

49th YEAR, No. 20691.

Tomorrow's Weather—Fair and Warm.

PIPE LINE ROAD KILN COLLAPSED BURYING MAN NEARLY AN HOUR

Percy Scoyne Covered by Tons of Bricks, but Which Fell in Such a Way That He Did Not Suffer Serious Injury, Although a Prisoner for Forty-Five Minutes.

Percy Scoyne, a young man employed at the brickyards on the Pipe Line road, narrowly escaped death shortly before noon today, when one of the kilns, carrying a couple of tons of bricks, collapsed upon him, burying him in such a manner that he could not be extricated for forty-five minutes.

Scoyne fortunately was not seriously hurt, but nevertheless is suffering from numerous bruises.

Scoyne was working on the inside of one of the cone-shaped kilns, when the bricks suddenly collapsed. No person was with him at the time, but other workmen in the yard heard the crash and hurried to his assistance.

LAND SAID TO BE BONDED FOR A MILE RACE TRACK IN LONDON

The Location Is East of the City
Close to the Street Rail-
way Lines.

If the present plans of the promoters, who have a charter for a race track in London do not fail, there will be a new race track in London near the city, close to the street railway lines.

The option will not be exercised, it is stated, until dates have been arranged with the Canadian Racing Association, which is in control of the sport in this province. It is expected that the runners will be here between the Hamilton and Windsor meets.

Harness Horse Meets.
In addition to two seven-day meets for runners, there will be two harness horse meets, one in the early summer, and then later in the autumn. Grand Circuit dates may be secured.

The exact location would not be furnished The Advertiser today, but it is stated that the track would be east of the city, in close proximity to the street railway lines.

WALTER BROOKINGS WILL QUIT THE FLYING GAME IN TIME

The Aviator Who Was at Port
Stanley Will Take No
More Risks.

Walter Brookings, who has been up in the air much of the time during the last five or six years, and who was seen by thousands of people in flights at Port Stanley recently, when he took a society lady for a ride in his hydro-aeroplane, has decided to quit the flying game. After ground and birdseye views of the cities of any importance in the States, he has concluded that Detroit is a good place for a birdman.

But although Brookings will make no more flights for these few days, he is not yet ready to quit the flying game. He will keep a tame hydro-aeroplane for his own use, and when he gets tired of earthly associations he will mingle with the birds. This will be only after business hours, however.

EIGHT MONTHS SHOWS INCREASE OF \$192,525

Building Permits in London A-1
Far Ahead of Figures of
Last Year.

Building permits to the value of over \$800,000 have been issued since the beginning of the year, an increase of nearly \$200,000 over the same period of 1911. To be exact, 705 permits have been taken out since Jan. 1, for a total value of \$817,912. For the first eight months of 1911 there were 224 permits issued, for a total value of \$225,385. This year is ahead \$192,525. By the end of August, this should be increased to over \$900,000. Several large buildings are in contemplation at the present time and it is expected that permits will be taken out before the end of the year.

REMEDY FOUND FOR DISEASE OF CATTLE

French Specialist Discovers a
Way of Destroying Foot
and Mouth Plague.

London, Aug. 22.—A Paris dispatch says that a veterinary specialist from Pas de Calais has arrived at Charlottes with a remedy for the foot and mouth disease. Eighteen infected cattle at the farm have been recovered after two days of treatment.

TREE PRUNING WILL SOON BE UNDERTAKEN

Parks Commission Will Improve
the Streets and Boulevards
of London.

The parks and boulevard commission has started tree pruning in Victoria Park. This includes the eradication of dead trees and limbs and all shrubs not likely to survive. After this has been done, the city at large will be gone over. Those parts which will be naturally be attended to first. New trees will be planted probably in the autumn in Victoria Park. In Queen's Park the commission have seen that the park is in proper repair, and have placed a considerable amount of gravel on the roadways.

CAUGHT BETWEEN POLES

Coal Delivery Horse Came to Sudden
Stop.

A horse owned by the Connell Coal Company got beyond the control of the driver on Clarence street, south of Dundas street, at 2 o'clock. This afternoon and started at a fast clip for the plate glass windows of the Cal's and Lawrence drug store. The equine was suddenly halted, however, when the wagon was caught between one of the ornaments, street lighting stands and a street railway pole. No serious damage was done.

BOOTH MAY REST IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Body Will Be Moved to Con-
gress Hall for Lying-
in-State.

MISS EVA BOOTH SAILS

Will Race With Time in Attempt to
Attend the Funeral of
Father.

London, Aug. 22.—No word has yet been heard from Dean Herbert E. Ryle, who has jurisdiction over the burial in Westminster Abbey, as to whether the body of the late General Booth, of the Salvation Army, is to be offered sepulchre in the Abbey. Dean Ryle is at present in Scotland.

It is thought probable that while the offer may be declined, even though it be tendered, yet it may be made by the authorities. Canon Herbert E. Ryle, of Westminster Abbey, today that no question of creed was considered in regard to burial there. Only the distinction of character of the person concerned were taken into consideration.

General Booth's body is to be removed tonight from the modest cottage at Hadley Wood, where he died, to the Congress Hall, Clapton, for the lying-in-state. One of the duties of General Bramwell Booth, now commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, will be the appointment of a chief-of-state.

New York, Aug. 22.—Commander Eva Booth, second youngest daughter of the late General William Booth, commander of the Salvation Army, sailed today on the liner France, en route across the Atlantic in the hope of reaching England in time to attend her father's funeral. The liner France is the only steamer that can get across to London in time for the ceremony.

The France is due in Havre next Wednesday morning, and Miss Booth hopes to be in London Wednesday night. Miss Booth has received telegrams from General Bramwell Booth, the new leader of the army, renewing her commission as commander of the forces in America.

With Miss Booth when she sailed today were Miss Richard Griffith, her secretary, and Major Richard Griffith, her brother. They will accompany her to London. Crowds of Salvation Army officers and workers were at the pier to bid her good-bye. Miss Booth wore a mourning device, consisting of a broad black band worn on the left arm, with a red cross surmounted by a crown, in addition to the "official" mourning of the organization was displayed by many of the party.

A NINTH VICTIM OF MONTREAL DEBAUCH

Russian Found Dead After
Drinking Two Bottles of
Wood Alcohol.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—The ninth victim of the wood alcohol debauch among gang of Russian laborers was claimed by death this morning. With three empty bottles lying by his side, Alex Mahed, a Russian, died at 30 Alexander street. Drags at the bottom of the bottles indicate that the liquor on which Mahedan made his last carousal was the same as has already been discovered in the cases of the other victims.

WAS BURNS VICTIM OF A POISON PLOT?

Noted Detective Seriously Ill
in a Hotel at Denver,
Colorado.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 22.—William J. Burns, the detective, is sick at a hotel here, suffering, it is said, from ptomaine poisoning. No one is allowed to see him except his physician and nurse. A report given by the physician that he had been the victim of a poison plot, but little credence is placed in the rumor.

ENGLISH GIRL IS GOING BACK HOME

Christian Workers Church Members
Gave Her a Unique Farewell.

A pretty incident occurred at the Grand Trunk depot at noon today when about 50 members of the Ottawa Christian Workers Church gathered to Miss Edith Townsend, a young English girl who has resided here for the past four years and who is now returning to Bagshot, Sussex, to visit her parents.

SALVATION ARMY BARRACKS TO BE DRAPED WITH PURPLE

Official Notice of Succession of
Bramwell Booth to the
Late General.

Official information has been received at the local quarters of the Salvation Army of the appointment of William Bramwell Booth to succeed his father, General Booth, as general of the army, in accordance with the Deed of Poll. The Toronto corps, in behalf of all the Canadian branches of the army, have cabled congratulations, with assurances of loyalty and devotion to the new general.

NEW SALVATION ARMY CHIEF TO VISIT CANADA THIS FALL

Bramwell Booth To Make Tour of the World, Beginning With
the Dominion, Where He Is Expected Before Christmas
—Will Extend Evangelization of Foreigners.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
London, Eng., Aug. 22.—General Bramwell Booth, new commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, will probably be in Canada before Christmas as part of his tour of the world's army posts. These plans have not been definitely adopted yet, but it is known that the new general and other prominent army leaders consider it his duty to personally cement the allegiance of the entire organization to his authority and generalship. Canada will be selected as the starting point for this tour, because it is one of the strongest of army territories.

SUFFRAGETTES ANGRY WITH SHERIFF'S MEN

The Latter Entered Lawrence's
House and Sold Goods to
Pay Prosecution Costs.

