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Amusements and Lectures

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BOAT RACES—LONDON VS. LEANDER Rowing Club, Hamilton—Singles, doubles and fours. Best programme ever seen in the city; 10 events; Saturday, Aug. 29. 92tf

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GIRLS WANTED FOR DINING-ROOM and general work. Mrs. JENNINGS, Western Hotel. 93c

DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Realible help always on hand; also wanting good generals, cooks, and girls for country; 59 Richmond street; 'phone 1121.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRLS FOR summer resorts—Good wages; also cooks, generals, kitchen girls and girls for all kinds of housework in and out of city. ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street. 'Phone, 386.

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BOY WANTED—MUST LIVE IN NORTH part of city. JOHN MILLS. b

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESMAN for dress goods department. KINGSMILL'S, Dundas street, London. 92c

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LOST—BROOCH OF NIAGARA FALLS spar, with three pendants and gold setting. Reward at 488 Elizabeth street. 94c

LOST—ON SATURDAY BICYCLE PURSE containing $13. Liberal reward at 515 York street, or at WILKINS' barber shop, 264 Dundas street. 93c

Articles For Sale.

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GAS CHANDELIERS AND BRACKETS and globes. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. y

CONTENTS WELL-FURNISHED HOUSE for sale. Apply Box 8, Advertiser office. 93c

FOR SALE—EXTENSION AND OTHER ladders, steps, trestles, swingstage ropes and numerous other articles useful to painters and others in the building trade. Apply at 558 Princess avenue. 92c

FLY EXTERMINATOR AND GALL cure 25c box; axle grease, best American, 2 boxes 15c. J. DARCH & SONS, 377 and 379 Talbot street.

FOR SALE—TWO BARBERS' CHAIRS, nearly new, dressing case, mirrors, etc; cheap. Apply at 60½ Dundas street, London. 79tf

1 JIG SAW—ONE MELODEON—FOR sale cheap at the Ark.

A GOOD HEINTZMAN & CO. UPRIGHT piano, slightly used, great bargain. Warerooms 236 Dundas. H. W. BURNETT, Manager.

Board and Lodging.

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TO LET—TWO LARGE ROOMS, SUITABLE for young ladies attending high school, at 463 Colborne street. 94cywt

Wanted.

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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL RECEIVE offers up to Sept. 1, 1896, for one hundred and ninety-five shares of paid-up stock of the Agricultural Savings and Loan Company of London, Can. Offers may be made for the whole or a part of the shares. The highest or any offer will not be accepted unless satisfactory. DUGALD BROWN, JOHN WATERS, executors of Stewart estate. Address JOHN WATERS, County Registry Office. 88u-100u

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J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

J. H. WILSON & SON—OFFICE 99½ KING street, London; residence, 846 Richmond treet. Telephone.

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GOOD INVESTMENTS—PERSONS HAVING sums from $50 to $1,000 can hear of good safe investments at reasonable profit at the GENERAL SECURITIES ASSOCIATION, corner Dundas and Talbot streets, city, over Agricultural Savings and Loan Company. yx

VETERINARY PRACTICE, DOING A good business, also house and lot, for sale; satisfactory reasons for selling. Apply Grand Central Hotel, corner King and Ridout streets. 88uywt

Educational.

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THE MISSES WESCOTT'S SCHOOL, 441 Ridout street, reopens Tuesday, Sept. 1. 94k ywz

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING taught by professional teachers at the Western Ontario Shorthand Academy, 76 Dundas street, London. Situations secure for graduates when competent. WM. C. COO Principal. ywt

—When making purchases of merchants who advertise with us you will confer a favor on this paper by mentioning that you saw the advertisement in the "London Advertiser."

Agents Wanted.

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WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO travel. Salary, $780 and expenses. Reference. Inclose self-addressed envelope. President, drawer P, Chicago. 94c

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT YOUNG men to do work for us in this vicinity. If they have bicycles all the better. Address "Advertiser," Brantford, Ontario. ywt

WANTED — SEVERAL FIRST-CLASS clerks to attend to our business in this and adjoining counties. Apply with references. THE BRADLEY-GARRETSON COMPANY, Limited, 49 Richmond street west, Toronto, Ont. ywt

$3 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR ADDRESS and we will show you how to make $3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully; remember, we guarantee a clear profit of $3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; write at once. Imperial Silverware Co., Box K. C., Windsor, Ont. ywt 2

AGENTS WANTED—OUR NEW BOOK—"Safe Citizenship," has no rival. Money, gold and silver fully explained. 'Bimetalism defined; 16 to 1 clearly expounded. Both sides of the Great Silver Question fully discussed in the most practical way. No party favored; simply fact is dealt with. History of money and cause of panics. History of all great questions and government of the United States, with a parallel account of all great events in the history of Canada up to date. The Canadian matter is written by J. Frith Jeffers, therefore it is to be relied upon. The American questions are dealt with by J. L. Nichols, author of the famous Business Guide, Household Guide, etc., etc. "Safe Citizenship" is now ready for you. Contains nearly 600 pages, over 40 illustrations, bound in best English cloth, finished in gold, head bands, etc., $1.25. Full leather, gilt edges, etc., $1.75. The parallel idea, carried out in this book, is new, and a feature that will be appreciated by every reader. Sold only by subscription. Surprising discount. Agents wanted. Get territory at once. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., 33 Richmond street west, Toronto. 3tf

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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BRICK COTTAGE TO RENT—COMMODIOUS brick cottage, 707 Queen's avenue; 8 rooms, city and soft water, bath room, etc.; nice locality. Apply 718 Queen's avenue. 94c ywt

COTTAGE TO LET—96 CARTWRIGHT street; 6 rooms; rent $6. Apply 102 Cartwright. 94i

TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE — 33 Becher street, 8 rooms, bath, rent moderate. Apply 27 Becher. 94tfywt

TO RENT—TWO NEW BRICK HOUSES —All modern conveniences; gas; inside shutters, furnace, etc. Apply J. P. THOMPSON, care Pocock Bros. 93c

TO LET—NEW BRICK HOUSE—10 ROOMS —Wellington street, opposite Victoria Park; hardwood finished, electric wired for lights and bells, gas, furnace, etc.; all first-class. Apply P. MURRAY, Tecumseh House 91n

TO LET—HOUSE, YARD AND STABLE—separately or otherwise. Terms reasonable. Inquire Salvation Army Citadel. 62tf

HOUSE TO LET—428 PARK AVENUE—5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; ity and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREBILCOCK, 235 Dundas street. 34tf

BRICK COTTAGE — 173 LICHFIELD street—7 rooms, soft and city water. Apply next door, or 292 Central avenue, J. M. LOGAN. 24tf

Livery Stables.

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LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 666

TREBILCOCK & STROYAN'S MAMMOTH Livery. Hacks, coupes and light livery; ladies' and gents' saddle horses. J. S. Marshall's old stand, 189 Dundas. Phone 503. Open day and night.

Electro-Turkish Baths.

THE LONDON SANITARIUM — FOR the treatment of nervous diseases by the natural agencies and without the use of medicines. J. G. WILSON, 320 Dundas street.

THE SEWERAGE BYLAW

A meeting of the ratepayers will be held in the

Town Hall, East London,

ON

Tuesday Evening, Aug. 25th,

to consider the proposed sewerage plan. All citizens interested should attend. 93u

Grimsby Park.

CLOSING WEEK FOR 1896.

Wednesday, Aug. 26. 2:30 p.m.—Lecture—Rev. John P. Ashley, S.T.B., Ph.D, President of Genesee Wesleyan Seminary, U. S, "Savonarolla." Dr. Ashley ranks among the first lecturers of the day. 8 p.m.—Illustrated lecture—Rev. M. W. Chase, "American Paradises." "A carnival of artistic beauty."

Thursday, Aug. 27. 2:30 p.m.—Lecture—Rev. Dr. Ashley, "The Saint of the Middle Ages." 8 p.m.—Illustrated Lecture—Rev. M. W. Chase, "The Seven Scenic Wonders of the New World"—Part 1.

Friday, Aug. 28. 2:30 p.m.—Lecture—Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts, Ph.D., Washington, D. C., U. S. "The Good Old Times." Dr. Crafts is the leader of social reform. Eloquent, suggestive, convincing. 8 p.m.—Illustrated lecture—Rev. M. W. Chase, "The Seven Scenic Wonders of the New World"—Part 2.

Saturday, Aug. 29. Tournament Day, Quoits, etc. 8 p.m.—Grand Closing concert by the Grimsby Park Choral Society, under the guidance of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blight.

Sunday, Aug. 30. 9:30 a.m.—Prayer and praise service. 11 a.m.—Sermon—Rev. Dr. Crafts, "The Better New Times." 2:30 p.m.—Sermon—Rev. Dr. Crafts, "The Best Time Coming." 7:30 p.m.—Closing Exercises, Addresses, Song, the Old-Time March and Hand-Shake.

NOAH PHELPS, President. W. C. WILKINSON Secretary. 93c



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Real Estate.

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FOR SALE—RESIDENCE OF LATE Alex. McIntosh, corner Dundas and Waterloo streets; also lot on Waterloo street; best locality in city for a doctor. Apply J. G. MCINTOSH. 94tf ywt

FOR SALE—COTTAGE—FOUR ROOMS—Summer kitchen and woodshed; hard and soft water; lot 50x120 feet; cheap; owner leaving city. Apply 12 Alfred street. 89bu

A NUMBER OF FINE TWO-STORY houses for sale or rent, from $15 to $25 a month, and a few more new cottages. Hurry up, fall is coming. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

H. M. DOUGLASS, REAL ESTATE Broker, 110 Dundas street. For sale, two new brick houses on Talbot street, 12 rooms and all modern improvements, furnace, gas, bath, watercloset; in best locality in city; also beautiful cottage on Talbot street. yt

FOR SALE—LARGE COTTAGE, NO. 644 Lorne avenue, price $1,450; $800 down, $600 time; fifth door east of Adelaide; also two good brick houses on Ridout, between Dundas and King. Apply 386 Ridout street. 88n eod

GEORGE PRITCHARD,
Phone 757. 9 Market Lane.

FOR SALE.

One and one-half story frame, Queen's avenue; a bargain at $2,500.

Brick cottage, William street, good value, $2,200.

Brick cottage, King street, $2,500.

Choice lot, Grosvenor, near George street a great bargain for the buyer.

GOOD FARM, NEAR HARRIETSVILLE 70 acres first-class soil and buildings large orchard, cheap. Apply J. W. WINNETT barrister, 420 Talbot street, London. ywt

REALTY BUYERS,

ATTENTION!

The following properties are offered for sale by A. A. Campbell, Molsons Bank Buildings, where further particulars can be obtained, viz:

Street.	Remarks.	Rooms.	Price.
Edward	1½-story brick veneer	7	$1,600
Ridout	Modern	10	4,200
Hill	Frame cottage	6	600
Wortley	2-story brick	8	2,400
Cathcart	Modern brick	7	2,200
Queen's Ave	Frame cottage, nice	3	1,300
Elizabeth	Frame cottage	7	1,100
Askin	Modern brick	7	2,200
John	1½-story brick, new	8	1,700
Dufferin Ave.	Modern	12	7,500
George	Modern	12	4,500
Gray	New frame	7	1,300
Pall Mall	Modern	8	3,200
Piccadilly	Nice frame	7	1,100
Hyman	Modern, new	7	2,200
Princess Ave.	Gas, furnace	8	2,300
Richmond	New, modern	10	3,500
Queen's Ave	New, modern	10	3,500
Dundas	(Two), modern	20	5,000
King	(Two), modern	20	5,500

Etc., Etc., Etc.

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ALL KINDS Fire, Life and Accident insurance written at cheapest rates in best companies. Surety bonds given.

FOR SALE.

Frame cottage, with good fruit; corner Center and Leslie streets, London West; great bargain.

Fruit farm, London West, with splendid dwelling; cheap.

Apply at

A. B. POWELL'S,
Real Estate and Insurance Office,
437 Richmond street.

PROCLAMATION.

In accordance with the desire of the municipal council and representatives of the local Board of Health, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the freehold electors of the city of London will be held on the dates, and at the places below specified, for the purpose of discussing the proposed sewerage system and the bylaw to raise $150,000 therefore. The meetings in each instance will open at 8 o'clock p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 25. East End Hall
Wednesday, Aug. 26, Aberdeen School-house
Thursday, Aug. 27, Trebilcock's Hall
Saturday, Aug. 29, City Hall
Monday, Aug. 31, Waterloo St. School-house

J. W. LITTLE, Mayor.

Mayor's Office, London, Aug. 24, '96. 93g

AUCTION SALE.

MR. NEIL COOPER will sell at 199 Horton street, on **Wednesday, Aug. 26,** contents of cottage comprising in part parlor suite, carpets, easy chairs, sideboard, Raymond sewing machine, dining-table, crockery, gem jars, baseburner with oven, bedroom suites, springs, mattresses, cook stove, kitchen utensils, besides sundry other articles. Sale at 10:30.
NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer. 92uty

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF

Valuable Oil and Soap Manfg. Plant.

