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We make September the money-saving month of the year. We've told time and again how we were able to sell certain lines of Curtains for less money than the wholesale price. Today we call your attention to three lines of Curtains at

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Not odds and ends, but regular goods of the identical sorts and styles that sold higher until now. Call and see them.

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In the following lines of goods to keep little folks warm and comfortable: Woolen Underwear, Wool Mitts, Wool Jackets, Wool Veils, Wool Booties, Wool Hose, Wool Hoods.

The Frugal

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Ladies' Linen Aprons, 25c each.

Ladies' Fine Lawn Aprons, 2 for 25c.

Ladies' Fine Lawn Aprons, lace trimmed, 20c each.

Cushion Covers, back and front, 15c each.

Shopping Bags, 15c, 20c, 25c each.

Wide Art Muslin, bordered, worth 10c, for 7c.

Towel, check and plain, 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c yard.

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Plain Pillow Cotton at 10c yard.

Circular Pillow Cotton at 15c yard.

17 yards of 32-inch Flannelette for \$1.

Fine Leather Belts, 5c each.

Sparks From the Wire.

Arrangements have been completed for settling the business of the Diamond match pool.

Mr. W. J. Malogh, of Paris, Ont., has been secured as Y. M. C. A. secretary at Kingston.

Arthur Prentiss, who is to be hanged at Cobourg, on Dec. 17, for the murder of Thomas Linn, in June last, has been placed in an isolated cell, and under a special death watch.

Isaac Bastien was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter by the jury in the Court of Queen's Bench at Montreal. Bastien was charged with the murder of Alfred Legace by striking him with a stone in a drunken brawl.

British Columbia and Alaskan mining stocks have become so important that a special meeting of the governing board of the Montreal Stock Exchange will be held on Tuesday to decide the advisability of listing them on the board.

James Haisley, of Cobourg, about 50 years old, and a harness-maker, left his home Saturday night at 12 o'clock, saying he was going into the yard. He did not return, and on Friday his dead body was found in the water. Circumstances point to suicide, owing to financial troubles. Haisley leaves a wife and three children.

MADE STRONG AGAIN.

For the Sake of Others a Grateful Woman Praised Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Napanee, Sept. 7.—The wife of Mr. Wm. Crabbe, a well known and highly respected farmer living near Chambers Postoffice, not far from this place, has for a long time been an acute sufferer from kidney disease and weakness peculiar to her sex. Some time ago, despairing of cure, as a last resort, she procured a single box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. She now says that every woman who suffers as she has suffered should know that she experienced relief from the first few doses, and that the second box was all that was required to make her as strong and well as ever before in her life.

are valued at £5,000. The Emperor of China's gifts comprised an old, white porcelain vase adorned with red dragons, an antique bronze goblet, two antique blue-green porcelain plates, a magnificent white jade vase decorated with cyprianisms and fir trees, and a rare, yellow plaque, decorated with flowers.

The gifts of Li Hung Chang to her Majesty are almost as valuable as those of the Emperor. They include exquisitely embroidered satins, an enameled bowl on a dragon stand, a massive blue and gold vase, a red porcelain fish bowl of the seventeenth century, a green porcelain flower vase and an enameled portrait of the fairy Ma Kov.

SPORTING PARLANC.

Football has succeeded cricket as the popular sport of the season, and it arouses almost as much public interest. The new international rules for association matches have been enforced for the first time. The principal changes are a return to the old rule. If the bar is displaced the referee may award a goal if, in his opinion, the ball would have gone under it if the bar had remained fixed. If the player has any part of both feet on the touch-line at the moment he throws the ball, he will have complied with the laws. Charging from behind within the 12-yard line entails the penalty of a kick, and the referee can award the penalty of a kick without appeal of any kind. Finally, metal projections on shoes and shin guards are illegal.

The Gaudaur-Stanbury race hardly caused the sensation expected, so far as general interest is concerned, and much comment passed when, after the race, Gaudaur went to everybody on board the umpire's boat, cap in hand collecting money as any mountebank might have done after having gone through a performance.

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Chinamen Not Wanted in Canada.

Rev. Mr. Maxwell, a new member of Parliament from British Columbia, has precipitated the discussion of the propriety of further restricting the immigration of Chinamen into Canada. The honorable gentleman will be backed, in the near future, by well-significant petitions from the Pacific Province, praying not only for the discouragement of Chinese immigration, but for opposition to the wholesale importation and naturalization of the Japanese.

Copies of these petitions lie before us. In one, it is pointed out that the tax of \$50 a head on Chinese laborers arriving in Canada is wholly inadequate for the purpose for which it is imposed. It is asserted that the large influx of Chinamen is a serious menace to the prosperity and material welfare of the country in general and of British Columbia in particular.

The strongest point in support of this contention is that the Chinese do not assimilate with the white race, and have no intention to be settled citizens of Canada. They are in moral, social and sanitary status usually below the most inferior standard of western life, and being usually single men, imported as coolies by labor contracting organizations, accept less than the lowest living wage of white labor, yet expend but little of their scanty earnings in the land of their temporary adoption. It is further pointed out that the United States, recognizing the great harm wrought to its citizens by the importation of cheap Chinese labor, have enacted legislation to totally prohibit the immigration of Chinese laborers, while the Australian colonies now collect a tax of \$500 a head on all Chinamen and have thus checked the influx which threatened to overwhelm white labor.

The petition against the immigration of Japanese proceeds on somewhat similar grounds. It asserts that white men cannot maintain themselves and families on the wages offered them in competition with Japanese labor, and that even now the Japs threaten, with the Chinese, to monopolize the work connected with the fisheries, market gardening, the canneries and other industries. Unlike the Chinese, the Japs are anxious to be naturalized, and to have power to vote, and the British Columbians say that the country is in danger of being Orientalized. This, with the ignorance of the Japanese of the English language, and of British constitutional methods, is a serious menace to the progress of the Province, and it is proposed to change the term of residence required for naturalization, in the case of Japanese, from three to six years. The amended term would not be too long.

Some people assert that this is a western question, and that Eastern Canada has little interest in it. The matter concerns us all. A population which will not assimilate with the English-speaking people of Canada, which is loose in morals and in regard for the family institutions, which has introduced leprosy into Western Canada, and by its habits has on two occasions spread smallpox broadcast, should be discouraged from entering Canada by every reasonable means.

As a man's first duty is to his household, so a nation's first duty is to see to it that newcomers are desirable additions to our population. We do not desire to see a Chinese majority in Canada, nor in any Province of Canada. Cheap labor they may supply, but it is dearly bought if its results are to produce conditions which impair the ability of our own workmen to make a decent living, and force them down to Chinese conditions. A Japanese population is in some respects less objectionable than a Chinese influx; nevertheless it has its obnoxious side.

Our rulers should seriously consider whether it is desirable to encourage the settlement of any non-assimilating race. Those who favor the untrammelled admission of these Mongolian types of humanity are in the habit of asserting that if we discourage their entrance by restrictive laws, we are inconsistent if we do not extend the system to workmen from European countries who may come to our shores, be willing to work for less money than Canadians, and have some bad habits.

There is a wide difference between a British, German, French or Swedish immigrant and the types of humanity that come from China and Japan. The European is an assimilating type of humanity; the oriental is not. The European may be willing to ac-

cept a low rate of remuneration at the start, but it is not long before he acquires tastes and demands conditions that place him on a par with the native Canadian. In the second generation, the European is merged into the Canadian. How different with the almond-eyed laborers from the East! They have little or nothing in common with us, and no interest would suffer if they refrained from coming to the country.

We should take warning by the experience in other lands, and decline to run the risks incident to the building up of any alien, half-starved, non-assimilating race within our borders. There should be further restriction.

Had the late Government remained in power through another Parliament, all the signs indicate that the bench and the list of Queen's counsel would have been crowded with the most objectionable and unscrupulous politicians—Toronto Star.

And the public would have been called on to respect the appointments, and to regard them as beyond criticism, no matter how objectionable their acts!

Cause of Depression.

President Fysche, of the Canadian Bankers' Association, in his address at the annual conference in Ottawa, discussed very frankly the causes of depression of business in Canada. He attributed not a little of it to the slow growth of the population in the last fifteen years, to the increase in the taxation of the people, and to the unnecessary augmentation of the public debt. From 1880 to 1890 our national debt increased from \$35 25 per head to \$47 51. "These figures," said this expert financier, "are very significant; and taken in connection with a corresponding growth in our public expenditure, the burden of a high protective tariff, they must have caused a considerable increase in the cost of living to the people; or, what is the same thing, lessened that reduction in the cost of living which has been brought about by the inventions and discoveries of the time."

The change of managers did not come any too soon.

The most astonished men in the county of Elgin today are the six great and valiant Conservative aldermen in St. Thomas who refused to participate in the reception to the Governor-General on his recent visit there. They thought that by ignoring the visit of the representative of Her Majesty, it would be a colossal fizzle. Today they wonder where all the people came from who did honor to Lord and Lady Aberdeen at St. Thomas and Dutton.

Collapse of an Eccentric Sect.

We have a number of odd religious sects in the western world, but scarcely any who are so original in their eccentricities as the Jezreelites—the new and latter House of Israel—who have existed in England for some time, but are now disbanded. An enthusiast named White founded this organization at Chatham some years ago. Wealthy women put up money to keep it running on the assurance of White that if they trusted him they would never die. He adopted the alliterative name of James Jereshom Jezreel, and with the funds he built a big church near Chatham. This edifice was peculiar for a flat roof, from which the members of the sect were supposed to start for paradise when their time came to shuffle off this mortal coil. As might be supposed, owing to the maturity of James Jereshom's paying flock, his followers began to die in the usual way, and the celestial platform proved to be a failure. For a few years, however, the Jezreelites enjoyed some popularity and gathered in some adherents, but the final blow was given when the founder himself gave up the ghost on the great square roof, and his body remained there as peacefully as any ordinary mortal's remains would do under the same circumstances. Then Jereshom's wife went the same way, and as several other ancient dames had likewise failed to ascend on schedule time, these falsifications of prophecy dampened the faith of the sect past redemption. Strange as it may seem to enlightened minds, a great temple, to rival Solomon's, was begun at Chatham, and a training college and a school also formed part of the scheme, in which youths might be reared in the tenets of the millennium. Many thousands of dollars have been spent on these schools and the assembly hall, but now the temple is in the hands of a contractor, and the Jezreelites have all gone. This is another bubble burst. But its pricking will not prevent like adventurers making headway in the future, finding dupes, and living on the fat of the land because of their credulity. It has been so from time immemorial.

Typhoid Fever.

If careful inquiry were made, it would be found that where typhoid fever has broken out in the rural districts, it can be traced to the drinking of impure water. Many people are very careless of the supply of water for their family and their animals. They allow both sources to become tainted, and then wonder why fevers and bad health prevail. Cause must follow effect. A man cannot drink water from a foul well, and hope to forever escape immunity from disease. He cannot compel his cow to drink from a polluted stream, and expect her to remain in good condition and to give a satisfactory supply of milk.

Western Ontario.

A Masked Robber Gets in His Work in Petrolia.

Nine Charges Now Preferred Against Guelph's Ex-Treasurer.

Petrolia's tax rate is 8 mills. Mr. H. J. Bowman has been appointed county clerk and treasurer of Waterloo.

The death is announced of Mrs. Jacob Amberger, Tilsonburg, aged 67 years. Mrs. Muller, Springfield, and Mrs. Stizaker, Delhi, are daughters of the deceased.

At Brantford on Thursday Ald. Glover and Miss Louise Buck were married by Rev. Mr. Hutchinson, and Mr. Reuben Ryerson and Miss Annie Turner were married by Rev. Dr. Ross.

Wm. Wilson, colored, was sentenced to three months in jail by Judge Bell at Chatham for assault on Annie Riley. Defendant is an ex-bishop of the B. M. E. Church, and bore a good character.

On account of new charges preferred against Guelph's ex-city treasurer, Edmund Harvey, he was taken in charge by the chief of police again. There are nine charges in all, and \$10,000 bail had to be furnished before he was released.

Jos. Major, of Anderson township, will serve three months in jail at Sandwich because he boasted that he would not pay a fine of \$50 for selling liquor without a license unless the commissioners granted him a license upon application. He was taken to jail last night.

Kincardine Review: Dr. Martyn had a letter from Dr. Pew the other day saying that Mr. Moore, contractor of the Huron-Ontario Electric Railroad, will be ready to begin work in two weeks. He will build 50 miles this fall, probably from Goderich, Teeswater, Lucknow to Kincardine, or from Kincardine, through Walkerton and Hanover, to Durham.