London, Aug. 22.—The British suffragettes are strongly indignant today because sheriff's officers entered the house of Mr. and Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, two of their leaders who are now visiting Canada, and ordered the furniture to be sold in order to pay the costs of a recent conspiracy prosecution. Mr. and Mrs. Pethick Lawrence were sentenced to nine months imprisonment on May 22 at the Old Bailey sessions for inciting their followers to seditious damage to the property of the recent conspiracy prosecution.

The Women's Social and Political Union today issued a statement declaring that the action of the sheriff's officers was in the nature of persecution because the windows broken by the suffragettes had been replaced by the insurance companies, and the tradesmen had obtained a good advertisement through the act. The union points out that the promoters of the recent coal strike in London caused infinitely greater loss to the community than the suffragettes, and were allowed to go unpunished.

MANY CLAIMANTS FOR VAST ESTATE

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 22.—The discovery that an estate of \$50,000,000 in Middlesex, England, is awaiting a claimant has resulted in a large number of claimants in St. Louis, one in Chicago, and one in Des Moines, Iowa. The estate is said to have been left by Alfred Page, who died in England in 1838. It is said to include Wesley Manor, one of the most imposing country places in England.

COUNTESS FERRE DEAD

Close Friend of Dowager Queen Alexandra Dies in California.

San Francisco, Aug. 22.—The death of Countess De Ferre, a close friend of Dowager Queen Alexandra of England, at Petaluma, Cal., yesterday was reported here today.

The countess lived in semi-seclusion and devoted her time to writing. She had completed a book of poems and was engaged on a novel. Her body was taken to New York for burial. She was 77 years of age.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND WARM.

Forecasts.
Toronto, Aug. 22.—8 a.m.
Fresh to strong southwest and west winds, a few scattered showers, but mostly clear and moderately warm today and on Friday.

Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. High. Low. Weather.
Station. Station. Station.
LONDON. 77.5. 64. Fair.
ST. LOUIS. 80. 66. Clear.
CALGARY. 72. 50. Clear.
PORT ARTHUR. 78. 62. Cloudy.
PORT SAUND. 77. 58. Cloudy.
TORONTO. 70. 58. Cloudy.
OTTAWA. 70. 58. Cloudy.
MONTREAL. 74. 62. Cloudy.
QUEBEC. 70. 56. Cloudy.
FATHER POINT. 56. 46. Cloudy.

RICHMOND SITE APPEARS TO BE A SURE THING WITH THE COUNCIL

Six Aldermen and the Mayor Are Understood To Be in Favor
of It—Alderman Spittal Says There Appears
To Be No Doubt Now.

There seems to be no doubt that the aldermen will select the site at the corner of Richmond and Haple streets for the city hall.

According to information received, the following aldermen will support the site—Ald. W. Spittal, W. E. Robinson, J. P. Moore, W. D. I. Wright, E. H. Johnston and T. J. Murphy.

It is understood that Ald. Rose, Coles, Bennett, Blandford and Ashplant will oppose the selection of this site. Ald. Ashplant is in favor of placing the hall in the downtown district, while the others prefer a site more easterly than the one now decided upon.

SLEEPING GARRISON WAS TARGET FOR THE REBELS

Five Hundred Caught in Trap
and Slaughtered By Insurg-
ents of Nicaragua.

[Canadian Press.]
Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 22.—News of the Government's defeat at Leon, 50 miles northwest of here on Aug. 17, when the insurgents slaughtered almost the entire garrison of the city, was confirmed today.

DID BEN PROVIDE THE GRAPE FOR AN INDIAN?

Erstwhile Dog-Catcher Charged
With Serious Offence in
Police Court.

Ben J. Blackstock, who on one occasion was elected official dog-catcher for the city of London, and who, while in that capacity was distinguished by a couple of years ago, is again in the limelight, but this time Benjamin is the accused, and his alleged offence is charged in the police court.

Blackstock was in the toils this morning, but as King could not be furnished on the instant, the matter is postponed for a couple of days.

QUARTETTE WILL BE SENTENCED LATER

Pleaded Guilty to Theft of Lead From
G. T. R.

Nelson Harris, Clifford Phoenix, George Phillips and John Lampman, all of whom pleaded guilty to charges of stealing nearly 1,000 pounds of pig lead from the Grand Trunk car shops a couple of weeks ago, were further demanded for sentence by Police Magistrate Judd this morning. The same quartette pleaded guilty before Magistrate Judd to charges of stealing \$1,000 worth of brass from the Chelsea Green hardware factory, and are due for sentence for this latter offence tomorrow.

\$200 FOR LABOR DAY

City Council Will Consider Grant on
Friday.

There will be a special meeting of the council on Friday at noon to discuss a grant of \$200 to the Trades and Labor Council for Labor Day, the bylaw to allow the water commission to expend \$15,000 for parks purposes, and to award tenders for alterations to the east ward at Victoria Hospital. That is the only business to be taken up at the session, and it is understood that the meeting will be quite short.

FELL OFF PIER

Kathleen Crisp, of St. Thomas, in Ac-
cident at Port.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Port Stanley, Aug. 21.—Kathleen Crisp, a little, 12-year-old girl, who lives on Wellington street, St. Thomas, narrowly escaped being drowned in Lake Erie this afternoon. She was leaning on the railing of the short pier in front of the casino, when she fell into the water, which was about four feet deep. George Cowen, a Crockett street, St. Thomas, was also on the pier, and he jumped into the water without stopping to take of his coat, and carried the little girl to the shore.

PEOPLE WANT A PUBLIC MEETING

Chelsea Green Committee Would
Like to Hear More of the
Annexation.

INFORMATION IS ASKED

It Is Claimed, However, That If Sat-
isfactory Terms Can Be Reached
Suburb Will Join London.

A meeting of the ratepayers of Chelsea Green will be called shortly, it is understood, to discuss the annexation question. Considerable discussion of an informal nature has been indulged in of late, but nothing definite has been arrived at. A number of the ratepayers sent the following communication to The Advertiser, asking for a public meeting to discuss the question, and name a committee to further negotiate with the city council:

We, the undersigned, wish to know why the ratepayers of Chelsea Green were not notified of this affair, and a committee decide from the same meeting. One ratepayer has just as much say as this other, and we want this proposal made public.

(Signed),
Wm. Haynes, John Jackson, Wm. Collins, Chas. Jackson, John Clay, John Clayton, Arthur Rowley, Fred Symmonds.

MUST NOT FIGHT

P. M. Judd Fined Two Men Who Bat-
tled on the Street.

Police Magistrate Judd this morning mulcted on the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets on Saturday night, and while one of the men protected his sister from the other, the other, Chelsea Green hardware factory, and are due for sentence for this latter offence tomorrow.

VENEZUELA AGREES

Diplomatic Relations With the French
Republic To Be Resumed.

Paris, Aug. 22.—The negotiations for the resumption of diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela, which have been advanced perceptibly by the treaty agreement of Venezuela to recognize the right of the French merchants who were expelled from Caracas, Venezuela, by President Castro, in February, 1908, to claim damages for their treatment.

Venezuela also admits that they have recourse to arbitration in case they are dissatisfied with the rulings of the local courts. The Venezuelan Government has hitherto maintained that the judgment of the local courts must be regarded as final.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.
Quebec, Aug. 21.—Called: Cymric, from Boston.
Boston—Arrived: Arctic, from Liverpool.

AUGUST 22

SPLENDID RACES TO BE HELD AT ZURICH

Big Prize List Will Attract Many of the Best Horses in the District.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Zurich, August 22.—Arrangements are nearing completion for a big Labor Day celebration here. The race programme includes the following:

Green class—For horses that have never won public money; purse, \$35.
2:40 class—Purse, \$50.
Free-for-all—Purse, \$50.

In the above events 50 per cent. of purse will be given to first, 20 per cent. to second, and 20 per cent. to third.

The entrance fee will be 5 per cent. of purse, plus 5 per cent. for winners. Mile heats, 3 in 5. American rules to govern.

Foot race—Quarter mile, open. No entrance fee, 3 in 5. \$3 to first, \$2 to second, \$1 to third.

Bicycle race—Half mile, 3 in 5, open. No entrance fee, \$3 to first, \$2 to second, \$1 to third.

The Hensall Brass Band has been engaged for the occasion. Other events, not officially announced, will take place.

One of the features of farming in this district is the cultivation of Dutch sets. Nearly every garden in town has its little patch. Some of the farmers go into the culture of this little onion quite extensively, it is said.

Mr. Brown, a farmer, living close by, marketed nine tons of sets last season.

The Zurich representative of The Advertiser will be found at his apartment in the Dominion House, where matters concerning the paper will receive attention.

