

QUEEN CITY BOWLERS WIN THE COVETED LABATT TROPHY

Skip Rice Defeated Skip Langford, of London, By 19 to 16.

BEST FINISH EVER PLAYED

Last Two Ends Were Played Today Owing to Rain of Last Night.

In one of the best final games ever played for the Labatt Trophy, Skip R. B. Rice, of the Queen City Club, won the celebrated silverware from Skip A. A. Langford of the London Thistles by a score of 19 to 16. The last two ends were played this morning, rain stopping the contest last night when nineteen ends had been completed. There was a good crowd watching the game, and the players of both rinks were liberally applauded.

The game was a truly played one, and all the bowlers did well. "Bill" Sykes, the great lead for the winning rink, showed that he was a bowler of more than usual merit. He and Ralph Gillespie had a merry battle, but Sykes was always a trifle better, and it must be said that his bowling was in a large measure responsible for keeping his team in front. His work kept the London four on the defensive most of the time. Kerr, the second man, was very good, and had a little better of Farrow. The latter did not get the break of the luck, or he would have done better. Phelps did not show his usual form in the early stages of the game, being clearly outplayed by Claude Bluet.

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GRAIN GROWERS TAKE CONTROL ON SEPT. 1ST

Government System of Elevators to Pass Into Their Hands.

[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Man., July 26.—The Grain Growers' Grain Company will take over the operation of the Government's elevator system on Sept. 1, according to the terms of the lease which have been agreed upon by the Government and the representatives of the company. It is stipulated that the company will make all the arrangements necessary prior to the transfer of the control, when the commission will cease to exist.

STEAMER GOES DOWN AT "300" LOCKS

One Man Believed to Have Perished by Sinking of Haggart.

[Canadian Press.] Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., July 26.—The steamer John Haggart, owned by T. K. Simms, of Little Current, Saskatchewan, sank at her moorings at New Ontario dock in 15 feet of water at 3:30 this morning. The Haggart came up last night, and was being worked throughout the trip. At 3 o'clock this morning she started to settle and went down. She had a cargo of hay and lumber. It is believed that one man was drowned, as he was seen at the dock shortly before the boat sank, in an intoxicated condition.

AUTOPSY ORDERED

Police Authorities to Investigate the Death of a Varennes Woman.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, July 26.—Dr. McTaggart, medical advisor to the coroner's department of Montreal, this morning went to Varennes to perform an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Adelaide Bourdrias, the woman who was at first thought to have been drowned, but about the cause of whose death grave suspicions are now held. The attorney-general who has been asked to reopen the inquest, will act upon Dr. McTaggart's report. Attempts made to interview the woman's husband have failed because he has left his job and has so far not been located by the newspaper men.

TWO LONDON RINKS WILL PLAY OFF FINALS FOR M'NEE TROPHY

John Lochead's and John Stevenson's Rinks Are Now in the Fight.

Two London rinks will play off the finals for the M'Nee trophy this afternoon, John Lochead and John Stevenson, both winning in the semi-finals this morning.

In the seventh round, Skip John Lochead battled with Skip Dr. J. N. Wood, winning a brilliant game of bowls by two shots.

In the semi-finals, Lochead took the measure of Bert Heaman and his team, winning a brilliant game of bowls by two shots.

Frank Smoke, who had the last outside rink in the competition, made John Stevenson's rink play their very best bowls to win, but Stevenson himself played a great game and pulled his rink out.

The finals between himself and his old-time skip, John Lochead, should be worth while seeing.

KILLED BEFORE HE COULD MAKE VISIT

The Murdered Inspector Wrote That He Was Going to Call at Sarnia.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, July 26.—Chief Immigration Inspector Bell, of Sarnia, is doubly shocked by the tragic death of Traveling Inspector Herbert. Mr. Bell received a letter last night from the murdered man dated the day before the tragedy. The letter read as follows: Dear Bell, Am leaving tonight for Windsor, and expect to come to Sarnia and take Hamilton Saturday. Am checking my grip to you tonight, and hope you will take as good care of it as you did last time. Yours sincerely, C. C. HERBERT.

GOVT. OFFICIAL SHOT TO DEATH

Immigration Inspector Herbert Murdered on a Windsor Ferry Boat.

SHOT BY MAN HE WAS DEPORTING

Alleged Slayer, Who Is a Cripple, Declares That He Came From Hamilton.

Windsor, July 26.—Immigration Inspector H. G. Herbert, employed in the Canadian service, was shot four times and instantly killed on the Windsor ferry boat at the Detroit landing this afternoon. William Ferguson, 57 years old, and having only one leg, who was being deported, fired the shots, was arrested, and taken to police headquarters at Detroit.

Ferguson had made half a dozen attempts to cross the border into Canada this morning by way of the ferries, but was turned back every time by the immigration inspectors as an undesirable. He is from California, has no money and no prospects.

Finally he succeeded in eluding the officers by crossing on a car ferry, but was picked up by Herbert, who is a travelling inspector, who started with him for Detroit. As the Detroit landing was approached Ferguson suddenly drew a 32-calibre revolver and fired four bullets into Herbert's body, and he was dead when the first physician reached his side.

Shot Without Warning. So far as can be learned, the men had no words, but Ferguson, evidently believing that Inspector Herbert was going to get him, waited until the Excelsior was within a short distance of the Detroit dock. Then, pulling an automatic revolver from his breast pocket, he fired four shots at Mr. Herbert at close range. The first passed through his body just below the heart, and he fell to the deck and died instantly. Perhaps a period of five seconds elapsed when Ferguson turned his weapon again in the direction of Herbert's body, and sent three more bullets through his head. All entered near the first sound of the shooting.

Women and children screamed, some thinking Ferguson a maniac who had run amok. Then as the ferry boat reached her landing place, the deck hands and several passengers rushed to the murderer, and held him until the arrival of a Detroit police patrol. Immigration officers were bounding me, so I thought I'd put this one out of the way," said Ferguson in police headquarters.

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MISS CRAGGS COMMITTED

Suffragette Released on \$10,000 Bail Over Indecent Charge.

Oxford, England, July 26.—Helen Craggs, the suffragette, and daughter of Mr. John Craggs, was committed by the magistrate for trial at the assizes on the charge of attempting to enter Nuneham House with the intention of committing arson. She was released on bail of \$10,000.

WINNERS OF THE LABATT TROPHY

QUEEN CITY RINK, TORONTO



Photo by Geo. A. Henry, Dundas street. R. B. RICE, skip. W. PHELPS, vice-skip. R. KERR, second. W. SYKES, lead.

SOUDAN VETERAN MAKES A CHARGE

Sergt. A. W. Nanfan Claims He Is Ostracized by Military Officers.

IS ALWAYS TURNED DOWN

Some Time Ago He Applied for a Position as Instructor But Was Refused.

Sergt. A. W. Nanfan, a veteran of the Sudan and South African campaigns, and one of the men who went to the relief of General Gordon, makes the statement to The Advertiser that he has been ostracized by the military officers of the London district, to which he claims he is entitled.

Sergt. Nanfan has made the charge previously that he was being discriminated against and practically barred from service in the regular force without good cause. He has applied for positions as caretaker of stores and as a gunner, but has been turned down.

He is now a member of the Church of St. John the Evangelist. Recently, the sergeant asserts, he applied to be appointed bugler in the Heights. He has been in the bugle, drum or file corps of the army practically all his life, and said that the week's engagement would have been his last, as he was in a financial straits.

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THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FINE AND COOL.

Forecasts. Toronto, July 26—8 a.m. High 75, Low 57, Wind S.W., Cloudy.

Stations	High	Low	Weather
LONDON	75	57	Cloudy
Windsor	75	57	Cloudy
Victoria	75	57	Cloudy
Winnipeg	75	57	Cloudy
Port Arthur	75	57	Cloudy
Parry Sound	75	57	Cloudy
Toronto	75	57	Cloudy
Ottawa	75	57	Cloudy
Montreal	75	57	Cloudy
Quebec	75	57	Cloudy
Father Point	75	57	Cloudy

Weather Notes. The barometer continues low over the Maritime Provinces and Western States, while an area of high pressure from the northwest is spreading over the Great Lakes.

Heavy thunderstorms have occurred in Northern Saskatchewan, and scattered showers in all the other provinces.

GRAND TRUNK WILL NOT WANT THE L. AND P. S. RAILWAY NOW

This Is the Opinion Around the City Hall—New Line Good for London.

The definite announcement that the Grand Trunk Railway had acquired the franchise held by John Teall, of Tillsonburg, and would construct a line at an early date, occasioned some surprise today. It was suspected that the C. N. R. had secured the line, when it was rumored some time ago that Mr. Teall had disposed of his franchise.

Throughout the city much satisfaction was expressed at the possibility of another railway coming into London. It will tap a country hitherto doing comparatively little business in this city, owing to the lack of proper railway facilities. What bearing the building of the line will have on the future of the London and Port Stanley Railway, it cannot be figured out at this minute. It is certain, it is said, however, that the Grand Trunk will not be a bidder for London's road. This removes the possibility of this company taking it over.

Over the Grand Trunk Railway. There is another possibility in connection with the deal, and that is that the Lake Erie Coal Company may bring the line to the Grand Trunk. This would eliminate the company as customers of the line, and would seriously diminish the receipts. No person in connection with the coal company would discuss the situation at all those in close touch with the directors are authority for the statement that it is quite possible that the line to the coal company had made arrangements with the Grand Trunk to handle their coal business. At the present time the coal haulage is about 90 per cent of the business done by the London and Port Stanley. They operate practically the year round, supplying soft coal for the whole district.

G. T. R. Are Serious. In conversation with a Grand Trunk official it was stated that the Grand Trunk are serious in their intentions to build the road at once. Mr. Biggar, having submitted the plans for the line to the citizens of Aylmer, in order to obtain the assistance of the corporation in getting permission to pass through that town.

The line will commence at Port Burwell, coming by way of Vienna to Aylmer, tapping the fruit district there, and from that town directly into London, passing through Belmont.

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NEW YORK'S MURDER MYSTERY IS CLOSE TO A SOLUTION

"Dago" Frank, One of Alleged "Murder Car" Gang, Is Caught When About to Leave City and Will Be Given Third Degree—Prosecution Expect Arrest of All Murderers.

[Canadian Press.] New York, July 26.—The solution of the intricate plot that brought the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, to his death that he might not tell more secrets of the relations between the police and gamblers, is near at hand. That is the belief today of Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty, who prepared to give the "third degree" to Frank Cirofici, who the commissioner says, is none other than "Dago Frank," one of the slayers of Rosenthal.

Cirofici was taken into custody late last night, along with his girl, Rose Harris, and a man named Abraham Lewis. The party was found in Harlem, and Cirofici had two suitcases packed ready for travelling. All had been smoking opium, and hours of questioning by Commissioner Dougherty failed to elicit any definite information from Cirofici, for the fumes of the drug still befuddled his brain, and he talked in meaningless phrases. He mumbled that he knew nothing about the shooting.

Cirofici did admit that he knew Harry Horowitz, known as "Gybe, the Blood," and that he knew Louis Rosenberg, or "Lefty Louie," both of whom were wanted as slayers of Rosenthal.

Shapiro's Story Helped. The confession of William Shapiro, the chauffeur of the "murder car," has supplied Attorney Whitman with many missing pieces of evidence. Commenting on the progress made, District Attorney Whitman said: "I could get indictments against four or five today if I had to."

The investigation by the grand jury into the relations of the gamblers and the police is proving more than satisfactory to District Attorney Whitman. Testimony of Lieut. Costigan, known as the "honest cop," has created a sensation in police circles. Costigan flatly declared that he did not believe any gambling house could remain open without police protection. He said that the police were taking orders from the gambling squad took orders from Police Commissioner Waldo and no one else.

Later Lieut. Costigan, in the presence of Police Commissioner Waldo, publicly denied that he had made statements to the grand jury that gambling houses could not remain open without police protection, and that the gambling squad took orders from Commissioner Waldo.

LONDON DRUMMER HELD UP AFTER A TRIP TO DETROIT!

Windsor a few hours later, he was stopped by the Canadian authorities. He was taken into custody on the treatment of Police Commissioner Waldo, and he was riding through the country, there was nothing to indicate that he was an "undesirable."

Fellow travellers found a good deal of amusement in the incident. In connection with the tragedy whereby a Canadian immigration officer was shot to death, the experience of a London commercial traveller at Windsor this week is of interest. The commercial man drives his trip with an automobile, and sometimes gets his clothes smudged up with oil. He arrived in Windsor and attempted to cross to Detroit. He was held up by the American officers, but once he explained who he was, was let through.

TWO-YEAR-OLD TOT WAS KILLED AS HE PLAYED, BY RUNAWAY HORSE

Little Gordon Pink, Son of Mr. Chris. J. Pink, of 262 Hamilton Road, Victim of Accident—A Number of Other Children Had a Miraculous Escape From Death.

Gordon Hamilton Pink, the two-year-old son of Mr. Chris J. Pink, of 262 Hamilton road, was fatally injured by a runaway horse about five o'clock yesterday afternoon, and died in Victoria Hospital shortly after being taken there.

The little boy was playing on the sidewalk in front of the residence of Mr. H. C. Barrows, 343 Hamilton road, with Frankie Barrows, aged five years, and the three children of Mr. F. G. Stankey, 288 Hamilton road, in two toy automobiles, when a horse, attached to a wagon, belonging to Brooks Bros., coal and wood dealers, turned the corner at Redan street, and dashed along Hamilton road toward Adelaide street.

Skull Was Crushed. Motorman St. Clair and Conductor Reith, of Oxford car, No. 70, saw the runaway approaching, and after stopping the car, attempted to halt the horse. The animal swerved, and ran along the sidewalk towards the children. Mrs. Barrows was just returning from a funeral, and she saw the horse coming. She called to her boy to take Gordon and run to the house. The other children ran back, and the little Barrow boy just missed being hit by the horse as it knocked over the toy auto the lad was playing with. The wheel of the coal wagon passed over the lower part of little Pink's head and fractured his skull at the base.

Rushed to the Hospital. Mr. Barrows ran out of his house, and took Gordon Pink from the arms of Conductor Reith, and hastened to Victoria Hospital in a delivery wagon, belonging to W. R. McKay, a grocer on the corner of Hill and William streets, who happened to be passing.

Dr. H. H. Black and Dr. Duncan, house surgeon, attended the lad, but, despite their efforts, his death occurred less than an hour later.

Dr. Ferguson, coroner, conducted an investigation, and decided that an inquest is unnecessary.

The Runaway. The horse had been in charge of Arthur Smith, a colored man, who had delivered a load to the residence of Mr. Vining, Redan street. The reins were tied about the hub of one of the front wheels, and when the equine suddenly stepped forward, the bridle was pulled from its head. Whirling around quickly on to Hamilton road, it came into contact with the children, and, without stopping, proceeded to the Brooks' coal yard on Adelaide street.

The Victim. The little victim was the youngest child of Mr. Chris Pink, who is well known in London and Western Ontario as a tenor soloist. Mr. Pink was at his employment at the Ideal Concrete Machine Company when the accident occurred, and was not aware of its serious consequence until his arrival home. Two other children survive, Verna, age ten, and Harold, age seven.

The funeral will be held from the family residence, 262 Hamilton road, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to Mount Pleasant cemetery. The services at 2:30 will be conducted by Rev. T. B. Clarke, of All Saints' Church.

ATTACK BY MAD COW NEARLY COST FARMER HIS LIFE

Third Outbreak of Rabies at Belmont in a Few Weeks Follows Visit of Mad Dog—John Beattie Was Chased While Salting His Cattle.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Belmont, July 26.—Belmont had its third rabies scare in a few weeks yesterday, when at the home of Mr. Chas. Beattie, north of the village, one of his cattle went mad, and nearly killed Mr. Beattie before it was killed. The mad animal took after him quite unexpectedly, and he was in his field placing salt about the cattle, and chased him. Had it not been for the prompt action of his brother, Mr. Beattie would have been

gored to death in a few minutes. Only a few days ago, two of Mr. Beattie's hogs, and one of his cattle went mad, and had to be killed. The rabies outbreak is directed towards the visit of a mad dog through this district one Sunday morning a few weeks ago. It was suspected at the time that some of Mr. Beattie's animals had been bitten, and his place has been under quarantine.

ANNEXATION PLAN GROWS IN FAVOR

Latest Scheme Includes Broughdale and Knollwood Park.

The special committee named by the city council some time ago to discuss the annexation of the suburbs will confer with similar committees from Ealing and Pottersburg this evening at the city hall.

The scheme is more ambitious than was first considered, and will include not only the suburbs mentioned but also Broughdale and Knollwood Park. This will extend the boundaries of the city nearly two miles on the east, a mile on the southeast, and a mile north. It is estimated that a population of 6,000 to 7,000 people will be added to London.

Ald. Spittal, chairman of the special committee, has been giving the matter a great deal of attention of late, and has obtained much information regarding the action of other cities in annexing the suburbs. He has a number of bylaws from Hamilton and other places.

Annex All Suburbs. The general opinion is that all the suburbs will be annexed. It is merely a question of terms at the present time, and it is expected that this matter will be readily adjusted.

It is understood that some of the villagers will demand a fixed taxation of 17 mills for 20 years. This will be the basis of argument, and will be reduced. The term will probably be 15 years, and the rate of taxation may remain the same, or perhaps a mill or two more.

We will go over the matter thoroughly," said Ald. Spittal, chairman of the special committee. "The scheme is to take in Broughdale and Knollwood Park. This will extend the city's boundaries a great distance, and bring in a large area for factory sites, something we need badly. I feel confident that the proposition will go through."

NEW CHURCH DESTROYED

Longue Pointe Edifice Burned Owing to a Water Famine.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, July 26.—Owing to a water famine in Longue Pointe, a suburb of this city, the new church of Notre Dame was this morning burnt to the ground, the firemen being compelled to stand idly by during its destruction.

The fire was caused by candles used at a service in the basement of the edifice last night, burning low and igniting some woodwork.

A Supper and Dance. About 125 of the young people of St. Peter's Cathedral held an enjoyable supper at Springfield last evening. The supper was followed by a dance, and a very pleasant evening was spent by all.

NARROW ESCAPE OF BRITISH GOVT.

Was Almost Defeated by Snap Division in the Commons.

SAVED BY MARGIN OF THREE VOTES

Government Whip Manages to Save the Day by a Hurried Search of the Lobbies.

[Canadian Press.] London, July 26.—The British Government was nearly turned out of office by a snap division in the House of Commons this afternoon, the small margin of only three votes saving it from defeat.

In the presence of the usual thin Friday attendance of members, David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, moved that Monday be devoted to the discussion of supplementary appropriations. The Opposition protested and forced a division. By dint of a hurried search in the lobbies of the House the Government whips just managed to save the day.

The announcement that the Government had been successful by only 138 against 135 votes was greeted by the Opposition with cries of "resign."

The liberal members have been recently somewhat slack in their attendance at the House, and the Government majority on several occasions has for this reason been below 50. Only the keenness of the Irish Nationalists and the members of the Labor party has enabled the Government to hold the fort.

ARMY WORM APPEARS IN KENT COUNTY

Much Damage Already Reported to the Bean Crop.

[Canadian Press.] Chatham, Ont., July 26.—The appearance of the army worm in Kent County has caused much uneasiness. Much damage is already reported to the bean crop.

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PEASANTS FIND MILLIONS

St. Petersburg, July 25.—While some peasants were digging in a field in the village of Malai recently they unearthed an old chest containing treasure to the value of \$500,000. The treasure was in gold and silver coins of the fourth century and several gold and silver vessels. One of these was a large dish of Damascened gold with a richly embossed rim encircled with precious stones. A Latin inscription shows that this dish was at one time in the possession of a bishop who lived in the eleventh century. A similar dish was embossed with the image of Sapor II, a Persian monarch of the fourth century. Other articles were eleven solid gold cups.

The laborers kept the treasure in a cottage for a long time, thinking it was brass and lead. It was through their efforts to make a bargain with the owner of the field on their own valuation that the true worth of the metal in the chest was discovered. The estimate of valuation placed on the treasure is only what it would bring as bullion, and not what it would bring in the world's great market for antiquities.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE CALLED TO LEARN CANADA'S POLICY

Premier Asquith Hopes That Next Meeting an Agreement Will Be Reached With Premier Borden as to Naval Situation—Work of Imperial Defence Committee.

London, July 25.—Speaking in the House of Commons today on the estimates for the committee on imperial defence, Rt. Hon. Mr. Asquith, prime minister, made an important statement. Reviewing the composition and the work of the committee since the vote was last discussed in the House of Commons, he said that the committee had had upon at least two occasions the opportunity for showing the elasticity of its composition. Last year they had the pleasure of summoning the premiers of all the self-governing dominions to their meeting, and he did not think there ever was a more significant or more momentous occasion. The second occasion was when the Right Hon. Mr. Borden, Premier of Canada, and his colleagues attended the meeting last week. He was glad to say that they would attend again next week, and he hoped they would arrive at some satisfactory agreement.

In Constant Session. Dealing with the work of the committee, he said there were four permanent sub-committees which were practically in constant session. The first was the home ports committee. It had sent not less than 25 reports to the main committee, which received the approval of the admiralty and the war office, and to

the majority of these reports effect had already been given. These reports referred to the best means of providing for the defence of all vulnerable points around our shores. The second sub-committee was the overseas committee, which had to deal with a large number of matters concerning the defence not only of the crown colonies, Egypt and India. The third sub-committee was appointed last year, and he attached the greatest importance to it. It was a sub-committee for co-ordination of departmental action upon the outbreak of war. It had already compiled a war book which definitely assigned to each department the responsibility for action under the head of war policy.

The fourth sub-committee was called the air committee. It dealt with all matters of aerial navigation, both military and naval. Other temporary sub-committees were constantly sitting to deal with various matters, among which he mentioned internal transportation, overseas transportation, and wireless telegraphy throughout the empire. Mr. Asquith affirmed that this committee had no influence on policy, and although it did not determine policy, its conclusions were necessarily governed by reference to our international relations.

lois, yet remain to be dealt with, and it was essential to secure as veterinary director-general a man whose scientific equipment would enable him to handle this and other problems in a manner which their importance demanded.

Studied at McGill. Dr. Torrance, after obtaining his B.A. at McGill University, spent a year at the Ontario Agricultural College. He then attended the Montreal Veterinary College, taking the V. S. of that institution, and later D. V. S. of the McGill faculty of comparative medicine. Going west soon afterwards, he engaged in veterinary practice in Brandon, Man., and for some years held the position of district veterinarian under the Provincial Government. In 1897 he moved to Winnipeg, where he built up a large practice, and when the Agricultural College of Manitoba was organized he was appointed lecturer in veterinary science, and subsequently was made professor, a position which he has held up to the present time.