Estate of P. M. Lawrason, London, Ont.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, Ont., on **Tuesday, Sept. 1, at 2:30 p.m.,** the above valuable property, situated on Adelaide and Nelson streets, London East. The whole is in first-class condition and affords a rare opportunity to engage in a profitable business. Also the following stock and chattels, viz.:

Raw material for manufacture	$ 530 00
Wrappers, labels, lithographs etc	1,662 00
Office furniture	177 50
Total	$2,369 50

Terms easy, and will be made known at time of sale or on application on the premises or to the undersigned. ALF. ROBINSON, Assignee.

GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, Solicitors for Assignee.
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VOTE FOR THE

Sewerage Bylaw

ON

Wednesday, Sept. 2nd,

The city needs better sewerage to improve its sanitary condition and make it the cleanest and healthiest city in the Dominion.

The city is compelled to improve its sewerage by the civil courts, which have pronounced judgment, and forbid us emptying sewage into the river.

The plan proposed is the work of three of the best sanitary engineers in Canada and the United States, and has the approval of the Provincial Board of Health.

Should the future requirements of the city demand other means of sewage disposal, the proposed system will simply have to be extended further, and the proposed works utilized as far as they go. Not a dollar of the present expenditure will be wasted.

Under the act, which provides the most just and equitable methods of meeting the cost, the annual rate of taxation will only be increased half a mill on the dollar. The man who pays $10 taxes will only have to pay 25 cents more.

Let every ratepayer who desires to improve the city, and who wishes to save it from serious annoyance, as well as law costs and fines that will eventually amount to more than the expense of sewer construction, vote for the bylaw of Wednesday, the 2nd September, and then take a neighbor to the polls and see that he votes.

POLLING PLACES.

The first division of the First Ward, consisting of the first and second and fourth poll ing sub-divisions thereof, at the City Hall.

The second division of the First Ward, consisting of the third and fifth polling sub-divisions thereof, at James M. Cousins' house, 123 Bathurst street.

The third division of the First Ward, consisting of the sixth and seventh polling subdivisions thereof, at John C. Williams' house, 244 Grey street.

The first division of the Second Ward, consisting of the first and second polling subdivisions thereof, at James Percival's store, on Queen's avenue.

The second division of the Second Ward, consisting of the third and fourth polling subdivisions thereof, at Wm. Smith's store, corner Richmond and Albert streets.

The third division of the Second Ward, consisting of the fifth and sixth polling sub-divisions thereof, at F. T. C. Richardson's house, 723 Richmond street.

The first division of the Third Ward, consisting of the first and third polling sub-divisions thereof, at the Colborne street school house.

The second division of the Third Ward, consisting of the second and fourth polling subdivisions thereof, at John Jones' house, 474 York street.

The third division of the Third Ward, consisting of the fifth, sixth and seventh polling sub-divisions thereof, at Robert Carly's house, 497 South street.

The first division of the Fourth Ward, consisting of the first and second polling subdivisions thereof, at Wm. Howie's office corner William street and Dufferin avenue.

The second division of the Fourth Ward, consisting of the third and fourth polling subdivisions thereof, at the Princess avenue school house.

The third division of the Fourth Ward, consisting of the fifth polling sub-division thereof, at Earl Gaze's house, 698 Colborne street.

The fourth division of the Fourth Ward, consisting of the sixth polling sub-division thereof, at the Waterloo street school house.

The first division of the Fifth Ward, consisting of the first and second polling sub-divisions thereof, at Wm. Trace's house, 185 Rectory street.

The second division of the Fifth Ward, consisting of the third and fourth polling sub-divisions thereof, at the East End Hall.

The third division of the Fifth Ward, consisting of the fifth polling sub-division thereof, at Thomas S. Tuxford's house, 916 Dufferin avenue.

The first division of the Sixth Ward, consisting of the first and second polling sub-divisions thereof, at the Grand avenue school house.

The second division of the Sixth Ward, consisting of the fourth polling sub-division thereof, at James Connor's house on Bruce street.

The third division of the Sixth Ward, consisting of the third and fifth polling sub-divisions thereof, at the Askin street school house. 94g

Hellmuth Ladies' College.

Next term begins **Tuesday, September 15.**

For illustrated announcement containing courses of studies, fees, etc., apply to
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GERTIE MARRIED AGAIN.

Maid, Wife, Widow and Bride in the Space of a Few Months.

Stratford, Aug. 25.—Within a few months Gertie Kidd has been wife, widow, mother and bride. Gertie was a dashing blonde, and John Kidd's departure at the ripe age of 98, after only a few months of married life, left her a weeping widow at 16. The old man, having forgotten her altogether in his will, Gertie started the law in motion to recover her dower, estimated as worth $6,000 or $7,000. She was successful in her suit at the Dufferin Assizes last spring, and is now in receipt of an annual income of $200 as the result of the settlement subsequently arrived at. Many things have happened since Gertie returned to Toronto from the Orangeville Assizes last March. She became an orphan through the death of her putative parent, old man Robins, who passed off the stage of life during the same month. On the 14th of May she became a mother, but the child lived only about two months, and again Gertie was plunged into mourning.

Gertie took another husband last Friday. He is a young man named McKenzie, and he claims to be the son of a Presbyterian minister at Wingham.

Brazil is a Portugese word, signifying "a live coal." It was given in allusion to the abundance of red dyewood found in its forests.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

Topics of Today.

Hon. Robert Watson, Minister of Public Works in the Manitoba Government, was in town today. He is the same big, enthusiastic Northwesterner as ever.

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On Thursday of this week the Senators and M. P.s in Opposition at Ottawa will meet to consider the question of selecting a leader. Sir Charles, senior, will probably retain the post.

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Sir Charles, the elder, yesterday talked in Parliament for three mortal August hours at a stretch. And yet people kick at 20-minute summer sermons.

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Hon. Hugh John Macdonald will be the nose-gay at the Chatham Peninsular Fair.

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What do you think of $20,000,000 annually spent for chewing gum in the hard-up United States?

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The Brantford Expositor is disposed to have a little fun at the expense of the gentleman of the Black Rod, whose function is to summon the Commons to the Senate Chamber, there to be made acquainted with the commands of the Governor-General. We have to disagree with our irreverent contemporary. The Advertiser was recently at Ottawa, and considers that the three main bows, as well as the two additional side salutations, are exceedingly well done. We stand up for Mr. Black Rod, and have no desire to be responsible in the slightest degree for any undermining of the British Constitution.

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The Hon. J. D. Edgar is now settled as Speaker of the Dominion Parliament, and already it is seen the choice has been a wise one. An experienced parliamentarian, of sauve, yet firm, disposition, he will know how to guide the deliberations of the House and maintain the dignity of Parliament. In addition to which, he makes a handsome figure in the chair.

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The Liberals of North Oxford did exceedingly well in nominating Mr. Andrew Pattullo, of the Sentinel-Review, as a candidate to the Legislative Assembly to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Sir Oliver Mowat. Mr. Pattullo will represent the riding with credit. He will be very useful in the House and on the stump as a capable Liberal speaker, and it is not too much to say that he constitutes valuable Cabinet timber in reserve for the future. No question as between town and country arises in Mr. Pattullo's case, as, being a journalist, he is equally interested in both town and country.

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The Sarnia Observer does not seem to be of the opinion that the dailies in the larger cities are entitled to all the credit for political successes won by the party they support, and contends that the greater part of the success is due to the local papers, without the aid of which many of the successful candidates would have been left on the other side of the column. There is no doubt that our contemporary takes a right view of this matter. Among the various Western papers we know of none that has done more efficient service than the Sarnia Observer itself.

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Chicago is talking of a tower that will raise 1,150 feet in the air, and surpass the Eiffel Tower, of Paris, not alone in height but also in multitudinous attractions. It is reckoned that this new tower will give opportunity to students of astronomy as well as afford delight to countless multitudes. It will be the highest tower in the world. By the way, when will the Western Fair have its Eiffel Tower?

The Sewerage Bylaw.

The voting on the sewerage bylaw takes place on the 2nd of September; and the ratepayers should seriously consider the reasons that require them to vote in its favor.

In the first place, it must be distinctly understood that improved sewerage for the city is not optional—it is compulsory. The courts have decided that we must not put our sewage into the river. A fine has been imposed; and an injunction to close up the present sewers prepared. These have been suspended for some years in order that the city might have reasonable time to prepare a satisfactory scheme of sewage disposal. If we now refuse to do anything, and vote down the bylaw to be submitted, we must calculate to pay the fine; and be prepared to wake up some morning and find our sewers closed.

In addition, there are other lawsuits against the city, growing out of its imperfect sewerage. One of these has already been decided against us; but the judge allowed a few months' grace to enable us to abate the nuisance. The time has just expired.

There is really only one question to consider: Is the plan proposed a satisfactory one? The best answer to the question is this: The plan is one indorsed by three of the best sanitary engineers that could be secured—one in the United States, and two in Canada. It is to be presumed that after a careful consideration by our local Board of Health, for more than a year; and by the three consulting engineers—each of whom devoted several months to the problem, that it ought to be satisfactory. There can be no doubt that all conceivable methods have been carefully discussed; and the conclusions so unanimously reached may be accepted by us without hesitation.

The plans, and the system of disposal, have also received the official indorsation of the Provincial Board of Health, without whose approval no system of sewerage could be adopted by us.

But the chief reason why we should improve our sewerage, though it is not the one that always appeals most strongly to the public, is that we need it for sanitary advantages. London is a fairly healthy city. Its general cleanliness, its excellent water, its favorable surroundings, all tend to healthfulness. Only one thing more is needed. With a good system of sewerage it will stand without a peer in the Dominion. For this cause alone, the money expended would be the most profitable investment the city ever made.

The only objections anyone can raise would have their origin in the very natural hesitation we all feel over spending money and increasing taxation. Fortunately in this case, the act obtained last session is exceedingly favorable. If the entire amount should be borrowed at once (which, of course, will not be necessary), it would only add between six and seven thousand dollars a year to our taxes; in other words, less than half a mill on the dollar of assessment. Surely, the outlay is trifling when compared with the beneficial results that are to be obtained, in improving the city, and in relieving it from legal disabilities which would in the end cost much more than the sewer debentures will cost.

Let every ratepayer consult the hand-bills; see where his voting-place is, and go to the polls. If all those who are in favor of the bylaw vote, it will be carried easily. But if they are indifferent, and neglect to vote, each one thinking there will be enough without him, then it is safe to say it will be defeated.

Meantime, the authorities will doubtless see to it that meetings are held during the week, and all necessary information supplied the public.

AN EXPERT'S OPINION.

He Says the Mayflower Company Have a Good Mine.

The following extract is from the last issue of the Canadian Mining Review, the official organ of the mining associations of Eastern Canada:

"Occasionally there is lucky mining, as the owners of the Mayflower found out when the graders of the Trail Creek tramway uncovered a three-foot chute of $90 ore. Float from this vein had been found last summer, but the vein being heavily capped was never located. Today the owners of Mayflower have a force of men at work driving a tunnel on this body of ore, and the showing in the breast is all that could be desired. The mouth of the tunnel is right at the track of the Trail Creek tramway, thus facilitating the hauling of supplies and the shipping of ore. Returns from two carloads shipped (at the time of writing this) give an average value of $90 per ton. The vein has been stripped for 200 feet and has been found strong and true. The Mayflower may safely be considered a mine."

Note.—The above was written in June last. Since that date an immense amount of work has been done, and Mayflower is daily shipping from 3 to 5 carloads of ore. The ore shipped has carried sufficient gold to meet all running expenses of the Mayflower mine, and the company is only selling shares so as to put in machinery that will increase its production.

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A Postponement.

Chicago's Cricketers Coming

London Rowing Club's Regatta Billed for Sept. 5.

Opening Day of the Windsor Races—Baseball and Other Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—MONDAY

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Providence	7	8	1
Toronto	6	11	4

Batteries—Hodson and Rudderham, Coogan; Dineen and Casey. Umpire—Swartwood.

At Springfield—			
Springfield	1	6	6
Buffalo	1	10	2

Batteries—McPartlin and Leahy; Gannon and Smith. Umpire—Horaung. Called at end of 12th; darkness.

At Wilkesbarre—			
Wilkesbarre	6	13	0
Rochester	9	10	0

Batteries—Luckey, Keenan and Diggins, Wente; Herndon, Callahan and Boyd. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Scranton—			
Syracuse	6	9	3
Scranton	5	10	4

Batteries—Whitehill and Ryan; Brown and Berger. Umpire—Keefe.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—MONDAY

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	3	6	4
Boston	4	9	1

Batteries—Hawley and Sugden; Nichols and Bergen. Umpire—Lynch.