A new official directory of the rural telephone system, covering all the lines of Tuckersmith, McKillop, Goddard, Township, Hay and McKillop, Logan and Hibbert was delivered yesterday.

Mr. George Troit, of Saskatoon, was here today visiting with old friends. Mr. Troit was in business at one time. He left here six years ago.

AFFECTING THE OATS

Harry Campbell, of Blenheim, Was Stricken at Regina.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Westminster, August 22.—The continued rainy weather is causing the farmers great anxiety. In some cases the oats are growing in the stock.

Mr. J. D. McCrae, of Queen's University, is visiting friends in Sarnia and Point Edward, where he had charge of a mission field last summer.

Mr. McCrae, during his stay, will be the guest of Captain Foote and Mr. T. H. Nisbet.

Mr. G. H. Martin, of Hamilton road, London, has the contract for the extensive repair work that is being done on the First Church property at Wilton Grove.

Mrs. Edwin Odree and Mrs. Duncan Laidlaw, of Blyth, are visiting friends in Westminster.

Miss Laidlaw, of Detroit, is visiting at the home of Mr. Adam Nichol.

Mr. and Mrs. Clubb, of Geneva, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Baty, Pond Mills.

Rev. F. H. Mitchell, of New St. James Presbyterian Church, London, conducted the services in the First Church last Sunday. There were large congregations, and Mr. Mitchell sustained his reputation as one of the best preachers in Western Ontario.

Anniversary services will be held in the Townline Methodist Church, Yarmouth, next Sunday evening.

LOBO. Lobo, August 22.—The harvest home services of First Lobo Baptist Church will be held on Sunday next. Services will be conducted by Mr. E. P. Stewart, a former pastor, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. On the following evening a supper will be served, preceding a fine programme, which will be given in the church.

The farmers in this locality are two weeks later this year with their oat harvest owing to the incessant rains.

Miss K. Wardrope, of London, is holidaying with friends near Dunrobin.

Rev. Owen Gray and Mrs. Gray, of Niagara Falls, are spending their holidays at the former's home here.

Mr. W. McCullough, of London, visited friends here recently.

Several of the young men of this township left London on Tuesday for the West.

Miss Agnes Cagerhill has returned home after holidaying in Sarnia. She was accompanied by the Misses Lashbrook, of London.

Mrs. J. D. Sinclair is very ill at present.

Miss C. Campbell and the Misses Myrtle and Ina Robson left recently for Moosejaw, where they have secured positions.

Miss Ella Campbell, of London, is holidaying at her home.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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GENERAL COTTON SUCCEEDS OTTER

Will Become Inspector-General of Militia After December First.

LESSARD FOR TORONTO

Position of Adjutant-General To Be Filled by Lieut.-Col. Williams.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Before sailing for England, Col. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, arranged for a general staff among the senior officers of the militia. As already announced, Major-General Otter is to retire from the post of inspector-general, the date set being December 1st. On that day he will be within a day or two of his 60th birthday, and will have been 48 years an officer and 51 years connected with the military forces of Canada. He became a private in the Queen's Own Rifles in 1861 and a lieutenant in that regiment in 1864. He was chief of the general staff for two years from 1908 to 1910, and will have completed two years as inspector-general when he retires.

General Otter will be succeeded by Major-General W. H. Cotton, who, since 1908, has been in command at Toronto, his post being in the Second Division, General Cotton, who is 64 years of age, has been in the military forces of Canada for 35 years. He was a member of the headquarters staff from 1901 to 1908, first as quartermaster-general and afterwards as master-general of ordnance.

General Cotton will be succeeded in Toronto as officer commanding the Second Division by Brigadier-General F. L. Lessard, who will vacate the post of adjutant-general, which he has held since 1907. The transfer will take effect on Dec. 1 next. General Lessard's promotion to be major-general may be expected to occur soon.

The position of adjutant-general will be filled by the appointment of Lieut.-Col. V. A. S. Williams, R. C. D., A. D. C. Col. Williams has been stationed in Toronto, as commanding officer of the Royal Canadian Dragoons and inspector-general of cavalry.

Col. R. L. Wadmore, district officer commanding District No. 11, British Columbia and Yukon, will be retired on Dec. 1, after nearly 30 years' service. He has held his present post for two years.

Col. A. Roy, M. V. O., the officer commanding the Fourth Division, at Montreal, goes to Vancouver to succeed Col. Wadmore. Col. Septimus J. A. Denison, C.M.G., C. B., commanding the Royal School of Infantry at Halifax, becomes officer commanding the Fourth Division at Montreal, in place of Col. Roy. Lieut.-Col. J. A. Paget, at present in Montreal at D. A. and Q. M. M., succeeds Col. Denison in command of the Royal Canadian Regiment.

Col. J. C. Macdougall, R. C. A. A. G. at Montreal, is to come to Ottawa as assistant to the judge advocate general, Col. Henry Smith.

28TH PERTH FUSILIERS HAVE BEEN REORGANIZED

Stratford Regiment Is To Be Brought Back to Its Former High Standing.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Aug. 22.—After having lain dormant for some time the eighth Perth Fusiliers has been re-organized and will, with a city standing, be known as the Twenty-eighth Perth Fusiliers.

The chief points of difference between the old and the new are that the regiment becomes a city regiment, with all the companies stationed here, with the exception of two rural companies at Milverton and Listowel. New uniforms will alternate with the familiar "red coat" for parade purposes, but khaki and red suits will be used for camp and inside drill. Camp regulations will embrace a five-day's sojourn under canvas each spring.

The personnel of the officers of the new city regiment are as follows: Lieutenant-Colonel William Lawrence, Senior Major J. D. McCrimmon, Junior Major Dr. P. J. R. Forster, Captain and Adjutant Thomas Delamere, P. J. Smith, Surgeon Major Dr. J. P. Rankin, Assistant Surgeon Dr. D. Smith, Muster Inspector J. W. Day, Signal Instructor Harry Coghill. The captains are S. Loghrin, J. C. Makins, K. C. J. Gordon, J. L. Youngs, R. T. H. Whiting, and P. J. Farquharson. The lieutenants are B. Waugh, Dr. O. A. Cannon, F. Copus, Dr. Beattie, D. A. MacLachlan, J. Kennedy, B. Manson, F. Kitcher, H. C. Patterson, Charles Young, F. C. McTavish, C. O'Flaherty, R. Rankin, Charles Purdy, Lieutenant Waugh is also transport officer.

FRANCE AGREES. Paris, Aug. 21.—France has accepted in principle the project of Count Leopold von Berchtold, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister to secure a gradual autonomy for all European provinces of Turkey.

ENDED HIS LIFE. Well-To-Do Farmer Hanged Himself in His Barn.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Bright, Aug. 22.—Edward Hall, a well-to-do farmer, about 55 years of age, who lived on concession 10, of Blenheim, was hanged yesterday morning in his barn. The reason of his act is unknown.

HELD FOR SHOOTING. Windsor Man Alleged to Have Wounded Himself.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Windsor, Aug. 22.—The police are investigating a shooting which occurred Tuesday night, when Ben Brooks received the contents of a blank revolver shell in his chest. The weapon was in the hands of Brooks' cousin, Louis Brooks, at the time.

Chief Willis heard that Louis had returned to his home on McDougall avenue at midnight, and he sent out half a dozen men to the house. They surrounded the place, thinking Brooks might make an attempt to escape, but he quietly gave himself up. Ben Brooks could not be located until after midnight, when he was found walking about the streets. Except for a bad burn he was uninjured. An information has been laid against the man for shooting with intent to wound.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING. Bolt Came Down Chimney and Passed Out Under Stove.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Teeswater, August 21.—During a severe thunderstorm which swept over this district recently, Roy Caslick's house on the tenth concession of Culross was struck. The chimney was knocked over, and the bolt came down the stovepipe, and passed under the stove, tearing up the oilcloth in several places, visited Mr. Ben Thacker's buildings on the same road and tore off some of the boards from one of them.

Miss McCullough, of the postoffice staff, is away on her holidays, and Miss Marks is relieving.

Rev. Mr. Haylock is away to the West for Sabbath next, supplying for a Presbyterian Church.

The apple evaporator is expected to start business before long, and the supply is very good so far.

Gus H. Hasenflug and a party of enthusiastic followers of Sir Isaac Walton went to Black Horse Lake recently and brought home a splendid lot of fish. There were 35 beauties.

A five-legged calf is the latest freak of nature in this district. One of Mr. T. Fallon's cows gave birth to it a few days ago.

Mrs. Aleck Watson and family have left to holiday in Toronto a while, and then in London.

PRIVATE OFFICE

Cramping down ill-chosen food, and rushing back to work, leads straight to dyspepsia, with all it means in misery.