Dr. Torrance has taken a keen interest in the advancement of the profession. He was one of the first members of the Veterinary Association of Manitoba and has held the position of secretary-treasurer and registrar for ten years. He is also a member of the American Veterinary Medical Association, the largest organization of its kind in the world, and has been one of its vice-presidents. He is also a member of the International Commission on Bovine Tuberculosis. He has also been for many years veterinary editor of some of the prominent agricultural papers of the country.

For the present, Dr. Torrance will be live stock commissioner as well as veterinary director-general, but in view of the importance of each of these branches of the service it is the intention of the minister to separate the offices this year.

TORRANCE SUCCEEDS DR. RUTHERFORD

Winnipeg Man Appointed Veterinary Director-General by Dominion Government.

HAS A WIDE EXPERIENCE

Live Stock and Veterinary Departments Are To Be Separated in the Future.

Ottawa, July 25.—The Government has decided to fill the position of veterinary director-general by the appointment of Dr. Fred Torrance, of Winnipeg. Since the resignation of Dr. J. G. Rutherford, on March 31 last, the Hon. Martin Burrell has had under consideration the question of finding a thoroughly competent successor. Dr. Rutherford was a man of exceptional attainments, and rendered great service to the department during his tenure of office. Many of the grave problems affecting the health of animals and the live stock interests of Canada had been resolutely and successfully attended. Some large questions affecting the national health, like that of bovine tuberculosis,

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EXETER PEOPLE WELL PLEASED

Four Churches Held Delightful Outing at Springbank Park Yesterday.

SPORTS WERE EXCELLENT

Baseball Game Had To Be Cancelled, But All the Other Events Were Carried Out.

The picnic held under the auspices of the four churches of Exeter, yesterday at Springbank Park, was the most successful ever held by them. They arrived by special train in the morning, eight hundred strong, and the majority at once proceeded to the riverside park, where they proceeded to make amusement reign supreme. It was picnic weather, and the holiday-makers took full advantage of this, with the result the outing was voted to be the best ever held. The picnic is generally held to Grand Bend, the summer resort of Exeter, but the change this year delighted many, and disappointed none.

A baseball game was scheduled for the morning, but, owing to the absence of many of the players, this had to be cancelled. Dinner was served in the pavilion in picnic style, and in the afternoon a splendid program of sports was run off. Contests were exciting and every muscle had to be extended to win a victory in the foot-races.

Were Well Pleased. Rev. Mr. McAllister, one of the visiting clergy, and a former pastor of the Centennial Church, London, expressed great pleasure at the success of the day. "We have enjoyed the park, and have spent a most pleasant day in the city," said Mr. McAllister. "Everything is of such a quality that it is sure to leave a lasting impression, and we will certainly return home in a very happy frame of mind."

Rev. Mr. Powell, also, had handsome bouquets to throw at London. "We have been delighted with your city, and especially with your pretty park. The grass is much more abundant here than it is at Grand Bend, where our picnics are generally held, and I am safe in saying that all have enjoyed themselves immensely."

After the races and tug-of-war, supper was served in the pavilion. Addressed were said to the park, and the visitors departed for the depot, taking the 8:30 train for home.

Some of the Visitors. Among the visitors were the following: Reverends Collins, Sharp, Powell and McAllister, the ministers of the four churches; J. A. Harvey, F. W. and Mrs. Gladwin, J. H. and Mrs. Scott, Dr. Roulston, M. J. Southcott, M. Dyer Hurton, Rev. Mr. Kestle, Thos. Harton and wife, T. H. McCallum, Sam. Martin, A. Ford, C. Sweet, Ed. Treble and wife, Jos. Harvey, A. Spencer and wife, W. J. Strathum and wife, Mrs. McDonald and daughter, C. Gorvett and wife, Geo. Metcalf and wife, R. Harvey and wife, J. McCullough.

The Sports. Following are the names of the winners of the races for the handsome cash prizes were awarded: Race, under 8 years—Boys—W. Webster, M. Coates, L. Statham. Girls—V. Coates, A. Fisher, G. Dew. Race, under 12 years—Boys—W. Haines, C. Davis, O. Davis. Girls—G. Harvey, B. Gould, I. Bowie. Race, under 15 years—Boys—O. Davis, W. Haines, G. Davis. Girls—C. Harper, A. B. Coates. Wheel-barrow race—A. Rowcliffe and F. Knight, E. Anderson and J. Davis. One-legged race—E. Appleton, E. Anderson, W. Haines. Ladies, throwing the baseball—Miss A. Handford, Miss E. Parson, Miss Bowie.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. W. Coates, Mrs. Dugman. 100-yard dash—H. Snell, A. Dayman, W. Dayman. Married men's race—W. J. Statham, Dr. Roulston, A. Dayman. Clergymen and supernumeraries race—Rev. McAllister, Mr. J. Harvey, Mr. J. Scott. Three-legged race—G. Smallcombe and A. Johns, Dr. Roulston and M. Southcott. The tug-of-war, which took place between the men of St. James' Church, against a joint team from the other churches, was won by the latter. The winning side was composed of: Ford, Statham, Spencer, Scott, Harton and Harvey. The men representing St. James' Church were: Messrs. Treble, Sweet, Richards, G. Snell, J. Snell, Shapton and Ford.

SOUTHERN KILLING FANS OLD FEUD

Prominent Democrat of Jonesville, Va., Slain by Republican Leader.

[Canadian Press.] Jonesville, Va., July 25.—The killing of Dr. James W. Walden, a prominent Democrat, last night by Perry Wallin, a Republican leader, has fanned a smoldering political feud in the Blackwater district to a threatened outbreak. All through the mountain district the clans are lining up.

The trial of 200 mountaineers charged with trespassing, is causing the local authorities to make preparations for the protection of the court and jury. They fear an outbreak paralleling the tragedy.

Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner—cure indigestion—improve the complexion—brighten the eyes. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

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SMALLMAN & INGRAM.

STORE CLOSING AT 5 O'CLOCK.

Final Clearing of Ladies' Tailored Suits 67 Suits at Half-Price Saturday \$14.75 to \$38.50 Suits for \$7.38 to \$19.25

Every Suit a new style this season, and many in this assortment have not before had the price altered. Some have been lowered slightly to fill in with popular-priced lines when sizes were broken as the season advanced. But now in order to make a speedy clearance, every Suit is reduced, and every reduction is a clean half-price cut.

The materials include the very best worsteds, tweeds and whipcords in the very newest tones and color mixtures, grays, fawns, etc., such as will serve you on your vacation and for early fall wear. The suit is the most needed outfit this summer at the lakeside or on your vacation owing to the unusually cool weather, and here is an exceptional opportunity for those who have not purchased this season, and also many who may want a fresh outfit for going away. 67 of the newest and most desirable styles at half price. Every Suit this season's tailoring.

We cannot describe every style, as some are single Suits, some two or three of a line, a handsome assortment collectively. We will give prices in detail and roughly mention a few styles.

4 Suits, regular \$28.50, half-price	\$14.25
4 Suits, regular \$29.00, half-price	\$14.50
1 Suit, regular \$37.50, half-price	\$18.75
1 Suit, regular \$38.50, half-price	\$19.25
18 Suits, regular \$14.75, half-price	\$7.38
6 Suits, regular \$15.00 to \$19.50, half-price	\$7.50 to \$9.75
1 Suit, regular \$20.00, half-price	\$10.00
4 Suits, regular \$23.50, half-price	\$11.75
23 Suits, regular \$25.00, half-price	\$12.50
5 Suits, regular \$27.50, half-price	\$13.75
1 only fancy stripe worsted, 3-button cutaway, broadcloth trimmed, regular \$18.50. Sale price	\$19.25
4 only gray worsted, two-button cutaway, satin rever, messaline lining; regular \$28.00. Sale price	\$14.00

COME EARLY SATURDAY FOR YOUR CHOICE OF THESE—SECOND FLOOR.

Saturday Towel Day in July Linen Sale

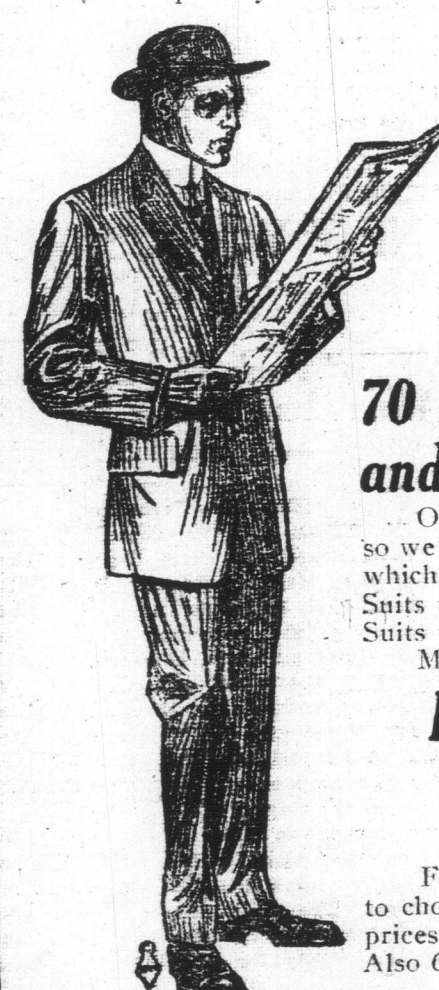
We have made preparations on a large scale for a great Towel and Towelling Sale Saturday, and judging by the values the last days of this July Linen Sale will be the greatest of the month. Replenish your stock of Towels and Towelling Saturday and save money on every purchase you make.

July Sale Hand Towels

Plain hem, red or white borders, good quality huckaback. Size 18x34, at 12½c each, or \$1.45 dozen. Size 18x36, at 13c each, or \$1.56 dozen. Size 18x36, at 18c each, or \$2.00 dozen. Size 18x38, at 22c each, or \$2.50 dozen. GLASS TOWELS—25 dozen pure linen, hemmed ready for use, free from loose lint, size 22x30. 15c each, or \$1.65 dozen. KITCHEN TOWELLING—Linen crash for roller towels, all pure linen, 17½-inch width, yard 12½c. Made up ready for use free during July sale.

Three Specials in Huckaback

Pure linen, good weight, soft finish, specially priced; 18, 24 and 27 inch width, at yard 20c, 25c and 30c. HUCKABACK TOWEL LENGTHS—Pure linen, 27-inch width in 45-inch lengths. A beautiful assortment of unfinished towel lengths, some have damask borders all around with space for initials and plain ends for embroidering or scalloping. Specially priced at each 50c. DAMASK BORDERED TOWELS—25 dozen Hemstitched Damask Bordered Towels, large size, heavy soft huck, pure linen. Special July sale 50c each, or \$5.50 dozen.



Men's Black and Navy Suits of Best Style and Value

The world's best clothing for men at the lowest possible prices consistent with high-class tailoring and dependable materials. The best styles and the best values in London or anywhere in Canada or America. That is the opinion we have of the Suits we sell, and also the opinion of scores of men who buy their clothes at this men's store.

70 Men's Black and Navy Suits to Clear Saturday, \$9.95 and \$15.00. Suits Worth \$15.00 and Up to \$22.00.

Our wardrobes are full of Black and Navy Suits, which must be sold to make room for fall stocks, so we have laid out 70 Suits for Saturday, up-to-date styles in good English serges, black or navy, in which first buyers Saturday may save from \$5.50 to \$7.00 on a suit. Suits worth up to \$22.00, sizes 33 to 44, Saturday \$15.00. Suits worth up to \$15.00, sizes 33 to 40, Saturday \$9.95. Mail orders filled and personally selected while the sizes last.

Every Straw Hatless Man Should Buy Saturday

6 Dozen Straw Sailors, Saturday 39c Each. Balance of Panamas to Clear at \$2.95

Follow the army of comfort lovers to this men's store Saturday morning. Better selection and more to choose from in this year's clean-up than in other years, owing to the cool summer, and for this reason prices are cut lower. See the Panamas. Only a few left, Saturday \$2.95. Also 6 dozen Men's and Boys' Straw Sailors to clear, at each 39c. Early in the morning for the choice of these.

Sale of Men's Summer Half-Hose

All Summer Half-Hose are now on sale at about half price. A great assortment of Lisle Half-Hose in all the best colors, including tan and black, divided into three lots and priced exceptionally low; some at half price. LOT I.—Men's Lisle Half-Hose, regular 40c and 50c pair. Sale price 4 pairs for \$1.00. LOT II.—Men's Lisle and Silk Lisle Half-Hose, regular 35c pair. Sale price 5 pairs for 95c. LOT III.—Men's Black Fine Cotton Half-Hose, fast color (Hermesdorf dye), regular 25c lines. Sale price 3 pairs for 50c.

Buttered Toast With Marmalade and Cup of Tea or Coffee, 10c.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

ALL SUMMER PARASOLS. Up to \$3.00, for \$1.39. Up to \$5.00, for \$2.49.

at Hillsville last March, when, with the exception of one man, the entire human fabric of the court was wiped out. Judge Skeen today got a message from the mountains, reading: "There are 38 in our party. Before we will submit to going to jail we will die and go to hell."

FREIGHT HANDLERS OUT AT DULUTH

Ten Boats Awaiting To Be Unloaded Owing to Strike. [Canadian Press.] Duluth, Minn., July 26.—The strike of freight handlers continues to tie up package freight boats in the Duluth harbor. Only a third of the 300 men who went on strike Wednesday were at work today. The Northern Pacific yesterday offered \$2½ cents for labor on the docks, but there were few takers. The steamers Rochester, Northern Wave and Moorea, arrived yesterday, and there are now ten boats waiting to be unloaded. The strikers ask 35 cents an hour. SKIFF OVERTURNED. Conneaut Lake, Pa., July 26.—Three persons were drowned in the lake here last night, when the skiff in which they were seated was overturned. Only one of the victims has been identified. His name is W. M. King. The other two victims were women.

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SOLITAIRE. (Milwaukee Sentinel.) She was a coy and ancient maid Who once was fair, And through the dismal hours she played At solitaire. To hold a hand, she thought, was grand, But, all alone, The only time she held a hand It was her own.

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1912.

Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Advertisements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

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Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent per word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent a word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

PINK—Suddenly, this city, on July 25, 1912, Gordon Hamilton, dearly beloved and youngest child of Christopher J. and Lillian Pink, aged 2 years, 3 months and 14 days.

Funeral from the parents' residence, on Sunday, July 28, at 3 o'clock; friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

Baseball, Saturday

JULY 27—DOUBLE-HEADER.

ST. THOMAS VS. LONDON

2:30 and 4 p.m.

One price of admission to both games.

SOCIAL ORDER OF MOOSE.

CARNIVAL AND CONVENTION

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13 shows on Market Square, Masquerade Parade every evening. Lots of fun. Everybody come. Reduced rates on all railroads.

551-22XV

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Engagements accepted for garden parties and social functions. Phone 31, Ring 3, Byron; or address Tambling's Corners, Ont.

2717

Duluth, \$28.00

Port Huron to Duluth and return, including meals and berth on boat and in Duluth.

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Richelle and Ontario lines, Hamilton and Toronto, to Montreal, Quebec, Saginaw, Ontario and Quebec lines, Toronto to Montreal, steamer Quebec. Inland lines steamer Dundas.

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416 RICHMOND STREET, Next Bank of Commerce, London.

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\$2.00, London to Detroit and return, every Saturday and Sunday. Low rates daily to Detroit, Cleveland, Toledo, via the beautiful St. Clair River route, steamers Tashmoo and City of Toledo. The ideal route for comfort. F. B. CLARKE, 416 Richmond Street, next to Bank of Commerce, London.

\$28.00 Duluth

Excursion, Port Huron to Duluth and return, via the St. Clair River route, Steamship Company, including meals and berth on board and in Duluth. F. B. CLARKE, agent, 416 Richmond Street, next to Bank of Commerce, London.

SWIMMING PLUNGE AT MINERAL

Baths, open every afternoon and evening. Ladies Monday morning, 10c.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES

Balls, banquets, Phone 1266, Tony Vito's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's Avenue.

MONTREAL

And St. Lawrence Ports.

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Sails from Hamilton and Toronto every Saturday. Meals and berths included in fares.

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PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—PRIV

ATE lessons any hour. Competent, experienced teachers. "Bossy" terms. Orchestra furnished for picnics, garden parties, etc. Phone Dayton & McCormick.

WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT BY AUG. 10—MODERN two-story brick, \$20, \$25 north and preferred. Address Box 39, Advertiser.

68c

SWILL FROM HOTELS, BOARDING houses, restaurants and clubs. Box 43, Advertiser.

6c-viv

WANTED—FARM TO RENT, WITH OPTION to purchase, dwelling house and outbuildings, 100 acres or over. Box 45, Advertiser.

68c-viv

WANTED—TWO OR THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, north end of city preferred; state terms, etc., to Box 46, Advertiser.

68c

GENTLEMAN WANTS CLEAN, bright room and board; central. Box 35, Advertiser.

68c

FIFTY TO SIXTY-SIX FOOT LOT wanted in neighborhood of Sunshine Park; state lowest cash price. Box 37, Advertiser.

661f

WANTED—DEAD HORSES AND CATTLE. Phone 633. Will give twelve miles. No animal removed without its sale on The London Fertilizer Company. 921f

633

PLAIN SEWING OR DRESSMAKING wanted by the day. A. V. 37 Grosvenor street.

63n

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. No. 4, Delaware, holding second class certificate, duties to commence Sept. 1; salary, \$500. Apply, stating qualifications, to George B. Tilden, Lambeth, Ont.

68c

TEACHER WANTED IN S. S. No. 14, Enniskillen Township; duties commence after summer vacation. Apply, stating salary wanted, to Thomas Dobson, Petrolia, Ont.

68n

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. No. 10, London Township; duties to commence Sept. 3. Apply, stating salary and experience, to John B. Reilly, DeWizes, Ont.

68n

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. No. 8, teaching to begin after summer holidays; 14 miles from Dashedwood; salary about \$500. Apply Otto Miller, secretary, Dashedwood, Ont.

68n

TEACHER WANTED FOR NO. 1, EKFRID. Address, stating salary and certificate, to D. C. Fletcher, Mayfair, Ont.

611f

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—POSITION OF TRUST BY elderly lady. Address Box 47, Advertiser.

68c

MEETINGS.

LONDON COUNCIL, No. 223, ROYAL Arcadium, will meet this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. Samuel M. Jepson, secretary.

CARPENTERS WELCOMED IN OUR brotherhood—Special and important meeting on Friday, July 26, Carling block, Richmond street. Carriage builders, cabinetmakers and machine workers eligible. United we stand, divided we fall. 67n

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED BY WHOLESALE FIRM—Young man as ledgerkeeper, with practical knowledge of double entry; quick, accurate and good penman. Address, stating references, Box 48, Advertiser.

68n

BOYS WANTED—APPLY STEVENSON Bros. & Baker, 115 Carling street. 68n

YOUNG MAN FROM HIGH SCHOOL to learn freight and passenger work; good wages. Apply M. C. R. 68n

YOUNG MAN WANTED TO DO COLLECTING and generally useful around clothing store; references required; state salary expected. Apply Box 44, Advertiser.

68n

WANTED—FIREMAN FOR TRACTION engine, C. Summer, lot 19, con. 1, Westminster. Baling P. O. 67c

67c

BOY TO BEGIN AT \$4. W. E. SAUNDERS, 352 Clarence.

671f

SMART YOUTH, ABOUT 16 YEARS old. Apply Special Order Department, Greene-Swift, Limited.

66c

LABORERS WANTED TO WORK ON foundations. Apply John Nutkins & Son, corner Queen's Avenue and Adelaide. Phone 1126.

66c

WANTED AT ONCE—PORTER. APPLY City Hotel.

66k

OFFICE BOY WANTED BY WHOLESALE firm; must be steady and industrious; state age. Box 36, Advertiser.

66c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO WORK IN shop, Saturdays. The Wm. Davies Company.

66c

GOOD CARPENTER WANTED. APPLY 133 John, or phone 3733.

66c

EXPERIENCED CANVASSER, WITH gift; straight salary; references. Apply P. O. Box 531 X, city.

641f

BOY WANTED FOR CIGAR STORE—Must be 17 years old. Apply National Cigar Store.

641f

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS ALL-ROUND butcher, strictly sober; state salary and good job for right man. John B. Baird, Alvinston.

64bu

BLACKSMITH OR HELPER WANTED—Good wages for suitable man. Apply J. Drysdale, Fernhill P. O.

64n

BOYS CAN MAKE GOOD WAGES AT McCormick's. See Timekeeper.

621f

BREAD BAKER WANTED. APPLY Dean & Co., 573 Richmond street.

601f

BOYS WANTED. APPLY TO ADAM Beck, 172 Albert street.

251f

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GIRLS WANTED

For Biscuit and Candy Departments. Light Work. Good Wages. Apply D. S. PERCHETT, Limited.

681f

SIX GOOD GIRLS WANTED—STEADY employment; good wages. Apply London Boat Works.

68c

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL and chambermaid, at once. Apply London House.

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DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED. APPLY Duke of York Hotel.

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LADY STENOGRAPHER WANTED. BETWEEN 18 AND 20. Apply W. J. Wray & Co.

641f

PLAIN AND FANCY IRONERS WANTED. ED. Apply Parsian Steam Laundry.

67c

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL work; small family; no washing. Apply 412 Dufferin.

67c

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL AND WOMAN by the day, laundress. Apply Stewardess, Victoria Hospital.

63n

WANTED—GIRL FOR STORE. ONE who is accurate in figures; state salary and good work need apply. Dean & Co., 573 Richmond street.

641f

GIRLS WANTED

Can earn \$5 per week to start. Short hours. Apply THE McCORMICK MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

321f

GIRLS WANTED—CLEAN, STEADY. APPLY to Adam Beck, 173 Albert street.

251f

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—A GOOD BUSINESS, DEALING in bicycles, motorcycles, tires and accessories; reason for selling, owner going west; good chance for right man. Apply Box 40, Advertiser.

67n

BARBER SHOP FOR SALE—CHEAP IF sold at once; good business; cause, ill health. Apply Mell Clunas, Springfield, Ont.

65n

CONTENTS OF FIRST-CLASS BOARDING house, having thirteen bedrooms, for sale; cheap for cash. 43n

43n

SASKATOON PROPERTY OWNERS, attention!—We buy and sell Saskatoon property, also wild and improved farm lands. Write us for information regarding Saskatoon and district. Fletcher & Murray, Profitable Investments, P.O. Box 1661, Saskatoon, Sask. Reference, Union Bank of Canada, Saskatoon.

Aug. 16

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—BRINDLED ENGLISH BULLDOG; four white feet, white on face and chest; name, "Buster." Reward, 786 Hill street.