At Brooklyn—			
Chicago	0	3	1
Brooklyn	1	5	1

Batteries—Terry and Anson; Kennedy and Burrill. Umpire—Lally. Twelve innings.

At New York—First game—			
Louisville	6	9	1
New York	3	11	2

Batteries—Hill and Miller; Seymour and Wilson. Umpire—Emslie.

At New York—Second game—			
Louisville	4	7	4
New York	4	5	2

Batteries—Hermann and Dexter; Sullivan and Warner. Umpire—Emslie. Called end of 6th; rain.

Rain at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

THE TRIGGER.

THE SEVENTH WELL UP.

According to the annual report of the Canadian Military Rifle League, the Seventh stand well up in the list. In the first series, ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards, Martini, Martini-Metford or Lee-Metford rifles, seven rounds at each range, battalion teams, ten men, the record is:

Thirteenth, Hamilton	3,540
Fifty-ninth, Cornwall	3,514
Eighty-second, Charlottetown	3,509
Forty-third, Ottawa	3,460
Forty-fifth, Bowmanville	3,447
Forty-fifth, Lindsay	3,428
Fourteenth, Kingston	3,419
Fifth R. C. A., New Westminster	3,412
Seventh, London	3,384
Fifty-seventh, Peterboro	3,373

The Seventh, therefore, stand ninth among 123 competitors.

FLYS.

The Printers' Baseball Club would like to play a picked nine from all other trades in the city, the game to take place on afternoon of Labor Day.

A member of the Alert club has received a letter from Roy Fisher, stating that he had been sold by the Detroit management to Jackson, Mich. Fisher says if he knew of this he would have refused to leave London. He liked London and its people, and would have remained with the Alerts for the balance of the season rather than play with Jackson.

AQUATIC.

LONDON REGATTA POSTPONED.

Owing to the Guelph-London baseball match next Saturday the London Rowing and Canoe Club regatta has been postponed from that date until the following Saturday—Sept. 5. The new schedule of the Canadian Baseball League upset the Rowing Club's calculations, and they had not looked for a rival attraction at Tecumseh Park when they chose next Saturday. The club are determined that this year's regatta shall be the best in their history. The presence of Hamilton's crack oarsmen is a guarantee of this. The match between the Leanders and London's four-oared crew will be the chef d'oeuvre of the day, but in addition there will be races between two-oared crews picked from the Leanders and the Londons, and a single scull race between a visitor and a local man. There will be ten events in all, and if assiduous training goes for anything, every race should be hotly contested. The finish of the course will be opposite Mike Ward's, and the steamer will make special trips.

CRICKET.

LONDON VS. CHICAGO.

The Wanderers' Cricket Club, of Chicago, will try conclusions with the crack London Asylum eleven on the latter's grounds tomorrow, commencing at 10:30 a.m. The Wanderers toured Canada last year and proved themselves foemen worthy of Canadian willow. The Asylum club has picked its best men for the match. They are: Messrs. F. W. Terry, M. A. Walker, J. K. H. Pope, H. Pope, Dr. Hobbs, W. A. M. Goode, G. England, F. Daly, T. Reid, T. Flynn and J. B. Burnand. The Asylum Band will add to the pleasure of the event, and a large attendance from the city is assured.

THE CHICAGO WANDERERS.

Detroit Aug. 25.—A team of cricketers from the Wanderers' Cricket and Athletic Club, of Chicago, played here yesterday, and then started a tour of Canada, which is an annual outing among the members of the club. Games are to be played at Chatham, London, Hamilton, and two in Toronto, one against the Toronto Club, and the final game of the tournament on Saturday against the Rosedale Club of that city.

YACHTING.

CANADA LED.

Toledo, O., Aug. 25.—The attempt to sail the first international race between the Canada and the Vencedor, for the inter-lake yachting championship on Lake Erie, off Toledo, yesterday, resulted in a failure, on account of the lack of wind, as the regatta committee declared the race off at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, after the yachts had drifted about four hours. When the race was called off, the Canada, which had a lead of over a mile, had only covered about six miles, or about a fourth of the race.

THE TURF.

OPENING DAY AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 25.—The third meeting of the Windsor Racing Association opened yesterday under the most auspicious circumstances. The weather was fine, the crowd large, the track in the best of condition, and the racing was good. The day's events resulted:

First race, selling, 3-4 mile—Remedy (103), won; Virgie Dixon (100), 2; Longbrook (105), 3. Time, 1:14 3-4.

Second race, 2-year-olds, selling, 9-16 mile—Wathen (103), won; Katie W. (103), 2; Tidiness (103), 3. Time, :55 1-2.

Third race, purse, mile—Booze (111), won; Sykeston (119) 2; Helen H. (101), 3. Time, 1:42

Fourth race, 2-year-olds, purse, 5-8 mile—Moncreith (111), won; Rideau (103), 2; John Carr (111) 3. Time, 1:02 1-2.

Fifth race, selling, 7-8 mile—Sauteur (102), 1; Alamo (102), 2; Dockstader (102), 3. Time, 1:29 3-4.

THE WHEEL.

SPOKES.

There was a split in one of the local racing teams while at Sarnia. Contrary to orders, four members of the team paced the riders of a rival firm, and the team manager left for home with the only obedient member of his flock.

BOTH DROWNED!

An Heroic Woman's Endeavor to Rescue Her Daughter.

Campbellford, Aug. 25.—On Sunday, Mrs. Hubble, wife of a farmer living near Deer River, in Chandos township, and her two daughters, went to the river to bathe. One of the daughters was "teetering" on a board which overhung the river, and slipped in. The mother plunged to the rescue, and immediately the other daughter swam to her mother's assistance. The mother and daughter became exhausted, and the mother, fearing her weight would drown the other swimmer, pushed her away, and, bidding her good-bye, sank to her death. The girl whom the mother was trying to save was also drowned. The bodies were recovered in twenty feet of water.

SMOTHERED IN GRAIN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Charles Baker, was drawn by suction into a grain bin, covered by 1,000 bushels of grain, and smothered to death. Baker had been warned to be careful. He leaves a wife and three children.

SUICIDE IN DETROIT.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 25.—Wm. Winans, a well-known drygoods dealer of this city, committed suicide yesterday afternoon. He hired a rowboat, rowed out on the river, and jumped into the water. Winans was in financial trouble. He was about 40 years old, and leaves a widow and one son.

DROWNED AT NIAGARA.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Daniel Malloy, a young lad, of Niagara Falls, Ont., met death in the treacherous whirlpool rapids yesterday afternoon. He was in bathing some distance above, where he was caught in the current and swept to his death before the eyes of his companions.

Queer Bookkeeping.

This odd story is told of old Nick Sampson the keeper of a lumberman's store in Northern Wisconsin. He was a bluff, hearty fellow, educated in the ways of the woods, but unable to write his own name. He kept a book, however, in which was entered a strange set of accounts in which some pictorial skill was displayed. One day the clerk of one of the logging camps called to settle accounts. The storekeeper pulled down his old book and began: "On November 5 you had four gallons of molasses; on the 6th, ten pounds of coffee and a cheese—" "Hold on," said the clerk, "we've never had any cheese from you or from any other person." "You must have had it," was the positive reply; "it's down on my book." There was a hot dispute, which almost resulted in blows, when the clerk said: "I got a grindstone of you about that time, but no cheese." That's it, that's it," shouted the old man, slapping his knee, "it wasn't a cheese." Then he pointed to a rough circle he had drawn to represent a cheese. "I forgot to put the hole in the middle," he admitted humbly.

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Laurier and Tupper

The Leaders Meet Each Other in Debate.

Sir Charles Recants His Position on the School Question.

Says He Attached Too Much Importance to It.

Scathing Exposure of His Two-facedness by the Premier.

Tariff Reform Will Come—Speedy Settlement of the School Question Predicted—The Address Brilliantly Moved and Seconded by Young Members.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 25.—Yesterday was the first great field day in the House of Commons. The debate upon the speech from the throne was opened but was not completed. The first speakers were, as usual, two new members on the Government side, and then speeches were made by Sir Charles Tupper and the Prime Minister. These were of more than ordinary interest by reason of the unusual circumstances surrounding the occasion. Sir Charles is in the saddle as leader of the Opposition, and leading his serried forces with good temper thus far. Yesterday he was moderate of speech, and not more bitter than the license allowed to the defeated side. Much of his time was devoted to establishing his contention that the people of the country had declared against the new Government on all the most important issues between the parties. Dealing with the school question, he frankly admitted that he had been disappointed in Quebec. As for tariff revision, he urged the Government to announce at this present session its policy, and not to keep the business interests and manufacturing industries in a disastrous state of uncertainty.

Mr. Laurier was in splendid fighting form and made a capital three-quarter hour reply to the two-hour attack of Sir Charles Tupper. He dismissed Sir Charles' calculation as to majority and minority by saying that the result was plain to be seen. He held the same language on the school question that he has spoken at other times. He hopes to see the question settled before next session to the satisfaction of all reasonable men—the extreme men who would be willing to cut their pound of flesh out of the dead body of their country he did not hope to satisfy. It was not justice that they wanted, but revenge. He promised that the tariff would be dealt with with prudence and care after full investigation had been made into all the interests concerned. During Mr. Laurier's speech the statement was drawn from Sir Charles Tupper that he had never authorized Mr. Taylor or anybody else to say that remedial legislation was no longer a part of the Conservative platform. To this Mr. Laurier's retort was apropos, that the next day would be polling day in North Bruce, and it was a pity Sir Charles had not made that denial eight days ago. Mr. Foster moved the adjournment of the debate at 10:30 o'clock. It is not known how long it will be prolonged. The Opposition policy in the matter may be influenced by the result of the elections.

MOVING THE ADDRESS.

When Mr. McInnes arose to move the address there was an outburst of applause from the Government side of the House. Before entering upon the discussion of the matters alluded to in the speech from the throne, he acknowledged the compliment paid to British Columbia by the Government in selecting a representative of that Province to take part in the proceedings of this Parliament. This was the first occasion on which this honor had been done his Province. He regarded this as a circumstance showing that at last there was a Government in power which recognized the importance of British Columbia and was prepared to pursue a policy of generous treatment towards it—treatment that had not been accorded the province in the past. The speaker said the late Government's trade policy had produced stagnation in the west, and any prosperity there was due to the energy of the settlers. He spoke glowingly of the mining wealth of the province and pleaded for its proper development. He advocated the establishing of a mint in the province. Speaking of immigration, he said the new Government had promised to lighten the tariff burdens of the country, and it was necessary to make the conditions of life easy and agreeable. The late Government's policy had created monopolies which oppressed the people. On the school question, he believed that settlement would be in sympathy with the Liberal principle of provincial rights, in harmony with progressive thought and consonant with the right of self-government. The Conservative party was prepared to disrupt the whole Dominion in order to gratify its inordinate thirst for power. After its failure to inflame the prejudices of Quebec it had turned upon that province and maligned it.

MR. LEMIEUX'S SPEECH.

Mr. Lemieux was warmly greeted by his fellow-Liberals when he got upon his feet to second the address. He spoke in French. He condemned the vacillating school policy of the Conservatives, and prophesied the satisfactory settlement of the question in a few months. He eulogized the alliance between Mr. Laurier and Sir Oliver Mowat, "the noble veteran of Ontario, and the champion of scholastic liberty." Quebec, he said, was legitimately delighted at the election results, but he denied any desire on her part to dominate. He pleaded eloquently for mutual toleration.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

Sir Charles Tupper arose amid Opposition applause. He started out with a plea for protection and said that the result of the elections would have been different but for the school complication. The rallying cry of the Liberal party in Ontario was "Hands off Manitoba." But coming to Quebec there was a curious thing. While Mr. Laurier had obtained his support—not a majority—in the Province of Ontario on the distinct pledge and declaration that he would never interfere with Manitoba by any act of this Parliament, in Quebec Mr. Laurier not only placed himself on the same platform as the Government, but in gambling parlance went them one better, and said that he would not only use constitutional means to give relief to the minority of Manitoba and restore their privilege by constitutional means, but he would do it in its entirety. Without his change of front in the face of the enemy, on the tariff question and those pledges in Quebec the honorable gentleman (Mr. Laurier) would still be sitting on the Opposition side of the House.

It being 6 o'clock, the Speaker left the chair.

After recess Sir Charles Tupper continued his address, and quoted newspaper extracts, reports of speeches and press comments to bear out his contention that Mr. Laurier's victory was not due to the vote of the people on the issues submitted to the country, and that the Premier's triumph was a triumph of race. Sir Charles went on to say that over 19,000 of the electors had polled their votes for the Conservative party over and above those cast for the Liberal party.