On Tuesday Dr. Fred Parker, of Bruce Mines, was united in marriage to Miss Lillian Kastner at her father's residence, Schrippingville. Miss B. Tilley, of Stratford, and Miss Young, of Detroit, were the bridesmaids, and Miss Jennie Young, from Arizona, appeared as a maid of honor. Dr. Parker was supported by Dr. George Elliott, of Toronto, one of his college friends when at Trinity Medical College.

At Petrolia on Thursday afternoon a masked man entered the house of Mr. Aaron London, and demanded from the boy, with a pointed revolver in his hand, the money which was in the house. Fortunately \$12 was all that was on hand. This amount the burglar got, and made good his escape. Early Tuesday morning the residences of Mr. John Kerr and Mr. J. J. Bell were broken into. The robbers secured a silver watch and a few dollars in cash.

Two calls recently made by congregations presided over by the Stratford Presbytery have been sustained by that body. One was from the congregations of Avonorton and Carleton Place to Rev. J. H. Graham, of Watford. The other was the call from North Easton, Ont., to the Rev. R. Cameron, of Cambridge, sustained by every member of the latter congregation. Rev. Mr. McKibbin has been appointed clerk of the Presbytery for another year.

The marriage of Mr. Hugh P. McKenzie, second son of the late Hugh McKenzie, M.P.P. for East Lambton, to Miss Mary Alice, third daughter of Mr. Jacob W. Moore, of "Willowdale Farm," main road, Warwick, was solemnized on Wednesday evening, Sept. 10, at 7 o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Cameron, of Cambridge, assisted by Rev. Mr. McKibbin, of Stratford. The bride was escorted by her cousin, Miss Mattie Moore, of Stratford, while the groom was ably supported by his brother, Mr. Wm. McKenzie. The ceremony took place on the lawn, under a handsome arch of golden rod and immortelle vines, and was performed by the Rev. J. E. Moore, of Dundas, cousin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. S. Anderson, of Warwick village.

Railway Rumbblings.

Results of the Summer's Business Depression.

Rather Fast Traveling—Retrenchment the Order of the Day.

Stratford G. T. R. employees will picnic at Owen Sound, Sept. 28. C. P. R. traffic for week ending Sept. 7, \$419,000; same week last year, \$397,000; increase for 1896, \$22,000.

President Stickney, of the Chicago Great Western, says that low freights must get increased earnings out of decreased cost of transportation.

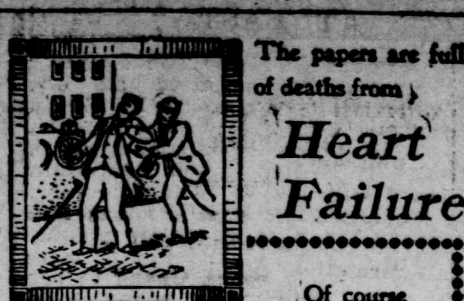
General Manager R. H. Wilbur and all his divisional superintendents left Niagara Falls, Ont., on Friday for Toronto on a special Lehigh Valley Railway train, run by a Lehigh engine and crew in care of G. T. R. pilots over the G. T. R. Superintendent Fitzhugh is with the party. This is the first foreign train under steam ever run over the G. T. R.

Bradstreet's weekly review says: Monthly gross earnings of the railroads begin to show results of the extreme business depression of the past summer. August earnings on 104 roads aggregated \$38,622,539—a decrease of 1.4 per cent from a year ago; for eight months the total earnings aggregated \$279,855,463—a gain of 5.3 per cent over 1895, in which year earnings of leading roads increased 4.2 per cent over 1894.

Sarnia Canadian: "The employees' car, which used to carry the G. T. R. employees from Point Edward to the tunnel in the morning and home in the evening, has been discontinued. Most of the men have conveyances of their own, and for the convenience of those who have not, the street railway company will run a special service. The discontinuance of the employees' car is a part of the rigid retrenchment on which the company has entered. 'Save every dollar that can be saved without endangering the efficiency of the service,' is a standing order.

An electrical engineer has been exhibiting in London the model of his proposed single-rail electric line for speeds of 150 miles an hour. The rail is fixed on a V-shaped trestle, and runs up into the body of the car, which, as it were, runs astride of it. The car runs on twelve bearing wheels, and seats 135 passengers, with space for their baggage. One of the difficulties met with in schemes of excessively high speed travel, is the tendency of the car to run off the track. By running the rail within the car the latter tendency of the train is overcome. But in this late scheme the great difficulty seems to be the passenger. What would happen to the passenger when the train took a sharp curve while going at 150 miles an hour is not explained.

The papers are full of deaths from



Heart Failure

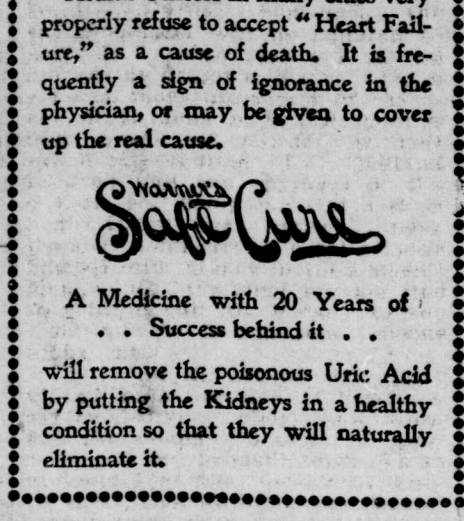
Of course the heart fails to act when a man dies, but "Heart Failure," so called, nine times out of ten is caused by Uric Acid in the blood which the Kidneys fail to remove, and which corrodes the heart until it becomes unable to perform its functions.

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PRICE 25c

Saturday Night Fair

From 7 to 10 O'Clock.

CHAPMAN'S

- HOSE—Ladies' All-Wool Ribbed Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes, worth \$50.
Saturday Night 25c
- HOSE—Ladies' Tan Maco Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, worth 20c.
Saturday Night 13c
- HOSE—Ladies' Fine Maco Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, Hermsdorf, black, worth 18c.
Saturday Night 12c
- HOSE—Children's Hermsdorf Black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, worth 15c.
Saturday Night 8c
- GLOVES—Ladies' Fine Tan and Black Kid Gloves, laced, worth \$1.
Saturday Night 75c
- GLOVES—Ladies' Tan and Black Silk Gloves, tipped fingers, worth 35c.
Saturday Night 25c
- CURLERS—Ladies' Small Hair Curlers, worth 2c each.
Saturday Night 10c per doz.
- HANDKERCHIEFS—Fancy Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 8c.
Saturday Night 6 for 25c
- SHOPPING BAGS—Ladies' Leatherette Shopping Bags, heavy twilled, sixteen tops, leather handles, worth 30c.
Saturday Night 20c
- VESTS—Ladies' Fine Ribbed Wool Vests, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 50c
- SKIRTS—Ladies' Colored Knitted Skirts, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 50c
- NIGHT DRESSES—Ladies' Fancy Striped Flannellette Night Dresses, worth \$1.
Saturday Night 82c
- HATS—Men's Black and Brown Stiff Hats, worth \$2.
Saturday Night \$12 5
- HATS—Men's Black Fedora Hats, extra value, at \$1.
Saturday Night 69c
- CAPS—Boys' Tweed Hook Down Caps, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 15c
- TOP SHIRTS—Boys' Heavy Knitted Top Shirts, worth \$1.
Saturday Night 87c
- GLOVES—Men's Fleece-Lined Gloves, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 50c
- SOCKS—Men's Seamless Socks, ribbed tops, worth 12 1/2c.
Saturday Night 3 for 25c
- SHIRTS—Men's French Cambric Shirts, worth \$1.
Saturday Night 59c
- DRAWERS—Men's Merino Drawers, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 15c
- SUSPENDERS—Boys' Elastic Suspenders, worth 10c.
Saturday Night 5c
- TIES—Men's Pure Silk Knots or Four-in-Hand Ties, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 2 for 25c
- SERGE—Ten pieces Special Hard Finished Serge, in plain and two toned, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 35c
- TWEED—Ten pieces All-Wool Tweed, double width, worth 35c.
Saturday Night 25c
- DRESS GOODS—Seven pieces Plain Dress Goods, a great snap.
Saturday Night 10c
- PLAIDS—Six pieces All-Wool Scotch Plaids, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 25c
- SERGE—Two pieces Cheviot Serge, 1 1/2 yds wide, worth 75c.
Saturday Night 50c
- CRINKLES—Ten pieces Light Crinkle Dress Goods, for evening wear, worth 40c.
Saturday Night 25c
- MOHAIR—Three pieces Black Mohair Dress Goods, 50 inches wide, worth 65c.
Saturday Night 39c
- FLANNELS—Ten pieces All-Wool Wrappor Flannels, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 25c
- GIMPS AND BRAIDS—One table of Gimps and Braids, worth 10c and 15c.
Saturday Night 5c
- COTTON—44-Inch Pillow Cotton, heavy make, worth 13c.
Saturday Night 10c
- SHEETING—Unbleached Sheeting, two yards wide, worth 18c.
Saturday Night 15c
- BLANKETS—White Wool Blankets, very large, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$2 50
- FLANNEL—Canton Flannel, heavy and wide, worth 7c.
Saturday Night 5 1-2c
- SHEETING—Bleached Twill Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 20c
- SHIRTING—Oxford Shirting, neat patterns, fast colors, worth 12 1/2c.
Saturday Night 10c
- LINEN—Cream Table Linen, wide, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 39c
- COMFORTERS—Full-Size Comforters, reversible, a snap.
Saturday Night \$1 25
- NAPKINS—Table Napkins, large, worth \$1 30.
Saturday Night \$1 10
- TICKING—Feather Ticking, best quality, worth 25c.
Saturday Night 18c
- COTTON—40-Inch Cotton, very fine, unbleached, worth 8c.
Saturday Night 6 1-2c
- COTTON—36-Inch Bleached Cotton, soft finish, worth 10c.
Saturday Night 8 1-2c

ON FIRST FLOOR.

- OVERCOATS—Men's Silk Lined Fawn and Blue Fall Overcoats, worth \$12.
Saturday Night \$8 50
- SUITS—Men's Heavy Water-Proof Bicycle Suits, worth \$6.
Saturday Night \$4
- SUITS—Men's D. B. All-Wool Fall Suits, worth \$7 50.
Saturday Night \$5
- SUITS—Men's S. B. Good-to-Wear Suits, worth \$5 50.
Saturday Night \$3 95
- SUITS—Men's Genuine Scotch Tweed Tailor-Made Suits, worth \$15.
Saturday Night \$9 75
- PANTS—Men's All-Wool, Good-to-wear, Pants, worth \$2 75.
Saturday Night \$1 95
- SUITS—Young Men's Fine All-Wool Tweed Skirt Suits, worth \$10.
Saturday Night \$4 99
- SUITS—Boys' 2-piece Knicker Suits, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$2 39
- SUITS—Boys' 2-piece Good-to-Wear Tweed and Serge Suits, worth \$2 50.
Saturday Night \$1 49
- PANTS—Boys' Knicker Pants, worth 50c.
Saturday Night 29c
- SUITS TO ORDER—Men's Scotch Tweed Suits to order, worth \$20.
Saturday Night, \$15
- SUITS TO ORDER—Men's Blue and Black Fine Serge Suits to order, worth \$21.
Saturday Night, \$17
- WRAPPERS—Ladies' Elderdown Wrappers and Lounging Robes, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$2
- WRAPPERS—Ladies' Print Wrappers in Light and Dark Colors, worth \$2.
Saturday Night, \$1 25
- WRAPPERS—Ladies' Wool Delaine Wrappers, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$1 50
- REEFERS—Children's Reefers in Black Navy and Brown, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$1 50
- CAPES—Ladies' Early Fall Capes, all colors, worth \$3 75, for \$2 75; worth \$2 75, for \$2; worth \$1 25, for \$1.
Saturday Night
- CLOAKS—Heavy Golf Cloaks, worth \$7 50.
Saturday Night \$5
- COATS—Ladies' Early Fall Coats, worth \$3.
Saturday Night \$1 50
- SKIRTS—Great Snap in Skirts—Serge, worth \$3 50, for \$2 90; Luster, worth \$4 50, for \$3 75; Figured Mohair, worth \$6, for \$4 50.
Saturday Night
- COATS—Children's Elderdown Coats, worth \$2 50.
Saturday Night \$2
- SUITS TO ORDER—Fine Imported Black Worsted Suits to order, worth \$23.
Saturday Night \$18 50
- PANTS TO ORDER—Best Grade Fine Worsted and Tweed Pants to order, worth \$7.
Saturday Night \$4 95

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CHAPMAN'S

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"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

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Street Car Service.