68c

LOST—FOXTERRIER, LARGE BROWN spot on left shoulder, brown markings on head; answers to name of "Spot." tag 681. Reward on return to Hon. C. Hyman, Grand avenue.

68c

LOST, ON QUEEN'S PARK, OR CENTRAL, a Black lace scarf, white lining. Kindly return to this office.

67c

LOST—PAIR RIMLESS EYEGLASSES in case. Reward at Tip-Top Cap Company, Greene-Swift, or 43 Tecumseh avenue.

66c

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING—Thorough work. George Florry, 256 Grosvenor street. Phone 3856.

3856

PARNELL MORRIS, TENOR—CONCERT, recitals. Phone 1561.

1561

THE LONDON MALE QUARTETTE—Concert engagements. Phone 3336.

3336

Floyd McPhail, 9 Grafton street.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE.

A NUMBER OF SECOND-HAND PHILCO CO. Box 42, Advertiser. 68c-viv

WILLIAMS UPRIGHT PIANO, AT A bargain; perfect condition; very little used. A. Morphy & Co., 178 Dundas street.

67f

PRIVATE SALE—QUARTERED OAK pedestal dining-table, centre table, parlor and dining-room rugs, Art Garden baseboard, Happy Thought range, gas plate, bedroom furniture, other household goods. 186 Richmond street. 63c-tv

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Bicycle and Motor Sales Co. 397 Clarence St. zvv Sole Agents.

450 MASON & RISCH UPRIGHT piano, slightly used; sale price, \$300 to quick buyer; owner going west. Box 38, this office.

66c

MILLER, DUBRUL AND PETERS molds, ten bunch, for sale; nearly new. Apply Brenner Bros., 184-190 Horton street.

66c

ONE MEDIUM SIZED SOLID OAK roll-top desk, one solid oak typewriter desk, ten Apply Webster-Harvey, Limited.

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SECOND-HAND DELIVERY WAGONS of all kinds, also heavy farm wagon gear. Gould & Mohan, Wellington street.

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STEEL RODS, WITH CORK GRIP, guaranteed, \$1.50 each. Gurd's, 185 Dundas street.

66c

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Undoubtedly the best floor varnish on the market. Stains and finishes at the same time. For use on either new or old floors, hard or soft woods. By the use of our under-coat, old dark floors can be transformed into beautiful oaks, cherry, mahogany or walnut. Flintcoat produces a durable, tough and elastic surface that cannot be obtained in any other way. It is just the thing for wallcoating, doors, screens and furniture. It will not crack, mar or chip off. Dries hard over night. For sale at

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ON JUNE 1, ONN'S FISH MARKET will be opposite old stand, 143 King. Phone 1286.

LADIES' AND MEN'S READY-MADE clothing; also ready-made furnishings of latest style and quality; prices and terms reasonable. M. Hornstein, 289 South street, phone 1771.

GREAT REDUCTION SALE OF FINE second-hand pianos during balance of this month. Splendid quality, guaranteed five years, at \$50, \$75, \$90 and \$100, payable 50 to 75 cents per week. Call quick. Heintzman & Co., 242 Dundas street.

681f

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DR. WEEKS' OFFICE WILL BE closed till about August 14.

511f

DR. J. CAMERON WILSON—OFFICE and residence, 260 Queen's avenue. Phone 386.

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DR. F. P. DRAKE—SPECIALITY, DISEASES of stomach and digestive system. Office, 371 Wellington street.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, JULY 26.

THE SUFFRAGETTES.

The friends of woman suffrage have need of the philosopher's maxim: "Don't be alienated from a good cause by the conduct of extremists." Mrs. Fawcett, one of the most intellectual leaders of the movement, has issued a sorrowful protest against the recent tactics of the militant wing, which she holds responsible for the defeat of the woman suffrage bill in the House of Commons a few weeks ago. Her letter has brought an angry reply from the Women's Social and Political Union, Mrs. Pankhurst's organization, but the facts are on Mrs. Fawcett's side. With such powerful champions as Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Lloyd George taking the platform for a sweeping woman's franchise measure, the triumph of the cause seemed assured up to the moment of the widow-smashing campaign directed by the W. S. P. U. For once the Union showed no method in its madness. The outbreak was stupid and incredibly ill-timed. It caused a revulsion of public sentiment which has been aggravated by successive acts of violence. Hitherto physical force tactics have been planned at headquarters, but lawlessness is getting out of hand. The arrest of the officers of the Union on the charge of conspiracy has made them chary of further concerted action, but suffragettes on their own initiative are becoming increasingly desperate in their pursuit of the members of the Government. Attempts have been made to burn down the historic home of Colonial Secretary Harcourt. The Prime Minister has been so often attacked of late that Scotland Yard has provided a guard for his house and a bodyguard for himself, which was even detailed to protect him when he attended his niece's wedding. It is feared that the hysteria of these women will culminate in a tragedy.

When the manhood suffrage bill comes before the House in the autumn an adult suffrage amendment will be moved which would have the effect of enfranchising 10,000,000 women. Few woman suffragists have any hope of its adoption, though it had bright prospects before the militants began their last crusade. Its defeat in the House of Commons would shelve the question for some years so far as Parliament is concerned, as the House of Lords would have power to veto any legislation which failed to pass the lower chamber during the present session. This may be the signal for unprecedented violence on the part of the militants, but they would have themselves to blame for the setback given the cause. They helped to bring the issue forward with a rush into practical politics, but they "didn't know when to stop."

A SERIOUS IMPUTATION.

The Regina Leader throws a grave imputation on the personal and public integrity of Hon. Robert Rogers. It publishes a rumor that Mr. Rogers is interested in a Winnipeg subdivision and tried to persuade Major Leonard, chairman of the National Transcontinental Railway Commission, to locate the Transcontinental tracks through or near this property. Major Leonard's refusal to comply is alleged by the Leader to be the motive of an attack upon him by the Winnipeg Telegram, a newspaper controlled by Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Rogers cannot afford to let this story go unanswered. Neither can the Government.

ONE HOPE FOR PEACE.

Lord Rosebery, in welcoming the delegates of the Imperial Press Conference three years ago, declared that the European powers were "rattling into barbarism," and that apparently the only hope of staying the ruinous competition of armaments was an international alliance of the working classes to put an end to war. The leader of the British Labor party, Ramsay MacDonald, has just echoed this statement in the House of Commons. He urged that accredited representatives of the British and German workers get together and agree upon a plan for bringing pressure upon the Governments of the two countries. International action of some sort is the only means of redress. Even the eminent pacifist, Mr. Norman Angell, whose book, "The Great Illusion," has profoundly moved European opinion and riddled every argument for war, confesses that mutual disarmament will come only by mutual agreement.

Are the classes in Great Britain and Germany, as distinct from the masses, content to let the workingmen have a monopoly of peace-making endeavor of practical Christianity? In both countries the Labor parties are the only anti-organism parties. In spite of a Jingo campaign on the part of the German Government, directed against the anti-militarism of the Social Democrats, the latter enormously increased their voting strength

in the recent election. It is well to remember this when politicians talk of "the German menace." It means only the ingrained militarism of the Prussian "Junkers," or squires, who are able to control German policy through an obsolete system of government which the rising tide of democracy is surely sweeping away. They have their counterpart in the British Jingo who parade the German bogey for party purposes, regardless of German sensibilities. It looks as though the masses in both countries would have to take heroic measures to bring the classes to reason, and the sooner they begin their "hands across the sea" performance the better for the world.

THAT \$30,000,000.

The London Daily Mail says it is an open secret that the Borden Government is prepared to give the admiralty \$30,000,000 to build three Dreadnoughts.

This is only a guess, but it is probably within a few millions of the mark. Mr. Borden has implied something of the kind in his speeches, and has allowed the First Lord of the Admiralty to encourage the expectation. There is no justification for such an outlay at the expense of the Canadian navy project. Thirty million dollars would lay the foundation of a powerful Canadian shipbuilding industry, as Mr. Borden promised they would be created by Canadian expenditure for naval purposes. The money so spent upon Canadian ships would be more useful to the Empire than if sent abroad to swell the British Dreadnought flotilla beyond the margin of safety which the British Government has already provided for without Canada's aid. We want a Canadian squadron, ready to co-operate with Australia in Pacific waters, thus relieving the mother country of that responsibility. We want Canadian cruisers to patrol and protect the Atlantic trade routes. These are the functions which the First Lord of the Admiralty himself says colonial navies should perform. These plans are to be indefinitely retarded, while the Canadian Government throws upon the mother country the expense of maintaining superfluous Dreadnoughts in the North Sea.

Bryan's part in the presidential campaign will be to follow the Bull Moose. The American electors may have to lay in a stock of ear pads.

J. P. Morgan has returned to the United States after seven months' absence, and the continent tipped as he put his foot on the shore of Manhattan.

Lord Curzon says that a century hence there will be not ten but hundreds of universities in the British Empire. The Ontario educational monopolists should take notice.

Mr. Lemieux, in rebuking Mr. Bourassa, says that not 500 French-Canadians would vote for union with the United States. They know it would throw them into "The Melting Pot."

Mr. Asquith, echoing Sir Edward Grey, says that "our relations with the great German Empire are relations of amity and goodwill." Who knows better than the British Prime Minister and the British Foreign Secretary?

The Industrial Workers of the World have produced a strike on the G. T. P. and threaten to tie up the mountain section. Compared with some phases of the proletarian revolt the world over, employers must begin to recognize that the average trade union is a pretty conservative institution.

The Asquith Government has just escaped defeat by a margin of three votes. Of course, it was a "snap" vote, an Opposition trap more nearly successful than the one described by T. P. O'Connor in last Saturday's Advertiser. But it is a Government's business, to beware of tricks. A succession of these incidents will seriously impair its prestige in the country.

HOME STUDY.

Knicker—Your girls going traveling this summer?
Bocker—No, they will stay at home and make a porch campaign.

THE BUFFALO COIN.

On the nickel, how should go, though the thing may sound absurd, Every man will want a herd.

NOT SURE EVEN OF THE LEADER.

"Good morning, Mr. Duff," said the reporter. "Is it?" inquired the minister of agriculture. "I'll have to ask Sir James Whitney first."

THE GOLFER'S PROBLEM.

Gold has succeeded only too well with many busy men; it has saved them, and now they are devoted to it, so that their problem, if they were to bother with it, would be how a fit man may become a busy one again.

SLANDERING CANADA.

It is slandering Canada to represent this country as roaring for a tax on the bread of the English poor, and calling that belligerent demand by the name of Imperialism. Wealthy tax-dodgers in England may seek to shift the burden of taxation from their huge estates to the necessities of life for the people. But Canada is not asking for a share of the plunder.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST FLEET.

The number of ships of all classes at the naval review at Spithead, according to the official chart, is 223. Their total tonnage is 1,344,003, and they cost \$212,000,000 to build. The largest ship present—and the largest warship in the world—is the battleship cruiser Lion, which is 600 feet long and displaces 18,350 tons. For speed the record is held by the destroyer Tartar, which has done over 40 knots. The Lion, with over 21 knots, is the fastest armored vessel in the world. There are in the home

ports 9 battleships, 43 cruisers, and over 100 torpedo craft besides those present at the review. Ninety-three of the ships are driven by turbines and 51 burn only oil fuel.

There were 109 ships assembled for Queen Victoria's Jubilee review, 165 for the Diamond Jubilee, 125 for King Edward's coronation, and 169 for King George's coronation. There are 223 at Spithead today.

There are 18 Dreadnoughts, 31 pre-Dreadnought battleships, and 24 pre-Dreadnought armored cruisers at Spithead. The next strongest Dreadnought power is Germany, with 21. The number of guns of 12-inch calibre and over in the fleet is 286. The corresponding number for France, Russia, Germany, Italy and Austria combined is 153, but Germany has 122 11-inch guns in addition.

HAPPY THOUGHT.

[Woman's Home Companion.]
What a handsome lot of people there would be if we all looked like our pictures.

WHAT CAUSED THE DISASTER?

[Vancouver Province.]
Haultain between two opinions led to the downfall of the leader of the Opposition in Saskatchewan.

PUFF FOR DER KAISER.

[Lord Haldane.]
The German Emperor was something more than emperor. He was a great man. He was gifted from the gods with the highest gift they could give, and to express that he must use the German word. He was a guide in the highest degree. He was a true leader of his people—a leader in spirit as well as in deed. He had guided them through nearly a quarter of a century, and had preserved unbroken peace.

In every direction his activities had been remarkable. He had given his country a splendid fleet, which we who knew something about fleets, admired. He had preserved the traditions of the greatest army the world had ever seen; and in the arts of peace he had been equally great. He had been a leader of his people in education and in great social institutions.

NOT THE RIGHT JOB.

[Life.]
Ward Heeler—You promised me a job.
Mayor—Well, I told Commissioner Kelly to give you one.
Ward Heeler—But the guy wanted to put me to work.

DON QUIXOTE.

[By Austin Dobson.]
Behind thy pasteboard, on my battered back,
Thy lean cheek plastered to and fro,
Thy long spear leveled at the unseen foe,
And thy doubtful Sancho trudging at thy back,
Thou wert a figure strange enough, good back!

To make wisecracking, both high and low,
Rub purblind eye, and (having watched thee so)
Dispatch thy dogberry upon the track, Alas, poor knight!
Yet wouldst today, when courtesy grows chill,
And life's fine loyalties are turned to jest,
Some fire of thine might burn within us still!

Ah! would but one might lay his lance in rest,
And change in earnest—were it but a mill.

DID HIS BEST.

[Judge.]
Teacher—"Why, Willie, these problems are all wrong! What is the trouble?"
Willie—"I don't know. I worked awful hard before I could even get 'em wrong!"

NOT ALL THE SAME.

[Atlanta Constitution.]
An aviator's idea of being "held up" is radically different from that of the average autoist.

AT THE TEA.

[Harper's Bazar.]
Poet (dreamily)—Are you fond of Villon and Verlaine?
Healthful Girl—No. My only perfume is lavender water.

HARDER TASK.

[Louisville Courier Journal.]
The Portuguese royalists, again reported upon the warpath, get into the headlines about twice a month, but never into Portugal.

THE CONSISTENT POLICY.

[Windsor Record.]
If Mr. Borden is in close touch with the hearts and minds of the Canadian people he will not find it wise or expedient to make any radical changes in our present naval policy. We have Canadian soldiers and a Canadian militia. Should we not be consistent and have Canadian naval officers and men and a Canadian navy?

PREFER PAPER TO COIN.

[Toronto Star.]
The demand for Canadian gold coins is not heavy, most people preferring to take their chances with the five-dollar bill, which cannot be given away in mistake for a ten-cent piece.

HOW CONDESCENDING.

[Toronto Telegram.]
N. W. Rowell has Sir James P. Whitney's sympathy, and has said about all he'll ever succeed in getting from the Ontario leader.

AFFECTIONATE LETTER.

[Worth Half Million.]
Epistle Written by Winans Will Probably Bring Settlement of Estate.

New York, July 26.—A letter written by the late Rose R. Winans, in which he spoke in affectionate terms of his grandchildren, the son and daughter of Prince Henry De Bearn, secretary of the French legation at Peking, after he had made his will cutting off the grandchildren with nothing, may be worth \$500,000 to the children in the settlement of their grandfather's estate. The estate is now estimated at \$3,000,000.

About six weeks before his death, Mr. Winans' codicil, bequeathing \$500,000 to Miss Dorothy Bateman, a young woman who was kind to him at Newport last summer—\$50,000 to the lawyer who drew the will and \$200,000 in trust for his son, Thomas George Winans, who was named in the original will. Mr. Winans made no mention either in the will or codicil of Gaston and Beatrice De Bearn, the two children of his daughter, Beatrice and the Prince De Bearn. In case Mr. Winans had died intestate or his will were declared invalid, these children would get half the estate.

It was learned today that an offer of settlement has been made by the executor. It was learned today that an offer of settlement has also been made by the executor to the son, who has indicated that he is dissatisfied with the share left to him.

ROUSSEAU AND HIS WORK

[By Special Arrangement With the Winnipeg Telegram.]

Ever since the 200th anniversary of the birth of Jean Jacques Rousseau, who was born in Geneva on June 23, 1712, a furious discussion concerning his vices and virtues has been raging in the French press. The career and character of Rousseau certainly offer opportunity for controversy. Of all the influential sons of women this man seems one of the strangest in his life and temperament. He was born in Geneva, the son of a bad-tempered watchmaker. From his boyhood days he became a vagabond. Apprenticed first to a notary, then to an engraver, he subsequently drifted down to Italy, where he became a footman. After this he studied music and even taught the art in a desultory sort of way. For many years he led an aimless and immoral life. Until he was 32 years of age he was really a wanderer, living on his wits. We next find him in Paris, married to a servant girl. Although later on he produced a celebrated treatise on the education of children, a book which is still studied by pedagogues, it is characteristic of Rousseau that he sent his five children to the foundling hospital, as he and his wife could not be bothered with them. It was lucky for the children that they escaped from this precarious pair. For Rousseau was a very disagreeable person. When he became known to the literary circles of Paris through his association with Diderot, the editor of the celebrated encyclopedia, which did so much to hurry France towards the new thought, which culminated in the Revolution, Rousseau quarrelled with one friend after another, and showed himself to be a creature of moods and impulses and suspicions. As he grew older he became worse, and his whole character indicated that he was half mad. After he became famous as the author of those great works, "La Nouvelle Heloise," "Emile," the "Confessions," and the "Contrat Social," he proved even more intractable. He was driven from France, because of his heterodox opinions, and fled from country to country. The Scotch philosopher, David Hume, invited him over to England, and treated him very kindly, but received little thanks for his pains. When he got rid of the acid Frenchman he said of him that he was born "without a skin." His whole career, although lit up by literary successes, was sordid in the extreme, and it is thought that this emotional volcano perished by his own hand.

Half-mad, as he was, however, this father of Republicans was destined to be one of the great moving forces of modern times. He wrote the "Social Contract," which has been called the Bible of the French revolution. No one can estimate the wonderful influence of that document of radicalism with its famous opening sentence, "Man is born free, and everywhere he is in chains." In this work Rousseau pictured the happy condition of mankind in a state of nature and asserted the doctrine that it was the natural right of the people to set up or pull down governors. In the beginning, that is when mankind was in the state of nature, they simply made a contract with the first king to rule over them, making him the temporary repository of power, which, in reality, belonged to the people. Now this theory of politics was just what the oppressed people of France desired, and they proceeded to take back into their own hands this power of theirs, which had been so sorely abused by tyrannical kings. Hence, the orgies, which attended the birth of our modern world of seeming freedom; hence, the declaration in the American constitution that all men are born free and equal.

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CHAPMAN'S

New Idea Patterns at a uniform price, 10c each. Advance Fall Styles are here, also New Idea Fashion Magazines and Sheets, at pattern counter.

Summer Sale in Progress

The clearing sales now in progress in both stores present an exceptional opportunity for economical shopping.

239 DUNDAS STREET STORE

Kid Gloves, 98c Pair

Women's Wrist Length Kid Gloves, made in Luxembourg of real French kid. This glove of high quality is fully guaranteed and fitted. It is the best \$1.25 value. Buy for early fall now at a big price saving. Colors, tan, beaver, brown, slate, black; sizes 5 1/4 to 7 1/4. Per pair, sale price.....98c

Summer Corsets 50c

Made of special quality net, with reinforced skirt, rustproof boning and hose supporters attached, light and cool for comfort. A wonderful value, at a pair.....50c

American Lady Corsets

Every woman who wants comfort as well as style should try a pair of American Lady Corsets. Here is a special opportunity to buy them. Regular \$2.25 American Lady Corsets, in one of the new models. All sizes. Pair, sale price.....\$1.79

Whitewear Specials

NIGHT GOWNS, of white cambric, slip-over style, with yokes of lace or embroidery with ribbon run through.....59c

NIGHT GOWNS, of fine English cambric, square yoke of embroidery with insertion down to short sleeves.....98c

PETTICOATS, of fine cambric with 16-inch flounce of embroidery.....98c

DRAWERS, of white cambric, umbrella frill, with lace or embroidery trimming at.....35c

25c Day in Summer Hosiery

Women's Black Cotton Hose, fast color, Hermsdorf dye, with soles of Macco cotton, natural wool, black cashmere or self. Special, pair.....25c

Women's Black Cotton Hose, wide top, out sizes for large women. A pair.....25c

Women's Sheer Lisle Hose, black or tan, all sizes. A pair.....25c

Women's Lace Ankle Lisle Hose, in black, sky, white and tan, nice lace design. Special, a pair.....25c

Children's Ribbed Cotton Hose, both Rock Rib and Buster brands, in sizes 8 1/2 to 10. A pair.....25c

SWEATER COATS for cool evening wear. Women's and misses' sizes. Special, at each.....\$1.79

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Satin Berber Dress Goods 39c

A SPECIAL Saturday bargain in Dress Goods. 10 pieces of all-wool Satin Berber. A stylish satin-finished cloth, suitable for children's and ladies' dresses. In all the fashionable shades, light, medium and dark navy, Copenhagen, alic, brown, garnet, reseda and myrtle, 38 inches wide. Regular 50c a yard. Reduced for the first time to 39c a yard.

In addition to the above line we will put out two pieces of Silk-Finished Mohair, white with black stripe. Regular 75c a yard. Saturday, yard.....39c

Little Boys' Wash Suits

Sailor Blouse or Buster Brown Wash Suits for little boys, 2 1/2 to 7 years. Striped Percal and plain blue chambrays.....69c

BOYS' WASH BLOUSES, of neat patterned percales, sizes 6 to 15 years. Sale price.....25c

White Lawn Dresses

Women's White Lawn Dresses, low neck and short sleeves, embroidery trimming in both waist and skirt, lace belt and yoke. Sizes 34 to 38 bust measure, and misses' sizes, 14, 16 and 18 years. Saturday special.....\$1.95

NET WAISTS—Black Brussels Net over white net foundation or allover ecru, low neck and short sleeve effects. All sizes, 34 to 42. We made a special purchase of these Waists and can sell them at a bargain price.....\$1.95

WHITE WAISTS, of fine lawn, with long sleeves high collar solid embroidery style opening in the front. A style for matron ladies' wear. Sizes 34 to 42. Special at.....\$1.00

WHITE SKIRTS of splendid quality White Indian Head, panel back and front. High or natural waistline. Extra value, at.....\$1.25

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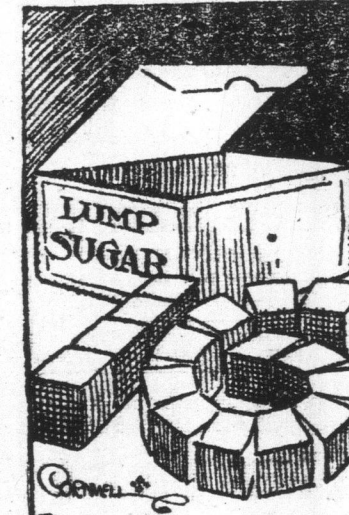
It will pay you to see this table of 20c and 25c Muslins, Batistes, Gingham and Crepelines in daintiest summer colorings. Some of the Muslins are 40-inch bordered effects. All on sale Saturday.....12 1/2c

Pure Linen Towelling, Saturday, a yard.....5c

White English Cotton, shilling quality, for a yard.....10c

A Few Lines of Most Anything

OUR PRECISE ARTIST.