Continuing, Sir Charles said: "In the light of what has occurred, I am in a position to frankly admit that I greatly overrated the importance of this question of remedial legislation. I entertained the opinion, and I entertained it sincerely, that the Roman Catholics of Canada attached the most vital importance to the question of religious education for their children; I had the conviction, and I entertained it sincerely, that it would be a cause of deep resentment on the part of the great body of Roman Catholics if the Parliament of Canada refused to carry out the law and the constition as expounded by the highest tribunal in the empire. I find that there has not been that deep importance attached to this question by a very large number of that denomination that I had previously supposed to be attached to it. I made that admission frankly to the House, and I cannot but feel that it is not unlikely that it will be much more difficult in the future to induce gentlemen to sacrifice their own judgment—(Liberal hear, hears)—to some extent, and the feelings of their constituents to some extent, to maintain a policy that, when subjected to the test of actual experience, is not found to have the importance attached to it that it was believed it should have."

Sir Charles criticized the Government for having resorted to the use of Governor-General's warrants to meet the cost of the public services. He also condemned Mr. Laurier for his views on international relations, as published in a Chicago paper. All the evidences of trade showed that Canada was emerging from the period of depression. This tariff uncertainty threatened to destroy confidence and retard the investment of capital in Canadian interests. He implored the Government to let the interests know what their fate would be. Mr. Laurier had declared that he would take off the duties on coal and iron. These interests wanted to know, and for want of knowing could not make their arrangements nine months ahead. So with the great manufacturing industries; they did not know what to expect or fear, and they had a right to call upon the Government to be relieved from the suspense. He concluded with an expression of the hope that the leader of the Government had done with all his rhodomontade about free trade, and that his conversion to the late Government's policy would be an enduring one. (Applause.)

THE PREMIER.

Mr. Laurier rose, amid the loud applause of his friends. He said he had no fault to find with the speech to which they had just listened. Nor was it his intention to offer many comments with regard to it. It was, on the whole, moderate in its spirit, and if the source from which it came were considered, they must consider it very moderate indeed. If there was some bitterness in its latter part it need not be criticized. They could understand the feelings of a gentleman, who, giving up a high office in the service of his country for the honorable ambition of reuniting his party, like Caesar, came and saw, but unlike Caesar, did not conquer. (Laughter.) Mr. Laurier ridiculed Sir Charles' contention that the Conservatives polled 19,000 more votes than their opponents. He said: "I refuse to go very minutely into the calculation of the honorable gentleman, but all I have to say is that if the victorious party polled a minority of the votes in the country, what has become of the gerrymander acts of the honorable gentleman opposite? They certainly were never intended for that purpose, and if that be their result I am sure we shall have the support of the honorable gentlemen when we repeal these acts, as repeal them we shall. (Ministerial applause.) But, sir, if the honorable gentleman (Sir Charles Tupper) does not know yet what are the causes which have brought in this change of Government, I may tell him. There are three cause. The hon. gentleman and his party were defeated because their fiscal policy, which, by a strange misnomer, has been termed the National Policy, had not fulfilled the expectations of the people, still the hon. gentleman adhered to it. (Applause.) The hon. gentleman and his party have been defeated because the administration of affairs under his Government had been extravagant and corrupt. (Applause.) The honorable gentleman and his party have been defeated because, upon a grave and important question, a question which for its solution required great tenderness and care of treatment, instead

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THAMESVILLE.

Thamesville, Aug. 24.—There died here, Aug. 21, after a long illness, Amos Pickard, aged 68 years, 11 months and 21 days. Funeral took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. D. M. Kennedy conducted a funeral service at the Methodist Church, and the remains were interred in Shaw's Cemetery, Kent Bridge. Deceased was one of the oldest settlers of the neighborhood ,and leaves a wife and grown-up family.

Miss Agnes Macpherson returned on Saturday from a much enjoyed visit of a month among relatives in Michigan.

James Little is very low.

Rev. D. Pomeroy, of Highgate, preached yesterday morning in the Methodist Church. He will preach each alternate Sunday morning until further notice.

Jas. Secord has removed his household effects from Brantford, and the family are now settled in the house formerly occupied by Elias Graves.

Fergus Duncan went back to Chatham today. His grandmother, Mrs. Ferguson, accompanied him.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Aug. 24. — On Thursday morning last the Sutor & Dunn sawmill and pump factory were burned to the ground. It is supposed the fire originated from flying cinders. When first noticed it was so well started that every effort of the crowd present to save the building was vain, so all set to work with a hearty goodwill, and quite a lot of the machinery was taken from the building before the heat drove the workers back. It was feared at one time that if the wind kept in the same direction that other fires would occur, and the home of Mr. Dunn was in great danger, as it is so near, and there was so much heading and staves piled in the mill yard, and the fire spread so fast. But by hard work the fire was prevented from spreading very far. It is not yet known what the losses are, or whether the mill will be rebuilt or not.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Amy, Bitner and Mrs. Prudence Fritz, her sister, started to drive to Lobo to attend the half-yearly meeting there in connection with the Friends' Society. They had not gone a mile and a half when their horse took fright at some agricultural implements in a field, and they could not manage the horse, which ditched them, throwing them both out, breaking three ribs for Mrs. Fritz. The sister was more lucky, and escaped with a few bruises. The horse did not get away from them. Mrs. Fritz was taken to the home of her niece, Mrs. Josiah Herrington, and is doing as well as can be expected.

A goodly number from town and vicinity attended the half-yearly meeting in Lobo, and report a good meeting and a nice time.

Miss Cassie Davidson, of Ravenswood, is spending a few days with her sister Mary here at present, who expects to go to Detroit some time this week. Miss Etta Brown will accompany Miss M. Davidson.

Miss Maude Atkin, of Shetland, who has been visiting her brother here for some time, has gone to Lobo to visit another brother.

Mr. J. Atkin has returned from Ottawa, where he has been attending High Court. He reports a grand success and a good time.

M. Dunlop's roller mill will soon be completed. Then we will have one of the best flour mills in the county.

BIRR.

Birr, Aug. 24.—Some miscreant set fire to Mr. Charles E. Harding's new store and dwelling about 2 o'clock this morning. Mr. Harding had the store, which was new throughout, almost completed. Mr. Harding has the heartfelt sympathy of the community, and it is said that there is a movement on foot already to subscribe the required amount for a similar establishment.

Mr. D. C. Bell, the popular trainer, has removed his string to his city stables in the rear of the Robinson Hall, Dundas street, where he will receive youngsters for racing purposes. Training, breaking, clipping and all pertaining thereto will be carefully attended to.

Mrs. Purdom and family, of Chicago, are visiting at Mr. Alex. Burr's. She speaks very highly of the burg, and is also delighted with the scenery hereabouts.

BIDDULPH.

Biddulph, Aug. 25. — Mr. Thomas Lewis, of McGillivray, has rented the Crawley farm here.

Mr. Richard Culbert, of Centralia, has rented the farm lately owned by Isaac Lewis, of this place.

Mr. Isaac Lewis, of McGillivray, has sold his farm in McGillivray, and purchased the Major Atkinson farm, Sauble line, Biddulph. This farm at one time was considered an A1 farm, but has decreased in value.

Mr. T. G. Abbott has purchased the Wm. Boyed farm, Sauble line, Biddulph.

Many changes of farm property have taken place, and still there are more to follow.

Mr. Wes Turner, an old resident of Biddulph, but for the last ten years living in Michigan, is again renewing acquaintances here.

Mr. James Glavin, who has been visiting friends here during the last couple of weeks, has returned to his home in Michigan.

Mr. Hobbins and daughter, of Oxford street, London, who have been visiting friends in Biddulph, have also returned to London.

Mr. Will Colville, of Centralia, and Mr. James McFarland, Camlachie, are visiting friends near Centralia.

Mr. R. Coblegh, of Centralia, is purchasing lambs for the Buffalo markets at present.

Mr. P. Curtain, of Mooresville, is shipping a cargo of cattle to Montreal this week.

Mr. John Farmer, of Exeter, has erected a fine bank barn in his farm near Centralia.

Laurier and Tupper

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of appealing to the honest intelligence of the people, instead of appealing to the conviction and consciences of the people, the honorable gentleman and his party appealed to sectional prejudices and to religious feeling. (Applause.) He was defeated because by his policy on this question he created amongst the better classes of his party a distrust which rent his party into factions, which are now irreconcilable.

THE CHICAGO INTERVIEW.

Mr. Laurier referred to the interview with himself in a Chicago paper. As regards the international control of the canals. Mr. Laurier made a complete reply, by pointing out that the late Government had appointed Messrs. Howland, Keefer and Munro to an international commission for the consideration of the very subject with the aim referred to in the interview under criticism. In proof of this Mr. Laurier read the order in council appointing these Canadian commissioners, in which the objects of the commission were set forth to be, among other things, to consider what regulations would be necessary to give to Americans the free use of those deepened waterways through Canadian territory upon which United States money might by some international co-operation be expended. Mr. Laurier, amid the applause of his followers, declared that he had in that interview nothing to take back. Referring to the treatment of the American fishermen by the late Government, he again got back at Sir Charles by quoting him as declaring that it had brought the relations of the two countries in 1886-87 and 1887 to the verge of commercial war. This statement Sir Charles had made in the session of 1888.

THE TARIFF QUESTION.

Touching the tariff, Mr. Laurier said: "It is a matter of extreme sorrow to me, and of sorrow to my colleagues as well, that it is not possible for us at this moment to bring in a measure of tariff reform which we would like to do. But there is an obvious reason for it. Of all the evils which a protective tariff brings upon the whole people, perhaps the greatest is that, even after the people are determined, and unanimously determined, to have a reform of the tariff, the conditions have been made such that no such revision of the tariff can be made without exposing business to some extent to commercial disturbance. We must avoid this. One of the effects of a high tariff is to create a high-pressure atmosphere, in which all conditions of trade, industry and commerce have to live and operate, and any sudden disturbance of that condition of things as it would be dangerous to natural life, might be dangerous to commercial life. While we are determined to reform the tariff, we have to do it cautiously, and after deep consideration."

Mr. Laurier neatly refuted the Opposition complaints of delay by pointing out that in 1878 the Conservative party was returned on Sept. 17 on a protective platform, but the budget was not brought down till March 13.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

Mr. Laurier then branched into the school question, and scathingly showed up Sir Charles Tupper's inconsistency. Sir Charles had declared before the election that he was ready to die if that were necessary to procure justice for the minority. But that was a thing of the past. Mr. Laurier then quoted the statement of Whip Taylor in North Grey that the remedial bill was no longer a part of the Conservative policy, and that Sir Charles Tupper had sent word to this effect to the electors of North Grey, and that good feeling had now been restored between Sir Charles and Hon. Clarke Wallace and the other anti-remedial Conservatives. He quoted, further, the words of Mr. Taylor that it was an insult to the intelligence of the electors of North Grey for Mr. Laurier to attempt to palm off a Minister of this Government, who was defeated at home; a vote for Paterson would be a vote for the domination of Quebec. Continuing, Mr. Laurier said: "What is the meaning of this? What was the meaning of the honorable gentleman's words on the floor of this Parliament four or five months ago? He was telling the people of this country that Parliament was bound by the stern terms of the law to lay violent hands on the legislation of Manitoba, and that he would die if necessary for the maintenance of the constitution. What did he mean by it? Was he simply playing a game in order to obtain the twenty votes of a majority in the Province of Quebec which he expected? What is the meaning of this? The meaning is just the same as it ever was—a double game and a double policy. (Applause.) A policy for Quebec and a policy for Ontario."

Mr. Laurier pointed out that the new Government had done what should have been done by the late one. They applied at once to the Government of Manitoba. The Government of Manitoba responded; they sent their Attorney-General.

All I can say at the present time is that I have every reason to hope, every reason to believe, that when again this Parliament reassembles this question will have been settled satisfactorily to all parties concerned. (Applause.)

Mr. Laurier contrasted Sir Charles Tupper's speeches in Winnipeg and Montreal to show the latter's two-faced attitude. He drew from Sir Charles a denial that he had sent Whip Taylor or anyone to Grey to make any statement against French domination. The Premier concluded thus: "Sir, the men who today occupy these benches are fully conscious that upon this and upon other matters they have before them a difficult and an anxious question to deal with, and to settle not by appealing to one class, not by appealing to one section, but upon all questions and on all occasions by appealing to all classes and all sections, with the aim, with the supreme view and with the supreme end of making Canada a country; not a country only but one country as well."

Mr. Laurier sat down amid loud applause.

Mr. Foster, who had come up from Sunbury to take his place beside Sir Charles Tupper in the House, moved the adjournment of the debate.

Upon the motion to adjourn the House, Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Laurier made appropriate allusion to the death of the late Sir David Macpherson.

Mr. Laurier also took the opportunity to make a feeling reference to the sudden death of Mr. John Clark, the Liberal member for North Grey.

SHIP CAPTAINS IN TROUBLE.

Previous to the debate Mr. M. C. Cameron asked about Capt. A. M. McGregor and Capt. Dunn, of the Government boats Bayfield and Petrel, who, he said, had taken part in the elections on June 23.