Proper habits of eating, with a Na-Dr-Cu Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal, restores good digestion, health and happiness.

A box of Na-Dr-Cu Dyspepsia Tablets costs but 50c. at your Druggist's. National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited.

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Most People Like a "Store With a Stir"

And the old saying, "where there's honey you'll find the bees," applies admirably to this store. Even now, during the so-called quiet season, every day is a busy day here. Our modern methods of merchandising makes the last of the season just as interesting as the first, and more profitable to the shrewd buyer, and this week the prices are most unusual in the Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Section on all lines of summer garments. The tables on the aisles with the final clearing lines of white lingerie waists and dresses hold the attention of all who come to this floor. Many are much below the half price mark. In every section of this store the coming fashions for fall are foreshadowed by displays of new things which have already arrived. A peep into the receiving room any day now will suggest the cause of much business throughout this store. Also when visitors come to town, this store is their headquarters, being centrally located and convenient to all railway depots and street car lines, every city line passing our doors. Check and rest rooms, lavatories and a restaurant for the convenience and accommodation of all, which makes the store attractive and creates a stir every day in the year.

The Outputting of Ladies' Lingerie Waists, Etc.

From table to table on the Second Floor the price tickets tell many sad stories of the downfall of prices in these lines. Many otherwise beautiful styles look rather hurt from the handling they have received, but a little clean water will remedy the only defect you will find in most of these—the styles are right—just a little soiled or mused. The prices are 38¢, 58¢, 88¢, \$1.18 and \$1.48—worth double and more.

Also \$4.50 to \$6.00 Blouses at half price, each

\$2.25 to \$3.00

White Lingerie Dresses

Two tables of pretty White Dresses which may be worn for winter evening wear as well as now. Some may need washing and doing up, but all are priced at only a fraction of their cost

\$1.98

Also one table at

\$3.69

New Felt Hats in Millinery Section

We are showing this week a beautiful new assortment of White and Light-Colored Felt for now and early fall wear. One of these to go away with will give your outfit a new and up-to-date appearance. Prices.....\$2.00 to \$3.00

Two Tables of Dress Skirts, Specially Priced, \$1.95 and \$2.95 Worth Up to \$4.00

These are in cream, brown and navy blue, nice light weight materials for now and fall wear, principally made of fine serge and Panama (all wool). Just a few left on these tables. Have your pick to-morrow

\$1.95 and \$2.95

Second Floor.

IN THE RESTAURANT: ICE CREAM AND CREAM SODAS, 5c.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

Cattle and Produce Markets

For Other Markets See Page Nine

PRODUCE. TORONTO, Aug. 21.—The local grain situation is unchanged. Receipts are very small, with growers inclined to hold off. Prices, however, are above an export basis, and business is at a standstill.

Manitoba wheat, 20¢ to 21¢; western, 20¢ to 21¢; British cables unchanged. Wet weather is delaying the harvest in many sections of Ontario. Flour—Winter wheat, 99¢ per cent. patents are quoted at \$9.80 to \$9.85 for new, f. o. b. mills, and at \$9.90 to \$9.95 for old, f. o. b. mills; Manitoba wheat, 20¢ to 21¢; second patents, \$9.20; strong bakers, \$5, on track at Toronto; these quotations are for fute bags; in cut-out bags, 10¢ more. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern nominal, at \$1.13; bay ports; feed wheat sells at 68¢; 99¢ per cent. patents are quoted at \$9.80 to \$9.85 for new, f. o. b. mills, and at \$9.90 to \$9.95 for old, f. o. b. mills; Manitoba wheat, 20¢ to 21¢; second patents, \$9.20; strong bakers, \$5, on track at Toronto; these quotations are for fute bags; in cut-out bags, 10¢ more. 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MISREPRESENTING CANADA.

Mr. Borden said the dominions were prepared to take their share in the work of binding together all portions of the Empire. In regard to the question of Imperial defence, the opinion was indorsed at the last Canadian general election by the people, that the secure path across the seas, the supremacy upon the seas which we had won, and without which their could not be that connexion and communication between the different parts of the Empire which was essential to the existence of the Empire as a whole, could only be maintained by one great fleet under one central control in time of war. — London Times report of Mr. Borden's speech at a banquet tendered by the Carlton Club.

Mr. Borden has been deeply praised for declining to discuss the tariff question in his old country speeches. But the sort of talk cited in the foregoing will not pass muster. That the people of Canada indorsed last September the "one fleet" theory or any other naval policy is news to the people of Canada.

In Quebec the agitation certainly was not for "one great fleet" absorbing a Canadian contingent. The most laughable aspect of Mr. Borden's misrepresentation of facts was that Mr. Pelletier was there at the festival board, the first public dinner, says the Times, ever given by the Carlton Club during the 55 years of its existence, and also responded to the toast to "Our Guests."

It is a pity his speech was not reported. Perhaps it was so muddled that the reporter could make nothing of it. It would be a hard thing for the anti-British Nationalist to have to corroborate the assertions of his chief. Did the solemn Britons assembled about the 21 tables perceive the point of so exquisite an after-dinner joke?

Sir R. McBride should have been there to "also respond." His province doubtless voted for "one great fleet." Or, let us see, was it not rather for a Canadian unit on the Pacific? But why be particular about a trifling detail of truth, speaking over hospitable cups, far from home.

Mr. Borden is reported as going on to say: "He had no intention of making any announcement in regard to the result of the conferences which had been held, but, indeed, was in a position to do so. His colleagues and he would return to Canada with that full information about things to which he had alluded, and there they would confer with their colleagues who had not taken part in the mission." But it was not only his hope, but his belief, that they would be able to announce to the people of Canada to the Empire, to the world—a result which would make for the strength of the Empire and the advancement of that great ideal of organization to which Mr. Borden Law had alluded.

Here is another hint of an emergency contribution coming which will simply be "announced" to the people of Canada, not submitted for their approval. The "ideal of organization" which Mr. Borden Law had propounded in proposing the toast, was one of cast-iron imperial federation—a single British nation, a United States of Britain. As usual the Tory mind conceives such a union as a menace to the rest of the world, an aggressive union. Hence Mr. Borden's aggressive phrase, "to the world." But he need not suppose that the Canadian people will be a party to any schemes of aggression. He will soon find himself among the false prophets.

THE NEW NORTH.

The agricultural development of New Ontario will necessarily be slower than that of the West, where the settler finds the land cleared by nature, but it will be on a sounder basis.

The New Ontario farmer, clearing his land, acre by acre, will have cattle to replenish the soil, and will engage in mixed farming from the beginning. The average Western farmer goes in for grain-growing only. Summer fallow will not serve him forever; before many years there will have to be radical changes in Western methods, to repair the exhaustion of the soil.

The soil of Northern Ontario is a rich clay loam, overlaid by the mold of centuries of forest growth, and underlain by limestone, the best substratum for agriculture. The danger of frost will diminish, as in the West, with the increase in the area of cultivation. The happy accident of the discovery of minerals coincident with the beginning of farming operations, has solved the problem of local markets. The mining camps wholly consume the farm products of the Temiskaming district, excepting hay, which is shipped in great quantities to the south.

The official estimate of the arable land in Northern Ontario has expanded to 25,000,000 acres, most of it south of the latitude of Winnipeg. The estimate does not include the land south and east of James Bay, and north of

the height of land, where explorers report a large tract fit for cultivation. Nor does it embrace the fertile Rainy River district. In New Ontario, a term that covers the whole northern and northwestern sections of the province, the extent of arable land is greater than in Old Ontario, and is an empire in itself. The people of this province are only awakening to the vastness and richness of their heritage.

RETAILIATING ON CANADA.

In the recent by-election in Manchester, Eng., the Unionist candidate, Sir John Randles, was asked this question by a heckler: "Canada having imposed a duty on Manchester goods, and as we can only take their wheat in return, would you tax wheat by way of retaliation?"

To this Sir John replied: "What about lumber? I don't think we are restricted to wheat." Here was an opening of which Sir John's opponent took advantage. Manchester is a furniture manufacturing centre, importing large quantities of Canadian lumber. What of the "imperial" sentiment behind Sir John's proposal, apart from the fact that a tax on Canadian lumber would be a blow at the British furniture business? While the Canadian lumber interests could have no just cause for complaint, in view of the disabilities imposed by this country on all British goods, the taxation of Canadian products in the now free British market is not a contingency contemplated by Canadians who are shouting the loudest for imperial preferential trade. But British manufacturers and farmers will no more welcome Canadian competition than foreign competition, if once they set a taste of tariff protection. Sir John Randles frankly forecasts their point of view.