"Just sweet sixteen."

Jack Bennett, slayer of an Indian woman, leaves an amazing trail. He is reported in Sarnia, Sombra, St. Thomas, London and a dozen other places at the same time.

"The stage not only refines the manners, but is the best teacher of morals."—William Hazlitt. Very well, Bill. Rah for Eva Tanguay.

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Page of Interesting News for Women

What Women of Fashion Are Wearing Today in Paris

These striking photographs just received from our Paris correspondent, show The Advertiser readers some of the latest ideas seen in the world's fashion capital. They were taken at the famous Longchamp race course, where all the dress novelties are first displayed. Our correspondent admits that they are "plus sensationnelles."



Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received.]

An Interesting Budget.

Dear Miss Grey—Being a constant reader of your helpful column, and being greatly benefited by it, I would be pleased if you would answer as soon as possible the following questions:

1. How can I clean a cream suit with a black hair-line in it?
2. What will remove ink stains from a linen dress without injuring the color?
3. My eyebrows are very faint, having tried numerous things without result, could you suggest something to make them grow?
4. How should a girl of 14 years of age wear her hair? And how long should her dresses be?

I thank you very easily. Could you suggest something to remove it?

Thanking you in advance, I remain, A. B. G.

A.—1. If the suit is worth any trouble at all, it is worth taking to a professional cleaner. The charge is not very high, and the garment will look much better than if you make an attempt at home.

2. It is pretty difficult to remove ink stains on colored material after the ink has become dried in. Soak the spots in sour milk, changing for fresh as the milk becomes discolored. Then rinse thoroughly in clear water. A few applications should remove the ink entirely.

3. There is nothing better than pure yellow vaseline. Apply it every night, taking care not to rub the brows the wrong way.

4. There is no nicer way than the old-fashioned hanging braid, with bows of ribbon at the back of the head. If of average height, her dresses should come at least three inches below the knee.

5. A nightly bathing with buttermilk is excellent, or you might use lemon juice diluted in a glass of water.

Better Not, Brown Eyes.

Dear Miss Grey—Would you kindly answer the following:

1. What is the latest style for a young lady to do her hair?
2. Could you suggest something that would clean an undressed kid purse?
3. I am engaged to a young man out of the city. Is it proper for me to go out with other young men when he is not here?
4. What will prevent patent leather shoes from cracking?

Thanking you, I am,

BROWN EYES.

A.—1. The centre part in front, with a Greek or Psyche knot at the back of the head, is extremely popular.

2. Stale bread crumbs, rolled fine, or powdered starch, rubbed on the inside of the bag will help to remove the soil. Then free from powder with a clean chamomile cloth.

3. Usually when a girl becomes engaged, she refuses to accompany them to places of amusement without the full consent of her betrothed, and you must be quite willing to have him show equal kindnesses to the girl friends he makes in the place he is living.

4. An occasional rubbing with sweet oil, say once a week, has a good effect upon patent leather, but if it has not been properly prepared in the first place, nothing will keep it from cracking, as the creases form in the shoe.

Likes Arnold Bennett.

Dear Miss Grey—I have just read Arnold Bennett's "Clayhanger." I understand that two novels have been published that are serious to that story, or continuations of it. Can you tell me the names of them? Thanking you for your kindness, very truly, BESS.

"Hilda Lessways" is the companion novel of "Clayhanger." The third has not yet been published. It will depict the married life of Hilda, and the Clayhanger. I share your admiration of these wonderful stories of the Five Towns.

CHINA FOR BRIDES.

As a gift to the bride, china is always a welcome item. And this season many sets of white china, with the monogram in gold and a band of coin gold, are to be seen. One chocolate set shows the placing of the monogram well in the outside centre of the cups and on the chocolate pot and quite large in size. The cups and the pot develop the octagonal line, but the plates, which can be purchased for sale plates, to use with the set are round.

Seen in London's Shops

It is the wise woman who takes advantage of the midsummer white-wear sales in progress just now in several of the London shops.

Odd sizes that may just be your fit, or garments on the "solved" table which look "good as new" after laundering, are frequently marked down to half-price. This renders it quite possible for the woman with the limited purse to possess some very dainty undergarments of excellent quality.

One local store is having a special sale of table linen this week which no housewife desirous of replenishing her stock can afford to miss. The sale includes separate cloths, napkins and remnants of table linen, all in many attractive designs.

Towels and towelling are also marked down considerably at this season, and it is well spent to follow the advertisements from day to day and be on hand when these opportunities offer.

Other counters in Dundas street stores are laden with bargains in embroideries and laces. There is, perhaps no line of accessories more irresistible to the feminine heart than fine edgings and insertions. For the prospective bride, a few dollars' outlay now will enable her to add materially to her trousseau, and afford a considerable saving, later on.

In Pannier Style



A dainty rose-figure ditty is made up as shown here. The side goes of the skirt are in two sections, the upper ones being slightly full at the lower edge and fastened to the lower parts under bias folds of the material.

The waist has a richness closing, crossed by neatly folded rose velvet ribbons, bearing pearl buttons. The skirt closes invisibly under the front panel. A collar and cuffs of white linen, with insertion and frills, complete the dress.

An excellent line of summer costumes is being offered by another firm, who are conducting a summer sale of many lines. Little boys' wash suits, in white and colors, are on the list, and reduced prices in hosiery and gloves are also special features.

Lingerie dresses are always a passion, more or less, with the girl in her early twenties, and this month it is possible to obtain two or three most desirable gowns for the price paid for one earlier in the season. Or, for the girl who prefers to make her own tub frocks, there is still a wide range of material to choose from, including gingham, cross-bar muslins, dimities, and so on, and all at most reasonable figures.

Cold cream is as great a necessity now as in zero weather. If the beauty-seeker is to offset the havoc made by the summer sun, several excellent preparations for keeping the skin in good order are carried by one firm here, and include toilet soaps, skin foods and cold creams, in most attractive array.

Anyone desiring the names of shops where articles described above may be purchased, may obtain them by telephoning or writing Shoppers' Corner, Woman's Department, The Advertiser.

Women Aim at Universal Suffrage

The world-wide tendency toward giving women a voice in their government is shown in an interesting manner in the letters of Mrs. Chapman Catt, president of the International Woman Suffrage Alliance, who is making a trip around the globe. She spent several months organizing South Africa, and then went up to Egypt, where she arranged for a committee on the political rights of women, although Egyptian men have very few. In India she found women property-holders—Parsees, Hindus, Mohammedans, Buddhists and Chinese—voting in various cities. Her latest letters were written from Sumatra and Java. These islands belong to the Netherlands, and she and her travelling companion, Dr. Aletta Jacobs, president of the National Suffrage Association of that country, were organizing them as branches of the alliance. From there they are going to visit the new women voters of China and arrange for a delegation of them to attend the next congress of the alliance. This will meet in 1913 in Budapest, Hungary, where there is a very strong movement for woman suffrage.

O-O-O! RASPBERRY JAM!

Red Raspberry Jam, No. 1. Allow three-quarters of a pound of sugar to a pound of fruit. Put the berries on alone and boil for half an hour, stirring hard and often. Dip out the superfluous juice, add the sugar, and cook 20 minutes longer. Put in jars or glasses.

Red Raspberry Jam, No. 2. To every pound of raspberries allow a pound of sugar, and to whatever proportion of raspberries used allow one-fourth weight of currants. Wash and strain currants and cook juice with the sugar about 20 minutes. Then add the raspberries whole, simmering together 25 minutes. Bottle and seal at once.

Red Raspberry Jam, No. 3. Weigh berries and simmer without water till reduced one-third, when add gradually as many pounds of heated sugar as there were berries, original weight. As soon as sugar is melted thoroughly, and has boiled up once, place in jars and seal at once.

In Vacation Time Be Careful of The Water Supply By a Physician.

There are three important things to consider in choosing the place in which to spend a vacation.

1. Ascertain the source of the water supply.
2. Be sure that the sewage system is sanitary.
3. Find out whether there is any contagious disease or typhoid in the vicinity.

Instead of being health resorts, "vacation towns" are sometimes the hotbeds of dangerous ills.

If every city health department were to issue a vacation guide at the beginning of each hot weather season, on the water supply, sewage disposal and typhoid rates, in various places, the number of families who come home sick from a health-seeking trip might be materially diminished.

The generality of the public thinks chiefly of the amusement possibilities of a summer resort, losing sight of the question of health, or resting secure in the belief that a change of air is all-sufficient.

Typhoid water may come from a well, a river or other stream, or in a regularly-piped system from a reservoir. In any case it is necessary to know something about it. And a few pertinent questions put to almost any resident in the town will reveal the information desired.

If the town supply is bad—is there a good private supply? And if bad, is the town water used for anything but washing dishes, washing milk cans, washing vegetables, for instance.

Be careful how you take a summer house which is supplied with water from an old well. Many wells are shallow dug and are in close proximity to filth. When it rains this washes through the ground and seeps into the well. Poisonous matter in the liquid form is more dangerous than in particles because it is invisible. The well which is supposed to be a receptacle for pure water becomes a receptacle for dangerous germs.

The lasting benefits of a vacation depend on the wisdom with which it is planned, and the care with which the "vacation town" is chosen, as well as the mere change of air and rest.

Unpolluted water is an essential.

Leaves From Mother's Cook Book

Marquise Salad.

One small head lettuce, three firm tomatoes, one-half cup finely-cut onion, one-half cup finely-cut parsley, two tablespoons olive oil, Wash and pare the tomatoes, cut in half and put in cold place until ready to use. Chop the onion and olive oil together, and let stand two hours before using, to marinate. When ready to serve the salad place the tomatoes on the well-washed dishes, and on each put a tablespoon of the onion and parsley, cover with French dressing.

Pepper Sandwiches.

Three green, sweet peppers, three hard-boiled eggs, small cupful of mayonnaise, thin slices of buttered bread. Run the peppers and the eggs through the meat chopper, or chop them finely in a chopping bowl. Cover the chopped material with sufficient mayonnaise to give it the proper consistency for spreading. Trim the crusts from the buttered bread, and put in a substantial layer of the filling.

Currant Gingerbread.

Mix together a half cup of sugar, a half cupful of molasses, a tablespoonful of butter, a half teaspoon of ground cinnamon and a tablespoonful of ground ginger. Set the bowl containing this mixture at the side of the range until the contents are warm. Then beat until light in color and foamy in appearance. Now beat in a cupful of sour milk, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a tablespoonful of boiling water, and 2 cupfuls of flour. Add at the last, half a cupful of currants that have been carefully washed and picked over; soaked in warm water for half an hour, dried between two towels and dredged with flour. Turn into a greased shallow pan and bake in a steady oven.

Spiced Melons.

Quarter, peel and cut into preferred size the pieces of melon. Weigh and place in earthen jar. Pour over them cold vinegar and let stand over night. Then drain and for every seven pounds of melons make a syrup of 3 pounds of sugar, a teaspoonful each of allspice and cloves, a little grated nutmeg, and a few bits of stick cinnamon. Boil several minutes after commencing to simmer. Pour this over the melons. Cover them and let them stand over night. Repeat this twice, the last time simmering until melon is tender and clear, though firm. Place melon in heated jars and pour the spiced syrup over. Then seal.

EGG PASTE.

The white of a raw egg is the most satisfactory of pastes. Papers used for covering down jam will hold securely and be quite air-tight if brushed over on the inside with white of egg. White of egg is also used for mending glass or china ornaments, but, of course, it will not stand water. Still, it is not always necessary that a cement should do this, and white of egg has the merit of being quite imperceptible when dry.



Saturday's Bargains in Summer Millinery

Everything in the Millinery line is now at rock bottom price. Come Saturday while you have an assortment to choose from.

Flowers 15c One table of Flowers, Regular prices ranging from 35c to \$1, all to clear at.....**15c**

Trimmed Hats \$1.50 Any Trimmed Hat left in stock for**\$1.50** Come and See Them.

New Trimming We have just received a big shipment of American Trimmings for late summer and fall hats, including wings, mounts, etc. This shipment also includes some new White Felt Hats.

Gingham and Chambray Wash Dresses \$1.98

Another collection of broken lines of Gingham and Chambray Dresses, in checks and dainty stripes, very prettily trimmed. Some with white sailor collars, others trimmed with lace insertion. Colors are thoroughly fast. Sizes 34 to 40. Clearing sale price.....**\$1.98**

Lingerie and Allover Embroidery Dresses, \$4.50 to \$6, Clearing at \$3.89

In this lot are very handsome Lingerie and Allover Embroidery Dresses, beautifully trimmed, some with Val lace insertion and a few with embroidered skirts. Square necks and new set-in sleeves. Sizes are 34, 36 and 38. Every dress in this lot is of the very latest design, fresh and clean. They sold at \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Reduced to.....**\$3.89**

Misses' Lawn Dresses for \$1.49

A few only Misses' Lawn Dresses, in sizes 14, 16 and 18 with square necks and trimmed with lace and lace insertion. Made of very good quality fine English lawn. Regular value \$3.50. Our special price.....**\$1.49**

Middy and Print Waists 39c

One table clearing sale of Middy Waists, nicely trimmed with blue, with sailor collars. Also a few dozen Print Waists in sizes 32 to 38 only. To clear Saturday at.....**39c**

HOUSE DRESSES OF PRINTED PERCALE, in navy and white, blue and white, and black and white, in neat patterns with collar and long sleeves. Splendid washing colors. Sizes 34 to 40. Saturday for.....**89c**

Two Splendid Bargains in Women's Whitewear

GOWNS WORTH \$3.00 FOR \$1.50
SKIRTS WORTH \$3.50 FOR \$2.50

A few only of slightly muscled Cambric Gowns, prettily trimmed with embroidery and finished with baby ribbon. Short and three-quarter sleeves. Hubbard and open front styles. Regular \$3.00 for.....**\$1.50**

WOMEN'S WHITE CAMBRIC SKIRTS—Trimmed with lace and embroidery, and made of extra fine quality English cambric cloth. These are also very slightly muscled. Regular price \$3.50, to clear at.....**\$2.50**

GRAY'S WE CLOSE TONIGHT AT 5 P.M. SATURDAY, 10 P.M. GRAY'S

MODERN MILLINER A NATURE FAKER

Outside of fiction, the greatest nature fakers in the world are the modern milliners.

Beehive hats that fool the very bees themselves, crash caps that seem to have just come off the towel rack in the bathroom, blue roses and green carnations, imitation beetles, butterflies, birds, and even snakes; ferns from the woods, acorns and stuffed mice; all these things adorn lady's bonnet, and the fact that these hats are quite beautiful to look upon shows that the millinery nature faker knows his business.

His business, not his. Millinery is going over into the hands of the men, and the man milliner is not a novelty any more.

One of these novel hats is made of moss roses, the roses being genuine imitation of muslin, while the moss is nature-faked, coming from the woods, and getting a bath in a green dyeing pot before it reaches the lady's hat. Another bit of good faking is the blue hyacinth bells wound round the other model, and the real ferns under net, and on a background of velvet which forms the facing of a big straw hat, trimmed with roses.

Nature faking on hats knows no bounds. The sparrow's humble plumage forms the body of the bird of paradise, and the unassuming goose wing is spotted and striped and called eagle's feathers.

A French model of vivid yellow velvet forms a little tight skull cap, fitting closely to the head; around the edge of this is coiled a spotted snake and you have to look twice to see that the reptile is made of palettes, and that it snuggles under a bunch of marabout feathers, carefully taken from the chicken and glued on to fine fibrous stems.

Nobody knows who is who and what is what in the military flora and fauna, and butterflies are often fooled by modern muslin flowers, especially when they are arranged with ferns, wheat and oats and other natural trimmings.

A pretty fad is that of performing the flowers on hats, giving to each flower its natural perfume.

Raspberry Custard. Place one pint of raspberry juice over the fire with two ounces of fine sugar; when hot add, very slowly, the well-beaten yolks of three eggs and stir until it thickens. Remove from the fire and when cool add one tablespoonful of lemon juice or two of currant juice, and one gill of rich cream. Serve in custard glasses with a spoonful of whipped cream on top.

Misses' Middy Blouses 79c

3 dozen only Middy Blouses with large sailor collar of saxe blue, or all in white. Sizes 30 to 36. Clearing at, each.....**79c**

White Silk Hose 25c Pair

A limited quantity of Italian Silk Hose. On sale Saturday, at pair.....**25c**

Silk Lisle Hose, 3 Pair \$1 Black Silk Lisle Hose, 35c pair, 3 pairs \$1.00

27-Inch Embroidery 35c

A special for Saturday in Embroideries, all good designs on fine quality cloth, 27 inches wide. Saturday for yard.....**35c**

Fancy Parasols 89c

A big clearance Saturday of our Fancy Parasols. A lot including many different colors and styles. Regular \$1.25 value, to clear **89c**

Saturday Glove Bargains

LONG WHITE SILK GLOVES—Double tips, regular 75c. Special, pair.....**49c**

WHITE LISLE GLOVES—Elbow length, regular 75c value, for pair.....**49c**

BLACK LISLE GLOVES—Elbow length, regular \$1.00, for pair.....**79c**

White Guipure Edging

We have a good assortment of these Edges now so scarce and so much in demand. See these on Saturday at yard.....**15c, 20c**
VAL AND TORCHON INSERTION, and a few Torchon Lace clearing at, dozen.....**15c**

Sale of Seconds

Don't forget our sale of Table Linen Seconds and our clearance of Table Linen Ends. Today and Saturday.

40-INCH VICTORIA LAWN—Special, per yard.....**63c**

40-INCH FACTORY COTTON, yard.....**10c**

HOLLAND OR CRASH LINEN for Norfolk Wash Suits, very serviceable materials, at per yard.....**18c and 20c**

2-YARD PLAIN BLEACHED SHEETING—Extra special value, at yard.....**25c**

Heatherbloom Underskirts

4 dozen Heatherbloom Petticoats, in tan and navy shades. Flounce effect and small tucks. Light weight for summer wear. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$1.50, Saturday for **79c**

SPECIAL SOAPS

P. L. and O. have soaps for special purposes, that don't very often get into the papers, but each one is an excellent article when used aright. Shampoo Soaps, Sulphur, Tar, Carbolic, Antiseptic Soaps of many kinds. And the most delightful toilet soaps, as well, at prices that cannot help pleasing you.

Go to your druggist for fine soaps.

P. PERCIVAL, Richmond Cor. Central Phone 1261 **L. LISTER, Wortley Road, Cor. Craig Phone 1920** **O. OMOND, 468 Dundas Phone 1428**

THE PROGRESSIVE DRUGGISTS.

We close Wednesday afternoons during July and August.

Packing the Trunk

A woman who is constantly traveling, and yet who finds its most necessary to economize in space as well as in pennies, has found the following plan for packing her trunk. These she looks exactly like large envelopes, with straps or strings to fasten down the tops. In these huge envelopes she pins her dresses, blouses, etc. Two or three dresses can usually be put in each envelope.

Everything is kept absolutely flat, and nothing can be pushed to one side of the trunk when it is stood on end. At the top of the trunk is a shallow tray, in which she puts her laces, ribbons, veils and gloves, etc. The underwear is rolled and placed around the edges of the trunk or is folded flat and laid between the envelopes.

PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR DISPELS CORN SORENESS

The real corn remedy, the one that always does its work, is Putnam's Corn Extractor, which makes corns and callouses go quickly and without the least bit of pain. Putnam's makes you forget you ever had a corn. Goes to the root of the tormentor, absorbs its roots, removes the cause, gives lasting relief. Putnam's quickly, safely and surely rid your feet of corns or callouses, whether just starting or of many years' growth. Price 25c at all druggists.

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY,

Look out for thieves and take care of the things which you value. With care you may avoid any losses and bring your plans to a successful consummation. It is an unfavorable time to take any risks. Those born today will be ambitious, and will rise high, but will lose money in many ventures. They will ultimately meet with good fortune and also be fortunate in their relation with others.

Out of Sorts?

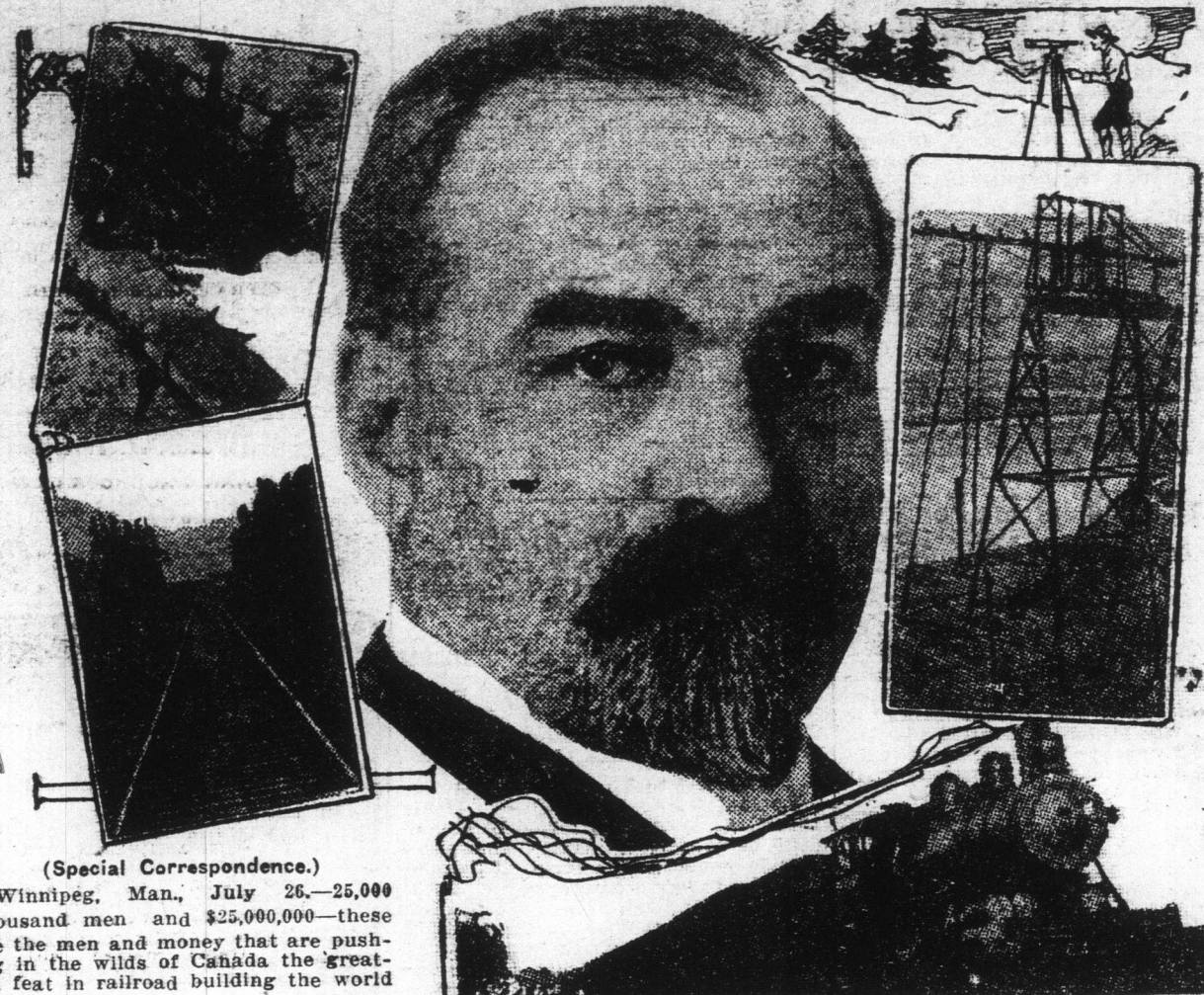
Lots of discomfort—the blues—and many serious sicknesses you will avoid if you keep your bowels, liver and stomach in good working order by timely use of **BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25c.