Mr. Davies replied that complaints had been made and were being investigated, but the Department of Marine and Fisheries had no official knowledge.

Mr. Laurier replied to Mr. Cameron that it is not the intention of the Government to introduce during the present session a bill to repeal the present Franchise Act. This was expected to be a short session, but if it should be protracted the Government may think it advisable to introduce a bill to repeal that act.

The fast Atlantic steamship service came up on a question by Mr. Langelier. Sir Richard Cartwright announced that tenders had been received from the Allans and Mr. James Huddart. Neither tender was in accordance with the specifications, and the Government will make further investigations before going farther in the matter.

Mr. Laurier, in reply to Sir Hibbert Tupper, denied that the controllers of inland revenue and customs were to be made members of the Cabinet.

The Governor-General's warrants issued by the present Government were brought down today. They were four in all, and amounted to $2,006,002. With the exception of two small items, the whole of this amount was for salaries for the public service for July and August.

SENATORIAL VACANCY.

There is the usual talk concerning Senatorial vacancies. The name of Mr. H. H. Cook is mentioned. Also that of George A. Cox, S. H. Janes, Robert Jaffray; also one or two newspaper names; also the name of Hon. James Young. Mr. Young's friends claim that it is of great importance that a few more men experienced in legislation and parliamentary management should be brought into the Senate, which is now so preponderatingly Conservative, if the Liberals are to get their legislation properly put through the Upper Chamber.

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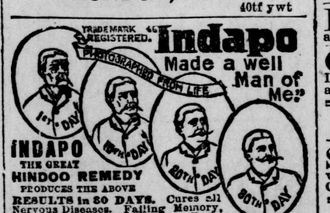
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London, Tuesday, Aug. 25.

Jingo Attacks on Mr. Laurier.

The Toronto World is authority for the statement that a concerted attack upon the Liberal Administration at Ottawa will be based upon Mr. Laurier's interview with a representative of the Chicago Record, in which, in reply to the clever interviewer, he expressed himself as favorable, in a general way, to common ownership of canals, reciprocity of trade, and exchange of fishing privileges. This, according to the World, is regarded as a step in the direction of annexation, and the judgment of the House will at an early opportunity be challenged on the policy thus enunciated. In the interview referred to, to adopt the compact summary of the Monetary Times, Mr. Laurier is represented as expressing his strong desire for the good-will of the United States, and for a reciprocity treaty with that country. Commenting on the phenomenal growth of the commerce of the great lakes, and especially upon the numerous 3,000 and 4,000 ton steel steamers, drawing 15 to 17 feet of water, built of recent years for inland traffic, Mr. Laurier perceives that the day of small sailing ships or wooden steamers in these waters is past. He enlarges upon the very great benefits that would be conferred upon the farmers of the Western and Northwestern States, no less than upon the farmers of the Canadian Northwest, if these great steamers could load at Port Arthur and Duluth and carry produce without breaking bulk, as they have to do now at the Welland Canal, and again at Prescott, right through to Ogdensburg, Kingston, Oswego, Montreal or Quebec, and carry back merchandise and manufactures for the western settlers at cheap rates. And while considering that a 21-foot channel from Lake Michigan to the sea would reduce the cost of what the farmer has to buy from the Eastern States and give him lower transportation rates for what he has to sell, he indulges the supposition that a reduced rate on the lakes and the St. Lawrence water route would oblige Canadian and United States railroads to meet it with equally low rates to and from the seaboard during the season of navigation, so that the farmer far inland from the route would experience equally the good effects. Referring to the international commission appointed to consider deep waterways, he expresses the hope "that a perfectly feasible scheme will shortly be reported—a scheme that will enable the United States to participate in the work and exercise a joint control without in any way compromising the sovereignty of Canada over its own territory. It should be a purely business arrangement, with nothing political about it."

The foregoing is a fair summary of Mr. Laurier's interview with the Chicago Record's reporter. Mr. Laurier has always had a friendly side for the representatives of the newspapers, partly owing to the fact that in the earlier stages of his career his pen was devoted to the service of the press. There was no reason in the world why Mr. Laurier should not have frankly expressed his individual views on these subjects. When one considers the overwhelming importance of good-will among all branches of the English-speaking people, it was an act of statesmanship on the part of Mr. Laurier to take advantage of the wide and influential circulation of a great United States newspaper to extend the olive branch to our neighbors in the terms in which it was extended. The effect cannot be other than advantageous. The time when Lord Salisbury, Prime Minister of Great Britain, goes out of his way to address words of friendliness and conciliation to the United States in connection with the Venezuelan difficulty, and the time when the Chief Justice of England, Lord Russell, has thought it worth while to cross the Atlantic on invitation to deliver a powerful address at Saratoga in favor of International Arbitration, is the very time for the Premier of the Dominion of Canada to assist in the laudable work of promoting friendliness between kindred peoples. If the gentlemen of the Dominion Opposition think to make any capital at this time of day by the silly jingo attacks on Mr. Laurier, threatened by the World, we hope they may proceed at once with their attacks. Mr. Laurier has committed himself to no plans and to no legislation. His unofficial words are merely words of friendliness, which will awaken responsive echoes in the hearts of all patriotic and sensible Canadians, even though the various ideals suggested may not be capable of realization in their entirety. Instead of receding before any attacks of jingoism such as are threatened, we would strongly advise Mr. Laurier to stand to his guns, and, if necessary, double-shot them.

The Elections Today.

Today polling is in progress in North Grey and Sunbury and Queen's, N. B. In the former constituency, Hon. Wm. Paterson is asking for re-election on his taking office as Minister of Trade and Commerce. North Grey was gerrymandered to be a safe Conservative constituency. With two exceptions it has always returned Conservatives, and Mr. John Clark, who was elected by a majority of 32, owed his return to the personal vote of Conservatives in his own township of Keppel. These facts have all been dinned into the ears of the electors, who have been further told that the Conservative party has dropped its remedial bill policy—that they no longer contend that the constitution requires Manitoba to be forced to established separate schools, the people having voted against that contention! Of course, the fact that whereas there were over 40 per cent of the electorate in the Dominion contest Catholics, whereas only 5 per cent of the North Grey electors are of that faith, had nothing to do with this phenomenal flop and desertion of the principle which Sir Charles Tupper called the skies to witness he would die for. The fact remains that Mr. Paterson, in seeking election in this Conservative constituency exhibited a courage which deserves to be rewarded. If elected, the result will be a tribute to his personal popularity, and a Government triumph such as has not been recorded in Canada for many a day. If the Minister is defeated, it will be no disgrace to him or to his associates, for he could scarcely hope to rescue the seat under such conditions, and with so able and popular an opponent of Mr. McLaughlin.

Our advices from New Brunswick are that Hon. Mr. Blair will be elected by a good majority, despite the herculean efforts of Hon. Mr. Foster, ex-Finance Minister. Mr. Blair has fought a manly fight. Learning that hitherto the employes of the Government railways, of which he is the head, had hitherto been coerced at each recurring election by Conservative boss influence, Mr. Blair took occasion, at Fredericton Junction, to say that they are now freemen—that under Liberal rule they can vote as they like. Said the Minister:

"He would promise them that the Liberals were not going to resort to the same means that had characterized the late Administration. They were not going to put the control of the ballot boxes in the hands of their own nominees and they were not going to use the railway system of Canada as a means of corrupting the voters of the country. Another thing they were not going to do, and he, as Minister of Railways, would not remain in office one hour if it were done—they were not going to say to the thousands of men employed on the Government railways: You have got to vote for the Government or lose your positions. He wanted it known that the Government was going to give its employes the free exercise of their franchise. He regretted to say that that had not been done in the past, and evidence of the truth of this statement was shown in the county of Westmoreland in the late election. Hundreds of men in the employ of the Government had not been allowed to say that their souls were their own; but those days have gone past. So long as employes do not make themselves offensive they shall be allowed to vote as their judgment dictates."

As there are under the supervision of Mr. Blair, Minister of Railways, some 8,000 persons, this declaration means a great deal. Numbers of these men are voters in the constituency which Mr. Blair seeks to represent, and some have expressed themselves ready to vote for him on the sole ground that he treats them like men, not as vassals. In the long run, no politician loses by conduct of this description. The people are prompt to distinguish between the statesman and the place hunter.

Toll-houses are being burned down in sections of Ontario. That is hardly the most commendable way. But the time has come when toll-gates should be legislated out of existence.

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Talking about black bass, which governments have jurisdiction over the fishing in inland waters anyhow? We think, the governments of the Provinces. With Ottawa and Toronto in accord, now is the time to settle the question.

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The Chatham Planet says that since Mr. Balfour's death, Mr. Pattullo will be the only prominent newspaper man on the Liberal side of the House. Has not our contemporary overlooked Mr. Stratton, of Peterboro, and Mr. McLean, of Seaforth?

The September Ladies Home Journal in a cover giving a dainty suggestion of early autumn—opens with an interestingly chatty paper on "The Personal Side of Dickens," in which Stephen Fiske writes of the famous author at home and as a host. A new study of the novelist by Alice Barber Stephens illustrates and well supplements the article. A feature of much interest is the last letter written by the late Harriet Beecher Stowe, reproduced in fac-simile. Jane G. Austin is pleasantly recalled in the publication of the opening chapters of "The Experiment in the Cloister." Biographical sketches of the daughters of George William Curtis, Joseph Jefferson and Charles Kingsley, and sketches also of Grace King, Ruth McEnery Stuart and Elizabeth W. Bellamy (all with portraits), bring the readers into closer intimacy with "Three Daughters of Famous Men," and "Three Writers of the South." Ex-President Harrison writes in his "This Country of Ours" paper of the Secretary of War, Postmaster-General and Attorney-General, detailing concisely and instructively the duties of each. "The Young Man as a Citizen" is the title of Dr. Parkhurst's paper. Edward W. Bok expresses a hearty indorsement of a more widespread enactment and enforcement of the "Curfew Law."

TURN OF THE TIDE.

A former Canadian, now a resident of Chicago, in sending on his subscription, says: "I know a number of Canadians who are making all calculations to return to their beloved country now that, with the prospect of a business Government, there will be an even chance to earn a living and do it in a country where the laws are respected and there is no danger of having to accept a 50-cent dollar for money due."

ELEVENTH HOUR CONVERTS.

From Seaforth Expositor.

The London Advertiser remarks: "It must cause men like Hon. George W. Ross some curious reflections to observe that after all their efforts and sacrifices in the cause of temperance, there are a certain class of people who never think of thanking them for what they do for the cause, but simply attack them for what they do not do." It must also cause journals like The Advertiser which have advocated temperance principles in season and out of season for well nigh 30 years, and to whose advocacy along these lines much of the improved temperance sentiment is certainly due, a smile of contempt to be stigmatized "inconsistent political time servers," by fledglings of yesterday, like the Hamilton Templar, which did not have an existence until temperance advocacy became popular.

The accounts of "The New Olympian Games" at Athens came to this country in brief cable dispatches or scrappy letters. Scribner's publishes the first adequate account of the whole spectacular event, which is of the greatest interest to Americans by reason of their conspicuous success. Prof. Rufus B. Richardson, director of the American School at Athens (who had every advantage of seeing the games under favorable auspices), has written this account with enthusiasm and fervor aroused by the fine impression made at the games by the American representatives. Corwin Knapp Linson was sent to Athens by the magazine, and the abundant illustrations for the article were made from life. They are not only admirable as drawings, but give the first satisfactory representation of the picturesque and dramatic episodes of the games.

Mark Twain's novelette, "Tom Sawyer, Detective," will be completed, and with the September installment of Harper's Magazine eleven illustrations by A. B. Frost will be given. The concluding part of Langdon Elwyn Mitchell's "Two Mormons from Muddley will also appear, with illustrations by Gilbert Gaul. "The Death of Espartero," a vivid account of a Spanish bull-fight, by Royal Cortissoz, will be given, with a full-page engraving from a painting by Jose Gallegos; and a striking example of successful surgery will be described under the title "Where has John Been?" by Helen H. Gardener. Three short stories will appear in the number: "A Picture of Saint Cloud," by Gertrude Smith; "The Mortuary Chest," by Alice Brown, and "His Duty," by Octave Thanet, the last another tale of the resourceful sheriff, Amos Wickliff. Charles Dudley Warner, in "The Editor's Study," discusses our relations to Mars, and "The Editor's Drawer" contains a variety of humorous anecdotes and illustrations.

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The Summer Holidays.

The Happy Vacation Season in Full Swing—Those Who are Enjoying It.

Rural Dean Shore and wife, of Port Burwell, are visiting in the city.

Mr. Edgar Brady is holidaying at Cleveland, Detroit and Port Huron.

Ralph G. Wilson, city, is visiting the McIlroys, Lyon street, Port Huron.

R. A. Little, of the Collegiate Institute, has returned from Chesterfield.

Miss Viola Landon, of London South, is a guest of Miss Hattie Thompson, Blenheim.