The weakness of the tariff reform program in Great Britain is the impossibility of drawing a clear line between finished products and raw material, and of framing a preferential tariff that will meet the varying conditions of the several British dominions. A colonial preference on wheat would be useless to South Africa which exports no grain. If Great Britain put a tariff on foreign lumber, which raised the price in the British market, a preference on lumber would be useful to Canada; but lumber is the raw material of many industries, and the tariff reformers say they will not tax raw material. Mr. Gordon Hewart, the Liberal candidate in Northwest Manchester, put the case logically, thus:

"Is malt, which is the raw material of the brewer but the finished product of the maltster, going to escape your tax or be caught by it? Is leather, which is the raw material of the bootmaker, but which is the finished product of the tanner, going to be classed as a raw material or a finished product? I say nothing of that, but I content myself by putting this simple point. Explain to me, Mr. Tariff Reformer, how, on your principles—arguing this matter, not shouting about it—you justify to a business community proposals to put taxes upon articles of consumption and of use, like beef and mutton and dairy produce and boots and shoes, and allege that those things will not be thereby made more expensive, and yet, in the same breath, you call everybody to witness that you would not think of putting a tax upon that or other raw material?"

A tariff would, of course, raise the price of the products on which it was imposed; otherwise it would have no attractions for British producers. This is implied, as Mr. Hewart pointed out, in the proposal to leave "raw materials" duty free. A country so largely dependent on its ability to sell its wares in the world's markets, cannot afford to increase the cost of production by a tariff. Strictly speaking it is no concern of Canada's; but if Britain goes over to protection it is idle to expect that Canadian products will continue to enjoy a free British market unless Canada is prepared to concede a free market to British manufacturers in return.

Sir Max Aitken is in Canada. It may be only a coincidence but the cost of living is still going up. Canadian manufacturers have placed \$150,000,000 worth of insurance with American companies and no one has called them disloyal.

The late General Booth and his wife were a remarkable couple in more than one respect. Every member of their large family inherited their cleverness.

In Cochrane, New Liskeard, Haliburton, Cobalt, Englehart, South Porcupine, and a score of northern communities, they now talk of North Bay as the south.

If Mr. Winston Churchill comes to Canada he ought to come right after Mr. Walter Long. The two together on the Irish question, mixed quickly, would be as tonic as a sedative powder, though separately taken, they might cause disturbance.

The hunger for office is such that in one sub-department at Ottawa it takes four men to do one man's job. For instance one man in the press notices in the newspapers; another comes along with the scissors and clips, a third pastes them in a scrap book, and a fourth takes them in to the minister to look at—Toronto Star.

Is there not room for a fifth man? Is he not sorely needed? Somebody, a man or a girl or boy at least, a human waste-paper basket, to carry them away from the minister's desk.

Mr. Roosevelt says he could do better a second time. If he could live his life over again, he could not be sure of this if he were born into the world again without the memory of the first Roosevelt to guide him. He wants to

be two Roosevelts: the second one led by the experience of the first one. Nearly every person has longed for a second existence of this kind, and in most cases there would be room for improvement.

The bank clerk certainly awakens sympathy in many cases where he goes wrong. He is underpaid, considering his position in social life. Money, money, everywhere about him, and not much doled out to him for his own. Every young clerk ought to be looking to a higher position and qualifying himself to hold it by habits of stern self-mastery. But he may complain with some degree of justice that the way of the righteous is not much easier in a bank than elsewhere.

SOUND ADVICE.

(Port Arthur News.)
 For pastime, did you ever indulge in the practice of splitting a cord of wood after supper? No? Well, don't.

FATAL ERROR.

(Vancouver Province.)
 There is something in the law of retribution after all. The Milwaukee News tells of a man who broke into a stable to cut off a horse's tail, but by mistake got hold of a mule.

WHAT HE CALLS IT.

(Satire.)
 A misguided acquaintance of mine calls the turkey trot dance the poultry of motion.

SIDE WHISKERS.

(Montreal Herald.)
 Special telegrams from London to New York very frequently contain information of the most amazing kind. The precise object of such information is not very clear. For instance a dispatch was yesterday received in New York from a London correspondent, saying that "the newest fashion for men is side whiskers." Of course it may be that in New York one who wishes to wear side whiskers either in England or America should be welcome to them. The ordinary man thinks they are dead as the mastedon and far more noxious.

QUALIFIED.

(Yonkers Statesman.)
 "Do you know the nature of an oath, my boy?" asked the judge.
 "I ought to, sir," replied the boy.
 "I was caddy at your golf club one season."

EASY!

(Charlotte, S. C., State.)
 Let me know which key in the colonel's typewriter needs repairing most.

INSULTED.

(Judge.)
 Visitor—Never say die!
 Boston Boy—I commonly refer to the dissolution of the vital force.

BEDOUIN SONG.

(Bayard Taylor.)
 From the Desert I come to thee
 On a stallion shod with fire;
 And the winds are left behind
 In the speed of my desire.
 Under thy window I stand,
 And the midnight shahs cry;
 I love thee, I love thee, my cry;
 With a love that shall not die
 Till the sun grows cold,
 And the stars are old,
 And the leaves of the Judgment Book unfold!

Look from thy window and see
 My passion and my pain;
 I lie on the sands below,
 And I faint in thy disdain.
 Let the night-winds touch thy brow
 With the heat of my burning sigh,
 And melt thee to hear the vow
 Of a love that shall never die.
 Till the sun grows cold,
 And the stars are old,
 And the leaves of the Judgment Book unfold!

WOODROW WILSON AS A SHORT-.

(Springfield Republican.)
 If woman suffrage prevailed, Gov. Wilson would be likely to poll a heavy vote among the stenographers on the strength of his knowledge of shorthand, which some experts say he writes like a master. The list of eminent men, both in this country and England who know shorthand is striking, and from time to time is increased by a fresh revelation. Whether there will be so many in the next generation is doubtful, because for a number of years the profession has been nearly monopolized by women, while the typewriter has in great measure taken the place formerly held by shorthand as a labor-saving device for students and professional men. Yet for such private use stenography still has certain advantages. It is quicker and easier than typewriting, it is silent, and it is always available. In the lecture-room or in the library it is as valuable as ever for the taking of notes, and there must always, one would think, be a certain number of intellectual workers who find the effort needed for its mastery worth while. But that is a question which each has to settle for himself; many have learned it and then found that their work had no place for it, while others would gladly use it but grudge the time needed for its practical mastery.

FREE SPEECH.

(Chicago Herald.)
 Free speech is limited to women and men who do not have to depend upon salaries.

WON'T GET PINCHED.

(Erie Herald.)
 Remember, as beauty's fair exponent might say, one way to have a pretty nose is to keep it out of other people's business.

LAGGING BEHIND.

(Kansas City Journal.)
 "Did you see that double page in the last issue?"
 "No, I had a girl with me" and was still busy explaining the last issue."

A TRAVELLER
DISENCHANTED

(By Special Arrangement With
 the Winnipeg Telegram.)

Owing to one of those unusual coincidences that we sometimes read about, a copy of the London "Sketch" arrived while I was writing of old Hoskyns and his passion to go on his travels. In this copy of the "Sketch" I happened on some notes of travel by Kieble Howard. They are supposed to be funny, but there is a sad undertone of disenchantment running through them. Howard has lost a few of his illusions on his continental tour. Perhaps he fingered the geography before he left London and imagined things just as old Hoskyns did. When he saw Gibraltar he was prepared to be thrilled and to exclaim, "How grand! How majestic! How grim!" but what he did say was, "Is that Gibraltar? Oh!" He proceeds in this strain of disillusionment: "Here we have a nice rock rising gently from the sea. It is more or less covered with verdure (we are on the west side), and a nice, comfortable town nestles at the foot. If you look very hard you may see a gun or two, but I understand that most of the guns are concealed. It is difficult for a civilian to understand why they are concealed. The whole world knows that Gibraltar is not merely a pleasure resort. Then why conceal the guns? To give a fiercer appearance to Gibraltar!"

He had often read of Marseilles, and Dr. Howard was prepared to luxuriate in the beauty of that far-famed city. But how different was the actual impression! "Marseilles," he says sarcastically, "is not, perhaps, the dirtiest town in the world, but I think it must be the noisiest. I slept one night only in Marseilles. My room had a balcony commanding a view of the harbor. This is very charming," I thought, "When Marseilles is in bed and asleep, when the roar of the traffic is still, when the cafes are closed, when the shouts of the drunkards are hushed, I shall step out on to this balcony and revel in the view of the old harbor by moonlight." I did not know at that juncture that Marseilles never does go to bed, that the roar of the traffic is never still, that the cafes never are closed, that the shouts of the drunkards never are hushed. Here are some points that he gives to the Hoskyns who persist in going to Marseilles: "(1) Pay your cab directly you step out of it. A moment's delay will cost you another franc. This is a printed rule. (2) If you are courting death, drive in a cab from your ship to the town through two or three miles of docks. You can be crushed, mangled, or drowned—just as it happens. (3) Everybody in the world, at some time or other, visits Marseilles. He has to. (4) There are some zoological gardens at Marseilles. The animals are so fond of this city that there is no necessity to keep them in cages."