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1912.

Building 1,000 Miles of Railroad Track in One Year That's Sir Donald Mann's Job—And It's a World's Record

CANADA IS SHOWING UNCLE SAM A FEW THINGS ABOUT RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION.



(Special Correspondence.)

Winnipeg, Man., July 26.—25,000 thousand men and \$25,000,000—these are the men and money that are pushing in the wilds of Canada the greatest feat in railroad building the world has ever seen.

A thousand miles of line—that's the stint of the Canadian Northern's construction gangs for the current year. It will be a record.

At the same time, farther north still, in the dreary muskies of the sub-arctic region, other men and other millions are at work on another road. That's why the Canadian Northern is in such a hurry. It wants to put trains into Vancouver before the other road—the Grand Trunk Pacific—gets into Prince Rupert.

Gleams in organization and in vision are behind this great feat in construction—Sir William Mackenzie, who financed it, and greater still, Sir Donald Mann, who drives the construction work forward on a score of lines, through a mountain at Montreal, across the high divide north of Lake Superior, hither and yonder over the prairies and through the Rockies for hundreds of miles—through solitudes that never heard the voice of civilized man till the Canadian Northern engineers came seeking a grade.

Both these men were poor boys and both have been knighted for their notable achievements in railroad building. A few days ago construction crews began driving a bore through Mount

SIR DONALD MANN, who commands the great construction army of the Canadian Northern, is called the "J. J. Hill of the north." Beginning in an obscure way as a sub-contractor on the Canadian Pacific, with nothing but a limited credit to go on, he has become one of the greatest figures in the railway world. Besides being the head of the construction work on the Canadian Northern, he has constructed the Canadian Pacific short line through Maine, the Ontario Power Company plant at Niagara, and various railways in South America. He was a supporter of the reciprocity agreement.

Royal in Montreal, working night and day at both ends. New branches are building in Ontario, linking Ottawa, Toronto and Quebec. A gap in western Ontario is being closed. In Manitoba and Saskatchewan the graders and track-layers are swarming. In Alberta a gridiron of branches is spreading forward the Great Peace river region.

From Edmonton lines are stretching westward into British Columbia and southward toward the Pacific and the western terminus at Vancouver. Next year's stint is 968 miles. By 1914 freight trains will be running through to the coast over the new line. Passenger trains will be put on during the year following.

Meanwhile, at least, two new cities are being built along the line. One of these is Mount Royal, a suburb of

Montreal, called into being by the bore through the mountain. The other is Port Mann, a suburb of Vancouver, where the Pacific terminus of the road will be and where great shops, factories and Government buildings are already rising.

Thirty years ago Canada had no transcontinental road. In two or three years more it will have three, one of them owned by the Government, and all of them under the thumb of the Canadian railway commission. And two of them are a week nearer Japan than the transcontinentals to Frisco, and one, the National, 400 miles nearer to Japan than either of its privately-owned rivals.

Canada is about ready to give the States a fine run for their money in the matter of trans-continental traffic.

rink 33 to 0, the most decisive defeat of the tourney. It was a shame to do it, and the losers were mere boys, too.

Twentieth End.

Gillespie's two bowls were very short. Sykes had one close behind him with the other in front. Farrow's was fast, but in good position. Kerr found a port and drew in for shot. Farrow put in a beauty, and it could not be determined who was shot. Kerr drew a shot. Bluet drew for second money. Phelps guarded the shot. Bluet's runner was wide. Phelps put down another perfect guard, and it looked as if the end was impossible to break. Langford's hard follow shot was absolutely perfect, and Langford lay two. Rice, with his two bowls, could not get in, although his last narrowly missed. Langford attempted to draw in another, but was short. Langford, 2.

Twenty-First End.

Gillespie's first is directly behind the kitty. Sykes put one down beside it. Gillespie was short, and Sykes put one two feet in front of the jack. Farrow lumped Sykes' front bowl onto the kitty, and Rice had the shot. Kerr drew another right behind. Farrow went through to the ditch. Kerr was also too fast and went off the green. Bluet got the ball, his runner missing everything and hitting the back wall. Phelps put in a beautiful guard, Bluet missed an overdraw, and was off the green. Phelps followed Sykes, trying to put a back bowl. Langford attempted an over-draw, but had too much speed. Rice put down a perfect back bowl: Langford's last bowl, which all depended, was wide, and the Labatt trophy went to Toronto. Rice, 1.

HUMANE SOCIETY WILL PROSECUTE FOR CRUELTY

Henry Hamlin, of Lambeth, Will Appear in Police Court Today.

Two informations have been laid against Henry Hamlin, a flour dealer of Lambeth, who is charged with cruelty in his treatment of horses used on his wagon.

Yesterday the police held up one team, and Dr. McDonald, of the Humane Society, found that both animals were suffering from grossly painful sores on the neck.

In this case the police laid the information, and the owner of the animals was ordered to leave the horses in this city.

Later another team of Mr. Hamlin's was held up, and in this instance it is alleged that the sores were so painful that one of the horses refused to allow the harness, which was sticking to the wounds, to be removed, and it took three men to take the trappings off.

Dr. McDonald is prosecuting for the Humane Society in this case.

Mr. Hamlin will appear on Tuesday next.

FIRE AT LISTOWEL.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Listowel, July 25.—Fire, which broke out shortly after 6 o'clock this morning, did considerable damage to the store of Gunn's, Limited, Toronto. A quantity of wool was also burned.

EQUESTRIAN RECORD.

San Francisco, July 25.—Miss Marion Crocker has established a new equestrian record for women by riding on horseback 102 miles, in fourteen hours. Miss Crocker rode one horse 56 miles and another 46 miles.

INDIAN ARRESTED FOR WILD CAROUSE

Red Man From Same Reserve as Murderer Bennett Is Captured at Sarnia.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, July 25.—John Cook, claiming to be the lineal descendant of an illustrious chief of the Cayugas, landed in Sarnia from the Brant Reserve yesterday and proceeded to celebrate in honor of his distinguished and distinguished ancestors. Cook had about a quart of firewater in his possession, from which he drank many libations to the glory of the Six Nations. Desiring to disburden his soul of the noble dratry characteristic of his race, he visited a local cigar store and frightened the clerk by a perfect explosion of gutters. Just then a policeman happened along and Cook was carried away to jail, just like any other drunk. He was remanded for sentence until Saturday. Cook comes from the same reservation as John Bennett, the Indian wanted for murder.

The St. Thomas detectives who are hunting for Bennett did not arrive here last night, as scheduled, although the local officers were expecting them. It is presumed that the men have found another clue to the Indian's whereabouts and are following it up.

A large crowd boarded the ferry Conquer today on her weekly excursion to Wallaceburg. The trips are becoming more popular every week. Port Huron and Sarnia people finding the trip a very pleasant one to make at small expense.

BALLOONS ALL READY FOR LONG FLIGHT

'Southwesterly Wind That May Carry Them Across Great Lakes.'

[Canadian Press.] Kansas City, Mo., July 26.—A steady southwesterly wind, suitable to carry the ten balloons over the great lakes into Canada, awaits the aeronauts, who tomorrow afternoon will start in the national elimination race for the honor of representing the United States in the international games at Gordon Bennett Race next fall.

The crews of six of the racers are here, and the others are expected before night. Each balloon will carry provisions for at least four days, and will be ready for a journey even into the Hudson Bay country if the elements permit. Old balloon pilots say conditions never were more promising for a long distance flight.

THE WESTERN FAIR

Will Be Held in London on Sept. 6 to 14.

This ever-popular exhibition promises to be more so than usual this year. There will be many new and novel features. The Main Building will contain many new exhibitors. There will be goods in process of manufacture, as well as the finished products, and many large and costly exhibits of live stock and agricultural products. The grounds are taking on the appearance of preparation. The entrance, band stand and general offices have all been painted, giving them a very neat and new appearance. Considerable work has been done to various other buildings, and everything will be in readiness for the opening day. If space is required for exhibits, privileges or concessions of any kind, application should be made to the secretary at once. All information regarding the exhibition may be obtained from the secretary at the general offices, Richmond street.

A subscriber pleads for the use of the closed-up word, "onto," although this form is not favored by the dictionaries, which prefer "on to." His illustrations are amusing. If not conclusive, he says: "Your friends approach your home daily and go on to the house, but only members of the fire department are expected to go onto it. All the fleets on the ocean might safely drift on to the rocks, provided they did not get onto them. The word 'onto' is coming in to the list and before long will get into it."

JUMPING AT CONCLUSIONS.



BIG CLEARANCE SALE OF WASH DRESSES

Great in Its Savings and Its Qualities

Here are cool dresses at REMARKABLE VALUES, many extremely new and handsome designs. To attempt to describe the styles is impossible, so large is the variety.



Regular \$5.00 to \$8.00 Tub Dresses for \$1.98

Your choice of 25 smart styles in assorted sizes at this price during our sale.

SUCH VALUES AS THESE HAVE NEVER BEFORE BEEN OFFERED IN LONDON.

Ladies' White Dresses

You will find here one of the best assortments in the city. These are HIGH CLASS, LOW PRICE, and every one a GENUINE BARGAIN.

Our Clearance Prices:

\$2.45 \$4.25 \$6.75

Values up to \$8.00, for \$1.98

Children's Dresses

Sizes 2 to 14 Years.

We have divided the balance of our Children's dresses in three lots, and are clearing at the following prices:

Lot I.	-	39c
Lot II.	-	69c
Lot III.	-	\$1.25

Ladies' Wash Suits

Regular \$8.00 and \$10.00 values for \$2.45

Only nine of these natty suits left to be cleared at a sacrifice.

Alterations made free of charge.

The prices we advertise are genuine and in plain figures to all.

THE BARGAIN STORE.

Metropolitan Suit and Skirt Manufacturing Co.

232 Dundas Street

RELIGION HAS RECEIVED A NEW IMPETUS

Noted English Preacher Says Conditions Have Greatly Improved of Late.

[Canadian Press.]

London, July 26.—Among the passengers who sailed yesterday on the Cedric for New York was the Rev. Charles Brown, who goes to fill the pulpit of Dr. J. H. Jowett, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York, for a few weeks.

Mr. Brown is the pastor of the Ferns Park Church, London, and is one of the most eloquent and most popular preachers here.

Before sailing he said he thought that religion had received a new impetus in the last few years, and that now it was experiencing a forward movement. The percentage of men interested in religion and religious subjects and church work was much larger today than it was a few years ago, he added.

THAW WILL KNOW FATE WITHIN A FEW HOURS

Indications That Judge Will Decide Adversely for Slayer of White.

[Canadian Press.]

White Plains, N. Y., July 26.—The result of Harry K. Thaw's latest effort to obtain his release from Matteawan will be made known here within the next few days by the clerk of the state supreme court. It became known today that the decision of Justice Keogh, who presided at the recent hearings, has been completed, and will be filed here either tomorrow morning or Monday.

The decision is a brief one, according to a statement made by the justice himself, containing probably less than 300 words. This fact is regarded by many persons here as significant, indicating in all probability a decision adverse to Thaw. If he had in mind to release Thaw, persons familiar with the case believe that the justice would have prepared a long decision, giving his reasons for the action, since such a decision would immediately become a subject of nation-wide discussion.

WHITE MEN HANGED FOR KILLING NEGROES

Two Executed at Nashville for a Brutal Crime.

[Canadian Press.]

Nashville, Tenn., July 26.—Two white men—George Sheldon and John Bailey—were hanged here this morning for the murder of Ben Pettigrew, an old negro, and his two children.

The triple killing had been carefully planned. As Pettigrew and his children came along the road they were shot down. Dispute over land is said to have been the murder motive.

DARROW JUROR VERY WEAK

Case May Become a Mistrial if He Is Unable to Give Verdict.

[Canadian Press.]

Los Angeles, Cal., July 26.—Leconte Davis, formerly associated with the defence of the McNamara brothers, was expected to resume the witness stand today at the bribery trial of Clarence S. Darrow, who was chief counsel for the dynamiters.

Although on the stand all of yesterday afternoon, Attorney Davis' direct examination was not concluded when adjournment was taken, but it was thought that today he would conclude the cross-examination as well.

Attorney Davis contradicted many of the statements made on the stand by Bert H. Franklin, formerly employed by the McNamara defence as a detective, and who later confessed himself a jury briber. It was believed that the attorney's direct examination today will be along the line followed yesterday. Although Juror L. A. Leavitt, of Elmonte, whose illness caused two delays in the trial, and who returned to jury duty yesterday after several days' absence, expressed his strong opinion that the trial was expressed by several court attendants.

While many believe that the Grand Trunk will take charge of the Lake Erie Coal Company business, there are others who do not think so.

"Mr. Charles M. Hays, just before he sailed for England, secured an option on large coal areas in Pennsylvania," said a railway man. "I understand the Grand Trunk have taken up this option, and will mine on a large scale. It means that all the coal to be used on the Grand Trunk system in Ontario, and a large portion of the G. T. P. will come into London over this new line. The company have coal in the west, and the western section will be supplied from that quarter. The rest will come over the Port Burwell line to London, and this city will have the distributing centre. It will mean a large number of crews here, and more work for all concerned. It looks like a big thing for the city."

TODDY FOR INFANTS

One Weighing 77 Pounds at Nineteen Months Fed With Whiskey.

[Canadian Press.]

Springfield, Mo., July 26.—Whiskey toddies as food for infants was praised here today by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Noxon, of West Plains, Mo., who attracted much attention on the streets with their 19-months-old son, Riley, who weighs 77 pounds. According to his parents, the baby has lived practically on toddy all of his life.

GRAND TRUNK WILL NOT

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A New Slip-Dock.

At Port Burwell a new slip-dock will be constructed for unloading coal vessels, and it is expected that other freight will be handled at the same port. It was not known definitely what American port would be touched, but it will probably be Conneaut, the same from which the Lake Erie Coal Company obtain their coal. In addition, freight lines in affiliation with the Grand Trunk will stop, and small package freight will be handled. Land for terminals, etc., has already been secured, and work will be commenced on the construction of these as soon as the company secures permission to build the line.

An effort will be made also to develop a summer resort business there, and excursions from London and other points on the Grand Trunk will be sought for. The C. P. R. use their line from Ingersoll to Port Burwell principally for coal business, and have paid no attention whatever to excursions.

Mayor Appears Pleased.

Mayor Graham and other citizens are pleased with the announcement. Among the majority it is the impression that the proposed electric line from Port Burwell to London will be abandoned.

"I see that the Grand Trunk will construct a line to London," said Mayor Graham. "This will be a good thing for London, as it adds another railway to the number already running into the city. The Ayler people, of course, are anxious for an electric railway, and are not enthusiastic over this. However, there is a possibility that the electric line will not be built. That is a matter for the future to take care of, in any event."

To London's Advantage.

"Another road coming into the city will be decided to our advantage," said Ald. Spittal, chairman of the manufacturers' committee. "That will help us, as it will tap a large section from which we derive little business at the present time. It will mean a large coal haulage here. It may affect our own road, as respects the Lake Erie Coal Company. I do not know that. I hope not. However, one more road will mean bigger business for London."

"I know for a fact that the Grand



"Hezekiah's saving his chewing tobacco tags to get him an auto." "Sho. Chewing for a choo-choo wagon, eh?"

QUEEN CITY BOWLERS

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Magnificent Bowling.

However, towards the end of the game Phelps came into his own, particularly this morning, and bowled magnificently. Bluet is a brilliant player, and his clever trundling was largely responsible for keeping the Langford rink in the running. He missed a couple of running shots on the last end this morning, but in the large majority of instances he was a most reliable player, and oftentimes made almost impossible shots. Rice and Langford both demonstrated that they are skips worthy of competing for Ontario's blue ribbon event in bowling. They handled their men well, although at one or two critical times Rice's judgment in calling for shots was a trifle the better. Langford drew some beautiful shots, and two or three of his runners and follow shots saved his rink from disaster. Rice himself could be depended upon also in a pinch, and seldom failed to draw the shot when it was needed. On the whole the four rinks were evenly matched, and were a decided credit to the clubs they represented.

The Final Game.

The final game was splendidly handled, the executive taking care that the unpleasant ending of the year previous was not repeated. Two umpires, J. S. McDougall, and Mr. Swabe, of Toronto, looked after the game, and there was not the slightest cause for complaint.

There is no denying the win was popular, not only among local bowlers, but with the outside rinks. London rinks have won the trophy three times in a row, and it was thought that the interests of bowling would be better served were an outside rink to capture the event.

A Good Follow.

In addition, Skip Rice himself won his way among bowlers, being a mighty good fellow and a good sportsman. This was demonstrated in the first end of the tournament. He was lying short after a fine end had been built up. Claude Brown was handling the rink, and called on Skip Langford for a runner. The latter responded, and the jack blew in the air, striking Bluet, who failed to get out of the way quickly enough. According to the rules, Rice could have placed the jack where he judged it would have gone. Had he done this the Toronto skip would have laid one shot at least, with a chance of another. In addition he had a bowl with which to draw another.

Fine Bowling Spirit.

When he saw the situation he promptly called the end dead, and it was bowled over. He eventually got a shot out of it. However, the fine spirit displayed made a hit with the large gallery, and he was liberally applauded for his generous action.

As a result, the very best of feeling prevailed, and the best traditions of the game of bowls was preserved.

The scene on Thursday afternoon was a most brilliant one. The gallery was a particularly large one, a great number of ladies visiting the

Saturday Special at Young's Midsummer Sale

75c All-Wool Serge for 49c

All-Wool Serge (Priestley's make), 50 inches wide, black only, special crisp weave, just the material to make separate skirts. Regular 75c value, Saturday special 49c.

1,000 YARDS OF LIGHT
PRINTS AND AMERICAN
MUSLINS ON SALE SAT-
URDAY MORNING, AT,
PER YARD 5c

75c Louisene Silks for 49c

Beautiful summer silks, in
black and white stripe and
check patterns, regular 75c
value. July sale price, 49c.

90c Flannelette Nightgowns for 69c

Ten dozen Flannelette
Nightgowns, in plain pink
and white, good full size, reg-
ular 90c value. Saturday special
69c.

\$1.50 White Lingerie Waists for 98c

Swell White Waists, made
with all-over embroidery;
sizes 34 to 42 bust, regular
\$1.50 value. Saturday special
98c.

White Cambric Underskirts for \$1.29

Get your share of these
special underskirts, swell em-
broidery trimmed, regular \$2
value. Saturday special
\$1.29.

Kleinert's Pad Hose Supporters

In black, sky, white and pink,
with shur-on clasp, regular
25c value. Saturday special,
per pair 18c.

90c Table Linen for 69c

Three pieces of 70-inch
full-bleached table linen, as-
sorted patterns. Saturday
special 69c.

8-Inch Colored Border Crash

All pure linen. July sale
price 81c.
12 yards for \$1.00.

Yard-Wide Colored Paillette for 98c

Made in the best-wearing
silk ever shown in London;
colors sky, tan, brown,
reseda, navy, wine and
black. Special at 98c.

R. J. Young & Co.

EVERY LAWN MOWER IS SOLD.

Now For Refrigerators

THEY MUST GO. When we say we sell at actual cost we do
it. That is what we will do with every one of our Refrigerators.
ONLY ONE HAMMOCK LEFT—It is yours for \$1.25

You know our advice has always been right. We watch the
markets closely. There has been a sharp advance in all cordage.
Our advice is, Buy your Binder Twine now.

DID YOU SEE THAT ENAMELWARE WINDOW? ANY
ARTICLE IN IT FOR 15c UNTIL SATURDAY.

We carry a full line of Machine Oils at 40c, 50c and 65c gallon.
Separator and Castor Oil.

In fact we are fast becoming headquarters for all lubricating
and illuminating oils.

J. A. BROWNLEE

PHONE 652 385-7 TALBOT STREET.

GUARANTEED SILVER KNIVES For 25c Each

We have purchased a bankrupt stock, which includes 50
dozen Quadruple-plated Silver Knives, amongst which are
several dozen "Rogers' 1847." We will close the lot out at 25c each

There are a hundred different Safety Razors on the market
varying in price from 25c to \$5.00. But for \$1.00 we can give
you the "Ever-Ready," a razor that is known the world over,
and that is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Our Mechanics' Tools are purchased only from the best
makers, and are all thoroughly warranted.

Our Cutlery is imported direct from Sheffield. Such people
as Geo. Wostenholm, E. M. Dickinson, and "Taylor's Eye-
Witness Works," are supplying our Cutlery requirements.

"Regal" Roofing is the best and cheapest roofing on the
market. Made from wool felt, saturated with Trinidad
asphalt, and with no tar product used, it is practically in-
destructible.

Cowan's Colossal Hardware

125 AND 127 DUNDAS STREET,
PHONES 3461-3462.

THE TURKISH CRISIS

Military League Has Demanded Dis-
solution of the Parliament.

[Canadian Press.]

Constantinople, July 26.—The de-
mand of the military league for the
dissolution of the Chamber of Deputies
within 48 hours was the result of a
congress held at Saloniki, four days
ago, which was attended by delegates
from the unions of officers adhering to
the league.