John McMillan, of Fraser, McMillan & Co., has returned from a two months' trip to the old country.

Rev. Canon Richardson has returned home after a three weeks' holiday on the Lower St. Lawrence.

Miss M. C. Graham, of Cleveland, O., is holidaying with friends in Wayne, Mich., and Komoka, Ont.

Mr. James Burns left yesterday for Chicago, after spending two weeks' holidays with his parents.

Miss Maggie Macdonald, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. H. A. Macdonald, 511 Maitland street.

Mrs. Robert Simmons, of Charlotte street, East London, is visiting her daughter Nellie in Toronto.

Miss Sara Cobbold, of Caradoc, is spending a few weeks with her friend, Miss L. Woonton, of Maitland street.

Miss Nellie Johnson and Miss Edythe Tilly, from St. Thomas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. McLean, 208 Grey street.

Master Lorne and Miss Edna Green, of this city, are visiting their uncle, Mr. C. Green, Charlotte street, Brantford.

G. J. Watson, of 402 1-2 Richmond street, started last night for Wyoming on his wheel, where he will visit friends.

Mr. T. Harry Slater and Mr. W. D. Sharman, of Winnipeg, have arrived here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Bertha Clark, of the street railway office, has left on a two weeks' holiday to Chicago and Grand Rapids.

Mrs W. L Graham and children, of this city, were the guests of her nephew, H. G. Walton, in Stratford, last week.

Thomas R. Parker, city ticket agent of the C. P. R., accompanied by Mrs. Parker, left on a trip to Mackinaw this morning.

St. Marys Argus: Miss Jennie Simms, of Victor street, South London, has returned home after spending a week with friends in St. Marys.

W. A. Howell, of Grand avenue, South London, has started on a bicycle tour through Eastern Ontario and Northern United States.

Mr. James Butterworth, of Port Huron; James Belton, of Port Lambton; Miss Ella Wilson, Niagara, and J. Plajon, of Oxford, were bathing at the London Sanitarium last week.

Sergt. Jenkins' smiling face will now be seen around the police court again. He has been away for the past few days visiting in Detroit, and looks as though he had been in the hands of good friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weston, of Pall Mall street, have returned from a visit to the old country. They were passengers on the Labrador, on board of which Senator Macpherson, of Toronto, died.

Mr. Alfred Chapman, of Trenton, Mo., and his son, Mr. Alfred Chapman, route agent of the American Express Company, Detroit, are on a visit to their cousin here, Mr. Albert Chapman, of South London.

Miss Thompson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hammett, of East London, also her daughter, Mrs. Martin, of London township, has returned home to East Williams, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. R. P. Campbell.

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A Bad Smash.

A Street Car and Heavy Wagon Collide With Serious Damage.

Waterloo and Dundas the Scene of the Accident—A Team Left Alone the Cause of It All

Motor car No. 56, in charge of Motorman Baker and Conductor Richards, was a badly smashed concern last night. George Carrothers, an East End teamster, who is employed in drawing away the sweepings from the city streets at night, left his team standing at the corner of Queen's avenue and Clarence street. They apparently got tired of doing nothing, and started off on a walk by themselves. They went east along Queen's avenue, and then turned south on Waterloo street, where they started to trot. Motor 56 was west-bound at the time—ten o'clock. The noise of the approaching trolley frightened the horses, and they made a desperate effort to cross the track. They had just cleared the rails when the motor struck the wagon and utterly demolished it. It was gathered up some time afterwards in little pieces.

The car was more fortunate, but was also badly damaged. The fender and vestibule were crushed in, and the headlight and steps smashed to smithereens. The car was taken back to the sheds. There were three passengers in the car at the time, but fortunately no one was hurt.

Motorman Baker reversed his lever when he saw the team start to gallop across the track, but was too late to avert the crash.

Shortly before this Motorman Baker, by great cautiousness, narrowly escaped a collision with a horse and buggy at the corner of York and Ridout streets. The vehicle was empty and the horse sauntered around as it liked.

DAY OF DRUNKS.

The Police Magistrate Is Good Natured and Dismissed Them All—Husband and Wife on the Tramp.

The dock at Carling street police court this morning was full of drunks. James McKenna, an old man of about 60 years of age, went to the police station a week ago and asked that he be kept there until sobered up. He was in his normal condition this morning and was discharged. James Newman was a vag arrested a week ago, and he has been reflecting ever since. He was believed to be a stranger to the truth, and bore out this suspicion by his statements this morning, which differed greatly from those he made a week ago. He was begging on the street for 5 cents to get a bed in the Salvation Army Hotel. He exposed one nickel in order to get another. When arrested he had 40 cents in his pockets. He has done time in Toronto, and will "do" the next month at Kelly's woodpile at the county jail.

John Findly was taken into custody by a policeman last night, who found him helplessly drunk in the doorway of a private house on King street. He said he was staying at the Salvation Army Hotel. It was his first offense and he was let go.

Edward Bradley, a far mlaborer from Lambeth, was arrested for being drunk and was discharged, and Samuel Bolen, a painter from Toronto, charged with a similar offense, was let go also.

John Reeves and his wife, who peregrinate the country on foot, were also charged with drunkenness. They said they had obtained situations at Woodstock, and were allowed to set out on foot for that place.

John Breen was fined $2 for furious driving on York street and over the bridge on Monday, Aug. 17.

James Kerrigan rode a bicycle on the sidewalk after 12 o'clock at night, and was taxed $1 for that pleasure.

AN ANTIDOTE FOR CARBOLIC ACID.

It is difficult for persons in good health to conceive why suicides should choose such a frightfully painful medium for their purpose as carbolic acid. It is not generally known that to this vicious acid vinegar is an excellent antidote. When applied to a cutaneous or mucous surface which has been burned by the acid, the characteristic whitish appearance produced by the caustic at once disappears, and subsequent scarring is to a great extent prevented. Vinegar is an equally efficacious remedy when the acid has been taken into the stomach, and is it recommended that the patient should, as soon as possible, drink some vinegar mixed with an equal part of water, after which other measures may be taken to more fully counteract the poison.

Surprise at the Fair.

How many pounds in that big cake of Surprise Soap? That's the question. Anyone that can guess the weight will have the Heintzman piano shown in the Surprise Soap exhibit at the Toronto Fair. Look at the big cake and guess free of charge, once each day, during the fair. The correct or nearest guesser will get the piano; the best that Heintzman makes. Now, this offer is made by the makers of Surprise Soap to call your mind and thought to the advantage of using this soap on a wash day and every other day. It is the best. b

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Cecil's Success.

Rhodes' Diplomacy Secures the Surrender of the Matabele Chiefs.

The Nile Expedition Nearly Ready to Advance.

Plan of the European Powers for Settling the Cretan Trouble.

Most of the Terms Accepted by the Sultan—Another Irish Political Prisoner to Be Freed.

PONSONBY DEAD.

London, Aug. 25.—Charles Frederick Ashley Cooper Ponsonby, second Baron De Maruley, died at his seat, Langford House, Leichlade, Gloucester, yesterday. He was born in 1815.

GALLAGHER TO BE LET GO.

London, Aug. 25.—It is learned that Dr. Gallagher, the Irish-American, who, with Daly, Whitehead and others, convicted as dynamiters, has been confined in Portland Prison, will be released in the course of the next ten days, and will sail for the United States without delay.

AGITATION IN SPAIN.

Barcelona, Spain, Aug. 25.—A manifesto has been scattered broadcast urging the troops now under orders to reinforce the Spanish army in Cuba to refuse to embark, telling them to resist all attempts to compel them to leave Spain with force.

The people also are urged to rebel against the Government, thus preventing the departure of the soldiers. Several arrests have been made, and the Government has taken extra precautions to insure the departure of the troops as planned and to suppress the threatened disorder.

MANY ALPINE ACCIDENTS.

London, Aug. 25.—A great number of Alpine accidents have occurred this season. Hardly a week has passed without several involving loss of life.

A Munich tourist was killed this week while climbing the Predigtstuhl, in the Tyrol. He fell into a crevice a thousand feet deep. The Predigtstuhl has only been ascended six times and this number involved two fatal accidents.

Another tourist, from Gera, was killed while ascending the Mittagspitze, and two Grenoble tourists were killed while climbing the Meije, in the Italian Alps.

ON TO DONGOLA.

London, Aug. 25.—Reports from Cairo indicate that the preparations for the general advance on Dongola are nearly completed. A heavily-armed gunboat, forwarded in sections, has arrived at the advance post of Kosheh, and was launched Thursday. Two other gunboats are on their way there in sections, and with seven smaller gunboats and three stern-wheelers, which are now navigating the Semneh cataracts below Kosheh, and 200 sailboats to convey the expedition to Dongola, the start is expected to take place on Sept. 5, and it is anticipated that the troops will reach Dongola on Oct. 12. The gunboats will clear the way and bombard Dongola.

PLAN OF SETTLEMENT.

London, Aug. 25.—The proposals of the powers for the government of Crete are as follows:

1. The nomination of a Christian governor of Crete, who shall serve for a term of five years under a guarantee from the powers.
2. Economic autonomy, with the payment of a tribute to the Sultan.
3. The reorganization of the gendarmerie by European officers.
4. The independence of the judiciary of Crete by the creation of a high court at Canea.

The Sultan is said to concur in the first three proposals, but objects to the fourth.

The terms of the proposal were also submitted on Friday to the Christian deputies of Crete by the foreign consuls at Canea, and a majority of the deputies have signified their adherence to its conditions.

AN ANGLO-RUSSIAN "DIVVY."

London, Aug. 25.—The Daily Mail publishes an interview with an anonymous Russian statesman, in which the latter is quoted as suggesting that Great Britain will co-operate with Russia to re-organize China, Russia taking the benefits accruing in the northern half and Great Britain in the southern half, by means of a great China company, which would form the nucleus of a future government as in the case of India. The statesman interviewed regards the Franco-Russo alliance as being without real strength, and the love for it all on the side of France, which Russia is utilizing as a means of borrowing money. Russia, he adds, would much prefer England as an ally in the east. He speaks of Li Hung Chang's tour as the endeavor of China to escape from her Russian creditor, and pictures Europe as vying in servility towards Li Hung Chang, whose powers and position, he asserts, are not those of a statesman, but of a palace domestic.

CABLE NOTES.

Emile Zola's novel, "Rome," the inaccuracies of which have caused much comment at Rome, has been placed upon the index expurgatorius.

The British Government will issue another—the third—blue book on the Venezuelan question on Friday next. The book will deal especially with the Schomburgk line.

CECIL RHODES' SUCCESS.

Secures the Unconditional Surrender of the Matabele Chiefs.

Buluwayo, Aug. 25.—Hon. Cecil Rhodes has met the Matabele and they are his. At a conference with the leading chiefs of the nation they made an unconditional surrender after exacting promises from Rhodes that they would not be harassed any further by the native police. Rhodes promised that reforms would begin at once. The action of Cecil Rhodes in walking into their midst unarmed greatly impressed the Matabele chieftains.

The war with the Matabele began in the early part of the present year and many settlers have been slaughtered. The natives were provoked to strife through the wrong-doings of the native police and the imposition by the Chartered South Africa Company of a hut tax on the 42,000 huts of the natives of Matabeleland, which they determined to resist to the death.

Earl Gray, who was appointed to administer the affairs within the jurisdiction of the British South Africa Company, believes that the surrender of the natives was practically unconditional. The Matabele chiefs promised not to fight the English forces provided Mr. Cecil Rhodes would agree to remain in the country and care for them. They also asked for the removal of a prominent Government official of whose conduct they complained bitterly. Mr. Cecil Rhodes replied, telling them that the official referred to had already left the Government service. He then asked the chiefs whether they were for peace or for war. Sekombo, the leading chief, laid his gun and assegai before Mr. Rhodes, and signified that they were in favor of peace. Mr. Cecil Rhodes promised to spare their lives, but said that the surrender must be unconditional. At the conclusion of the conference, Sekombo cried, "Go in peace, my father, greatest of chiefs." After describing the scene, Mr. Rhodes is reported to have said: "It was one to make life worth living." Two of the chiefs were brothers of Lobengula, the Matabele king, who was said to have been killed at the close of the Matabele war in 1894.

TALMAGE AT GRIMSBY PARK.

The Famous Preacher Draws an Immense Crowd.

Hamilton, Aug. 25.—About 7,000 people were at Grimsby Park Sunday afternoon, when Talmage preached. His sermon was based on the words of I. Samuel, xxx., 24—"But as his part is that goeth down to battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff." From the suggestive text he pointed lessons of hope and encouragement to those who are faithful to duty in the common walks of life the fighters who go to the front not being apt to receive any greater reward than those who faithfully do garrison duty

Sparks from the Wire.

Wm. Baker, of Owen Sound, Ont., dropped dead of heart disease in Jackson, Mich., on Sunday.