Great Care Necessary to Avoid Trolley Accidents.

Fifty-Seven Cars on Dundas Street, With a Capacity of 4,000 People Per Hour—Other Changes.

With the approaching crowd of visitors in the city, and the increased street car service on Dundas street, the greatest care is necessary to avoid accidents. One habit that people especially need to guard against is trying to get on and off the cars while they are in motion. The company's men have received special orders to exercise the greatest precaution, and if accidents happen, the company feel that the fault will not be theirs. "The service to Springfield will be a twenty-minute one," said Manager Carr this morning. "They will leave the Fair grounds and go direct to Springfield." The Dundas street and Mount Hope cars will run as at present. The Oxford street and Hamilton road cars, instead of being run together as at present, will be run separately and direct to the Fair grounds. That is to say: Cars from Hamilton road and those from Oxford street will run direct to the Fair grounds instead of going all the way round. The belt line and Wellington street south line will remain as at present. The great increase will be added to the Dundas and Market line. There will be a one-minute service on Dundas street. Fifty-seven cars will be run, giving a capacity of 4,000 people per hour. Should this not meet the demand other changes will be made. The changes take effect on Monday.

CITY POLICE COURT TODAY

John Watson Sent Down for Two Months for Theft—Two Beasts Go Down.

John Davis and William Gardiner are a pair of tough-looking individuals who went from Detroit to Toronto to sell song books at the Fair. They were on their way home and got drunk. They straggled on to the market and were arrested. They were remanded for a week.

John Wilson pleaded guilty to stealing a piece of cloth from Joseph Dambra's tailor shop on Dundas street, which was valued at \$4. His excuse was that he had been out of work, got drunk and stole the cloth, thinking the price of it would keep him for a day or so.

Mr. McKillop stated that Wilson had been out about three months. For stealing the cloth the police magistrate gave him two months at hard labor.

Wm. Peel was up on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He pleaded guilty to being drunk and asked to be let off, as he had been in jail since Sept. 4.

The Magistrate—I have let you off many times before on account of your promises to reform. I'll have to punish you this time.

Peel said he had refrained from drink for a year previous to the election. The police magistrate fined him \$20 or 20 days in jail.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Everywhere. Salvini, the tragedian, is seriously ill at his villa in Florence.

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

Yes! Pure slices and peppers at Anderson & Nelles' drug store. ywt

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Have you been unsuccessful with canaries? The trouble was most likely in their food. Try again: if things don't go well, write us with stamp for reply. Follow directions on "Cottam's" Seed and "Book on Birds," and you'll be successful.

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Local Brevities.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Moyes, of Monterey, Cal., have arrived in London for an extended visit among relatives. They are at present staying with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moyes, South of the city.

—Miss Ida McLean, the young soprano, of Toronto, who has lately become so popular, will sing at Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow at both services, and also the organ recital on Monday evening.

—There will be a sacred concert on the camp grounds tomorrow afternoon from 2:45 to 5:15 o'clock, when all the bands in camp will be brigaded. The officers extend a hearty invitation to the general public to attend.

—Rev. A. J. Bell left for London this afternoon, where, as chaplain to the Thirtieth Battalion, he will go into camp for a few days, and conduct service on Sunday. He expects to return on Wednesday.—Guelph Herald.

—James E. Graham, the young man who was sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary for robbing the mails, was taken to Kingston yesterday. He was accompanied by Dr. MacArthur and Deputy Sheriff Waterworth.

—The shooting of the Wellington Rifles at the butts this morning was exceptionally good. Major Denison says the two days' preliminary training has had a wonderful effect. The scores made are much higher than those of previous years.

—The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway will run a late train from London to St. Thomas on Monday and Wednesday next, and for Port Stanley. The train leaving here at 7 o'clock will run through on Tuesday and Thursday during Fair week.

—The annual "rally Sunday" of the Hill Street Methodist Sunday school will be held tomorrow at 2:45 o'clock, when addresses will be delivered by several city ministers and others, and a choice programme of music will be sung by their choir and male quartet.

—Last evening a pleasing and instructive lecture was given by Mr. P. M. Donigen, of Armenia, on "Armenia and Its Sufferings" at Christ Church. At the close a collection was taken up to assist the lecturer to go to South Africa, where he intends to aid his afflicted countrymen, who find refuge there from the cruelties of a barbarous Sultan.

—W. B. Walker and John Logan have bought the brick yard of Russell Wade, Adelaide street north, and will carry on an extensive business. They have also purchased an acre of land from Mr. John Walker, half an acre from Mrs. Wallace, and half an acre from W. A. Walker. These parcels of property are attached to the old property of Mr. Wade.

—Anniversary services in connection with the Coburn Street Methodist Church Sunday will be held tomorrow. Rev. R. Hobbs will conduct the morning services, and Dev. D. MacDonald, of London, will be there, and a good time generally is expected. A silver collection will be taken up.

—The executive committee of the Ladies' Morning Musical Society held another meeting this morning at the City Hall to consider the opening and the making of final arrangements. Miss Graydon occupied the chair. It was decided to open the season on Wednesday, Sept. 21, Mrs. Pagethorpe, of Montreal, who is prominent in musical circles in the Canadian metropolis, was present to confer with the society's executive regarding the advancement of music in Canada.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS. The following Gazette notices will interest camp attenders:

21st Battalion, Essex Fusiliers, No. 4 Company—Capt. David J. Sicklesteel having left his limits his name is removed from the list of officers of the active militia; to be captain, second Lieutenant Sidney C. Robinson, vice Sicklesteel, retired.

22nd Battalion, Oxford Rifles—To be quartermaster, with the honorary rank of captain, Capt. Alfred Servodis Ball, from No. 1 Company, vice Day, retired; No. 1 Company, to be captain, Lieut. Edward Lyall Morton, from No. 7 Company, vice Ball, transferred; to be lieutenant, Second Lieutenant John Boyd, vice Carthew, retired; to be second lieutenant provisionally, Sergt. Arthur Ross, vice Boyd, promoted.

A. L. A. CONVENTION. Librarian Blackwell returned last night from the American Librarians' convention, Sept. 1 to Sept. 4, at Cleveland, and the post-conference trip to Mackinac. About three hundred attended the convention, coming from all parts of the United States. The papers read by prominent librarians were very interesting and instructive, and called forth lively discussion. One exceptionally good paper was read by Mr. George Hies of Montreal, on "Expectation of Books." Other subjects dealt with were on "Traveling Libraries," "Advertising of Libraries," selection of books, library pictures and furniture, the reading room, and what periodicals to get, preparing books for circulation, reference books and room. At the close of the convention the annual A. L. A. dinner was held. Judge Hutchins, of Cleveland, presided. W. P. Brett, of Cleveland, succeeded J. C. Dana, of Denver, as president. The next place of meeting will be decided by the executive, but Philadelphia will probably be the place. About half of the members took in the trip to Mackinac, and had a very enjoyable trip. On their way they visited the Detroit Public Library, and were entertained royally by the Detroit board. At Mackinac a very fine paper was read by Reuben G. Thwaites, secretary of the Wisconsin State Historical Society, on "The Story of the Mackinac" history of the French and English settlement. Many of his points were taken from "Parkman's," the study of which he strongly urged.

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

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At the public meeting of the Local Council of Women to be held in Music Hall (late Mechanics' Institute) on Wednesday evening next, it is requested that ticket-holders be in their seats not later than 7:45, and that tickets be purchased as far as possible, in order to avoid a rush. Badge-wearers will be entitled to reserved seats.

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CAUGHT AT LAST.

J. E. Gilbert, the Piano Tuner, Arrested at Wallaceburg—His Wife's Complaint.

Joseph Edward Gilbert has at last been caught. About a week ago his wife came to the police authorities and laid an information against her husband, whom, she claimed, deserted her about three months ago. Since that time Mrs. Gilbert has been compelled to work, with her little son, to keep the wolf from the door, as her husband left her destitute. Gilbert is a piano tuner and repairer and lived at 182 1-2 William street.

Mrs. Gilbert told the police a pitiful story, and word was sent to the different police authorities to be on the lookout for her husband. This morning Chief Williams received a telegram from Wallaceburg to the effect that Gilbert had been arrested there last night. It asked for instructions. The chief wired back to bring the prisoner as far as the St. Clair tunnel, to which place Detective Rider was dispatched by the first train. Mr. Gilbert was up at the police court on Monday morning to answer to the serious charge of deserting his wife and family and for non-support.

Town and Country.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Poole is very low. No hopes are entertained for her recovery.

The condition of Mrs. James is slightly improved.

Mrs. J. C. Stokeman and family, of Hens, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Perkins is making a visit to friends in the city. She will also visit the Toronto Fair.

The Mathers-Routledge elder mill is now running overtime. The proprietors have purchased a new steam power press attachment, which will soon be in working order.

Threshing is general in these parts. That is a fair sample. Oats are very light and below the average in yield. Other grain crops are good. Corn and all root crops are especially heavy.

The Westminster Agricultural Society hold their fair in Lambeth this year on Oct. 1. The committee are actively at work and are determined to make this year the best in the history of the society. The grounds are being arranged, and the track is already laid out.

The annual thanksgiving services in connection with the Methodist Church will be held Sunday and Monday, Sept. 20 and 21, respectively. Rev. M. Austin, of Alton College, St. Thomas, will conduct the Sunday services. On the Monday evening following an entertainment will be given. Mr. Ruthven MacDonald, of London, will be there, and a good time generally is expected. A silver collection will be taken up.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Alfred Dunlop, of Watford, is the guest of Mrs. M. Dunlop this week.

Mr. C. I. Lumby, of Petrolia, is here at present.

Dr. Copeland's new fence on Main street adds very much to the looks of the town.

A. Kidd and W. H. Reid, of Watford, are here at present.

Miss McGregor is home again, and will be pleased to meet her former customers.

Numbers are preparing to go to the Western Fair.

Mr. G. Watt, of Theford, is here again, buying all the apples he can find sale for.

J. Adams and Albert Cutler have started in the apple buying and shipping business. We wish them success.

Arkona baseball boys look down their noses this week, after playing at Watford, but they will play again in the near future, and expect to do better.

Miss Lella Eastman, daughter of Mrs. C. Jackson, is very low at present. She is suffering from a severe case of inflammation of the spine. Her case is almost hopeless.

Mrs. J. Marshall, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Norton, this week.

SAWMILL FATALITY. Essex, Ont., Sept. 12.—Elijah Wismer was killed in the sawmill of Chas. E. Baylor here yesterday. A saw cut him from the chest to the back, severing the ribs. He died an hour afterwards. He leaves a wife and three small children.

SAVED THE CREW. New York, Sept. 12.—On board the steamer Maritima, which arrived at Quarantine last night from West Indian ports, were Capt. Caffero and ten shipwrecked crewmen of the Italian bark Due Fratelli, which was abandoned at sea on the 10th inst.

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WHAT WILL IT BE? WHERE WILL YOU GET IT?

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For this season we have imported the finest and largest assortment of plaids ever brought to London—in fact, as large as will be found in any drygoods house in Canada.

AT 20c we are selling a large choice of beautiful colorings—just the correct style for children's wear. Worth a great deal more.

AT 25c we have a better quality. Most beautiful goods. Any one requiring a fancy Waist should inspect stock at earliest opportunity.

AT 35c we have a line that will please the moment you see them. You will be putting your time to good use if you spend a short time looking through the assortment.

AT 45c we are showing handsome Silk and Wool Plaids in beautiful colors. They will make up to look as handsome as Silk and be very serviceable. On these the prices run from 45c, 50c, 65c and 75c.

In these lines there will be found a great many Scotch Tartans—a very popular plaid.

A Shirt Waist Snap

Your Pick for 69c

You can have any Shirt Waist in the house for 69c. You know the kind of a stock we carried all summer and will appreciate this. Had a great season, and now we are going to clear out the balance, not to make money, but to give more space to new importations arriving daily.

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WOOD'S FAIR

How to Save Money.

That problem comforts every prudent purchaser. One or the best answers to it may be found here in the unequalled bargains now being offered in our many departments. Urgent necessity compels sacrifice. We must have room at once for the very large fall importations now arriving. Therefore, from now on, all odds and ends and surplus stock go out on our bargain tables at prices that bear no relationship to their actual value. New attractions will be added each day. This week we make a special effort in the following:

One of the first to mention is our Grab Basket. Bring the children in with you and let them have a grab. We had a great number of odd Toys; these we have made up in packages, each package containing from two to five different articles and are worth up to 25c. Not one of them could be bought regularly for nearly the price we ask for them, only 5c each.