The congress decided to insist upon
the dissolution of the chamber and

the reappointment to office of Kiamil
Pasha, formerly grand vizier.
Ten officers have been sent here to
obtain the realization of the demands
of the military league, which led to
violent speeches being made by several
deputies, who declared they were de-
termined to submit only to armed force.

WHY HE GOES ON SO.

(Kincaid Review.)

Dr. Lyman Abbot writes denying that
Col. Roosevelt drinks too much. His
denial will be accepted, and we must
therefore look for some other reason.

The Dominion Savings and Investment Society

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS, 3 and 3½ per cent, accord-
ing to arrangements.

INTEREST ON DEBENTURES—4 per cent, payable
half-yearly.

RESERVE FUND \$150,000.00
CAPITAL PAID UP \$934,693.86

T. H. PURDOM, K.C., President.
NATHANIEL MILLS,
Managing Director.

CONGRESS MAY AGREE ON THE WOOL BILL

Democratic Leader Underwood
Expects That a Compromise
Will Be Arranged.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, July 26.—The Senate's
unexpected passage of the Lofollette
bill presents a situation upon
which Majority Leader Underwood
of the House, thinks the two branches of
Congress can agree.

Mr. Underwood, also chairman of the
House ways and means committee, today
said he thought there would be little
difficulty in reaching a compromise. In
this event a bill almost identical with
the President's bill, passed on Aug.
17, 1911, is again likely to go to the
White House within a few weeks.

The former bill was vetoed on the
ground that the tariff board had not re-
ported on its investigation of schedule
K. Leaders of both houses say the La-
follette bill follows the conclusions of the
board quite closely. Mr. Underwood
today said he would call the ways and
means committee together next week to
take up the wool bill.

The essential points of the Lofollette
bill and the House bill are as follows:
Raw wool: Lofollette bill, 10 to 35 per
cent; House bill, 20 per cent.

Wool wastes and rags: Lofollette bill,
25 to 30 per cent; House bill, 20 per
cent.

Combed wool or tops: Lofollette bill,
40 per cent; House bill, 25 per cent.
Yarns: Lofollette bill, 45 per cent;
House bill, 30 per cent.

Cloths, ready-made clothing, knit fab-
rics, women's dress goods, etc.: Lofol-
lette bill, 55 per cent; House bill, 25
to 50 per cent.

Carpets: Lofollette bill, 35 per cent;
House bill, 25 to 50 per cent.

These are the more striking compar-
isons between the two measures.

DEAD BOY THEIR OWN

Dramatic Incident in Connection With
Crossing Fatality.

[Canadian Press.]
Berea, Ohio, July 26.—Irwin
Spence, huckster, and John Jackson
were killed early this morning at a
grade crossing by a Lake Shore train.

Two trainmen went to a near-by
house to obtain a light by which to
view the bodies. George Jackson and
his wife accompanied the men to the
scene of the accident. They found the
dead boy to be their son.

JOHN LAVINE DEAD

Successfully Managed Patti on First
Tour of United States.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 26.—John Lavine,
a pioneer theatrical manager, is dead
of paralysis at his home here, aged 64
years.

Mr. Lavine was manager for Patti.
When the singer first came to this
country her performances were flat
failures, and she had decided to give
up her attempt to conquer American con-
quests, when Lavine persuaded her to
make a brief tour under his man-
agement.

Fort Erie Entries.
Fort Erie, July 26.—Entries for Sat-
urday, July 27:

First race, 2-year-olds, conditions,
\$600 added, 10 furlongs (10): Jewel of
Asia, 102; Sandvay, 102; Continental,
102; The Widow Moon, 102; Chinook,
104; Horron, 104; xBunch of Keys,
104; xBriar Path, 107; Cock of the
Walk, 109; Richard Langdon, 109.

Second race, steeplechase, 4-year-
olds and up, \$600 added, short course
(10): xGull, 137; Yreka, 145;
Mystic Light, 148; Gun Cotton, 148;
Ringmaster, 148; High Bridge, 152.

Third race, selling, 3-year-olds and
up, condition, \$500 added, 6 furlongs
(11): xSilica, 102; xYreka, 102;
106; Black Chief, 103; Sherwood, 108;
Sea Cliff, 108; Ivabel, 111; Duquesne,
111; Montclair, 114; Rosseau, 110;
Billy Vandervort, 115; Yreka, 115.

Fourth race, Dominion Handicap,
\$5,000 guaranteed, 3-year-olds and up,
1½ miles (11)—aFont, 95; aJohn Fur-
long, 106; Buckhorn, 105; xBuy Fisher,
110; Grant, 110; Countess, 114; Su-
perstition, 114; The Manager, 116;
xRoglegs, 110; xStar Charter, 119;
Plate Glass, 126; aPons entry, xSchorr
entry.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up,
handicap, \$600 added, 6 furlongs (10)—
Cherry Seed, 92; Coy Lad, 92; Hamil-
ton, 95; Springboard, 100; Alhamma,
102; C. J. 105; C. J. 105; Barbe, 109;
Perthshire, 113; King Commaner, 114;
Lahore, 115.

Sixth race, selling, 3-year-olds and
up, \$500 added (10)—xPoli-
coda, 103; Supervisor, 104; xReynold,
105; Accord, 105; Fred Mulholland,
108; Ta-Nun-Da, 108.

Seventh race, selling, 3-year-olds
and up, \$500 added, 1½ miles (9)—
Commaner's Touch, 93; xCol. Ashmead,
105; Busy, 106; xJudge Monk, 107;
Aspiring, 108; Volthorpe, 112; Spell-
bound, 112; Ozark, 112; xStar Hill, 115.

An apprentice allowance of five pounds
claimed.

Weather cloudy; track fast.

NEW ENGLAND HUNT FOR GIRL-SLAYER

Degenerate Farmand Believed To Be
Perpetrator of Crime.

[Canadian Press.]
Carmel, Maine, July 26.—Search for
a degenerate farmand, generally be-
lieved to be the murderer of Naomi
Mitchell, the 14-year-old daughter of
Phineas Mitchell, whose mutilated
body was found yesterday between her
home and the village grocery store, was
resumed at daybreak today by the
county officers. They had no other sus-
pect in mind.

Several clues had been furnished,
and a number of people reported hav-
ing seen him, but he had not been lo-
cated up to an early hour today.

A general lookout was being main-
tained within a radius of 25 miles, and
more than a dozen officers were ac-
tively engaged in the man-hunt.

WOMAN DEFENDS BANDIT.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 26.—Mrs.
Clara Shortridge Foltz, deputy district
attorney, resigned her position last
night in order that she might defend
Cornelius Hassack, a young man,
who tired of hoeing potatoes, and be-
came a bandit. Hassack is charged
with having shot A. A. James, a train
dispatcher. Mrs. Foltz had been as-
signed to prosecute him, but in the
course of her investigation, she be-
lieved the man told her he had something
to tell her in confidence.

The woman was so impressed that
she tendered her resignation and then
told the man if he would make a clean
breast of his crimes she would look af-
ter his interests.

HAMILTON MAN SUICIDES IN STATION

Was About to Answer to a
Charge of Non-Support
of Wife.

[Canadian Press.]
Hamilton, July 26.—Harry Gilmore,
84 Burlington street, was charged
with non-support committed suicide at
the central police station this morning,
a few minutes before his case was to
have been called. He was in the wit-
ness room with his wife when he sud-
denly took a small bottle of carbolic
acid out of his pocket, and swallowed
the contents. He died within a few
minutes.

CHINESE COMMANDERS COERCE THE ASSEMBLY

Pekin Parliament Are Forced to
Accept Yuan's Nominees
for Cabinet.

[Canadian Press.]
Peking, China, July 26.—The Chinese
assembly today acceded to the de-
mand of the military commanders in
Pekin, who yesterday insisted that the
assembly approve the selection of cabi-
net ministers made by President Yuan
Shi Kai.

The commanders declared that un-
less this was done they would assume
the control of affairs, and it was con-
sidered that this would lead to a per-
sonal dictatorship of Yuan Shi Kai,
supported by the military.

At today's meeting of the assembly a
vote was taken on Yuan Shi Kai's nom-
inees for cabinet officers, and with one
exception the entire list was ap-
proved.

AUTO DASHED THROUGH WITH SHRIeking GIRL

Police On New Trail in Con-
nection With Dorcas Snod-
grass' Disappearance.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 26.—The search for
Miss Dorcas I. Snodgrass, who disap-
peared from her home in Mount Vernon
a week ago last Wednesday, still con-
tinues without avail. Every clue is being
investigated, and detectives are trying
to locate an auto which dashed
through Greenwich, Conn., containing
two men and a shrieking girl early in
the evening of the day on which Miss
Snodgrass disappeared.

Mrs. John T. Snodgrass, mother of the
girl, who went to the home of her son
near Berryville, Va., has just learned of
her daughter's disappearance. She has
been very ill and fears are felt for her
unless the mystery is solved.

DUNDAS FIREMAN INSTANTLY KILLED

Overcome by Smoke, He Falls
Into Ruins While Fight-
ing Fire.

[Canadian Press.]
Dundas, Ont., July 26.—Fireman
James Smith, of Dundas, was killed,
and damage amounting to more than
\$20,000, was caused in a fire at Jones
Bros.' factory here shortly after mid-
night.

Smith was on the roof of the fac-
tory, when he was overcome by smoke
and fell into the ruins, dying almost
instantly.

FEAR WHITE SLAVER TOOK GODERICH GIRL

And Her Lucknow Friend Under
Pretence of Situations in
Chicago.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Goderich, July 26.—Information was
laid before Crown Attorney Seager by
a local man that his daughter and her
friend, both young girls under sixteen
years of age, were spirited away to
Port Huron by a man who calls him-
self Henderson. Tickets were pur-
chased at the Grand Trunk office
here for Port Huron, and police here
wired several points along the bor-
der to arrest and hold them, as it is
suspected to be a case of white slave
traffic, and that the girls are being
tried to Chicago, under the pretence
that they are to be employed in a
Chicago restaurant. Both girls are
very prepossessing. Considerable ex-
citement prevails about town over the
disappearance of the two girls, and
word of their arrest is eagerly waited
for by the police here. One girl comes
from Lucknow.

NOT AT SARNIA.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, July 26.—The police were
notified yesterday to watch out for a
man and two girls coming from God-
erich, and bound for the States, via
the Grand Trunk Railway. A close
lookout was kept of all trains pass-
ing through here, but without suc-
cess in locating the two. It is believed
they have gone by way of Windsor.

WHY IS THE RANGE OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY SO MUCH GREATER AT NIGHT THAN BY DAY? Mr. Marconi, in a recent ad- dress, said that this fact, first noticed by him in 1902, is due to the ioniza- tion of the gaseous molecules of the air affected by ultra-violet light. "Ion- ization" is a term used in describing electrolytic decomposition. In ordinary language, the sun's rays seem to dis- solve the electrical potency just as they appear to kill the flames of a fire.

Three blind men were graduated this year from Columbia University in New York City. These young men took the regular four years' course. They asked no favors and received none ex- cept those which every considerate person extends to the afflicted. In the examinations the questions were read aloud to them and they were allowed to typewrite the answers. They have to a certain extent worked their way through college.

POLICE DISCHARGE DR. ETHEL SMYTH

Witnesses Fail to Identify Her
as the Alleged Suffragette
Incendiary.

[Canadian Press.]
Oxford, England, July 26.—Dr. Ethel
Smyth, the suffragette leader, who was
arrested on July 23, on a charge of
complicity in the attempt to burn down
the historic residence of Lewis Har-
court, secretary of state for the colonies,
at Nuneham Park, on July 13,
was discharged by the police magis-
trate today, owing to the failure to
witnesses to identify her.

Two women were seen in the
grounds of Mr. Harcourt's residence on
July 13 by the nightwatchman, and one
of them, Helen Craggs, a daughter of
Sir John Craggs, was arrested, while
the other escaped. Miss Craggs was
carrying a quantity of combustible ma-
terial and spirits.

WATERLOO, ONT., MAN SUICIDES AT DETROIT

Henry Bloom Destroys Himself
While Unbalanced by a
Severe Illness.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Detroit, Mich., July 26.—Henry
Bloom, 44 years old, formerly a resi-
dent of Waterloo, Ont., committed
suicide some time early Thursday
night by taking a dose of carbolic acid.
He was found lying on his bed, dead,
by one of the neighbors in the house in
which he roomed. It was at first
thought the cause of his death was
suspicious, and Detectives Sheppard
and Dible were sent to visit friends
and investigate. When they opened the
door of Bloom's room the odor of car-
bolic acid was so strong that it left
no doubt in their minds as to the
cause of death.

Coroner Rothacher made an investi-
gation and found that carbolic acid
was the cause of death. Bloom had
been very sick with rheumatism for
more than a week. Thursday he suf-
fered intense pain, and it is thought
the pain temporarily unbalanced his
mind. The body is at the Wayne
County morgue and the coroner is
trying to find relatives in Canada.

PAY SALARY OF A TRAFFIC MAN

Local Manufacturer Says Manufacturers
Should Do So in London.

A manufacturer stated to The Adver-
tiser this morning that the wholesale
and manufacturing interests could well
afford to pay the salary of an expert
traffic manager, to secure freight rates
and look after the railway business done
by the industrial interests of the city.

"I have recently been in one city
where an enormous saving was effected
for the manufacturers by the employ-
ment of a man who is a specialist on
rates and routes," said he. "Every
house in London has its traffic problems,
and there are few cities of this city's
size in the United States that do not
employ such an official."

VISITING BOWLER BITTEN BY DOG

Mr. Fred Tobias Injured at the Greens
Today.

Fred Tobias, one of the visiting bow-
lers with the Stamford Heathers' rink,
was bitten on the hand by a dog at the
bowling green this morning. Mr. Tobias
was bowling in the McNece competition
at the time, when two dogs began
barking on the green. He rushed to sepa-
rate the animals and grabbed hold of one
of them. The dog turned on him and
snapped at his hand, the animal's teeth
sinking into the flesh, and causing a
slight cut, besides tearing off some skin.

A LARGE GRIST

P. M. Judd Raked in the Coin at the
Police Court Today.

Police Magistrate Judd held quite
a lengthy session at the police court
this morning and as a result the funds
in the treasury were greatly aug-
mented.

CHifford Walters and Arthur Gray-
son, two taxi drivers, were fined five
dollars each for driving a taxi with-
out a number. James J. Paddy was
fined \$10 and costs for selling liquor to a
minor, and Kenneth Howell was fined
\$5 and costs for loitering in a bar-
room. Four others paid a total of \$24
to the court for acting in a disorderly
manner.

FIRE AT CLINTON

Barn of Prominent Horseman Was Very
Badly Damaged.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Clinton, July 26.—The big frame barn
of James Hamilton was badly damaged
by fire yesterday. His prize team was
away at the time. His loss will be
heavy.

The Hotel Normande is being put in
repair, and all traces of the recent fire
will soon disappear.

Mr. Grant Beaton has gone to Moose
Jaw on a visit.

Dr. Main son of Mr. T. K. Main, has
purchased a medical practice at Hen-
dall.

Mr. Robert Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs.
J. A. Irwin, and a former resident of
Clinton, leaves on Monday for Pincher
Creek, Alta., where he has been ap-
pointed by the Alberta Methodist con-
ference to the charge of a church for
the summer months. He will return
in the fall to attend college with a view
of entering the ministry.

The Huron Press Association is meet-
ing here today.

Professor Johnson is the latest inmate
at the House of Refuge. He hails from
Hay Township.

The officers installed at the regular
meeting of Clinton Lodge, I. O. O. F.,
were: P. G. Bro. Helmer; N. G. Bro.
Mitchell; V. G. Bro. Webster; R. S. Bro.
Gibbins; F. S. Bro. Wieman; treas-
urer, Bro. Chant; chaplain, Bro. Moore;
warden, Bro. H. I.; conductor, Bro.
Mutch; R. S. Bro. Twitcheil; R. S.
N. G. Bro. McLeod; L. S. V. G. Bro.
Mulholland; L. S. N. G. Bro. Alexander;
I. G. Bro. Kennedy; O. G. Bro. Kerr.

Mr. Thomas Walker, an old resident
of this town, had a stroke yesterday.
He is doing as well as can be expected.
Mrs. W. R. is well again from a pleas-
ant holiday trip to Winnipeg.

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Let the children make a Brownie
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Anyone can take pictures with a
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In natural linen shades. Up-to-
date and stylish. Regular \$6 value,
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EXCEPTIONAL CROPS AROUND THAMESFORD

Farmers Are Very Busy Cutting

REV. A. C. BINGHAM ORDAINED AT PETROLEA

Formally Takes Charge of Baptist Church Following an Impressive Ceremony.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Petrolea, July 26.—Petrolea Baptist Church was crowded to the doors last evening, when Rev. A. C. Bingham, who was recently appointed its pastor, took formal charge following his ordination before 40 delegates from the district in the afternoon.

Rev. J. H. Boyd, pastor of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, London, was moderator, and Rev. Mr. Delmas acted as secretary. Rev. A. C. Bingham was put through the usual examination, and answered all questions most satisfactorily. After devotional exercises had been conducted by Rev. Mr. Meade, of Watford, a special sermon was preached by Rev. William Walker, of the South London Baptist Church, and Rev. J. E. Hawkins, of Sarnia, conducted the ordination prayers. Rev. Thomas Bingham, father of the new pastor, read the charge to his son, and that to the congregation was read by Rev. W. Garrett, of Forest. In concluding, the moderator extended the right hand of fellowship to Rev. Mr. Bingham.

The evening program was largely of a social nature, and all spent a most enjoyable time.

ALL VEHICLES MUST STOP AT THE CORNERS

Traffic Bylaw To Be Amended and More Power To Be Given Police.

The city traffic bylaw will be amended, giving the policemen on duty at the corner of Richmond and Dundas streets full authority to control all vehicular traffic there, including street cars, motors, etc.

City Engineer Wright brought the matter to the attention of the board of works last night, and made this suggestion. He also thought that all vehicles should stop at the corner, and not proceed until the officer on duty gave the signal. The committee agreed to this, and recommended to the council that the bylaw be thus amended. Aid. Coles thought that an officer should be stationed at the corner of King and Richmond streets on market days. This will be done also.

On the recommendation of City Engineer Wright, the walk on north Dundas street, between Park avenue and Wellington, will be replaced. This portion was overlooked when the by-laws were prepared before. Cheapside street will be graded, on the recommendation of City Engineer Wright, to conform with the street railway company's track.

Mr. Wright stated that no communication had been received from the Grand Trunk Railway relative to the dray stand matter, and it was allowed to stand over.

Those present were Aid. Robinson (chairman), Aid. Coles, Aid. Blandford, Aid. Moore, City Engineer Wright, and Secretary S. Baker.

JOHN D. SPENDS FORTUNE TO SECURE PRIVACY

Using \$200,000 Per Month to Extend Restricted Area Around Home.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, July 26.—John D. Rockefeller is making determined efforts to stop the advance of business into the private residence district where his house is located. For a long time retail trade has been slowly moving up Fifty-fourth street toward the Rockefeller home, but the Rockefeller agents have been watching the movement, and during the past few months have been bidding in every parcel that was offered for sale at a price higher than the business buyer cared to pay.

Mr. Rockefeller's most recent purchase in this district, closed this week, is of a four-story brown-stone mansion just west of his home. This is his fifth investment on the street, and it extends a considerable distance in the restricted area which he has put around the houses of himself and his son. The Rockefeller plan is an expensive one, although his brokers have obtained one or two of the parcels at bargain prices. They are spending at the present rate about \$200,000 a month to accomplish the oil man's purpose.

SWEEPING ADVANCE IN FREIGHT RATES

American Transcontinental Lines Put Up Figures 100 Per Cent. in Some Cases.

[Canadian Press.]
San Francisco, July 25.—The announcement of a sweeping advance in transcontinental freight rates, in some instances amounting to as much as 100 per cent., was made today by the general offices of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe Railway Companies, following the receipt here of advance copies of the new rate tariffs from eastern officials. These increases are due, so the companies state, to the right enforcement of long and short hauls, and successful complaint of intermediate points against terminal rates based on water competition. Eastbound rates are principally affected, particularly as to shipments in less than carload lots. All California products going east after Aug. 19 will move under an advance ranging from 50 to 100 per cent. On Sept. 2 the westbound rates become operative at a sufficient increase to destroy all the benefit of the water competition now enjoyed by shippers. Western-bound charges are less radical than the eastbound, ranging from about 25 to 40 per cent. The tariff includes all classes of goods.

MIXED.
[Satire.]

Young Doctor—Your pulse is 150.

Patient—Impossible, doctor.

Young Doctor—Of course. How stupid of me! I was counting both hands on your wrist.

LAST DAYS OF Raphael & Co.'s SEMI-ANNUAL SWEEP-OUT SALE

The Most Sensational Values Ever Offered in Women's Garments

OUR BIG SALE has been a great success this year. More people have come, more have bought, but we bought very heavily this year and still have a lot of goods which must be sold before we can display our Fall Goods.

We have re-marked every garment in the store and offer you new stylish Goods of this season's make at half, a third or a quarter of their value. Come at once.

Everything Must Go In This Final Clearance Look at These Prices! Come and See the Values!