These notes touch upon the little troubles that detract so much from the anticipated joy of travelling. You are stung so often by the waspish natives that you never cease being irritated. Mr. Howard tells one amusing instance, amusing to us, but I fancy it galled him at the time badly enough. "In Gibraltar," he says, "I went with four friends into an hotel in the main street. We asked for five glasses of lager beer. Our humble order went unnoticed for some time, but at last we persuaded a superior person to serve the beer. He retorted by charging us one shilling a glass."

To Howard that was the grim side of Gibraltar. I daresay he will remember that long after the vision of the guarded mount has grown dim, I remember myself an experience that I had in Florence which will always spoil that lovely painting of Dante's meeting Beatrice by the bridge over the Arno. The Hotel New York is right at the spot where Beatrice passed before Dante's enraptured gaze. And it was at this hostelry that I abode. It was afraid to drink the water served at dinner, so I asked for a cup of tea. The price was one franc—twenty cents—a cup! After that I risked the ice-water!

JUAN HOE.

MORAL SUASION.

(Life.)
 "I won't want oatmeal," screamed the kid.
 "You must have oatmeal," said his father.
 "Never force anything on a child like that," interposed uncle, who had theories. "Always give the child a choice."
 "All right," said father. "Now, kid, you can have oatmeal or you can have a clip on the jaw. Which is it?"
 The child took the oatmeal.

THINGS HAVE CHANGED.

(Vancouver Province.)
 A woman has been elected mayor of Johannesburg. Things have changed since Com Paul was dictator.

TIT FOR TAT.

(Chicago News.)
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Boys' Wash Blouses, sizes 4 to 12 years. At each 25c

Boys' Indian Play Suits, khaki color, ages 5 to 10 years. Were 75c, for 59c

A Few Lines of
Most Anything

THE WORM WILL TURN.

"I wonder which end turns least."

These days of supervised see-saws are fine for the cultivation of the juvenile mind, and much easier on the juvenile trouters.

The most thankless job in the world must be the proofreading on a Chinese newspaper. (Our own proofreaders say you don't have to go to China to encounter the typographical brain storms.) Chorus of readers "True for him."

What is as rare as a June day, especially when it comes in later August?

If the energy wasted by stenographers in chewing gum could be harnessed it would drive all the railroad trains in this country and 19 in Canada. — Syracuse Journal. We always knew there was more latent energy in this country than Niagara power.

It may be sunset for Dr. Sun Sen if he continues to get in wrong with the Chinese president.

A lot of good harvest hands are spoiled because Hamilton must have a ball team.

Lloyd George will visit Pittsburgh. No fluffy-gowned suffragette will follow him there.

Life's Little Aggravations.

When the boss says: "Take a vacation, old chap. It will be good for you."

When you think a motorcyclist is going to run into the river and he misses it.

When you open a letter addressed in neat feminine writing to find that your tailor is anxious to converse with you.

When you attend a picture show and the only pictures you see are the picture hats.

When you see a man who owes you \$9 ride by in an automobile.

When you have dined your mouse-tache and you think he knows it, until the barber tells you he has a darker shade that would suit your complexion better.

When you come home to find your wife has signed you up as a member of the Self-Help Society.

Three cheers for the boy who has been carrying pencils all summer while the other boys were sporting in lake or river!

The Yegonians' Paradise.

(News Note—Another Ontario rural post-office has been robbed.)

A jug of nitro slung upon his hip:
 An empty box car for me to make of trip;
 And Mike beside me in deer old crowd;
 If that ain't Paradise, I'd like to know.

A sleepy bolt, a hamlet don't stop;
 Wild ones and Mike about to make of cop;
 No harness, bolt wild in a thousand mile;
 If that ain't Paradise, I'd like to know.

A cheese box safe, a soft set as cantaloupe;
 And Mike beside me pour in the de soup;
 I like these things in deer old crowd;
 A Paradise—yes never heard of me.

A bunch of greenbacks. Easy pickin'!
 Fine!
 Now and Mike kin beat it 'cross de line!

We'll have a note to say "We called on Dat's what I call de Paradise to choose."

English is the universal language of the world, excepting in St. Thomas and Windsor.

Yes, Henry, a lot of us would become anarchists if they took away the soft music of our favorite central's voice.

How To Be Happy, Though Married.

Someone asks J. H. Grey how to prevent family row. A few suggestions from our side:

Don't polish your shoes with the tath towel and let your wife catch you.

Don't smoke a cornob pipe aged more than twelve years in the house.

MANY PICNICS HELD
AT PORT STANLEY

Blenheim People Celebrated
 Civic Holiday by Outing
 at the Lakeside.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
 Port Stanley, Aug. 21.—Ideal weather attracted a large Wednesday afternoon holiday crowd to the lakeside today. Throughout the afternoon the lake Marquette added coaches, and the Tractor Race extra cars to accommodate the picnickers. So again in the evening large numbers were carried.

Blenheim picnic was held here today, the occasion being a day holiday. The special train of eight coaches picked up excursionists at Dutton, Fingal, Iona and a number of other places along the line, bringing to Port a crowd of about 600.

During the afternoon a baseball game was played between Iona and Port Stanley campers, in which the former won by a score of 9 to 5. The game, while providing amusement, was somewhat of a joke in places and there was considerable talk of mobbing the umpire. The gentleman is yet alive.

The visitors spent a really delightful day in Port, bathing, boating and strolling on the beach, and the various amusements reported a good day.

The Erie Amusement Company secured the Orinda brass band for the afternoon and evening. The Indians discoursed fine music and attracted large crowds to the roller coaster.

Quite a number of the booths are being shut up this week. The privilege men have not had a very good season and on account of the cold, damp weather are leaving early.

Another day today the little fleet in the creek this afternoon when the new boat built by Messrs. Moore and Stanton was launched. The engine and machinery is yet to be installed, and the cabin to be built, but when completed the tug will be one of the largest and finest in Port Stanley.

DETROIT, Aug. 21.—Ald. Thomas E. Glinn, president of the common council, and alleged receiver of bribe money, was late today bound over to the recorder's court on \$1,000 bail, at the conclusion of his examination in police court, which started yesterday.

The case of Ald. David Rosenthal, charged with agreeing to accept a bribe, was immediately taken up.

Detective Walter J. Brennan, testifying today in the examination of Ald. Glinn, gave further details of the "bribe trap," which resulted in the arrest of Glinn and 17 other aldermen, and Council Committee Clerk Edward Schreiter. Glinn, it is alleged, accepted \$1,000 to secure the passage of an ordinance closing Seventh street for the benefit of the Wabash Railroad.

Witness Brennan told of receiving \$3,100 from Andrew Green, jun., a local manufacturer, to give to the aldermen for the passage of the ordinance, and urged on by Attorney James McNamara, for the defence, he gave the following list of aldermen for whom the money was intended: Glinn, \$1,000; Theisen, \$500; Tossy, \$200; Ostrowski, \$200; Mason, \$200; Walsh, \$100; Lynch, \$200; Hindle, \$200; Brozo, \$100; Delmel, \$100; O'Brien, \$100, and Galtman, \$100. All of the aldermen mentioned are under arrest, but only nine of them are charged with receiving the money.

When asked what he did with the money given him by Mr. Green, the witness said:

"It was counted out in the presence of Mr. Green, and the serial number of the bills, pictures on the bills, etc., taken. The money given to Glinn, for instance, was segregated, and the numbers of the bills were taken."

The money, the witness said, was taken directly to the offices in the Ford building, which had been expressly arranged for the reception of the aldermen. In this connection the telephone device, with which it is alleged a great part of the evidence against the aldermen was obtained, was brought into the testimony.

The detective testified that he had the device installed early in May. When questioned regarding the conversations that are alleged to have been recorded, the witness gave the name of an official who had been arrested, to this the prosecutor made emphatic objection, holding that the recorded conversations were immaterial except so far as they concerned Glinn. The court, however, ruled that the witness should answer the question, and Brennan gave the names

MANY PICNICS HELD
AT PORT STANLEY

Blenheim People Celebrated
 Civic Holiday by Outing
 at the Lakeside.