TOILET SETS—We have about 25 handsomely decorated China Toilet Sets. These sets are slightly damaged, most of them having some piece of a different color to complete the set. We will close them out at less than half price; \$2 50 Toilet Set, ten pieces, reduced to \$1; \$2 75 Toilet Set, ten pieces, reduced to \$1 25; \$4 Toilet Set, ten pieces, reduced to \$2; \$5 25 Toilet Set, ten pieces, reduced to \$2 75.

VINEGAR JUGS—Large size Vinegar Jug and Stopper, dewdrop glass, regular 10c jug, the balance on hand at only 5c each; 16c Vinegar Jugs and Stoppers, engraved, reduced to 10c.

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FAIR AND COOLER.

Toronto, Sept. 11-11 p.m.—High pressure, accompanied by cooler weather, is developing to the north of Lake Superior, and is likely to pass southeastward over the lake and eastern districts today and tomorrow. Higher pressure is also appearing over the Northwest.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Calgary, 36-48; Battleford, 36-54; Qu'Appelle, 28-46; Winnipeg, 38-62; Parry Sound, 62-72; Toronto, 56-86; Ottawa, 58-69; Montreal, 62-84; Quebec, 64-82; Halifax, 61-68.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, Sept. 12-1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lake region: Moderate north to east winds; fair and cooler.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.
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Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 12.—Yesterday fire broke out in the third story of the brick building on Hughson street north, occupied by F. P. Dalley & Co., manufacturers of patent medicines, very loss, about \$3,000; fully insured. W. Whitney, aged 20 years, an employee of the Dalley Company, was seriously burned about the face and body.

Montreal, Sept. 12.—On Thursday fire occurred at Longueuil in J. Langier's candle factory, on the main street. The entire interior of the building was destroyed. Loss estimated at \$1,000.

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—Miss Agnes Ellison, of Marquette, Mich., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Love, 105 Waterloo street, and also other relatives in the city.

—Picked men from "A" and "B" troops of the First Hussars will act as escorts to Lord and Lady Aberdeen in London. They met at the armory last night for instructions.

—Mrs. J. C. Hegler and daughter, of Ingersoll, are staying at the Tecumseh House, while Major Hegler is on duty as commanding officer of the Twenty-second Battalion at the brigade camp.

—Sarnia Observer: Francis Blakie and daughter, Misses Lawrie, Anna Jenkins, Estella Coussé, Dollie McIntosh and Mesdames Sam, Clark, Adam English and McLaren left for London this (Friday) morning.

—"I have had people come in to use my telephone upon all sorts of pretences," said the doctor, "but it is a woman who showed the greatest amount of nerve. She came in, asked to use the telephone, and then telephoned for another doctor."

—St. Thomas Times: John Lyons, a member of the St. Thomas Y. M. C. A. Baseball Club, received a severe injury in the baseball game at Atlantic Park on Thursday afternoon. While at bat Frank Snyder, of the London Alerts, who was pitching, struck Lyons a terrible blow on the head with the ball. Lyons was knocked down and had to retire from the game. He is badly injured. Dr. Smith is attending him.

—The board of trustees of the Askin Street Methodist Church held a meeting last night in reference to renovating the church. Mr. Galpin will paint and decorate the building inside. Ten dollars have been collected for new seats, and the outside work is being done rapidly. The ladies have ordered the carpet, which they will lay when the other work has been completed—probably in a month from the present time.

OPERA AT THE GRAND.

The merry comic opera, "Fra Diavolo," was on the boards of the Grand last night, and as presented by the Wilbur Opera Company lost none of its quaintness and charm. The company are fortunate in the possession of several real good comedians, who can enliven the performances by elaborating their roles without impairing them. Miss Eloise Mortimer, a prima donna, has a sweet soprano voice and a good deal of dramatic vim, which she showed to advantage as Zerlina. Mr. J. P. Presley is a cantenore, and can act as well as sing. The living pictures again gave great satisfaction. "Dorothy" was produced at the family matinee today, and tonight "The Grand Duchess" will be the attraction.

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENTORS.

The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported for The Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, International patent solicitor, London: United States patents—E. Dickson, Oak Lake, gunpowder; A. Fougere, Moncton, nut-lock (patent sold); J. P. Presley, Ingersoll, lasting machine (patent sold); C. A. Gregory, Montreal, picking rod; P. C. Larkin, Toronto, packing machine; J. E. Lockwood, Brighton, combination lock; L. A. Morrison and J. Larsen, Toronto, machine for manufacturing veneers; P. Newton, Grand Harbor, fork; O. P. Spangier, Burlington, slitting or folding door; J. W. Waddell, Hamilton, game board; M. N. Weather, Berwick, rotary oven; W. E. Borbridge, Ottawa, locomotive exhaust-pipe.

DENNIS THOMPSON'S "OLD HOMESTEAD."
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everyone, and in many brings back former recollections. The close of a hot August day, with the duty of putting everything on the farm to rights for the night, the arrival of the city visitors to the old-fashioned country place; the chorus of haymakers in the melodious yet old-fashioned songs; the ineffectual attempt of the good-natured old prevaricator Cy Prime to make love to Aunt Tilda, with the one of many interruptions that have kept him a bachelor for 30 years; the saving of Happy Jack the tramp by Uncle Josh, and his sending him away with a fixed determination to again become a man, and to give John Harleymore the toughest tussle he ever had; the longing of the old man to see his boy in the far distant city, among the many snares which surround him; the confirmation of the old gentleman's worst fears by his dream, all serve to give the quaint, old-fashioned scenes at "The Old Homestead" an interest possessed by but few plays.

Dennison Thompson, in writing "The Old Homestead," aimed to construct a play that would please and amuse as large a class of theater-goers as possible. He built more wisely than he knew, and when he produced "The Old Homestead," he gave to the theater-going public a play that is destined to last as long as goodness of heart, true nobility and sterling manhood commands respect and esteem.

Life in Camp.

Gen. Gascoigne Dined by the Brigade Staff and Gave Away.

The Wellington Rifles Take Their Turn at the Butts.

"Mutton Chop" Whiskers at a Discount—A Midnight Provoker Chased Out of Camp.

Another day of camp life has gone by. The general passed through the ranks yesterday morning, and in looking over the work of the officers complimented them very highly on the great progress the men had made in the short time they had been in camp. He thought the camp the most orderly and cleanly he had ever seen. At noon he addressed the officers of the battalions and the brigade staff very briefly, and bade them farewell. In the afternoon he saw the sights around the city, and in the evening he was dined at the officers' mess in the barracks by the brigade staff, which includes Lieut.-Col. Smith, Lieut.-Col. Irwin, Lieut.-Col. Stacey, Major Denison, Dr. Hanavan, Capt. Hemming and Lieut. Campbell.

At noon today Gen. Gascoigne, Mrs. Gascoigne, and Capt. MacLaren, the aide-de-camp, will leave for Niagara Falls. On Tuesday the general will go to Niagara-on-the-Lake, and inspect the camp there.

This morning the Wellington Rifles went to the butts to practice with the new rifle. They did not use the magazine, as they have not yet attained sufficient knowledge of the weapon to run any risks.

No. 1 Company of the Essex Fusiliers was going through the firing exercise with the new rifle yesterday afternoon under Sergt. Price, R. C. I., when Inspector of Musketry Capt. Denison came along. The captain is a particular man, and sized up the company in short time. There was a man in the ranks with mutton-chop whiskers, who was not the most presentable soldier in the world. The captain looked at him for a minute, then turned, walked a few feet away, and said: "Capt. Laing, there is a man in your company who is wearing chops. You should be very particular about the men's hair. Don't you think a man would look better without those chops?"

"Which one is it?" asked Capt. Laing, and the officer pointed to the private from the end of the company. "Oh," said Capt. Laing, "they are the most appropriate thing he could wear." "Oh," said the private, "they are the most appropriate thing he could wear." "Oh," said the private, "they are the most appropriate thing he could wear."

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In sight. Lieut. Bell had warned him on several occasions, but it only had the effect of making young Lyons very impatient. Yesterday he disobeyed. Lieut. Bell, and spit tobacco on a tunic. For this he was given ten days in the cells, with hard labor. Before he went to confinement, he was given a free, regular Central Prison haircut, close to the scalp, to which all offenders are treated who go down for more than seven days.

On Thursday morning about 1 o'clock Charles Muller, of the Thirtieth Battalion, was sitting in the officers' mess. All was still, and not a footstep could be heard. The big chef was alone. He noticed the tent shake, and knew that something was wrong, and he looked around and saw the head of a man who was crawling under the canvas. He said nothing, but got up and went outside. The would-be thief ran away and hid behind an adjacent tent. Mr. Muller went to the wood-pile, grabbed a piece of wood and followed his man, when the intruder had been located he made a bound and was off like a shot. Before he got more than twenty feet away, however, the chef let him have the stick right in the neck. The man fell to the ground with an oath, and Mr. Muller made a race for him. The chef's progress was slow, as he weighs 250 or 260 pounds. The fellow got away before Mr. Muller could reach him, but in passing the mess tent he fell over the pegs and ropes. He quickly got up, however, and ran for the fence, which he scaled like a cat. He is said to belong to the brickyard.

Mr. Muller says that at the last camp he had many things stolen, but promises to lose nothing this time if he can help it. Mr. Muller says that as the fellow was getting over the fence he gave him a kick on the right leg which has made the limb very sore.

THE ORDERS.
The field officer for today is Major Macqueen, of the Oxford Rifles, with



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The four King Georges of England all died on the same day of the week.

Deafened Again.

School Trustees Too Much for Aldermen at Baseball.

Ald. Carrothers' Brilliant Playing a Redeeming Feature.

Educationalists Knock Dreaney Out of the Box.

Ald. Parnell a Star Player—Ald. Cooper Makes a Great Basehit—Great Fun for the Audience.

"Play ball!" yelled Umpire Tom Gillen, as he looked at his Waterbury and found that time was up. And then the aldermen and school trustees pulled off their respective vests and collars, gave their respective suspenders a hitch, spat on their respective hands and started to play — well it was advertised as baseball. Many of those on the grand stand evidently never saw a baseball match before. They nearly went into convulsions when Neil Cooper threw the ball at Charlie Johnston; struck him on the seat, and then claimed a base hit. They laughed most immoderately when Ald. Parnell, who had played as well as he could at first base because he stole second. They even seemed amused because Ald. Gerry tried to stop flies with his feet and because Ald. Carrothers fell on the ball cause and nearly buried it in the ground. Such conduct on the part of the audience was totally uncalled for and displayed the grossest ignorance of baseball rules as the aldermen understand them.

Hands that the rod of empire might have swung swung sticks of hickory and their skill displayed; fumbled the pigskin, knocked balls foul and fair, and filled with holes the circumference. The mighty Carrothers, in stentorian tones, put ginger in the aldermanic druses; stood on the coach lines yelling "Hold your base!" and mopped the perspiration off his face. "Twas quite refreshing to behold Bob play," he gabbled everything that came his way; chased grounders hot, stole bases like a deer, and had the trustees' bosoms filled with fear. Had all his side played as well as Bob, the Trustees would have had a harder job. Proclaimed by all the hero of the day, the delighted grand stand cheered his every play.

Ald. Parnell, too, covered himself with glory. He looked quite frisky in a white sweater and wore a glove the size of a ham to protect his lily-white hands against Hank Dreaney's cannon-ball delivery. He captained the aldermen with excellent judgment, though he had hard work getting Ald. Carrothers to move off second base and cover more territory. Ald. Cooper protested that his instructions were to hold down second base, and he meant to hold down if he had to sit on it. The outfielders were particularly sprightly, and gathered in every fly, after it had dropped. Ald. Nutkins, who was the bright particular star in the previous game, played shortstop for a brief and beautiful period, but failed to sustain the dazzling reputation he made on that memorable occasion. When the aldermen got six runs in the second on hits by Parnell, Cooper, Carrothers, Nutkins and McCallum, with two bases on balls, they were filled with delicious warm thrills and prophesied dire revenge for their former defeat. The thrills caught a sudden cold in the third inning, however, and passed away. Buchner's deadly delivery quite wilted the city fathers, and they shed several pailfuls of perspiration trying to knock the ball past the infield. In the fifth Ald. Gerry met with an accident—he hit the sphere to right field. He reached third on a bad throw and came home on a hit by Ald. Nutkins, which Dr. Teddall tried to cut off with his feet. In the sixth the aldermen resolved on a brilliant stroke. Capt. Parnell made a double, Burdick a triple, and Johnston a single, which were good for four runs.