Thos. C. Platt, barring accidents, will be made nominee for governor of the State of New York by the Republican Convention.

The Detroit Free Press says it is now definitely known that the new purchaser of the fast steamer Unique intends her for the use of the Cubans.

It is announced that Emperor William has consented to reform the system of military trials, and this concession will probably prevent a Cabinet crisis.

The interment of Mrs. Awrey took place Sunday at Hamilton. The body was taken from the city vault to the chapel, where a service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Burns.

The State Bank, owned by Church & Son, at Lowell, twenty miles from Grand Rapids, Mich., has closed its doors. The deposits are estimated at $25,000 to $40,000, including $2,000 village funds.

An Anderson, Ind., dispatch says: A receiver has been appointed for the Union Steel Company, of Alexandria, capitalized at $1,500,000. The claims, it is thought, will make the liabilities nearly equal to the assets, which are about $1,000,000.

The firm of R. J. Allenson & Co., Philadelphia, wholesale dealers in glass and chinaware, have assigned. The liabilities will probably reach $250,000. Stringency in the money market is given as the cause of the failure.

Mrs. Wm. Mulligan, Mrs. Connell, of Omempe township, county of Peterboro, Mrs. Webster, of Toronto, and three others are said to be heirs to a fortune of $3,000,000. The fortune is an estate in Ireland, which is now held in chancery awaiting a claimant.

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THE WEATHER TODAY: Fine and warm.

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Flannelette Bargains

There is trouble among the Canadian manufacturers of Flannelette—an article that at this season is being largely bought and made up for fall and winter use. The trouble has grown out of the attempt of a company to start a manufactory, which of course those who already have a great deal of money invested in like industry, would greatly desire to see a failure. In fact, they have set on foot a scheme to kill the new industry, which scheme is all in the interests of our patrons, as it enables us to offer sweeping reductions. Under the circumstances we have not so many yards in stock as we would like, as at the following prices we would be able to sell to every woman in town, whether she really wanted some or not. Therefore a word to those who contemplate buying Flannelette will be sufficient. All our 8½c Flannelette, extra wide in a splendid variety of patterns, going until further notice at

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An Extra quality of English make, worth 15c, variety of patterns, at	12½c	Dresden Effect Flannelettes, really exquisite, at	20c
Beautiful line of White Flannelette, English, at	8½c	Elder finish Flannelettes, soft as wool, our price	16c
Flannelette Wrapper Goods, very attractive patterns, at	10c	Velvet Pile Finish Flannelettes, soft and comfortable, at	18c
Elegant range of Flannelettes, in floral effects, at	12½c	All-Wool Gray Flannel, twilled and plain, best ever sold for the price	17c

In the cooler evenings of the fall the plans are for indoor work. Who has not something on hand in the line of fancy work? We are doing a great deal to cultivate taste in this direction, and ladies who would know just what is moving in this way keep in closest touch with our Fancy Goods Department. You find it on the ground floor directly opposite the Flannelette Section.

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KNIGHTS OF PHYTHIAS

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Cleveland, O., Aug. 25.—Great interest is manifested in the eighteenth biennial session of the Supreme Lodge and National Encampment of Knights of Pythias. Supreme Chancellor Walter T. Ritchie, in his report, says:

The Catholic question has in some of the domains materially affected us. We have lost some for another reason. In a great many of the domains the lodges have set about the weeding-out process and are permitting members who have proved undesirable to quietly drop out. In addition to this, it may be said, in many grand domains the provision of the old constitution as to arrearages working a suspension was disregarded; but the mandatory provision of the supreme statutes has resulted in the lodges complying therewith and has very materially added to the suspensions, as there were many members whose names had simply been left on the books for years after being in arrears.

During the two years ending Dec. 31, 1895, the suspensions, practically all being for non-payment of dues, amounted to 82,444. The receipts from all sources were: For the fiscal year ending March 31, 1895, $8,788 05; ending March 31, 1896, $10,197 03. The revenues have been sufficient to meet the current expenses.

The increase in new divisions for the two years ending March 31, 1896, has been 104. Since March 31, 1896, and up to and including July 28, there have been received 23 applications for additional divisions which have been approved, and those divisions will soon be instituted.

The report of R. L. C. White, supreme keeper of records and seals, showed that in 1864 there were three subordinate lodges and 78 members, and in 1896, 6,504 subordinate lodges and 464,339 members. The States in which the greatest gains were made were: Ohio, 3,953; Illinois, 3,317; Indiana, 2,757; Iowa, 2,265; Massachusetts, 1,919; Missouri, 1,612; North Carolina, 1,404; Maine, 1,314; Texas, 1,219. There was a loss of 2,807 in Kansas and 4,156 in Pennsylvania. There were gains in 38 States and Territories and a loss in sixteen.

In his report, Thomas G. Semple, supreme master of the exchequer, congratulated the order upon the healthy condition of its finances. The receipts for the biennial term ending March 31, 1896, including a balance of $29,059, were $183,600, and the expenditures $147,703, leaving a balance of $35,897.

A Poor Man's Comfort.

Cold and hunger are no respecters of persons. The winter wind howls around the rich man just as searchingly as it sweeps through a poor one. And Fibre Chamois is equally a boon to both with its wonderful, healthful, warmth-giving qualities, its light weight and trifling cost. Those to whom money is no object prefer using it to being burdened down by the weight of many wraps and those who perform outdoor duties in cold weather find it invaluable, as it keeps out all wind and cold—not for an hour or so, but for all day, and yet adds nothing which hampers them no matter what their exercise may be. With it through their outer garments everyone can enjoy winter's coldest snaps in perfect comfort.

The first map of the Gulf Stream was made by Benjamin Franklin, who tried to point out the utility of ocean currents in navigation.

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

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STRATHROY.

J. D. Meekison, Business Agent.

Strathroy, Aug. 25.—Miss Carrie Jeffrey, of Toronto, who has been visiting her parents here for the last six weeks, returned today.

Dr. Willmott and J. D. Meekison left on their wheels for Walkerton on Saturday last, and will remain a few days there, the guests of friends.

Mrs. Higland, of Courtright, is the guest of Mrs. Richardson, this town.

Two harvest excursions to the Northwest, via G. T. R., for $28, on Sept. 1 and 15, good for reutrn in 60 days. Passengers leave here on Aug. 31 and Sept. 14 to make connection in Toronto.

Samuel Aikins, of Blackfish Bay, Ont., and his son Charlie, of Toronto, are visiting friends in Adelaide and Strathroy.

Rev. R. J. Garbutt, LL.B., of Birr, conducted both services in Frank Street Methodist Church on Sunday last.

Oct. 25 and 26 have been fixed as the dates of the Frank Street Methodist Church anniversary services. Conductor Snider, of Toronto, has consented to preach on Sunday and lecture on the following Monday evening. This lecture is a new one, entitled, "Queer People."

The Watford Baptists will open their new church on Sunday, Aug. 30, and will hold a meeting on the following Monday evening, at which addresses will be given by representative clergymen of the denomination. The Rev. Mr. Fothergill, of this town, has been invited and expects to be present.

Rev. H. G. Macpherson, of Galt, who has occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church during the absence of the Rev. Mr. Jordan, will leave this week. The pastor is expected home this week, and will conduct the services next Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mr. James Geddes intends taking up his residence is Sarnia, where he has opened a branch business in connection with the firm of Geddes Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiles, of London, visited friends in town last week.

Rev. Thos. Macadam, formerly pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Strathroy, was married to Miss E. R. Cameron, of St. Johns, N. B., recently.

FORTY PERSONS HURT.

New York, Aug. 25.—A special from Fredericton, Md., says a runaway trolley car, carrying more than 100 passengers, dashed down the Catoctin Mountain Sunday evening, and, in rounding a curve, upset, and was smashed into kindling wood. No one was killed, but 40 were injured, some of them seriously.

IN FRONT OF A MIRROR.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Standing in front of a mirror in his home, and while laboring under a fit of melancholia, Augustus J. Wagner yesterday blew his brains out with a revolver. For the past month Wagner has not been able to get work for more than four or five days. Worrying over property and financial trouble, as well as his inability to secure work, caused Wagner to become melancholy. He leaves a wife and four small children.

ACCIDENT TO AN AERONAUT.

Astor, Ore, Aug. 25.—J. W. Daggett, the aeronaut, met with an accident on Saturday evening, which will in all probability bring his parachute jumping to a close. His balloon has ascended about 2,000 feet when the parachute was disconnected. Some of the ropes broke, and the aeronaut came down with a succession of rocket-like flights, striking on a hill south of the town. His collar-bone was broken, one of his legs is thought to have been driven up into his hip, and internal injuries are feared. The exact nature of the injuries cannot yet be stated.

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Commerce and Finance.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Aug 25.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	57¼	56½
Duluth common	4¼	3½
Duluth preferred	15	5
Commercial Cable	136	134
Wabash common	..	..
Wabash preferred	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	162	..
Richelieu and Ontario	100	82
Montreal Street Railway	215	214½
Montreal Street Railway, new	..	..
Montreal Gas Company	185½	184⅞
Bell Telephone	155	154
Royal Electric	115	105
Toronto Railway	69½	69
Bank of Montreal	225	220
Ontario Bank	..	55
Banque du Peuple	..	..
Molsons Bank	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	220
Banque Jacques Cartier	..	..
Merchants Bank	170	165
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	164	157
Quebec Bank	..	117¾
Union Bank	..	100
Bank of Commerce	124	122
Northwest Land preferred	..	..
Montreal Cotton Company	125	116
Canada Colored Cotton	..	40
Dominion Cotton	95	85
Postal Telegraph	75	73½

Sales—Mont. St. Ry., 100 at 214½; Mont. Gas Co., 175, 200 at 185, 7, 40 at 184, 200 at 184¼, 100 at 184¼; Toronto Railway, 200 at 69¼, 75 at 69¼, 50 at 69; Bank of Montreal, 10 at 220¾; Bank of Commerce, 5 at 122¼.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Aug. 25.

	Ask.	Off
Montreal	224	220
Ontario	..	55
Molsons	..	..
Toronto	240	..
Merchants	169	164
Commerce	125	122½
Imperial	182	..
Dominion	230	..
Standard	165	162
Hamilton	152	..
British America	117	113
Western Assurance	153	151
Canada Life	..	..
Confederation Life	..	267
Consumers' Gas	..	202
Dominion Telegraph	123	..
Montreal Telegraph	..	..
Northwest Land Company, pref	50	..
Northwest Land Company, com	..	..
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	57½	56
Commercial Cable Company	134½	134
Postal Telegraph	75¼	74⅝
Bell Telephone Company	155	153
Montreal Street Railway	216	214¼
Montreal Street Railway (new)	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	69¾	68¼
Dominion Savings and Invest't	81	76
Farmers Loan and Savings	100	..
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent	..	..
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	160
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	150
London and Canada, L. and A.	98	..
London Loan	..	101
London and Ontario	102	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	123

SALES—1 p.m board—Commerce, 1, 1 at 123; Dominion Telegraph, 4 at 121; Commercial Cable, 25 at 134; Toronto Railway, 25 at 69¼. 11:15 a.m. board—Postal Telegraph, 25 at 74¾; 10 at 75.

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. London, Tuesday, Aug. 25.

Wheat, per bu	60c	@ 63c
Oats, per bu	18c	@ 22c
Peas, per bu	40c	@ 45c
Corn, per bu	35c	@ 40c
Barley per bu	25c	@ 30c

Receipts today were only fair in grain, but vegetables were very plentiful and very cheap. Apples were plentiful and sold very slowly.

Wheat was scarce and firm, at quotations.

Oats were in good supply and demand, selling from 56c to 57c per cwt for new and 65c to 68c for old

No other grain offering.

Butter was in good supply and demand, and steady in price.

Eggs were a little firmer, selling by the single dozen at 11c; by basket at 10c.

Quotations unchanged.

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 05
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 05
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 05
Oats, per bu	54	to	65
Peas, per 100 lbs	55	to	65
Corn, per 100 lbs	60	to	70
Barley, per 100 lbs	50	to	55
Rye, per 100 lbs	50	to	60
Beans, bu	40	to	55
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	70	to	75
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	15	to	30
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	60
Carrots, per bu	20	to	30
Turnips, per bu	15	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	30	to	35
Onions, per bu	35	to	60
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs single dozen	11		11
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz	10	to	10
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	9	to	9
Butter single rolls per lb	17	to	18
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	14	to	16
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	12	to	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	11	to	13
Lard, per lb	9	to	9
Ducks, per pair	60	to	80
Chickens, per pair	30	to	50
Turkeys, per lb, 7½c to 9c; each	75	to	1 50
Honey	12	to	13
Cheese, per lb	9	to	10
HAY AND SEED			
Hay per ton	7 50	to	8 50
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 50
Clover seed, red per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Timothyseed, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	0 00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	3½	to	5¼
Mutton quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	3	to	5
Lamb, quarter	9	to	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	4 75	to	5 [illegible]
Live hogs	3 25	to	3 45
Calfskins, dry, each	25	to	25
Sheepskins, each	00	to	00
Lambskins, each	35	to	35
Wool, per lb	20	to	20
Tallow, rendered, per lb	3	to	4
Tallow, rough, per lb	2	to	2
Hides, No. 1, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 2 per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 3 per lb	3	to	3
Calfskins green	5	to	5

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The Dairy Markets.