Page of Interesting News for Women

"Don't Talk Too Much"—The Motto a Woman Gave to a Man and by Which He Won Untold Wealth

"Don't talk too much!"

This was the simple advice, which a quiet, unassuming little woman brought to John D. Rockefeller, when she came into his home and his life at Cleveland, O., September 8, 1864. She was Laura Spelman, who bears the name of the richest woman in the world, and about whom practically nothing has ever been written.



MRS. LAURA SPELMAN ROCKEFELLER.

The American money king has never forgotten her advice. And only those who have tried, in vain, to tear him from his citadel of finance know how often he has practiced and profited by the four-word text.

The name of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller is rarely ever seen in public print. Libraries, which contain volumes on the lives of most great men's wives, are silent on this gentle helpmeet, who has spent a lifetime as wife and mother.

She has been the leader of her home, as Rockefeller has been the leader in his business world. More than half a century ago, John D. Rockefeller and Laura Spelman were play fellows in a little Cleveland school. She was his only sweetheart, and, when she left her father's home, she took her new abode the sterling qualities of honesty and the deep religious convictions he had instilled in her with long training and example. She has never emerged from the unpretentiousness, which attracted Rockefeller to her in their school days.

Her habits of life, environment and manners are as simple now as when she left a comfortable home to share the ups and downs of a struggling young merchant.

Her acts of charity are never heralded in the press. New York does not know her face from the face of the humblest citizen in the metropolis. She is 73 years old. And the only story, which has ever been told about her is that she is a good wife, a Christian woman and a splendid mother.

She has lived for her husband and her children. Her friends are the friends of the historian, writing of Rockefeller and his wealth, will say that his gigantic ability as a money-getter was due, largely, to the motto his wife gave him—"Don't talk too much."

SOME RULES FOR MAKING JAM

Fruit that is ripe loses bouquet and flavor quickly; for example, put some fresh picked fruit in a room and it will scent the place; try to find the same perfume next day—it has gone, never to return; whereas unripe fruit may be good in two or three days. So all fruit should be cooked as soon as possible after picking to get the best results.

To make good jam the best sugar is required—that is, cane—and three-quarters of a pound of sugar is enough for each pound of fruit, unless the fruit is poor; if so, equal proportions should be used. The more sugar used the less the fruit flavor is noticeable, but bought jams have 45 per cent of sugar. The reason is that sugar is half the price of the best fruits when boiled.

To make raspberry, gooseberry and black currant jams, put the fruit in the pan with as little water as possible to prevent burning, bring to a boil for ten minutes; then skim until no more scum rises; add the sugar, again skimming all the scum off; then draw off to cool.

HOW ONE BUSINESS GIRL DRESSES

A writer in an exchange says of this important subject:

Of course, the one-piece frock and the shirtwaist and skirt are our mainstays, and neatness is our greatest sartorial virtue. But these things being said, there is much more in the subject of the business woman's clothes.

Consider first our handicap. Whereas our stay-at-home sisters can have a seamstress in the house, or can stitch up their own blouses, or can take the time to wrestle with the dressmaker, we can do none of these things because of our office hours. At least, if we do them we must do them hurriedly and in the evenings when we should be recreating or resting.

I know exactly what it means to leap away from the office at 5 o'clock precisely and hurry away uptown—why do dressmakers always live in such inaccessible spots?—and stand for fitting, and then get home late for dinner and utterly worn out. The stay-at-home sister produces a darling little handsome blouse which she has just leisurely finished.

If we eschew the dressmaker, there is the shop with its ready-made things, which, be they ever so lovely, are never quite right under the arms and are always too large in the cuffs. Of course, if you are the possessor of an absolutely perfect figure with the them made up into semi-tailored styles for summer. For winter she has two

symmetrical measurements of the beautiful was, ladies in the window, the ready-made blouse or frock is a joy to you. Alas, I am one of the great majority to whom the ready-made is always an unsatisfactory makeshift.

I know the one business woman who dresses always well and always with an effect of great smartness. I asked her how she did it. And I put some of her precepts into practice for myself.

First of all, she goes to as good a tailor as she can afford and buys one habit black skirt, opening at the side front with invisible hooks and with a belt of the same material stitched on; walking length, of course, but always severely plain, whether plaits or gathers or bands are worn or not.

The coats are plain, too, varying in length as the styles demand, but always semi-fitting with mannish sleeves and revers. The buttons are bone, for cloth buttons, even the best, wear shabby soon. There is never any braiding on her suits nor trimming of any sort, though in their second year they are sometimes freshened with cuffs and collar of velvet.

A plain well-cut suit like this always looks well, is just as smart the second year as the first, and has nothing about it to get shabby and dowdy. It is needless to say that she always chooses inconspicuous materials, gray chevrot, black and white tweed, blue serge and the like—things which never go out of style, but are always worn by the best dressed women.

She usually has two hats, one small and smart, the other a medium size, which she cannot take time to go home to dress when she is going out to dinner or the theatre. Her gloves are always heavy and dark except when she wears wash leather—and those, of course, she can wash herself.

Her blouses are to my mind her greatest triumph. She gets white dotted Swiss and striped dimity and wash blouses, one of crepe de chine, which is so easily cleaned, another of satin both to match her suit. With a velvet bow for her throat, which matches the cockade on her hat, or perhaps either a string of coral or amber beads, she is always well and interestingly dressed.

The point is this—she knows that she wants and gets it and gets nothing more. She saves her money for books and concerts and theatres and travel. It may not be especially exciting to one's feminine love of finery to buy clothes in this studied and scheduled way, but the result is decidedly worth while.

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.]

Will Washing Help?

Dear Miss Grey: I have a dress of a good quality of navy blue cotton voile that has got very limp and stringy with wear, although it is by no means worn out. Do you think it would improve to wash and starch and iron it, or would it make it worse? Is there such a thing as black starch to be got in any grocery store?

Many thanks, A.—You will need to handle the dress carefully, but I think washing will help it. Use cold water only, in which a small piece of white soap has been dissolved. Do not rub soap in the dress; wash between the hands, rinse twice, putting two tablespoons of vinegar in the last rinsing water. Iron on the wrong side. There is a special starch for black material, which I should advise you to use. No doubt your grocer keeps it.

Troubled With Moles.

Dear Miss Grey: I would like a sure cure for removing superfluous hairs, and also would like to know how to get rid of moles, especially on face and back of neck.

Is it wrong to use tweezers to draw hairs from moles on face? I will look anxiously for an answer to my questions but you will not mention my name—I will be greatly obliged to you if you notice my questions, and remain, yours truly, C. M. C.

A.—Electrolysis is the only sure cure for removing superfluous hair. This consists of putting an electric needle down into the hair follicle and destroying it. Needless to say, this is rather a painful and expensive treatment. The hair can be made much less conspicuous by the use of hydrogen peroxide. The spots, where the growth is, should first be cleansed with hot water and soap and a little ammonia, in order to take off all the natural oil. After the washing, apply the hydrogen with a soft cloth.

Regarding moles, they should not be tampered with by anyone but a skin specialist, as they may be the starting point for cancerous growths. Best consult a physician for their advice, but otherwise you should leave them alone.

Become More Worthy.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a young man, 21 years of age, tall and have fair hair and blue eyes. I have never heard of the treatment you mention, and do not advise you trying it. It is probably a deplorable of some nature, and in removing the hair one is apt to remove some of the skin, besides being decidedly unpleasant at the time, frequently leaves undesirable scars. Sorry that I cannot offer you more encouraging advice.

When to Reply.

Dear Miss Grey: Is it customary to reply to wedding invitations. Thanking you in advance. HELEN.

A.—As a rule, they are replied to, especially if the invitation includes the wedding reception or breakfast. If it merely means to attend a church ceremony, a reply is not required in most cases.

Make It an Issue.

Dear Miss Grey: I am keeping company with a young man about my age. I care for him very much and he seems to return my love for me. But every time I ask him to my home he objects and says he is ashamed.

A.—Tell him to come to your home or you will no longer see him. It is never fair to a girl to ask her to meet her lover on the streets. I may go farther and say it is really an evidence of lack of respect.

Insists on Making Engagements.

Dear Miss Grey: Please do tell me what to do under these circumstances: I am in a terrible predicament. Among my acquaintances I have a young man who is always insisting on me making engagements with him. I have "turned him down" a number of times, but he always asks me again the next time he gets a chance. I admire him very much, although I have known him only about six months. My main reason for not going with him is that he chums with two boys whom I dislike, and has gone with a girl with whom I do not associate.

Shall I tell him this, or merely "turn him down" again as before? BROWN HAIR.

A.—If you are not interested in him, refuse all invitations he extends to you.