The fourth was notable for Trustee Sanders' remarkable sprinting exhibition, which put some of the younger players to shame. The desperate expanse of whiskers opposed to the breeze, he clearly broke the day's base-running record, and made the complete circuit on a scratch hit.

In the fifth, the trustees completed the annihilation of the aldermen by knocking Ald. Dreaney out of the box. It was during this inning that Trustee Johnston was caught between second and third, and was struck in the rear by Ald. Cooper. Nobody was out, but Ald. Cooper started to march in under the opinion that his brilliant play had been enough for one inning. Trustee Burdick was also caught between third and home, and a well-directed ball from Ald. Parnell caught him between the shoulder blades. After ten runs had been scored, Capt. Parnell determined on drastic measures. Amid the cheers of the grand stand, he went into the box, and Ald. Carrothers behind the bat. The new pitcher wound up gloriously by striking out Trustee Logan, and preventing further scoring.

Before the game Mr. J. W. Jones was requested to act as official scorer. He did not realize the Herculean

task of his task until he started work. He was compelled to retire at an early stage from sheer exhaustion. The runs by innings are: Trustees... 6 0 4 1 10 — 21 Aldermen... 0 6 0 0 1 1 — 8 Batteries—Buchner and Burdick; Dreaney and Parnell, Parnell and Carrothers.

NOTES.

It is surprising that the attendance was not larger. About two hundred people were present, so the Y. M. C. A. will not clear much. Ald. Parnell's vigorous coaching roused the flagging energy of his supporters.

Ald. Carrothers surprised everybody by his brilliant playing. He made a double play unassisted in the fourth, and was more sprightly than men who had only half his weight to carry round.

Trustee Johnston made a great first baseman. Trustee Buchner also fielded his position well.

Ald. Wm. Heaman resigned the captaincy in Ald. Parnell's favor. He was not feeling well.

You don't hit far enough, yelled Ald. Cooper to a colleague who was thrown out at first.

They say the umpire felt sorry for the aldermen. He wasn't too hard on them.

The audience applauded when Trustee Logan happened to catch a ball.

Ald. Parnell showed rare discernment when he moved Ald. Carrothers from third to first base.

There were so many changes on each team that it was hard to keep track of them. The names of the players should not be lost to posterity, however. The aldermen were represented by Ald. Carrothers, Parnell, Dreaney, Gerry, McCallum, Nutkins, J. Heaman, Wm. Heaman, Douglass, Cooper and Taylor; the School Board, Trustees Buchner, Burdick, Logan, Sanders, Johnston, Griffin, Morin, Bayly, Wilkins and Teasdale.

The Business Outlook

In the United States and Canada

As Reported by Dun & Co. and Bradstreet.

New York, Sept. 12.—Dun & Co.'s weekly review says: Better prospects and relief from monetary anxiety do not yet bring larger demand for finished products, though large buying of pig iron, wool, leather, hides, cotton and other materials continue to show a growing belief that a general up-and-down movement in prices will come with the replenishment of dealers' stocks this fall. Most prices are extremely low, so that nothing more than an ordinary demand would advance them. Crop returns indicate disappointment in some cotton and some spring wheat States. Prices of corn and oats make it unprofitable to sell at present. The number of manufacturing works and mines in operation does not gain, but rather decreases. Reductions of wages are somewhat numerous, occasionally resisted by strikes, and all those centers of unemployment for a time the buying power of the people. While many think general improvement cannot come until the elections have removed political uncertainties, others expect soon to see the result anticipated in trade. The manufacturers of boots and shoes are shipping larger quantities than ever before in September, though mainly of low-grade goods. Sales of wool for the week have about equaled the normal consumption for the first time in several months. The buying is chiefly speculative, based on the belief that prices must advance. Makers of print cloths have advanced the price three-sixteenths during the week. For such goods there is a better demand, and manufacturers have advanced prices because of the rising cost of material. Wheat declined 1 cent, but then advanced, closing 1 cent up for the week. Western receipts still exceed last year's, having been in two weeks 11,228 bushels, against 10,323 last year, while Atlantic exports, flour included, have been for the same week 3,983,265 bushels, against 2,417,872 last year. Corn is almost without danger, and the yield is generally expected to be the largest, as the price here is the lowest ever known.

Failures for the week have been 315 in the United States, against 157 last year; and 47 in Canada against 34 last year.

Trade's report says: The feeling among jobbers and manufacturers last week that an improvement in demand for seasonal staples was in sight was evidently well founded, for at more than a dozen centers of trade and west the demand is now more active, the volume of sales has increased and the general outlook is much more favorable for business than at the autumn. The week's volume of business is slightly heavier, several cities reporting a larger demand this week to replenish depleted stocks than during two preceding weeks.

IN CANADA.

At Toronto general trade has improved slightly, many counting merchants having placed orders this week. At Montreal business is quiet, with heavy arrivals of fruit and wheat for export. Collections throughout the Province of Quebec are slow. In Nova Scotia business continues very quiet, and collections and factory orders encouraging reports are received from the Labrador fisheries. Business failures in the Canadian Dominion this week number 41, against 30 last week, and 22 in the year ago, 38 two years ago, and 26 three years ago.

GREENS FOR WINTER.

Diamond Dyes Give the Richest Colors.

The manufacturers of the justly popular Diamond Dyes constantly avail themselves of every improvement in the manufacture of dye-stuffs, thus giving to home-dyers all over the world each and every advantage possessed by the largest manufacturers on earth. Have you tried the Diamond Dye Fast Dark Green, Diamond Dye Fast Olive Green, and Diamond Dye Fast Bottle Green? For the dyeing of Wool and Silk goods, these Greens are certainly triumphs of science.

For the coming Autumn, the above Greens with their varied shades of Hunter's Green, Myrtle Green, Bronze Green, Russian Green, and Old Green will be all the rage for ladies' suits and dresses. Use only the "Diamond" and you will surely get the best results and colors.

The late Lady Tennyson was a niece of Sir John Franklin.

The jubilee of the sewing machine should be celebrated this year. Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

British Protests

Against the Massacre of Christians by the Turks.

Russia and Germany May Have a War of Tariffs.

Daly's Prison Life Too Dreadful to Speak Of.

Doings of the Labor Congress—Novelist Drowned—A Cloudburst.

A NOVELIST DROWNED.

London, Sept. 12.—Olaf Laussen, the Norwegian novelist, was drowned at Scarborough yesterday while bathing.

CHINA'S LOAN.

London, Sept. 12.—The remaining \$30,000,000 of the Chinese loan of \$80,000,000 was issued last evening in London and Germany. The security is 5 per cent. gold bonds. The issue price was 99.

CUSTOMS WAR THREATENED.

London, Sept. 12.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says that there are persistent rumors there of an impending customs war between Germany and Russia. It is stated that Russia intends to retaliate for some vexatious restrictions upon Russian imports imposed at the instigation of the German Agrarians.

AMERICAN FRUIT SALES.

London, Sept. 12.—Four thousand half-cases of California fruit were offered for sale at the Covent Garden Market yesterday, 2,000 of which were disposed of, the remainder, all pears, being held over until next week. Of the fruit sold today Bartlett pears brought from 4s 6d to 6s 3d; halves of peaches, aggregating 100 half-cases, were sold at 4s to 6s 6d.

A CLOUDBURST.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—The night operations of German troops taking part in the military maneuvers at Goerlitz have been abandoned owing to a cloudburst, which has rendered the country roads and fields impassable. The troops have already bivouacked for three nights, and the heavy rains and their consequent discomfort have had a bad effect upon them.

JOHN DALY.

London, Sept. 12.—John Daly, the Irish dynamiter, who was released from Portland prison on Aug. 20, has returned from his visit to Paris and will go to Limerick. In an interview, Daly said that he was getting stronger, but he is still tremulous and acutely afflicted with nervousness. Speaking of his prison experiences, he said: "My prison life was too dreadful to think about. The English prison system is brutal at the best, but it is applied to Irish prisoners with the fullest severity."

SEVEN NEW CARDINALS TO BE CREATED.

London, Sept. 12.—Mgr. Edmund Stonor, uncle of Lord Camoys and the best-known English ecclesiastic in Rome, is to be made a cardinal at the consistory beginning in November. This is quite in line with the new English policy of pushing aristocrats to the front in the hierarchy, though Mgr. Stonor is personally well known and dignified. The cardinal would bestow. Three other cardinals will be made at the same time from the Vatican household—two Italians and one German by a papal rescript, and the foreign creations, probably going to France and Spain.

NANSEN BANQUETED.

Christiana, Sept. 12.—A grand banquet was given last night in honor of Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, and 500 guests attended. The sum of 210,000 kroner has been subscribed to Nansen fund for the advancement of science.

A dispatch to the Berlin Tageblatt says that the people of Sweden are highly indignant that the reception given to Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, in Christiania, should have been utilized for political purposes. King Oscar was unknowingly made to appear for its object the vestige of a manner in which they had to place him in a false position in order to make political capital, seeing that he had no other way of escape from the expenses of Dr. Nansen's expedition, and that he had also always abstained from taking sides in the agitation leading to the separation of Norway and Sweden.

LABOR'S PARLIAMENT.

Series of Important Resolutions Adopted by the Delegates.

London, Sept. 12.—The Trades Union Congress at Edinburgh passed the following resolutions: "Resolved, that in the opinion of this congress further restrictions for working women are undesirable."

"Resolved, that this congress, recognizing the evil effects of long hours of labor, welcomes the introduction into the House of Commons, on the initiative of the National Union of Shop Assistants and Warehousemen and Clerks, of the shop assistants' hours bill, which proposes a uniform hour of closing all shops (except canteens and places of refreshment) at 7 o'clock on three days, 1 o'clock on one day, and 9 and 10 o'clock respectively on the largest number of days of the week. This congress further calls upon all members of the House of Commons to assist in passing the bill into law, as being a measure of necessity needed in the interests of shop workers."

"Resolved, that this congress is of the opinion that the railway strike, in the interests of themselves and of the traveling public, should not be employed continually for more than six hours in any one week. Also that the condition of hiring, which compels them to give their whole time to the service of the company employing them without any guarantee of a week's wages, is inequitable and unjust. The congress, therefore, instructs the Parliamentary committee to introduce a bill to Parliament at the earliest opportunity to limit the hours of railway servants as aforesaid, and to render illegal all contracts which de-

mand entire service without payment of a full week's wages."

MUST BE STOPPED.

British Protests Against the Massacre of Christians by the Turks.

London, Sept. 12.—A petition addressed to the lord mayor is being signed, asking him to summon a meeting of citizens to assure the Government in taking effective measures to stop the reign of terror in Turkey of the unanimous support of the citizens.

Miss Frances Willard has written a letter to the lord mayor of London appealing to them to organize meetings to co-operate with England in stopping the massacres of Christians by Turkey.

The executive committee of the British Arbitration Society lately informed Mr. Gladstone that the association intended to deal with the Armenian question at the coming international peace congress, which will be held at Budapest. Mr. Gladstone replied: "I would not call the great assassin, would not be of the smallest value, unless it were known to include a firm intention to resort to measures of coercion in case of need. The remonstrances of the six powers during the last twelve months have not been mere failures or a simple mockery, but a great instrument of mischief, for they all along implied that such a matter can be disposed of by discussion, and thereby supplied whole and entire assistance in the name of assurance of impunity. I, therefore, venture to hope that you do not contemplate recommending a further prolongation of simply verbal discussion. Even silence would be preferable."

Mr. Hon. Herbert Asquith has sent a message to the Chronicle on the Turkish case, saying that the British Government should have refused to hold further terms with a Government, which has become a mere instrument for executing the purposes of a criminal and insane. The European powers, he adds, cannot condone the past crimes of the Porte or ignore the future dangers of the world. He concludes his message with an expression of the hope that there will be shortly witnessed such a manifestation of public opinion as will give strength and authority to the action on the part of Great Britain.

The Chronicle publishes nine columns of letters against the Sultan, and the reports of the meetings held to express indignation against the massacre of Christians.

THE KIDNEYS AND LIVER.

Their Derangement the Source of Much Suffering.

A Great Sufferer for Thirty Years Tells How He Obtained a Cure—His Advice Should be Followed by Others Similarly Afflicted.