SKIRTS

50 Linen and Duck Waist Skirts, in plain tailored styles; a few pleated, in white, tan and colors; all sizes, 21 to 32 waist. Regular \$1.50 values, at..... **79c**

50 Bedford Cord Skirts, trimmed with large pearl buttons, made in popular panel back and front styles, all sizes and cheap at \$2.50 regular price. Now..... **\$1.19**

50 English Repp Wash Skirts, also a few linen and khaki, in new, stylish models; all sizes. Splendid fitting. Worth \$2.50, at..... **\$1.29**

25 High-Grade Skirts of corduroy, Bedford cord and imported repp, perfect make and finish, all in latest styles, great value. Regular up to \$5.00, priced now at..... **\$1.98**

WASH SUITS

20 Wash Suits of imported repp and linen, made in neat plain tailored styles, perfect fitting. Worth up to \$6.50. We sell them now at less than value of the skirt..... **\$1.98**

15 Linen Suits, in stylish models, imported from New York, in white, tan, blue and navy, some in Norfolk style. Worth up to \$10.00, on sale at..... **\$2.95**

10 Cream Serge Suits of all-wool imported material, made in neat tailored styles, silk lined, splendidly made. Worth up to \$18.00, on sale at..... **\$5.95**

6 Summer Suits of silk and satin, in black, navy and colors. Every one different, splendid, stylish garments. Worth up to \$40, on sale at..... **\$9.90**

DRESSES

25 Wash Dresses of duck, percale and linen, in all shades, made in all the latest styles of the season. Values up to \$3.00, must be sold at..... **\$1.19**

75 Wash Dresses of gingham, linen, percale, madras, in solid colors, checks and stripes, well made, perfect fitting and up to the minute in style. Worth up to \$4.50, must be sold at..... **\$1.69**

50 Wash Dresses, of finest quality linen, Bedford cord, French gingham and repp, latest New York styles, all sizes, assorted colors. Regularly worth up to \$7.50, must be sold at..... **\$2.75**

25 Lingerie Dresses, in white, pink, sky, ecru and mauve, assorted sizes and styles. Many handsome garments in this lot. Worth up to \$8.50, must be sold at..... **\$1.79**

50 Lingerie Dresses, in white, allover embroideries, fine dainty mull and marquisette, all New York made and in the latest styles. Worth up to \$10.00, must be sold at..... **\$2.95**

50 Beautiful Dresses, made in the finest summer materials, all sizes, all made in the latest styles. Values up to \$15.00. These must be sold at..... **\$4.98**

35 Silk Dresses, in messaline, foulard, eolienne and taffeta, all in the latest styles, all sizes, all colors. Worth up to \$20.00, must go now at..... **\$5.98**

12 Cream Serge Dresses, made in the latest styles of finest imported worsteds, mostly with black hair-line. Worth \$15.00, final clearing price only..... **\$5.75**

COATS

Serge Coats, worth \$10.00, full length, plain and fancy collars; black, navy and colors..... **\$2.95**

Ladies' Raincoats, worth \$12, of English proofed cashmeres, also a few in silk, assorted colors and sizes. On sale at..... **\$5.69**

Taffeta Coats, in richly embroidered styles; full length; \$12.50 values. Sweep-Out price..... **\$5.75**

Handsome Satin, Peau de Soie and Silk Repp Coats, made in a variety of new designs. Values up to \$20, sweep-out price..... **\$7.69**

Imported Summer Weight Coats of voile, satin and peau de soie, very stylish and exclusive. Sweep-out price only..... **\$9.95**

Linen and Duck Wash Coats, suitable for motoring, well made and serviceable. Worth \$3.50, sweep-out price..... **\$1.98**

Summer Coats of imported Horrocks' repp, in tan, trimmed with black. A very handsome Coat at \$5, sweep-out price..... **\$2.49**

Natural Linen Coats of heavy quality imported material, trimmed with black or colors. Worth \$9.50, sweep-out price..... **\$2.95**

Handsome Coats of fine quality mercerized repp, poplin and rajah, assorted styles, all sizes. Sweep-out price..... **\$3.89**

Handsome Serge Coats, in new styles, black, navy and gray colors, all sizes and assorted styles. Worth up to \$15.00, sweep-out price..... **\$7.98**

WAISTS

25 Middy Waists, of white duck, trimmed with navy, red and sky, well made, perfect fitting and worth \$1.00. On sale at..... **59c**

50 Waists, in Norfolk coat style, lingerie and allover embroidery, all styles and all sizes. Worth up to \$2.50 each, on sale at..... **98c**

30 Silk, Marquisette and Lingerie Waists, of fine quality imported styles, splendid make and fit. Worth up to \$4.00, on sale now at..... **\$1.69**

50 Waists of finest quality materials, in lingerie, embroidery voile, paillette and messaline, tailored and fancy styles, all sizes. On sale at..... **\$1.98**

UNDERSKIRTS

40 Black Sateen Underskirts, in neat style, well made and perfect fitting, all sizes. Worth 75c, on sale at..... **39c**

30 Heatherbloom Underskirts, in black only, splendidly made, perfect fitting and great values at our regular price of \$2.25. On sale at..... **\$1.19**

25 Taffeta Underskirts in black, and colors, of excellent quality materials, several handsome styles all splendidly made and worth \$5 to \$6. On sale at..... **\$2.49**

30 Silk Underskirts, of messaline, jersey top, paillette and chiffon taffeta, in black, navy, royal blue, green, purple and light shades. Some worth as much as \$8.00, on sale at..... **\$2.95**

LOOK FOR THE BIG BLUE SIGN RAPHAEL & CO. 236-238 DUNDAS STREET



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GRAFTON & CO. LIMITED.

Great Half-Yearly Sale

Is Now On in Earnest

Tomorrow (Saturday) Will Be a Great Day for Bargains in London's Greatest Clothing Store

Twice each year—in January and July—all GRAFTON Clothes that have failed of purchasers up to that time are given a tremendous price-impulse, and they GO!

The careful man who has worn last Summer's Suit waiting for this sale, the fickle man who is tired of the suit he has and wants a change, the average man who feels the absolute necessity of a change to lighter garb and ALL MEN WHO HAVE A NOSE FOR GOOD BARGAINS will find this sale full of opportunities.

\$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.00 Suits have been reduced to
\$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98

\$14.00, \$15.00, \$16.00 and \$18.00 Suits have been reduced to
\$8.98, \$9.98, \$10.98, \$11.98, \$12.98

\$20.00, \$22.00 and \$24.00 Suits have been reduced to
\$14.98, \$15.98 and \$16.98

Men's and Young Men's Trousers at Greatly Reduced Prices

REGULAR \$1.25 TROUSERS FOR 67c.
 REGULAR \$1.50 TROUSERS FOR 98c.
 REGULAR \$1.95 TROUSERS FOR \$1.29.
 REGULAR \$3.00 TROUSERS FOR \$1.98.
 REGULAR \$4.00 TROUSERS FOR \$2.48.
 REGULAR \$4.50 TROUSERS FOR \$2.98.
 REGULAR \$5.50 TROUSERS FOR \$3.98.
 In Tweeds, Fancy Worsteds, Homespuns, Serges, etc., with or without cuff bottoms.

Parents, if you appreciate saving money and giving the youngsters plenty summer comfort, here's a treat—

1,000 Boys' Washable Suits For Less Than Cost of Production
69c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.95

Few of the Many Special Features in Our Men's Furnishing Dept.

\$2, \$2.50, \$3 Straw Hats for \$1
 A clearance of odd lines and sizes of fine Milan and Sennitt Straw Sailors and Boaters.

SILK NECKWEAR, 39c
 This lot includes many of the best-selling shades of the past season. Not a tie in the lot worth less than 50c.

WASH TIES 10c EACH, OR 3 FOR 25c.

These would be great value at double the money.

LISLE THREAD SOCKS, 3 PAIRS FOR 50c.

These are regular 25c value and we have them in a big range of colors, including plain black.

BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR, 25c GARMENT.

Size 34 to 42, in fine Egyptian balbriggan, shirts and drawers, of regular 40c value.

UMBRELLAS, \$1.00.

Our range at this price is, without a doubt, greater than any in London.

CANVAS HATS, 39c.

For boating or outings of any kind, a feather-weight hat for little money.

COTTON SOCKS, 10c PAIR.

Another shipment of Black Cotton Socks, with balbriggan feet. Regular 25c value, for 10c pair.

GRAFTON & CO. LIMITED.

\$250,000 FUND FOR THE DEFENCE

Rosenthal's Alleged Murderers Will Give the Prosecution a Big Fight.

ASSESSMENTS ARE LEVIED

Whitman Now Believes He Can Get "The Goods" on High Police Officers.

New York, July 26.—A fund of \$250,000 has been raised to defend the gamblers and gang fighters, accused of being agents of the police system. While the killing of Herman Rosenthal by their opponents the police are sending broadcast descriptions of men suspected of the actual crime. Their search has narrowed down to five men: Whitey Lewis, gambler and gun fighter, alleged by the police to be one of the actual slayers of Rosenthal, reported to be in Chicago.

Harry "Big Back" Zelig, declared to be one of the slayers.

"Lefty" Lowmy, gun man and gangster, supposed to be one of the slayers.

"Dago" Frank, right name undisclosed, also suspected of the actual crime.

Samuel Schepps, gambler, now missing, supposed to be one of the men in the gray car, in which the assassins escaped.

The police are also trying to secure a confession from Louis Webber, owner of the gambling den, where the assassins met before killing Rosenthal. It was rumoured that he was ready to tell all he knew.

Wife Urges Confession.
 Webber's decision to inform on his accomplices was hastened, it is said, by a visit made to him in the prison by his young wife. She urged him to accept District Attorney Whitman's offer of immunity for his confession. It is believed, too, that the man to accept the offer.

Sam Paul, the gang leader, now under arrest, is the most defiant prisoner ever taken. To show his contempt for the law, he refused to pay the \$10,000 to the \$250,000 fund for the defense of the men now under arrest, and any others who may be taken into custody.

After Men Higher Up.
 District Attorney Whitman believes today that from the bits of evidence gleaned here and there he will be able to show that the "police system" and even those higher up than Becker, were behind the plot to silence Rosenthal before he could make further gambling revelations.

From Harry Vallon, gambler, and one of the occupants of the "death car," the public prosecutor has learned further facts that implicate Rose. It is charged that he acted for Police Lieutenant Becker, and hired the automobile that took the gunmen to the scene of the shooting. Mrs. Rosenthal, widow of the gambler, told the grand jury that Rose was Becker's closest friend, and charged that Rose was the lieutenant's gambling house collector.

Expects Full Confession.
 With arrests of other gunmen the public prosecutor expects to learn enough to involve Rose further in the plot and by so doing force him to make a full confession and reveal those who were behind the killing.

William Shapiro, driver of the "death car," and Louis Libby, one of the car's owners, will probably be permitted to turn state's evidence, counsel for the defense has informed the public prosecutor that Shapiro knows all the men who were in the car, and that if he does not know their names he will be able to identify them.

Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty made it clear that he was questioning every one connected in the case as to their relations with Lieut. Becker.

"So far," said Dougherty, "I have discovered nothing in this case either for or against Lieut. Becker."

Meanwhile, the gambling situation and the revelations made by Rosenthal was continued today, and there were reports that important indictments would be found.

Vallon Tells Story.
 Harry Vallon, partner of "Bridge" Webber in numerous gambling ventures, who gave himself up on a charge of complicity, yesterday made full confession to District Attorney Whitman, according to Dougherty.

A short time after Vallon reached the prosecutor's office two stenographers were summoned and five central office detectives were called to be ready to make new arrests as the information contained in Vallon's confession could be transferred into warrants.

Philip Friedman, a gambler now in jail, was also questioned.

A WINNING START

A Perfectly Digested Breakfast Makes Nerve Force for the Day.

Everything goes wrong if the breakfast lies in your stomach like a mud pie. What you eat does harm if you can't digest it—it turns to poison.

A bright lady teacher found that to be true, even of an ordinary light breakfast of eggs and toast. She says: "Two years ago I contracted a very annoying form of indigestion. My stomach was in such condition that simple breakfasts of fruit, toast and eggs gave me great distress."

"I was slow to believe that trouble could come from such a simple diet, but finally had to give it up, and found a great change upon a cup of hot Postum and Grape-Nuts with cream, for my morning meal. For more than a year I have held to this course and have not varied except when injudiciously varying my diet."

"I have been a teacher for several years and find that my easily digested breakfast means a saving of nervous force for the entire day. My gain of ten pounds in weight also causes me to want to testify to the value of Grape-Nuts."

"Grape-Nuts holds first rank at our table." Name given by Canadian Postum Company, Windsor, Ont.

There's a Reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in packages.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

The Tombs on a charge of carrying concealed weapons has added to the general graft disclosures by declaring that he had been "put out of the way" because it was feared that he would give evidence of graft paid by "Dollars John" Langen to high police officials.

District Attorney Whitman yesterday expressed the belief that Lieut. Becker, if granted immunity, will lay bare the entire network of graft and corruption which made necessary the police "system" the removal of Rosenthal. Whether Becker testifies before the grand jury or not, however, Lieut. Costigan and Reilly have expressed their willingness to tell why certain places were raided while others escaped, and who got the money for the immunity granted certain resorts. Each of these men is the head of a raiding squad whose business it is supposed to be to keep New York free from gambling dens.

Detectives learned yesterday who contributes to the "death fund" of \$2,000, which was raised to put Rosenthal out of the way. The men and the amounts they gave were as follows: "Bridge" Webber, \$1,000; Sam Paul, \$500 each. The men to whom this money was paid and the amounts each received were: Whitey Lewis, \$1,000; "Lefty" Lowmy, \$500; Harry Horowitz, ("Gib the Blood"), \$300, one other, name unrevealed, \$300, and Willie Shapiro, driver of the gray death car, \$50.

EMPIRE PROBLEM MUST BE SOLVED

Bonar Law Says Peace of the World Hinges On Canada's Co-operation With Britain.

London, July 25.—Bonar Law, who followed Premier Asquith's speech in the House of Commons on imperial defence, expressed special pleasure at the participation of the self-governing dominions in the peace conference and a tribute to Hon. Mr. Borden, who, he said, had shown real anxiety to assist.

It was most important to have Canada's co-operation in peace, and if there was war within the empire the problem of her participation in the foreign and naval policy could and must stand for the continued existence of the British Empire, and for the peace of the world.

Hon. Mr. Borden occupied a seat in the distinguished strangers' gallery.

Fears Financial Disaster.
 The secretary of foreign affairs, Sir Edward Grey, expressed the belief that there were forces at work which would influence the expenditure on armaments, and diminish the prospects of war, and that an increase in the financial burden would make itself felt, and as armaments increased it would more and more be borne by the people that to use for war the enormous machinery which had been created was bound to produce financial catastrophe.

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MEXICO WIPING OUT NOTORIOUS PRISONS

The New Government Is Doing Away With Infamous Dungeons.

Mexico City, July 25.—San Juan de Ulua, at Vera Cruz, which for two centuries and a half under Spanish and Mexican rule, has been a military prison, will soon have no more of errors for the criminal, provided the National Assembly consents to the necessary laws for its abolition now under consideration.

President Madero during an inspection of the prison while he was president-elect, promised the prisoners that he would see that they were transferred to some more habitable place, but the move has met with difficulties. The only federal prison available for the transfer was the Castle of Perote, in the state of Vera Cruz, near the divide on the Gulf slope, which was found to be too small, and until after many alterations were authorized, could not be transfer the prisoners to the islands of the Three Marias, off the Pacific coast, opposite San Blas, Tepic, was also met by the undesirable of mingling the more hardened criminals with the minors, both men and women, for whom the island colony is now reserved.

Quintana Roo, the other Mexican penal colony, has been condemned on account of the insanitary conditions there, and is already full. If the necessary appropriation is voted, houses of correction will be built in various parts of the republic for the reception of those now sent to the Marias, which will allow the men and women to be segregated. This will make possible the transfer of the prisoners in San Juan de Ulua.

The old fort of San Juan, the Morro Castle, Mexico, has always held for the political offender and the evil-doer all the horror inspired by the Bastille or the Tower of London. It is built on an island in the bay at Vera Cruz, about a mile from the shore, and comparatively few of the thousands who have entered its gates have come forth alive. Many of the cells are partially under water when the tide is full, and the interior ones are veritable dungeons without light or ventilation. In these in Spanish times the prisoners were confined, the water reaching to their waists.

Under Mexican rules these lower cells are said to have been abandoned to a few months' imprisonment in the least insanitary portions of the grewsome fort, overrun with vermin and reeking in the fifth of century meant a lingering death, and many of Mexico's political prisoners have dropped from sight within its walls.

cornerstone of the castle was laid by the Spaniards in 1528. Its foundations alone are said to have cost more than \$1,000,000 gold, and the cost more than \$20,000,000 gold. The fact that the castle is still in use is evidence of the construction was done. Escape from the place is impossible, not only on account of the guard which is maintained, but because of the sharks which infest the waters of the harbor.

San Juan was the last stronghold of the Spaniards in Mexico when the Mexicans triumphed in the War of Independence in 1821. Their last act before evacuation was to turn the guns of the fort on the city of Vera Cruz.

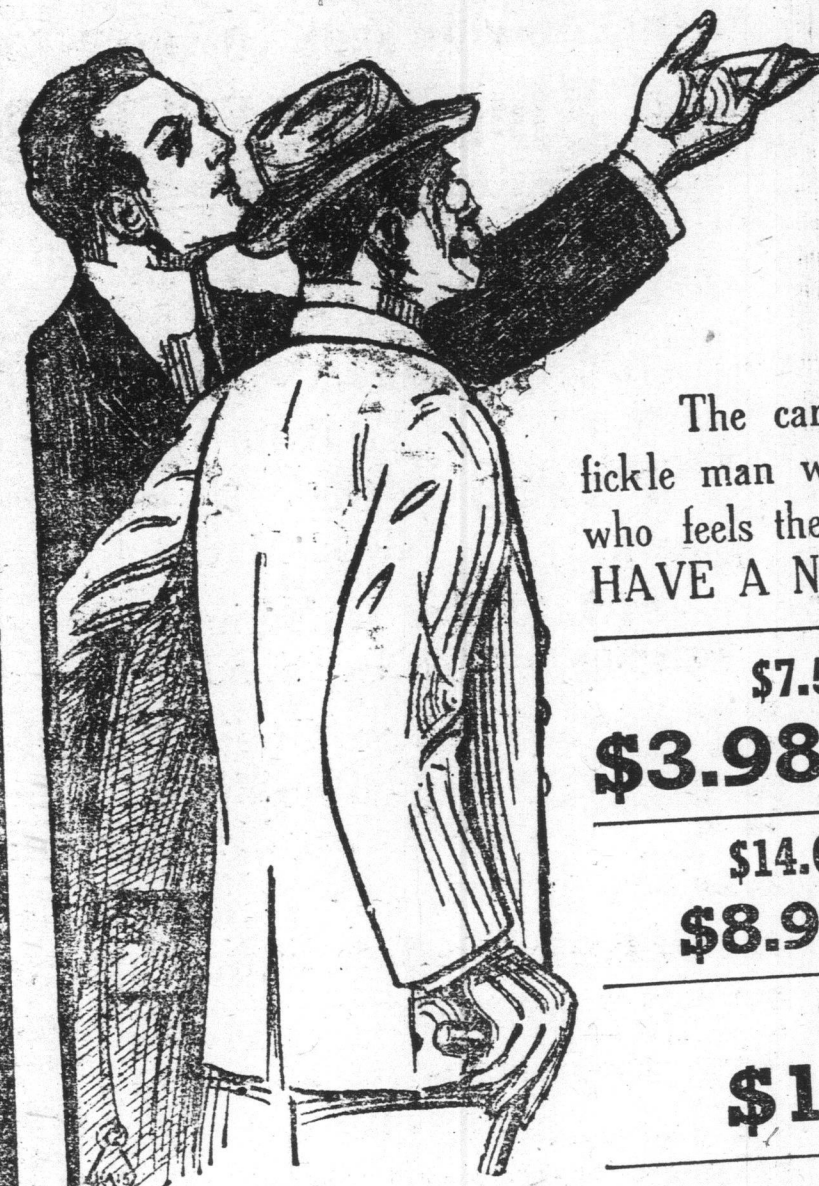


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TWO-CENT POSTAGE CANADA TO FRANCE

Postmaster-General Pelletier To Confer With French Government on the Matter.

Paris, July 25.—The Canadian Postmaster-General, Hon. Louis Philippe Pelletier, arrived here this evening. He was met by a representative of Premier Poincaré, the Canadian commissioner to France, Dr. Philippe Roy, and the secretary of the Franco-American committee, Gabriel Louis Jaray.

The principal object of Mr. Pelletier's visit is to arrange if possible with M. Chaumet, under-secretary of posts and telegraphs, for a reduction in cable rates, and for the introduction of a two-cent postage between Canada and France. The Postmaster-General will be joined Saturday by the Canadian Premier, Hon. Robert L. Borden, the Canadian Minister of Justice, Hon. C. J. Doherty; the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. J. Douglas Hazen, and Hon. A. E. Kemp, minister without portfolio.

Mr. Hazen will confer with M. Delcasse, the French minister of marine, on the subject of reciprocal shipping regulations, notably with respect to an increase in the number of lifeboats on steamships plying between France and Canada, and on the possibilities of lightly attired as possible. They work clothes as possible.

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"The Cleveland Hardware Company, however," he said, "has always led the city in welfare work for its employees. The women do not work near the fires. They are contented with their job. They have done that work for ten years. The Cleveland Hardware Company welcomes inspection of its plant."

Other plants made the same denials. Mr. Thomas maintains Mrs. Constant will improve conditions for these working women if kept in her position.

A Woman of Few Words

Mrs. Harry E. Bye, Main street north, Mount Forest, Ont., writes: "Your remedy for kidney, bladder and stomach trouble has given me great relief. Have taken three boxes and now feel like living and better than I have felt for years, and I give your

FIG PILLS

all the praise, for they are the best I have ever tried." At all dealers, 25 and 50 cents, or The Fig Pill Company, St. Thomas, Ont. Sold in London by Taylors, 100, Strand, W.C.

WOMEN IRON WORKERS

Do Heavy Work of Men in Plants at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 25.—Harry B. Thomas, secretary of the Cleveland Federation of Labor, which is leading the fight to keep Mrs. Rose Constant, health board factory inspector, in her job, charged today that women are working in iron foundries at men's work, handling heavy masses of metal and laboring lightly clad, like men, owing to the great heat.

Thomas said several hundred women are employed in the plant of the Cleveland Hardware Company, the Upson Nut Company, Lamson & Sons Company, and the National Screw and Tack Company.

"The women work under great heat," said Mr. Thomas, "and lift hundreds of pounds of metal in a day. They perspire freely and work as lightly attired as possible. They work

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News From Western Ontario

AUTOMOBILE NO. 6836 WANTED BY POLICE

Driver Alleged To Have Monopolized Road and Caused Serious Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ingersoll, July 25.—The police are desirous of ascertaining the name of the owner of an automobile carrying number 6836. On Tuesday of this week James Mann was injured near Bond's Corners when the automobile struck a vehicle in which he was riding with a friend. It is alleged that the driver of the automobile monopolized the road, with the result mentioned, although the occupants of the buggy endeavored to get out of the way and give him the regulation space in which to pass. In consequence of the collision Mr. Mann was hurled into a barbed wire fence at the roadside and sustained painful injuries to his leg. He has reported the matter to the police and they are making an investigation.

Dedication Service.
Judging from the interest the public has shown in the remodeling of the Salvation Army barracks there will be large crowds present at the reopening ceremonies on Saturday and Sunday. The dedication service will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the Coleridge mission. At other prominent citizens will take part. The Woodstock Salvation Army Silver Band will be present.

Wm. Eagan has informed Chief of Police Fysh that he was robbed of \$18.40 on the street Wednesday night. Eagan is employed by Mr. Peter Cuthbert, and claims to have been "touched" between the corner of King and Oxford streets and the postoffice corner.