Corn Oysters.

Two cupsful of green corn pulp, two tablespoonsful melted butter, eggs, some flour, seasoning of salt, pepper and red pepper. Cut the corn through the kernel with sharp knife and remove the pulp; add the remaining ingredients with enough flour to shape into small cakes. Sauté in butter or fry in deep fat.

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To Disinfect Books

Books can carry infection. All books, not bought new, should be freely opened and exposed to the air and sunshine for several days. This applies equally if books are brought into the home from an unknown source or from a place where disease may have been spread.

Disinfect the books with formaldehyde by standing them on end with leaves separated as far as possible. The room in which this disinfecting is done should be made air-tight by filling up cracks of doors and windows with cotton. Use about 8 ounces of formaldehyde, diluted with as much warm water, to each 1,000 cubic feet of space in the room. Mix the formaldehyde and water in a basin, soak a bed sheet in it, and hang it up on a line in the centre of the room closed for eight hours.

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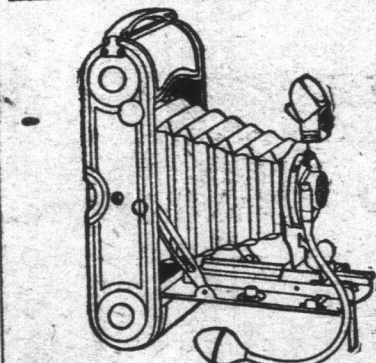
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The sisters then refused to accept the property. For some time Ald. Blandford has been dickering for the place, and yesterday the deal was consummated. Work will be commenced on the house.

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Throughout Middlesex County the cry prevails that the oat crop is a failure this season. The cause is the unusually great amount of rain. Farmers were on the local market square this morning from the townships of Carleton Place, Lobo and London, and all stated that this season's crop of oats will be the poorest in some years.

Many farmers have fields of oats standing in shock, weathering the deluge and becoming practically useless. The continuous rains have caused the oats to sprout a second time in several places. With this prospect ahead, oats will be a high price next year.

Hay and wheat, they report, have been very good, and were saved by being harvested before the rain came on the scene to any great extent.

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Music and Drama

Minstrels Next Monday.
"Honey Boy" Evans has turned out another "minstrelletta," as the finale portion of his all new show this year, and he calls it "De Go Lightly Guards' Reception." As may be inferred by the title the new afterpiece is of a military nature, and the action takes place in the Go Lightly Guards' Armory. The inherent love of the dandy for military display is given full swing in this final comedy of the evening, and the skit is promised as a worthy successor to "The Dixie Derby," "The Firemen's Picnic" and "The Belle of the Barber's Ball," which have so highly amused the patrons of the "Honey Boy" shows in past seasons. "Cleopatra Jones" is the nomenclature of the little minstrel star in this afterpiece, and his admirers know that they will get a laugh from "Cleopatra Jones" will be seen at the Grand Opera House Monday night. Seats now on sale.

PROCLAIMED SULTAN.
Marrakech, Morocco, Aug. 21.—Reports received here through native channels say that the Moroccan pretender, El Hiba, has been proclaimed sultan of Marakesh, the religious capital of the country, which recently was evacuated by the French troops.

BRUTALLY BEATEN WHEN SHE WOULD NOT GIVE UP SAVINGS**Henry Waller Alleged to Have Bumped His Young Wife's Head Against the Wall and to Have Kicked and Ill-Used Her.**

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[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Aug. 22.—Henry Waller is under arrest in connection with a brutal assault on his wife. It is alleged that on Sunday last Waller, who has not been working for some time, by beating Mrs. Waller, forced her to give him money which she had earned by going to work herself. Yesterday he demanded \$5 which she had put away to pay the rent, and when she would not give it to him, it is alleged that he bumped her head against the wall and brutally kicked and beat her. The couple have been married less than two years, and have one little child about a year old. The police were called in by Mrs. Waller after the assault.

WILL ENTER APPEAL IF IT NECESSARY**Hearing in the Sarnia Ferry Charges Is Now Being Heard in Court.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Aug. 22.—The courtroom was crowded today, when the adjourned hearing of the ferry charges started. After a brief statement from Chief of Police Forbes and Town Clerk Stewart regarding the ferries, the hearing was adjourned until the afternoon.

The charges as they now stand are that the company operating the city docks by operating ferries under 100 tons' burden and by operating ferries that will not carry at least 200 passengers comfortably.

Mr. F. F. Hart, who is representing the company, gave notice that if necessary he intends to carry the case to a superior court, and contended that the town has absolutely no power to issue any such license as it has been granting.

ASK FOR INQUIRY IN FERRY DIFFICULTY**Port Huron Council Trying to Play the Part of Peacemaker.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Aug. 21.—The city of Port Huron has become interested in the ferry situation and the commissioners in whose hands the reins of municipal control are placed have ordered a thorough investigation into the dispute.

Mayor John Bell has been authorized by the council to conduct an inquiry, if possible, and secure the resolution was also passed by the commissioners tendering the city docks to any company or individual desiring to operate a ferry service between the two towns.

This resolution is a commendable piece of diplomacy, as it clearly shows that the American city remains entirely neutral and impartial while removing any impression which might savor of patriotic partiality from the minds of a few on this side.

Warned Ferry Company.
The Port Huron authorities have even warned the ferry company not to in any way obstruct the city docks with their vessels, although no deliberate attempt to do this has been made.

A conversation over the phone took place last night between the chief executives of the two towns, but the long distance conference was private. There has been much talk, both by the town and the ferry company, of "standing pat," but from a business point of view the mixup will, like all other disputes of a similar nature, eventually be compromised and settled.

A Ridiculous Feature.
One of the ridiculous features of the situation at present is the operation of two small launches in lieu of the ferry boats. The recently enacted bylaw prohibits ferries of under 100 tons burden and it was this ordinance which stopped the Beard and Dorrmer, which are of about 60 tons. So the launches which weigh possibly two tons are allowed to carry passengers as far as is known, a direct violation of the prohibitory clause.

The White Star Line steamer running from Port Huron to Detroit has up till today charged ten cents from Sarnia to South Port Huron, but



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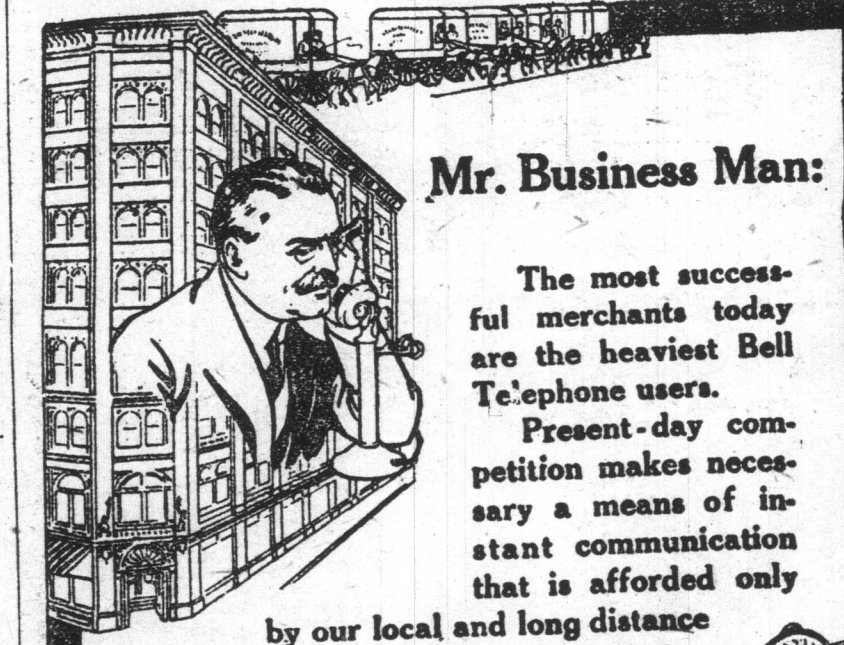
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Great Activity at Queen's Park. The Exhibition Grounds and buildings is certainly a busy spot at the present time. Scores of men are busy engaged in the different departments preparing for the great exhibition. The Art Building is nearing completion. The hydro-electric mission are erecting several cluster lights near the Dundas street entrance, which will add very much to the appearance of the grounds. The park never looked better than it does this year. Several firms, both in the Machinery Department and the Main Building are already busy preparing for their exhibits, and everything indicates a banner year for the Exhibition. Entries will close Thursday, Sept. 5. All entries for the Dog Show must positively be in the hands of the secretary on or before Tuesday, Sept. 4, as a catalogue of the entries has to be prepared and printed. All information at the general offices.