(From the Caledonia, N. S., Gold Hunter.)

Mr. George Uhlman, a well-known farmer living near New Elm, is loud in his praise of the benefits he received from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Recently while visiting his daughter in Hemford, he was interviewed by a reporter, and to the scribe's salutation, "Well, Mr. Uhlman, you are looking ten years younger than you did two years ago," he replied, "Yes, and am feeling thirty years younger. I am now in my 64th year, and am feeling better than I did when I was 34. It is pretty generally known hereabouts that I suffered intensely for upwards of 30 years from kidney and liver trouble, during which time I was treated by different doctors, and I can truly say that my suffering was not relieved by a single remedy. But I have found cure, and one which I believe is permanent, and if you are interested I am willing to tell what it has done for me. Having a very bad spell and suffering intensely from the effects of liver and kidney troubles, I noticed an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and thought I would try them. After beginning their use I found a gradual improvement, and having suffered as long and as severely as I did, you are sure that I determined to continue the treatment. Very steadily the improvement went on, and after a few months' treatment with the Pink Pills I felt that my liver and kidney troubles had disappeared. New blood seemed to course through my veins, and the organs which for so many years imperfectly performed their functions now work like a charm and give me not the slightest trouble. In addition to this my weight has materially increased, and I can stand a day's work on my farm better than I have been able to do in years before. Of course this may sound enthusiastic, but I know what Pink Pills have done for me and I naturally feel grateful, and I never lose an opportunity to say a good word for this grand medicine."

The secret of health, strength and activity lies in the blood, and sound nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make pure, rich, red blood and strengthen the nerves, and this is the secret of the marvelous success with which this medicine has met—the reason why it cures when other medicines fail.

The list of diseases having their origin in impure or watery blood, or a shattered condition of the nerves, is a long one, but in every case Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will restore health and strength if given a fair trial. The genuine Pink Pills are sold only in boxes, bearing the trade mark of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Protect yourself from imposition by refusing any pill that does not bear the registered trade mark around the box.

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HOOD'S PILLS are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, headache.

London's Healthy Homes.

Only Four Dwellings in the City Placarded.

Gratifying Statements of the Health Officer—This Year a Record-Breaker.

"The health of the city is exceptionally good. There are only four dwellings placarded in the city. With the exception of those cases of infectious diseases treated in the two hospitals, there have been only eleven reported so far.

"The year up to the present has been the most healthy as far as known in the present generation."

So read the report of the medical health officer, Dr. Hutchinson, before the Board of Health last night. The business of the board was light. The chairman, Ald. Skinner and Mr. Geo. White will form a special committee to draft a plumbing bylaw.

The chairman officially informed the board that the proposed plan for a sewerage system had been endorsed by the council and voted on by the people on the 2nd inst., resulting in a large majority.

Sanitarians from all parts of Ontario will meet in convention at Niagara Falls on Monday and Tuesday next, while the Public Health Association of Canada, the United States and Mexico meets in Buffalo after the provincial convention is concluded, and Londoners were asked to attend both. The chairman and Dr. Hutchinson were appointed to represent London at both.

The usual accounts were passed. Those present were the chairman, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, Ald. Wm. Heaman, Messrs. George White and John Christie, Dr. Hutchinson, medical health officer, and Secretary Bell.

Musical Instruction.

MISS ELLA SIMON WILL RESUME piano lessons on and after Tuesday, Sept. 16, 10 John street, 2nd floor.

MR. HALL, TEACHER OF PIANO—Residence 28 Stanley street.

MR. THOMAS W. MARTIN RECEIVES piano pupils at his residence, 283 Dufferin avenue.

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City and Other Workers.

Organization of Unions to Be Urged by the Trades and Labor Council.

Labor Day Demonstration Returns Not Yet Complete.

End of the Last New York Tailors Strike—General Labor News.

The Labor Day committee met on Tuesday night to settle some of the affairs in connection with the demonstration. It is impossible to tell yet what the exact returns are, but it is known that a substantial balance will be realized, which will go to the Trades and Labor Council. Full reports will be submitted to the unions when accounts are settled.

Most of the railroad men were out of the city on Labor Day. That is the reason why they did not figure more prominently in the parade.

The brickmakers, who turned out so well on Monday, will be organized before long. The organizing committee of the Trades and Labor Council have the details well in hand. A meeting of those interested will be held in a few weeks.

The action of the Trades and Labor Council in abolishing the custom of soliciting donations to the prize list this year meets with the approval of the merchants generally.

Now that Labor Day is past, the Trades and Labor Council will take up some of the questions that have been left over for some time. The regular meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, when every member should be in attendance. The work of organization will be pushed forward during the coming fall and winter.

The General Directory of the Industrial Brotherhood are still at work on the revision of the constitution. Their report will be ready shortly.

Members of the local unions having anything of interest for this column should send in their communications not later than Friday morning.

Minneapolis press feeders won their strike for higher wages.

Metal roofers in San Francisco are agitating for an advance of 50 cents a day.

Bindery girls in St. Paul have sent financial aid to their striking sisters in New York.

Factory inspectors in England threaten to strike for higher wages and more power.

The international convention of the longshoremen will be held in England next month.

Under a recent law no new bakeries can be established in Ohio below the surface of the sidewalk.

San Francisco garment workers are conducting an aggressive campaign against sweating.

The annual convention of the Boiler-makers' International Union will be held in Milwaukee next month.

A large firm in London shares profits and gives to every woman employed who leaves to get married.

Business men in Lawrence, Mass., are agitating for a system of public works that will benefit the unemployed.

Employees of the Erie shops at Homestead, N. Y., have been put on five hours' time. They work from 7 to 12 o'clock.

The great tailors' strike of New York has come to an end, nearly all the contractors having signed the agreement.

Trade unions are well organized in Belfast, Dublin and Cork, and the Irish Trades Congress was recently held in Limerick.

Late developments indicate that an earnest effort is to be made to unite the seamen of all civilized countries under one banner.

A. Strasser and J. W. Sullivan are the fraternal delegates from the American Federation of Labor to the British Trades Union Congress.

The cloakmakers of Cincinnati, whose wages were recently cut 50 per cent are arranging to strike for a restoration. Some 300 will be involved.

The Chicago branch of the Republican campaign committee has put a clause in all contracts for printing, stipulating that the union label must appear on all work.

The semi-annual list of organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor has just been issued. The list is four and three-quarters larger than for the previous six months.

One of the largest tailors' shops in the world is at Pimlico, where there are always in stock sufficient goods to clothe 35,000 men at least. This is the army clothing department, from

which come the uniforms of the British rank and file.

San Francisco union shoemakers want people to buy homemade shoes, and will probably adopt a label that will indicate that the goods have been made in California.

Two years ago the street railway men of Sacramento, Cal., organized a union, and secured a ten-hour workday. For some reason the union went down, and the company recently instituted the twelve-hour day without opposition from the men.

A referendum vote is being taken in the associations of street railway employees on a proposition to change the time of holding the annual National Convention from October, 1896, to May, 1897, and the prospect is that the latter date will carry.

The Laborers' Protective Union, of New York city, comprising eleven divisions, have agreed with the Employers' Association that eight hours shall constitute a day's work and 30 cents the wages per hour, the agreement to be in force one year.

Journeyman Painters' Union, No. 1, of St. Louis, is said to have been the first union organization of painters, so far as known, established in America. It was chartered under the laws of Missouri, and has been in existence continually since 1862.

Late statistics show that in the cotton, wool, silk, flax and hemp industries in France labor-saving machinery has reduced the number of employees 124,000 since 1883. Hand workers decreased 138,070, while machine operators increased only 52,700.

The Brooklyn Journeymen Tailors' Protective Union has decided against the proposition to establish a death benefit fund, and a motion to strike from the constitution the clause prohibiting political and religious discussions at the union meetings was rejected.

G. W. Perkins, president of the Cigar-makers' International Union, had a narrow escape from drowning at Chicago while bathing in the lake. He was caught by the undertow, and caught by James L. Linehan, of the Carpenters' Union. Both men were prostrated for several hours.

It begins to develop that Syracuse, N. Y., will be the chief competitor of the International Typographical Union as the place for holding the convention of 1897. Washington, D. C., which was the only bidder some months ago, seems to have withdrawn from the race.

SPEEDING A LOCOMOTIVE

What It Means to Speed a Huge Machine Up to Sixty Miles an Hour.

At sixty miles an hour the resistance of a train is four times as great as it is at thirty miles—that is, the fuel must be four times as great in the one case as it is in the other. But at sixty miles an hour this fuel must be exerted for a given distance in half the time that it is at thirty miles, so that the amount of power exerted and steam generated must be eight times as great at the faster speed. This means that the capacity of the boilers, cylinders and the other parts must be greater with a corresponding addition to the weight of the machine. Obviously, therefore, if the weight per wheel, on account of the limit of weight that the rails will carry, is limited, we soon reach a point when driving wheels and other parts cannot be further enlarged, and then we reach the maximum of speed. The nice adjustment necessary of the various parts of these immense engines may be indicated by some figures as to the work performed by these parts when the locomotive is working at high speed. Take a passenger engine on any of the big railroads. At sixty miles an hour a driving wheel five and one-half feet in diameter revolves five times per second; now, the reciprocating parts of each cylinder, including one piston rod, cross-head and connecting rod, weigh about 650 pounds, must move back and forth a distance equal to the stroke, usually two feet, every time the wheel revolves in its fifth of a second. It starts from a state of rest at the end of each stroke of the piston, and must acquire a velocity of 32 feet per second in one-twentieth of a second, and must be brought to a state of rest in the same period of time. A piston eighteen inches in diameter has an area of 54 1/2 square inches. Steam of 150 pounds pressure per square inch would, therefore, exert a force on the piston equal to 38,175 pounds. This force is applied alternately on each side of the piston ten times a second. —Ladies' Home Journal.

MAKING UNNECESSARY ANY PAINFUL OPERATION.

How South American Kidney Cure Removes Pains and Stomach Periods of Distress.

It was chronicled in the local press a few days ago that one of Toronto's best-known physicians was leaving for a leading United States hospital, there to undergo an operation for a hard formation of the kidneys. Everyone will hope that the experiment will be successful. But is not prevention better than cure, and where the first symptoms of kidney disease assert themselves let that wonderful specific, South American Kidney Cure, be taken and the trouble is speedily banished. What is just as encouraging is that where the disease has taken hold of the system, even in extreme cases, relief and cure is quickly secured by the use of this medicine.

TO INDUCE SLEEP.

Perfect Ease and Entire Relaxation of Muscles the Necessary Condition. New York Recorder.

Insomnia is one of the most unpleasant and dangerous derangements of the human system, and should in no respect be underestimated, remarks a writer in Good Housekeeping. But there are degrees and kinds of sleeplessness, as well as of most other things, and the mental and physical habit of the afflicted person often has very much to do with the development of the trouble. Not infrequently the person who fears that he is going to have a sleepless night, and gets into a state of nervous dread on that account, finds his fears fully realized. Another person, perhaps suffering from a disordered or overloaded stomach, and finding himself wakeful, falls into serious apprehension, and by the aid of his nervous system, soon gets himself into the very condition of the trouble. Not infrequently the golden rule is to avoid fret and worry, and especially apprehension and fear. These specially magnify evils and not infrequently produce serious results from what otherwise would be but ordinary ills. Many a person, finding himself wakeful, will be surprised to realize next day how readily he fell asleep again, after accepting the con-

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3. Cost of mining this ore will be small on account of the steepness of the hill, enabling the company to develop entirely by tunnel, which is conceded a great advantage.

4. The tunnel, which is now 35 feet long, is all in one vein, while not yet rich enough to ship, will in all probability be when completed to the shaft, the assays from such shaft running from \$15 to \$22. The tunnel will strike under shaft at a depth of about 40 feet.

5. Absolute title, fully paid for, full claim 1,500 feet square. The company has no debts, either bonded or floating.

6. The company has received its charter, according to the laws of the State of Washington, registered under the Acts, to do business in British Columbia. This State by statute allowing the full capital stock of a mining company to be "paid up" by the transfer to the company of a mineral claim, thus making the stock fully paid up and non-assessable.

7. The large amount of Treasury stock assures the stockholders of ample means to develop with, but it is estimated it will not be necessary to sell any more stock than that being mined to put the property upon not only a self-sustaining but a dividend basis.

Letters from Leading Mining Men Regarding the Property.