Will Be Prosecuted.
Now that an example has been made of an automobile which is expected that no further difficulty will be experienced so far as local motorists are concerned. In these days when so many tourists are going through the town and of them think of speed only, and they will have to keep down the "power," or they will be prosecuted.

Yesterday being the second of the weekly half-holidays, quite a number of citizens made pleasant trips out of town. Several enjoyable picnics were held, among them being the annual outing of the Victoria House Mission Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, who spent a delightful time at Fairmount Park, Beechville. A number of anglers also spent the afternoon on the banks of the river and near-by streams.

MELBOURNE WEDDING
Miss Margaret McDougall was married to James E. Drinkwater. [Special to The Advertiser.]
Melbourne, July 25.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McDougall, Melbourne, recently, when their eldest daughter, Margaret Isabel, was married to Mr. James Ernest Drinkwater, manager of the Union Bank, Melbourne. The ceremony was performed in the drawing-room before a bank of ferns and flowers, by Rev. Mr. Baker, in the presence of only the immediate relatives and friends.

The bride was beautifully gowned in ivory duchess satin, with trimmings of pearls and baby Irish lace, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley. Miss Alma Norworthy, of St. Thomas, who acted as bridesmaid, wore white satin, with crystal trimmings, and carried pink roses.

After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served, the tables being tastefully decorated with sweet peas and ferns. The groom's gift to the bride was a necklace of pearls, and to the bridesmaid a pearl pendant.

LEAVING PALMERSTON
Councillor Hess Will Leave Very Shortly For Alberta.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Palmerston, July 25.—A vacancy has been caused in the Palmerston Town Council by the removal of Mr. L. R. Hess to Brooks, Alta. A public meeting of the electors will be held in the Council Hall of the Public Library at 7:30 Monday evening, July 29, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of councillor.

Mr. T. H. Kay, formerly editor of the Palmerston Spectator, spent a few days here recently. Mr. Kay is now advertising manager for a Medicine Hat daily. He has again returned to Medicine Hat.

Rev. R. Thynne has been filling the pulpit in Lucknow. Mr. Thynne has been preaching in Lucknow not less than a dozen times the past year.

BRUCEFIELD.
Brucefield, July 25.—Miss Nettie Simpson is having an outing at Port Elgin.

Mr. Andrew Murdoch, of Detroit, who has been holidaying here, has returned to the city.

VARNA GARDEN PARTY
A GREAT SUCCESS
Presbyterian Social Held in Grove Was Very Largely Attended.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Varna, July 25.—The garden party held last night under the auspices of the Varna Presbyterian Church in Mr. T. J. Ash's beautiful grove was a decided success, notwithstanding the threatening weather. The receipts were over \$100. A splendid supper was provided by the ladies of the congregation. The Citizens' Band of Clinton delighted the large gathering with a fine program.

Mr. Reid, classical master in Windsor Collegiate Institute, is holidaying at his old home on the Bayfield road.

Mrs. Workman, mother of Mrs. Arch. McGregor, passed away on Monday morning. The funeral, conducted by Rev. Mr. Snowdon, was held yesterday from her daughter's home, Mrs. Butts, of Kippin, to the Rodgerville Cemetery.

The football match between the Varna team and the Blake team on Friday evening at Blake's residence in the Peter Douglas, of Blake, left for Godrich, where they took the boat for Detroit. They intend visiting friends in Detroit and other places in Michigan.

DORCHESTER.
Dorchester, July 25.—Miss Pearson, of the postoffice, is attending the funeral of her grandfather, Mr. Thos. Pearson, of Kintore, who was killed on Tuesday by falling from a ladder in the barn and having his neck broken.

Dr. and Mrs. Banghart have returned from their holidays. The doctor attended the recent Masonic convention at Toronto while absent, and was appointed D. D. G. M. while there, while there.

Mrs. Joseph Wilkins is visiting her sister in Toronto, accompanied by little Miss Margaret.

On Tuesday last Miss Jessie L. Hamby left on an extended visit to Vaudreuil, Que., where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ambrose, at her summer home.

The Mission Circle of the Methodist Church held its annual picnic at the home of Mr. Wm. Oliver on Wednesday afternoon. A large number attended and had a very pleasant outing.

The corner-stone of the new English Church will be laid by Bishop Williams next Tuesday, July 30.

APPIN.
Aplin, July 25.—Miss Irene Campbell is visiting in Bothwell.

Mrs. Knight, of London, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Archie McFee, in London.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor have returned from New York.

Mr. F. E. Perrie and Miss Sarah Howe were united in marriage by Rev. U. Campbell on Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents.

KOMOKA.
Komoka, July 25.—Mrs. Pegler, of Blackwell, is visiting friends in Komoka.

Mrs. McStevens, of Piapot, Sask., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stilson.

Miss Mary Smith has secured a situation in London in Mr. Thompson's store.

Master Cecil Swales has returned home after spending a year in Saskatchewan.

Miss Lily Sinclair is spending her vacation at her old home here, but will leave shortly for Red Deer, where she has secured a school.

Mr. George Stilson, of Hamilton, visited recently with relatives here.

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\$14 Blue Suits, \$10.80

A full range of sizes, 34 to 44. Fine twill imported wool serge, also a big range of colors at this price.

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Bench-tailored, guaranteed shape-retaining, about eighteen suits in the lot, including a few blues and blacks. These are the best tailored goods turned out in Canada.

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\$1.98 for Suits up to \$3.25.
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Boys' Guaranteed Stockings. 25c
Boys' Caps. 10c to 50c
Boys' Blouses. 25c to 69c
Boys' Summer Jerseys. 19c
1,000 pairs Bloomers and Knickers. 22c to 34c

A Whirlwind Trouser Sale

\$3.00 Wool Worsted Trousers. \$1.98
\$3.50 handsome patterns, assorted shades. \$2.20
\$5.00 and \$5.50 Trousers, another big range for Saturday. \$3.50
\$1.50 Work Trousers. 98c
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TEESWATER WOMAN WAS BADLY HURT

Thrown Against Telegraph Pole
When Horse Shied at Log on Road.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Teeswater, July 25.—Mrs. Charles Thompson, who resides in the south end of the town, met with a very painful accident recently. She was out driving, when suddenly the horse shied at a log by the side of the road, upsetting the rig, and throwing the woman forcibly against a telephone pole. The bones in her nose were broken, and her hip so severely cut, the doctor had to put several stitches in it. Many local complaints have been made about roads being a dumping ground for a lot of rubbish, and an action for damages is not unlikely.

Local machine dealers are busy fitting up and sending away harvesting machines, and in a few more days the grain cutting will be in full swing.

Mr. A. M. Babb has been to Elveth, attending the funeral of his sister, L. A. Brink is still shipping last year's hay by the carload to Toronto and other points.

George Campbell, who has been principal of Leamington High School for several years past, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

broken into on Wednesday night and robbed of \$45.

Miss Jean Little, of Toledo, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Little.

Miss Beattie Power is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Scurr, Marine City.

Mr. N. H. Ruthven, of Chatham, spent Wednesday here.

Mr. D. McQuire spent a few days in Windsor recently.

Mr. H. Poussett, of Sarnia, was here today.

The Wednesday afternoon excursion which was to have been on the steamer Conger, was postponed on account of the weather.

Mr. Chas. Jackson has sold his residence on Quality Point to Mr. A. Parker.

WESTERN CROPS PROMISE TO BREAK ALL RECORDS

Yield Per Acre Is Expected To Be the Greatest Ever Known.

Winnipeg, July 25.—Thus far there is nothing untoward against a good crop production this year. Fears of black rust have not yet materialized, but the weather still causes anxiety in parts.

In Saskatchewan rain is very general over the province, and if such weather continues it will seriously delay the ripening of the crops.

There seems to be a very general opinion among farmers from all sections of the province, crop experts, elevator companies and farmers' organizations, that this year's crop will be the largest ever grown in Western Canada, in which the Provincial Department of Agriculture of Manitoba coincides.

Not only will the total yield be the largest, but, judging by present conditions, the yield per acre will outstrip all previous performances. One of the best-known agriculturists of Western Canada states that harvest of the various crops will take place during the following periods: Barley, commence Aug. 1, completed Aug. 20; fall wheat, Aug. 10 to 25; spring wheat, Aug. 18 to Sept. 10; flax, Aug. 23 to Sept. 10; oats, Aug. 25 to Sept. 15.

This will put all grains in stock by the middle of September, fully three weeks ahead of the ordinary season.

ENGINEERS' CONVENTION
Officers Elected and Place Chosen for Next Meeting.

Belleville, July 25.—The 23rd annual convention of the Canadian Association of Stationary Engineers was brought to a close this afternoon. The closing session was the installing of the officers for the ensuing year, being as follows: Past president, W. Norris, Chatham; president, J. A. Robertson, Stratford; vice-president, S. Conford, London; conductor, F. Cheshire, Belleville; doorkeeper, H. L. Bishop, Hamilton; secretary, A. Costello, Stratford; treasurer, W. E. Archer, Toronto.

A past president's jewel was presented to the retiring secretary, Mr. W. A. Crockett, and a bar was ordered to be placed on a past president's try.

THE WAR IN MEXICO

Foreigners in Panio Through Fear of Expected Battle.

[Canadian Press.]
Torreón, Mexico, July 25.—Foreigners are abandoning again the city of Torreón, to the northeast of here, owing to an impending clash between the federal troops and numerous bands of rebels in the vicinity. The railroad to the north was opened today as far as Santa Rosalia, and communication has been restored between here and Mexico City.

A force of 3,000 federal troops, commanded by General Joaquín Telloz and Gen. Antonio Rabago is reported to have arrived at Pedernales, to the southwest of Chihuahua City, without encountering any rebels. Bachima, to the north, and Jimulco Noria and Otto, to the south, are reported to have been abandoned by the rebels, who lately occupied them.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold all over the world.

MOTORISTS FINED.
Quebec, July 25.—Eight automobilists were condemned today to pay a fine of \$20 and costs for excessive speed. Judge Langellier, who fined them, declared that he would condemn any one who ran an automobile more than nine miles an hour in the city, and more than fifteen miles in the country.

Give Your Feet a Chance

If you will give your feet half as much attention as you do your face, you will not have foot troubles. Your poor down-trodden feet go limping along because you do not try Foot Elm. Get a 25c box at Taylor Drug Company and it will give you wonderful satisfaction.

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MILDMAY WEDDING

Miss Hilda Clapp Becomes Bride of Mr. W. Bradford.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Mildmay, July 25. — The wedding was solemnized at the home of Dr. Clapp at noon on Thursday of his eldest daughter, Hilda, and Mr. W. Bradford, of Rainy River. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Ferguson, of the Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Bradford left on the afternoon train for their home in Rainy River.

Bishop Dowling was unable to be here for the laying of the cornerstone of the new church, and Rev. Dean Forster, of New Hamburg, officiated. Supper was served to a large number, and from various booths and other sources \$1,000 was obtained, which will go to the building fund.

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Elected Secretary.
Nilestown Lodge, No. 345, A. F. and A. M., has elected Wm. Bro. C. G. Carlton, of this city, as secretary.

Sunday Band Concert.
A band concert will be given in Victoria Park Sunday night, if the weather permits. Mrs. Kingsmill acknowledges the sum of \$2 received from a friend toward the concert fund.

Christian Workers' Picnic.
The Christian Workers, the number of 125 picnicked at Springbank on Thursday and spent a most enjoyable afternoon. The outing was in the hands of Mr. Leslie Barton and Percy Graham, and these gentlemen deserve credit for the way they handled things. No sports were held, but a pleasant feature of the day was the launch ride which the picnickers enjoyed in Mr. Jackson's boat, the Adelaide.

Auto Ride at 99.
Mrs. Ann Beattie, of 50 Byron avenue, who is now in her ninety-ninth year, was given her first ride in an automobile yesterday by Mr. Donald Stewart, of Ailsa Craig, who came to London for the purpose of giving Mrs. Beattie the ride. The trip lasted through the different streets of South London and out in the country for a few miles. Mrs. Beattie greatly enjoyed the outing, and when questioned afterwards said: "I ride like that would do anybody good."

MERCHANTS' OUTING
WAS HELD AT PORT

Fifth Annual Outing of Galt Businessmen Was the Best of All.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Port Stanley, July 25.—The Galt merchants' picnic, which was held here today, proved the greatest success of their five annual outings. Three big bands, the Galt Klitties, the Pipers and the Rye band, accompanied the visitors, and they awakened the latent echoes of the old picnic hill and beach.

A train of sixteen coaches brought the fifteen hundred picnickers, leaving Galt at 8 a.m. and arriving in good time for lunch. The program in the afternoon opened with a baseball game, North vs. South Main street, in which the latter were winners by a score of 3 to 1. The score, however, indicates little of the professional style that was displayed. Following this event, a list of over forty athletic events was carried out, in which opportunity and amusement were afforded to old and young, and the great number of contestants created a keen rivalry and deep interest from first to last. The ladies' three-legged race was an innovation and took well. The Misses Bessie Duncan and Florence Lester winning first prize. Mr. Fred Bond was a speedy winner in the 100 and 220 yards dashes, and Mr. C. Williams displayed his ability to get and keep a light on a windy day by carrying off first prize in the smoking race.

After the sports, there was dancing in the pavilion, which was immensely enjoyed, even those far past the prime forgot rheumatism and stiff joints to mingle in the gay waltzes. After luncheon the Klitties gave a band concert, and it was with regret, though with a sense of deep satisfaction, that the visitors boarded their special at 8 o'clock for home.

The officers and convenors of committees to whom credit is due for the splendid management, are: R. L. McGill, G. T. Hamilton, A. Windell, H. Dakin, T. E. McNeilan, Frank Blair, John Laird and R. Darragh.

BELMONT.
Belmont, July 25.—Mrs. Edward Wentworth received news of the death of her little two-year-old grandchild, and left yesterday for Tilbury to attend the funeral. The little girl died from the effects of drinking fly poison.

Mrs. Geo. W. Falls has left for Edmonton. She will be gone several months.

Rev. Jones attended the recent conference at St. Thomas.

Mrs. Jones has returned from her holidays.

The L. W. W. S. of Knox Church is holding an open-air concert on the

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INSIDE WIRING WILL BE INSPECTED SHORTLY

Hydro-Electric Commission Is Preparing a Bylaw for London.

At the meeting of the water commissioners held on Monday afternoon, a communication was read from the hydro-electric commission, stating that bylaws similar to those in force in Toronto were being drawn up, and would be forwarded to London as soon as completed. Included in the bylaws is a clause providing for the appointment in each municipality of an inspector for all inside wiring, and it is proposed to have an inspector here.

The report of the hydro-electric commission as to the cost of street lighting was presented by General Manager Glauzitz, and was approved of by the commissioners. A copy will be sent to the city council.

A High Priced Team.
A team of horses that had been purchased by Mr. Glauzitz and Dr. Tamlin, for the work of the department, was inspected by the commissioners, and the price of \$500 approved of by the board. Mr. Glauzitz stated that great difficulty had been met in the search for a suitable team, but finally the team purchased had been found in Springfield.

Dr. Stevenson asked the general manager when the cables were going to be laid in the conduits on Dundas and Richmond streets, and was informed that this would not be done until next summer, as no provision had been made for this in this year's estimates.

Lighting the Fair.
A letter was read from the Western Fair Board accepting the offer made to them last March, whereby lighting would be supplied by the commission, and the wiring done by the fair board under the supervision of Mr. Glauzitz for \$200.

Permission was given to the Salvation Army for the use of Victoria Park for a band concert in aid of the purchase of new instruments for the band. The concert will take place either on July 28 or 30.

The report on the samples of water sent to Toronto was received stating that the water was free from germs.

BUBONIC CHECKED.
Port of Spain, Trinidad, July 26.—No further cases of bubonic plague having been reported here, clean bills of health are being issued to vessels leaving this port.

AWARDED TO AMERICA.
Athens, Greece, July 25.—The Bethlehem Steel Company of America was today awarded the contract for the supply of the armor and guns for the new armored cruiser Greece, which is to have a displacement of 14,500 tons.

The hull of the vessel is to be built in the Vulkan shipbuilding yards at Stettin, Germany. Both the prices and the material submitted by the American company were considered by the Greek department of marine as the best offered.

Wabash Engineers' School of Instruction.
Wabash Locomotive Engineers have organized the Wabash Engineers' School of Instruction, the purpose of the organization being to improve the education of locomotive engineers and firemen in the operation of locomotives, combustion of fuel and increase their efficiency.

Appreciating the value of such an organization, the railroad company placed a car at its disposal, which has been fitted up with air brake, electrical, headlight, lubricator, injector, car-heating, sanding, valve motion and fire-door equipment, also an electric stereopticon by means of which photographs of every day occurrences are shown.

An experienced instructor has been employed by the organization, and the car is moved to the various division points, so as to give all employees an opportunity to take advantage of the instructions.

At present there are 750 members, and this number is rapidly increasing. During the last trip of 118 days, stops of from 7 to 10 days were made at 11 different places and the record shows a total attendance of 1,324 at the lectures.

This is a very laudable and effective measure which is entirely voluntary on the part of the men, and the officers of the company are co-operating with the school in every way, believing that just a little more care at the right moment is a sure preventative of accidents and of the delays, which are so expensive to a railroad and so unsatisfactory to the company, its employees and the public.

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Lighting the Fair.
A letter was read from the Western Fair Board accepting the offer made to them last March, whereby lighting would be supplied by the commission, and the wiring done by the fair board under the supervision of Mr. Glauzitz for \$200.

Permission was given to the Salvation Army for the use of Victoria Park for a band concert in aid of the purchase of new instruments for the band. The concert will take place either on July 28 or 30.

The report on the samples of water sent to Toronto was received stating that the water was free from germs.

BUBONIC CHECKED.
Port of Spain, Trinidad, July 26.—No further cases of bubonic plague having been reported here, clean bills of health are being issued to vessels leaving this port.

AWARDED TO AMERICA.
Athens, Greece, July 25.—The Bethlehem Steel Company of America was today awarded the contract for the supply of the armor and guns for the new armored cruiser Greece, which is to have a displacement of 14,500 tons.

The hull of the vessel is to be built in the Vulkan shipbuilding yards at Stettin, Germany. Both the prices and the material submitted by the American company were considered by the Greek department of marine as the best offered.

Wabash Engineers' School of Instruction.
Wabash Locomotive Engineers have organized the Wabash Engineers' School of Instruction, the purpose of the organization being to improve the education of locomotive engineers and firemen in the operation of locomotives, combustion of fuel and increase their efficiency.

Appreciating the value of such an organization, the railroad company placed a car at its disposal, which has been fitted up with air brake, electrical, headlight, lubricator, injector, car-heating, sanding, valve motion and fire-door equipment, also an electric stereopticon by means of which photographs of every day occurrences are shown.

An experienced instructor has been employed by the organization, and the car is moved to the various division points, so as to give all employees an opportunity to take advantage of the instructions.

At present there are 750 members, and this number is rapidly increasing. During the last trip of 118 days, stops of from 7 to 10 days were made at 11 different places and the record shows a total attendance of 1,324 at the lectures.

This is a very laudable and effective measure which is entirely voluntary on the part of the men, and the officers of the company are co-operating with the school in every way, believing that just a little more care at the right moment is a sure preventative of accidents and of the delays, which are so expensive to a railroad and so unsatisfactory to the company, its employees and the public.

NO CAMP FOR THE ARTILLERYMEN
Sixth Field Battery Finds It Impossible to Go to Petawawa.

MEN ARE DISAPPOINTED
Two Causes for the Failure of the Men To Go Under Canvas Are Given—Battery News.

The Petawawa military camp will not be held this year, and has been postponed until next summer, because it has been found impossible to obtain the entire new equipment in time for the camp there. This official notice was received by Major Woodman Leonard, commanding the Sixth, London Field Battery. The announcement has caused many expressions of regret among the officers and men alike, as all looked forward to a training at Petawawa camp this year.

The military authorities finding it impossible to provide the necessary equipment have probably done the correct thing, and the only thing possible in deciding that the London battery should postpone its training until the complete equipment is ready for use. No battery corps desires to be handicapped by having incomplete equipment, and consequently cannot perform efficient service.

Cause of the Delay.
It is understood that the delay in completing the equipment of the London battery is attributable to two sources. One of them is the Ottawa Car Company were held back in constructing the vehicles through labor troubles, and the other being that the Canadian contractors are not familiar with the technical equipment and the difficulties of its construction, and have not been able to make nearly as good deliveries as promised in the first place. Colonel Hodgins and the staff of the First Division, did everything possible to expedite matters, but were unable to help the situation.

The battery has a full complement of qualified officers, and in that respect is unique in Canada. Major Leonard, however, is looking a little ahead, and it is understood that several well-known young London gentlemen will shortly make application for commissions.

Under a competent instructor the officers and men of the battery propose to meet one night each week during the coming fall and winter with the idea of learning the use of the new guns and equipment, which are being issued, also doing signalling and other interesting work.

A Sergeants' Mess.
A sergeants' mess has been organized and a committee is now at work making purchases of furniture and pictures for the new quarters which Colonel Hodgins has provided.

These meetings will be most interesting and instructive, and from the numerous inquiries received from members of cavalry and infantry corps, they will be attended by men of all branches of the service.

Artillery has always possessed a fascination for most men of individuality, as in working the guns each man has special work to do, thereby having to think and act for himself, rather than do exactly as everyone else, as in other branches of the service.

The militia authorities have particularly favored the London Battery, as such as they will be the only Ontario battery to train next camp as horse artillery. The work of this class of artillery is of the fastest and most exciting nature. Every runner is mounted, and the usual pace coming in and out of action is at a gallop. Horse artillery in England is known as the "Pride of the Regiment," and the officers and men of the Sixth Battery intend henceforth to be known as the "Pride of Canadian Militia."

Many new faces will be seen among non-commissioned officers, as many of the men who previously held the rank have been unable to qualify; the type of men required being very much above the average.

PATRIOTISM.
(Woodstock Review.)
There are different ways of displaying one's patriotism. Some display it by their talk, others by waving flags, others by looking for jobs and special privileges, others by singing patriotic songs, and, unfortunately, a good many can think of no better way of showing their own loyalty than by stirring up racial strife with other people or nations. Some there are still, who give evidence of their patriotism by their deeds.

ROUT OF THE MONSTER ENGINE CAR.
"The British motor industry has on many occasions striven to demonstrate the merits of its achievement in open competition abroad, but twice only has it contrived to demonstrate its superiority in dramatic fashion," says Mr. Mas-sae Buis in the Observer.

"The first victory was in 1902, when Mr. Edge, on a Napier car, gained the Gordon-Bennett Cup; the second occurred ten years later, when three days ago three small Sunbeam cars won the open class £400 prize of the Automobile Club de France for the best team performance

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