W. Fullerton, Esq., Rossland, B. C.:
Dear Sir:—Concerning the "Hill Top" mining claim adjoining the "May Flower" mine to the east, I have traced the two veins of the "Hill Top," where they show up strongly and well defined. The claim is well located for shipping, and I think a good property. Yours sincerely,
(Sgd.) FRANK C. LORING.

Mr. W. Fullerton, Rossland, B. C.:

Dear Sir:—It is with great regret that I feel I cannot subscribe at this time for a large lot of the "Hill Top" stock. In order to protect my interests in "The Edna," I was forced to buy out at a big cash price.

The "Hill Top" has the advantage of being high up and permitting tunneling to a much greater depth.

Feeling very sorry that I cannot at this time go in, yours truly,
(Sgd.) JOHN T. COLE,
Supt. White Bear Mining Co.

Rossland, July 3, 1896.

Dear Willmott:

I visited the "Hill Top" with one of the original owners today. Found the ledge uncovered in three places, the principal point of operation having a 30-foot tunnel, which shows rock well mineralized and in abundant quantity. This rock is very similar to that taken out of the "May Flower" when their tunnel was first put in. We went over the waste rock below the dump on the "May Flower," and compared it with our specimens from the "Hill Top." It was almost identical.

There is no reason why the "Hill Top" should not show up just as well as when driving in the same distance, as it adjoins, on the same ledge.

It is high above the tramway, and the ore can be easily sent down by a chute. "Hill Top" is a good thing. Push it along.

(Sgd.) KINGHORN.

Thinking Kinghorn's letter to us, whose opinion on a mining proposition we always count before going into it, might be of value to you in Eastern Canada, we send it. Hoping you are meeting with the success the "Hill Top" deserves, we close as your friends.

THE LETCHFIELD-WILLMOTT CO.

W. Fullerton, Esq., Rossland, B. C.:
Dear Sir:—Replying to your favor of the 8th inst., I beg to say that you have certainly considered me an original subscriber in the "Hill Top."

I have every confidence in the property, and feel sure that it will be a profitable production in the future. I base my remarks upon a knowledge of the property and adjacent claims, more especially the "May Flower."

The smelter returns of \$36 per ton exceeded my most sanguine expectations. Both properties having the same veins, the surface ore being identical, leads me to feel that the "Hill Top," upon the completion of its cross-tunnel, will be able to ship pay rock at an early date.

Hoping that you will have no trouble in closing the deal, and awaiting your further advice, I desire to remain, Yours truly,

W. W. D. TURNER,
Pres. Le Roi Mining Co.

Rossland, B. C., Aug. 1st, 1896.

To the Directors of the Hill Top Gold Mining Co., Spokane, Wash.

Gentlemen:—According to your directions, I have made a careful examination of your "Hill Top" property at Trail Creek, B. C. The claim is about a mile from Rossland. The Columbia and Western Railroad almost skirts its borders. It is a full claim, being 1,500 feet square. It adjoins the well-known "May Flower" (Olla Podrida) mine on the east and embraces the continuation of its well-known parallel ledge, which are traceable on the surface for the entire length of the "Hill Top."

The formation is Diorite, being the same as that encountered throughout the entire district, and in which is found all of the great mines of the above-named district. The strike of the veins is easterly and westerly. The veins, as far as opened by tunnels, cuts and shafts, show extremely large.

The two ledges on this property are known as the north and south veins. So far, the work done has mostly been on the south vein. A shaft some ten feet in depth toward the west and line shows some very fine sulphide and galena ore. A cross-cut now in 60 feet, is being driven to tap the south ledge about 400 feet from the east end line. Though considered in country rock, it has cut several fine stringers of ore which presages what can be expected when it comes in contact with the ledge proper, 60 feet from the surface. Considering the dip, the face of the tunnel is now within 30 to 40 feet of the ledge. Besides the above, there are numerous cross-cuts, open cuts and pot holes throughout the entire length of both ledges, showing the veins to be continuous.

An examination of the present workings and samples taken therefrom

give the following results: No. 1, from 10 foot shaft, \$9 in gold and 11 ounces of silver. No. 2, from cut in center of the claim, south ledge, \$3 40 gold and 8 ounces silver. I understand that several assays running much higher in values were obtained immediately above the tunnel. In view of the fact that these assays are from ore taken at or near the surface, gives certainly every indication of vast improvement being shown by further development.

I consider the element of speculation as to the "Hill Top" not becoming a shipping mine with development should hardly be considered, as the value of its ledges have certainly been demonstrated by its neighbor, the "May Flower," which was the first mine to ship ore over the lately completed Columbia and Western Railroad. Its ore rapidly increased in value, and now runs over \$100 to the ton. The surface showings of both claims are almost identical. They are both well named "poor men's mines." The facilities for working the "Hill Top" property could not be surpassed. The surface is such as to permit of its being worked to a great depth, considerably over 1,000 feet without having to incur the expense of sinking shafts or purchasing machinery for pumping, hoisting, etc. There is ample water for steaming purposes to be had from the adjacent south fork of Trail Creek. Timber, such as pine, fir and cedar, is unlimited in quantity right at hand. Fortunately, the railroad skirts the property in such a manner that the ore can be trammed down to the track.

Though in the immediate neighborhood of many well-developed mines, I am led to think that the "Hill Top" will, with proper development, be the peer of any of them.

As I understand you desire to send this report to a section of the east where I may not be known as a mining man, I submit the following names of nationally known mining operators, as references to my integrity and ability as a mining expert: Anton Aiters, of New York city, president of the United Smelting and Refining Company, of East Helena, and Great Falls, Montana; A. Raht, of the Philadelphia Smelting and Refining Co., of Pueblo, Colorado. Respectfully,

W. B. GORDON.

LOCATION

THE HILL TOP is situated about one mile south of Rossland Trail Mining District, British Columbia. Its claim is situated upon a steep slope of a mountain. The claim is being developed almost entirely by tunneling, the steepness of the mountain rendering this method of development the best and cheapest. The principal tunnel is situated 400 feet above the grade of the Trail Creek R. R., and ore can be shipped from the mouth of the tunnel by this railway with the aid of a chute.

Upon this claim are two well defined veins of ore, which are known as the north and south veins, both of which are known to contain rich deposits, being the same veins upon which the "May Flower" has so far developed, and when development work has advanced a little further the management expect the showing and returns will justify increasing the price to at least 15c.

The management cannot be better, being under the charge of the former superintendent of the Le Roi, a gentleman endowed with a practical mining knowledge, and noted for his conservative management.

ASSAYS OUT OF THE HILL TOP VEINS ON THE PROPERTY ADJOINING.					
No. 1—Oxide and Galena, all values	-	-	\$107 28	No. 1—General average sample, all values	\$ 99 46
" 2— " " " "	-	-	66 12	" 2— " " " "	64 72
" 3—Arsenical Iron and Galena, all values			65 43		
No. 1—Clean ore, all values	-	-	\$114 52		
" 2—Average four feet, all values	-	-	64 20		

Eminent mining engineers from London and elsewhere state the Trail Mining District is about to develop in the greatest gold-producer that this continent has ever known, and that Trail Creek will rival, and most probably surpass, the wonderful gold fields of South Africa. English capitalists have already begun to find out the wealth of this favored region, and they have already begun to buy some of the mines in Trail Creek. When London has once fairly started to buy these mines there will be no chance for Canadian capital to get mining property at low figures. Therefore, if the people of this Province desire to share in the enormous profits that are certain to be realized in British Columbia Mines, they must invest at once.

The gentlemen connected with the mine feel confident it will rank among the dividend payers, and when the price is considered and compared with others where the development work consists of little more, the advantages will easily be appreciated.

We have placed in our hands a limited number of shares of this Company's stock which we are able offer, for a short period, at this low price of 75 cents per share (\$1 par value), in blocks of not less than 500 shares.

Please forward remittances or instructions at once, and Stock Certificates will be forwarded on demand.

It is a matter of course and allowing his mind to wander at will, only keeping it engaged with pleasant subjects and agreeable memories. Others make so earnest and determined effort to go to sleep that they quite drive away the possibility. The true condition for sleep is that of perfect ease in posture and entire relaxation of the muscles of the whole system. "If you have never done so, watch yourself go to sleep," said a Desarte teacher, "and you will be

amazed to see how tense your position is. As the knees are drawn and bent, your back is curved, the arms are held more or less tightly to the body and the fingers are folded. The eyelids are held shut, the head is drooped over the eyes, the neck is strained and the head seems to touch the pillows only at the temples. The point of contact with the bed are really at the temples, shoulders, hips, knees and ankles. Now look at a child sleeping. Every muscle is re-

laxed, every joint is inert and prone on the couch; his little frame finds rest at every point. The features are undone, so to speak, the nose widens, the mouth droops, the eyelids close easily, and with every line of expression obliterated he finds utter and complete repose. The abandon makes him fall out of bed sometimes, such an inert body has he become. You may imitate him even to that degree, if necessary. Begin at your toes to relax, loosen all your joints and

muscles, unbend your fingers, shake your wrists loose, take the curve and strain out of your neck, so all in pieces, in fact, and see how the day's fatigue seems to slip off from you, and the gentle mantle of rest and oblivion to unfold you like a garment.

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**Gossip From Every Land Summarized for
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ONE of the stories that followed Hung Chang from London related, most of the anecdotal material, to his extreme frankness in interrogating the persons he meets on any point which interests him, even though newer civilization has imposed on him more reticence. Earl Li met in London a woman of this kind and had induced her to take that position. He asked her many children she had. "Three," was her answer. "Only three?" responded the Earl through his interpreter. "Yes, only three," she replied. "Why?" he titled lady replied to this is recorded. His questioning of an Englishman along the same lines brought the fact that the latter had had only three children, and never had had a

round. "Why, if the old cove hasn't got up again! Well, I'll let him see I'm still here, and I'll watch. I will do everything I can to get him back, and be kind to him—and-and—be kind to him. I'll be a tragi-comedian. Wonder if I shall ever get the best of him!"

Alone John watched, for the night was slowly darkening, and he must keep his eyes open. "Fact is," thought John, "I can't go to sleep. Just hear Sals snore! He's a snorer like a horn. He's a snorer so loud he can hear the horn and bed, what a pickle I am in, Bah!"

The situation was not at all pleasant. The great sea was ever-present and overhead was a huge dome

popular member of the House of Commons, of Beauce, Quebec, speaks the highest terms of Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Powder, not only as a professional man, knowing the nature of this disease, but from personal experience has used the medicine for catarrh of the bladder, and freely lets the public know of the efficacy and reliable nature of this medicine in all cases of this kind. One puff of the Powder relieves in ten minutes.

"Here was a Supposition—Hilarious!"

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Woman and the World.

A Ministering Woman.

New York Observer.

Life poured out for the good of others, and personal salvation as a means to such a life of service, constitute what ought to be the ideal of a follower of Jesus Christ. Fortunately, that ideal is laying hold of the most generous and pious spirits of our generation, stimulating them to lives of such nobility as call all of us to go and do likewise. From time to time biographies come before the public which exemplify the noble truth that the mottoed hero Christian should be that of the heir-apparent to the British throne—Ich dien, I serve. Of such biographies not one is more emphatic in its message or more urgent in its appeal than the story of "Adeline, Countess Schimmelpenninck."

Born in the lap of luxury in the Castle of Ahrenberg, in Holstein, this lady was so highly favored as to be appointed at the early age of 18 to the proud position of maid of honor to the late Empress Augusta. For eighteen years she lived and moved in the dazzling brilliancy of court life. The pomp and pleasures of the royal circle could not, however, satisfy her craving for her higher nature. All the time she longed for something loftier and better. Nominally a Christian, she knew in her heart of hearts that she did not live the Christ life. Circumstances connected with her father's death revealed to her the fact that she did not love God supremely, and forced to her lips the eager and oft-repeated petition: "O, God! give me but a drop of the love of Christ and I will be the fire of the Holy Ghost." That prayer was answered at the right time and in the right way—as every earnest prayer must be answered. Pastor Funcke inaugurated in Berlin a crusade against the indifference of women of rank and fashion to the sorrows of the poor which surged around them. But moved them not to pity. One evening he saw before him a very distinguished lady, whose appearance attracted his attention. Her face glowed and brightened as he spoke. At the close of the address she came forward and announced herself as Countess Schimmelpenninck. Frankly confessing the insignificance and purposelessness of the life of luxury she led, she deliberately expressed her intention to do something to help her fellow-creatures. Four years passed before the pastor and his hearers met again. The cloud had lifted from the dissatisfied countenance, and into the life had entered the peace and happiness which come from self-sacrificing activity for God and for humanity. Countess Schimmelpenninck found her life by losing it. She selected a fishing district near Gohren as the sphere of her service. It was but a sandy waste on the shores of the Baltic, peopled by men degraded in their habits and handicapped by the most abject poverty. There she made her home in a little cottage of four rooms, and gave herself with the most heroic persistence to the education and moral salvation of the fishermen. The only places open to them were drinking dens which robbed them of their scanty pay and increased the brutality of their character. The countess built for them a sailors' institute, where coffee, lemonade and cheap but good food were supplied. At first she encountered the most discouraging opposition from those she sought to aid. Some thought her un ladylike and advanced in her opinions. But gradually a change for the better set in. The rude and noisy men of the coast began to show her manner and the magnetism of her appeals. She talked to them about whatever she knew would interest them, and by and by led up to some Bible lesson. Psalms and hymns took the place of bacchanalian songs. The "mad countess" came to be spoken of as "our mother" and her sweet influences descended on houses that formerly were unworthy of the name of homes. Rude men grew gentle in their speech and ways, and carried to their wives the money they used to spend in drink. In short, a moral revolution was wrought about in what had been a German pandemonium.

Space would fail if we attempted to tell what Countess Schimmelpenninck suffered and accomplished in her work of reform, but the story of service is told at length in a book recently given to the world. That book should be read by every woman of whom we can soaks a lesson in the art of helping humanity. It is an eloquent and convincing proof that the fairest, sweetest, most lasting joy of earth is the labor of love that sweeps one out of self into the very life of God, which is the redemption of the world.

Literature as a Resource.

The great books refresh and restore our idealism. You cannot read the great books without having strongly brought back to the horizon those dreams of your youth in which you once believed, but to which you may have proved faithless. Young men and women, you will hear all sorts of judgment on life as you go out into it. You will read all sorts of judgment on life from all sorts of people. Let me say to you what I believe is true: The only man or woman who has anything to tell you about life that has any authority, is the man or woman who has dealt with life nobly from the divine point of view. There is no other way of interpreting it, and any

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Yours truly, ANDREW FULKINS.

London, Ontario, Canada.

other interpretation is misleading and false. Great books have the power of nobly interpreting life. They restore us to the ideal. People speak of the ideal as if it were a dream or vision of the poets, something iridescent and fading, something delightful to amuse oneself with, but not the food for daily human life. Everything else may go and the world be saved; but when the ideal dies, then the world dies, because the imagination will fade, and all that is great and heroic in the possibilities of the human race will vanish with it.

Great literature is charged with the ideal. There is Helen for beauty, and Penelope for faithfulness, and Rosalind for that exquisite combination of purity and freedom and vivacity which makes up one of the most charming types of womanhood; there is Agnes Copperfield for all womanly sweetness, and Anna Karenina for the fathomless tragedy of womanhood; then there is Arthur for purity, and Ophelia for singleness of heart, and Launcelot for courtesy, and Roland for knightliness, and Horatio for manhood, and Henry V. for kingship, and Colonel Newcome for the ideal gentleman. Books are full of these beautiful and varied characters, more real to us than those persons who live next to us, and we take away the voices they hear. They represent in one form or another what is noblest and best in us. Then there are the great interpreters of life, the great renewers of our faith in what is highest and greatest, and the idealism—Hamilton Wright Mabie.

Colton's Advice.

The other day, as I was clinging to the strap of a Lexington avenue car, says a writer in the Christian Advocate, two ladies sat near me, and as one opened her portmanteau to pay her fare a scrap of paper pasted to the leather was disclosed.

"Is that your shopping list?" asked the other; "it doesn't look like a long one."

"No," was the reply; "it is not the list, but it is what keeps the list from being a long one," and she read:

"He who buys what he does not need, will soon need what he cannot buy."

"What a capital guardian of your capital! You must let me copy that for my leaky purse. Who wrote it?"

"I don't know, but I wish I did, for he has saved me a dollar from the lightly rolling from my hands since I put it here."

I was intensely interested in the conversation, for at that very moment there lay in my note book a scrap which I would have brought forth but for the fact that my own corner was reached.

I publish it, for, if the truth which it contains were assimilated, many a pocketbook would remain a pocket-book.

"We are ruined, not by what we really want, but by what we think we want; therefore, never go abroad in search of your wants. If they are real, they will come home in search of you; for he that buys what he does not want will soon want what he cannot buy."—Colton.

Not Lacking in Respect.

The Pacific Ensign, of San Francisco, Cal., tells of a recent occurrence which apprehensive "remonstrants" would do well to consider. The Ensign says:

It has been urged by some that if woman was granted the ballot she would be put more on the footing of men, and they would not be inclined to respect her. The contrary was demonstrated on Monday, when Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Sargent, president of the State Suffrage Association, and Mrs. Ida Harper, chairman of the press committee, boarded a street car on Market street. They were promptly given seats, and one of her ladies took out her purse to pay the fare, a gentleman standing near by said: "Don't trouble yourself about that; I will attend to it." Another gentleman stepped up to the conductor and handed him the fare, and remarked, "These ladies shall never pay anything when I am on a car with them."

This looks as if the suffragists would not only be given seats in cars, but have their fares paid also, if they will permit it. Instead of a decrease in courtesy, there will be an increase if woman is granted the ballot, for there is not anything which commands respect like power. Feminine refinement and a womanly deportment, combined with power, will exert such an influence as to make a potentate bow before it.

For Women Inebriates.

Lady Henry Somerset is making a new departure in temperance work in the village she is building for women inebriates. This is to be near the town of Duxbury, and here she has laid out a pretty hamlet, with pleasant grounds and cozy cottages, where the inmates can be treated, not as criminals, but as patients. In order to restore them to a healthy bodily condition they will have plenty of active employment, such as the raising of vegetables, the care of fowls, book-keeping, dairying and laundry work. Each woman will be charged \$1.25 a week, and this she will work out, while all she earns above that at her regular labors will be given to her at her departure. Six women will be in each cottage, and the village will have, besides its homes, a chapel, a hospital, a public hall, etc. One hundred and eighty acres are included in the area of the village. They will be resident physicians, and very effort will be made to keep the minds and bodies of the patients pleasantly occupied and free from temptation. They will be received as rapidly as the accommodations will permit.

The Making of a Genius.

Harper's Bazar.

The self-contained woman of a moody and brooding temperament nearly always thinks herself misunderstood and unappreciated. She is conscious of many ideas and emotions which are seldom expressed by those around her. So she imagines that they are unique, and that she herself is an original thinker. She finally concludes that these vagrant and fleeting thoughts, which would be rejected by stronger minds, are worth preserving, and that, as much courage is required to speak or write them, such courage argues the possession of genius. It is thus very easy for an egotist to grow to consider itself unique and a genius.

A notable example of this absurd mistake was shown by the late Marie Bashkirtseff. Her great terror was lest her "feelings" should be forgotten. She would have shown higher

courage if she had consigned her emotions to oblivion and allowed only her work to stand. The most profound feeling which her story arouses in the mind of the reader is of pity for a woman who struggled was overwhelmed, and sank in such shallow waters. Her sufferings, which were real enough, arose from an over-supply of the most unfortunate passions of the human heart—great self-conceit and profound self-absorption. And to these added the moral blindness of never quite perceiving that they were contemptible.

But there are many other men and women, dubbed geniuses by the world, whose genius consists in the fact that the only passions in their natures which they find strong enough to give the world are the lowest, of which human nature is capable. The genius is rarer who knows that there must be omissions, that the lowest passions must always be sacrificed to the higher, and that in the soul's struggle upward it is wisest not only to crush out but to bury without an epitaph feelings of which we should be ashamed.

Evening Twilight on the Hills.

By David Mills.

My sister and I, from the hills,
Watch'd the last glimmer of day;
We were sooth'd by the murmur of rills—
By songs that they sung on their way.

The night on the world was descending,
The day had fled far, far along—
The sounds that through valleys were wending
Were touched by the Angel of Song.

Though damp'd by the dew-fall we listen'd
To sounds from the valley below;
We saw the dense mists with white banners,
And forgot we should not linger so.

The sheep, in their fold, were in safety,
The warm moon came up in the sky;
Because on the hills we had listen'd,
We mark'd not the moments go by.

The wolf pack now howl'd in the woodland
That stretch'd far away in our rear;
We saw that the night was descending,
And knew, then, that danger was near.

Our hearts, at that sound, ceas'd their beating.
My sister cri'd, "Is it not wrong
To loiter, to look, in the twilight,
And listen to waters and song?"

We started, and homeward we hasten'd;
When a leaf or a bramble was stirr'd;
We thought that the wolves were upon us,
When 'twas but the flit of a bird.

Our father had come forth to meet us.
"My children, why linger so long?
You mother is worried about you;
To wait for the night's very wrong."

"Abroad I have hasten'd to find you;
The wolves to the woods now have come.
There's death on the hills, in the twilight;
This danger should hasten you home."

We told of the beauty in sunset,
How mists in the valley did grow;
The chatter and chuckle of waters,
And songs that came up from below.

He said: "What of sky, or of music,
Or mists in the valley, or hills,
If wolves had devour'd my daughter
And son, in the dusk, on the hills?"

Said mother: "You greatly alarm'd me;
Now what, for this wrong, do you say?"

"We'd so the beauty of twilight,
And its rest at the close of the day.
The brooklets told tales to each other—
Sometimes they spoke softly and low,
And then, much louder they babbled,
Where fast down the hillside, they flow."

Said father to us: "On the morrow,
We three shall go up to the hills,
And listen in twilight together,
To songs of the birds and the rills;
We shall rest in the dusk of the ev'n,
Till night shuts the world from our view,
Then down from our place on the hills,
I'll back to your mother with you."

The beauties discover'd in even,
The peace that contents them the heart,
Are met as first given from heaven—
They're born of the Spirit of Art;
They're a glimpse of the senses as giv'n
Before evil had shut from our view
The beauties that bloom'd once in Eden,
Which twilight awakens anew.

London, Aug. 15, 1896.

Make the Most of Yourself.

It is the duty of every man to make the most of himself. Whatever his capacities may be, he is sure to find some place where he can be useful to himself and to others. But he cannot reach his highest usefulness without good health, and he cannot have good health without pure blood. The blood circulates to every organ and tissue and when it is pure, rich and healthy it carries health to the entire system, but if it is impure it scatters disease wherever it flows. The blood is the one true blood purifier. It cures salt rheum, scrofula, catarrh, dyspepsia and rheumatism, because these diseases have their origin in the blood.

Sir A. C. Mackenzie is said to be co-operating with F. C. Burnand, the editor of Punch, in the production of a comic opera.

How to Cure Skin Diseases.

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EDISON'S PHONOGRAPH

Reproduces Songs With Marvellous Sweetness and Purity.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Li Hung Chang will meet Edison at Niagara Falls Monday, when he will be shown his two latest improvements on machines in which the Viceroy is greatly interested. Li desires Edison and his European representative, Col. George E. Gouraud, to go to China and introduce the telephone there.

Edison's latest inventions comprise an improved telephone and a perfected phonograph. The latter has been Edison's dream for years, and it has only been completed recently.

The phonograph works without the scraping sound which is now audible in the instrument, and the tone of the sound which it takes is reproduced with the utmost accuracy. If a tenor or a soprano sings into the new phonograph the person who hears the song from the phonograph receives as much enjoyment as if he had listened to the song in person. But one of these instruments has been made, and it is in very rough form. It was tried the other night at Orange in Edison's house, and worked perfectly, though the sound was transmitted through five miles of wire.

The telephone is a marvel of convenience to the busy man. The instrument is placed on the wall, near the desk, as at present, it is automatically arranged, so that when the bell rings all the man at the desk has to do is to pick up the receiver and ejaculate "Hello!" Then, sitting at his desk, and without touching or going near the instrument, he carries on the conversation. There is no trouble about taking down the receiver and screwing it to your ear, or tearing through the mazes of the mazes which are now necessary. The conversation with a man 100 miles away is carried on as easily as if he were in a chair by your side. The telephone which comes from the telephone is distinctly audible to the person by whom it is intended that it should be heard, but does not fill the room.

The phonograph, on the other hand, when brought into action, fills the room with sound. By means of this instrument Melba can sing to 1,000,000 persons at once. It is so perfected that the sound will pass over as many miles as desired. She can, for instance, sing to an immense audience in New York at the Metropolitan Opera House. Phonographs may also be connected with Washington, Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis, and if Edison's assertions are correct, big audiences there can hear her voice as well as those in New York.

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