UTICA, N. Y.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 24.—At the Utica Board of Trade today the following sales of cheese were made: 100 boxes, small, at 7c; 1,540 boxes, small, at 7 1-2c; 875 boxes, small, at 7 5-8c; 320 boxes, small, at 7 3-4c; 300 boxes, large colored, at 8c; 200 boxes, large colored, at 8 1-8c; 440 boxes, large white, at 8c.

Butter—Sales: 150 packages creamery butter at 16c to 17c; bulk at 16 1-2c. Market off 1-8c, but there was a strong undertone.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.

Little Falls, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Sales: 60 boxes, large colored, at 7 3-4c; 150 boxes, small white, at 7 1-2c; 1,093 boxes, small white, at 7 3-4c; 238 boxes, small colored, at 7 1-2c; 574 boxes, small colored, at 7 3-4c; 562 boxes, twins, colored, at 7 3-4c; 130 boxes, twins, white, at 7 1-2c; 1,262 boxes, twins, white, at 7 3-4c; 257 boxes, small, white, at private terms.

The Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—10:30 a.m.—Oil closed $1 05 bid.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Aug. 25.—Petroleum in bulk, Canada test, 6½c.

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Aug. 25—Wheat—The offerings are fair, but the demand is small and the market is dull; old red and white are quoted north and west at 64c and 65c, and new at 60c to 61c. Manitoba wheat is steady at 62c for No. 1 hard, afloat Fort William, and 67c for No. 1 hard Midland; this grade is scarce there, and No. 2 hard, which is more plentiful, is quoted at 63 1-2c; No. 1 northern is quoted at 64c; No. 1 hard is quoted at 72c Montreal freights, and at 71c, Toronto and west.

Flour—In moderate demand and steady; there is some inquiry for export to the old country and for Newfoundland; two cars of new wheat straight roller sold west today for Leith at equal to $2 90 in bags; old wheat flour is at a premium of 15c over that price.

Mill-feed—Quiet at $9 to $10 for shorts and $8 for bran west.

Barley—Nominal.

Rye—Steady at 32c, middle freights.

Oats—Steady; choice white for milling sold west at 19c; mixed are quoted at 18c, and some dealers quote 18 1-2c for white.

Oatmeal—Selling at the lowest prices ever experienced here; millers are asking $2 40 for cars and $2 60 for broken lots.

Peas—Steady at 45c for new north and west. There are complaints about new peas arriving at Montreal from the southern district; they were probably shipped too soon.

Latest Montreal Markets.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 25—2:30 p.m.

GRAINS AND FLOUR.

Oats—In store, No. 2 white, 25½c to 26c.

Feed Barley—32c to 32½c.

Buckwheat—38½c to 39c.

Peas—54c to 54½c.

Flour—Manitoba strong bakers, $3 25 to $3 50; spring wheat patents, $3 75 to $3 90; winter patents, $3 60 to $3 80; straight roller, $3 40 to $3 50.

Feed—Bran, $11 00 to $12 00; shorts, $11 00 to $13 00.

PROVISIONS.

Canadian short cut, clear, $10 to $10 50.

Hams—7½c to 9½c.

Bacon—8½c to 9½c.

Lard—Pure, 7c to 7½c; compound, 5c to 5½c.

Cheese—Market quiet; no definite price; 7½c to 7¾c.

Butter—Jobbing creamery, 19c to 19½c; early made, 17c to 18c; good township, 15c to 15½c.

Eggs—Stronger; choice candled, 9½c to 10c; culls, 7½c to 8c.

English Markets.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 25—12:45 p.m.

Wheat — Spot firm; demand moderate; futures easy; near and distant positions ½d higher.

Corn—Spot quiet; futures dull near and distant positions ½d lower.

Bacon—Quiet; demand moderate; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 32s; short ribs, 28 lbs, 30s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 26s 6d; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, 26s; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear middles, heavy 45 to 50 lbs, 23s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 32s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 24s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 42s 6d.

Tallow—Fine North American, 16s 9d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 46s 3d; prime mess, 36s 3d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 45s; medium western, 38s 9d.

Lard—Dull; prime western, 19s; refined, in pails, 20s 6d.

Cheese — Steady; demand poor; finest American white, 39s 6d; finest American colored, 41s.

Butter—Finest United States, 80s; good, 60s.

Turpentine spirits—19s.

Rosin, common—4s 9d.

Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 3d.

Linseed oil—17s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6s ½d.

Refrigerator beef—Forequarter, 3½d hindquarter, 5½d.

Bleaching powder—Hard wood, f. o. b., Liverpool, £7 2s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £1 15s.

The receipts of wheat during the past three days were 102,000 centals, including 73,000 centals American; receipts of American corn during the past three days were 146,800 centals.

Weather—Heavy rains at intervals.

Liverpool, Aug. 25, 4:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, stocks exhausted; No. 2 red spring, 5s 1½d; No. 1 hard Cal., 5s 6d; futures opened easy, with near and distant positions ½d higher; closed steady, with near positions unchanged to ½d higher, and distant positions unchanged to ½d lower; business about equally distributed; Aug., 5s 1½d; Sept., 5s 1½d; Oct., 5s 1½d; Nov., 5s 1½d; Dec., 5s 2½d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed new, 2s 11d; futures opened dull, with near and distant positions ½d lower; closed dull, with near positions ½d to ¾d lower, and distant positions ½d lower; business about equally distributed; Aug., 2s 10½d; Sept., 2s 9½d; Oct., 2s 9d; Nov., 2s 9½d; Dec., 2s 9½d.

Flour—Firm; demand fair; freely supplied; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 6d.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1,278.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—	Sept.	57⅞	57⅞	56¼	56¼
	Dec.	61¼	61½	59⅞	60¼
Corn—	Sept.	22½	22½	21½	21⅝
	Dec.	23⅝	23⅝	23	23¼
Oats—	Sept.	16⅝	16⅝	16	16
	Dec.	17	17	16½	16½
Pork—	Sept.	5 82	5 82	5 55	5 57
	Jan.	6 97	6 97	6 82	6 85
Lard—	Sept.	3 37	3 40	3 35	3 37
	Jan.	3 80	3 80	3 72	3 77
Ribs—	Sept.	3 25	3 25	3 17	3 20
	Jan.	3 47	3 47	3 40	3 45

Puts, 59¼; calls, 60¾.

American Produce Markets.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Aug. 25—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 63½c; No. 2 red cash, 63½c; Sept., 63½c; Dec., 66¾c.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, Aug. 25.—Wheat—Cash, 57c; Sept., 57¼c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—The wheat market was irregular today, closing rather weak, at ½c to ½c below Saturday. Corn declined ½c, and oats were ½c to ½c lower. Provisions lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Aug., 57½c; Sept., 57½c; Dec., 61½c.

Corn—No. 2 Aug., 22¼c; Sept., 22½c; May, 26⅝c to 26¾c.

Oats—No. 2 Sept., 16⅝c to 16¾c; May, 19⅝c.

Mess pork—Sept., $5 85; Oct., $5 90; Jan., $6 95.

Lard—Sept., $3 37½; Oct., $3 45; Jan., $3 77½.

Short ribs—Sept., $3 22½; Oct., $3 30; Jan., $3 45.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 56½c to 56¾c; No. 3 do., 53c to 55c; No. 2 red, 61½c to 63½c; No. 2 corn, 22½c to 22¾c; No. 2 oats, 17½c to 17¾c; No. 2 rye, 31½c; No. 2 barley, 33c to 34c; No. 1 flaxseed, 67½c to 68c; prime timothy seed, $2 70; mess pork, $5 85 to $5 90; lard, $3 40; short clear sides, $3 62½ to $3 70.

Receipts—			
Flour	7,000	Wheat	89,000
Corn	263,000	Oats	339,000
Rye	5,000	Barley	15,000
Shipments—			
Flour	9,000	Wheat	60,000
Corn	734,000	Oats	270,000
Rye	30,000	Barley	1,000

TOLEDO.

Toledo, Aug. 25.—Wheat—Cash 64½c; Sept., 61½c; Dec., 67¼c.

Corn—Cash, 24½c.

Oats—Cash, 17½c.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Aug. 25.—Spring wheat—Limits easier; No. 1 hard, 64c; No. 1 Northern, 61½c. Winter wheat—Firm; No. 2 red in store, 64¾c.

Corn—Easier; No. 2 yellow, 29½c; No. 3 yellow, 28½c; No. 2 corn, 27¾c to 28c; No. 3 corn, 27½c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 24c in store, 23¾c on track; No. 3 white, 20c; No. 4 white, 16c to 18c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 25.—Noon.

Flour—Receipts, 32,600 bbls; sales, 3,500; state and western, quiet but steady.

Wheat—Receipts, 229,000 bu; sales, 1,630,000 bu; market opened stronger on higher cables, but later declined sharply under heavy sales of long wheat; ; May, 71⅝c to 71¾c; Sept., 64 9-16c to 65½c; Oct., 65⅝c to 66½c; Nov. 67c to 67⅜c; Dec., 68 1-16c to 68½c.

Rye—Market dull; No. 2 western, 39½c, c. i. f.

Corn—Receipts, 529,000 bu; sales, 250,000 bu; market suffered a sharp decline, owing to favorable crop news, big receipts and liberal liquidation; May, 32c to 32⅜c; Sept., 27¾c to 28 3-16; Oct., 28⅝c to 29½c; Dec., 29½c to 30c.

Oats—Receipts, 213,100 bu; dull and nominally lower; track, white state and western, 19c to 30c.

Beef—Steady.

Pork—Steady; new to old mess, $7 75 to $8 50.

Lard—Dull.

Butter—Receipts, 12,826; firm; state dairy, 10c to 15c; state creamery, 11c to 16½c; western dairy, 8½c to 12c; western do., 11c to 16½c; Elgins, 16½c; factory, 7½c to 11c; imitation, 10c to 12½c.

Cheese — Receipts, 6,060 packages; dull; state large, 5c to 8½c; small, 6c to 8½c; part skims, 2c to 5c.

Eggs—Receipts, 10,315; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14c to 15c; western, 12½c to 15c.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined steady.

Lead—Quiet.

Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 24.—Stock for local consumption was in fair demand at the east end abattoir, but little export business was done. Choice varieties of cattle were not offered, but some very good stock was sold at 3½c per lb, live weight. The arrivals and prices were as follows: 600 cattle at 2c to 3½c per lb; 350 calves, at $2 to $8 each, according to quality; 500 lambs and sheep, at $1 50 to $4 each for lambs and $2 to $3 25 per 100 lbs, live weight, for sheep.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Aug. 24.—Cattle closed steady; all sold. Hogs closed slow but steady; a few sales of choice light hogs at $3 80. Sheep and lambs closed dull and weak, with bulk sold.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Hogs—Receipts today, 12,000; left over, 6,000; market active and 5c higher; light, $3 25 to $3 60; mixed, $2 95 to $3 50; heavy, $2 65 to $3 25; rough, $2 65 to $2 80.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,000, including 1,500 Texans and 1,500 westerns; desirable native steers, shade higher; other cattle, steady; beeves, $3 to $4 70; cows and heifers, $1 20 to $3 90; Texas steers, $2 40 to $3 20; westerns, $2 70 to $3 85; stockers and feeders $2 50 to $3 65.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; steady.

The Visible.

New York, Aug. 25.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, Aug. 22, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows:

Wheat, 45,189,000 bu; decreased, 687,000 bu.
Corn, 14,100,000 bu; increased 350,000 bu.
Oats, 6,907,000 bu; decreased, 372,000 bu.
Rye, 1,676,000 bu; increased, 80,000.
Barley, 708,000 bu; increased, 96,000 bu.

THE ADVANCE IN CHEESE.

Montreal Trade Bulletin.

The recent advance in the price of cheese, in our opinion, has been due mainly to the fact that English buyers have at last begun to appreciate the significance of the shortage in their own make. No report of decreased production on this side of the Atlantic would have the slightest effect on the other side, for, as a rule, the shorter the make reported in Canada, the larger has it turned out in reality. Nothing less, therefore, than the realization of the fact under their own noses has convinced them that they have now to face a short make of English cheese, and should it turn out that the fall production in Canada is below the average, the recent advance in values may not only be maintained, but materially enhanced. After all 8 1-4c to 8 1-2c for latter part of July and early August goods cannot be called high; and we sincerely hope, for the sake of Canadian as well as English makers, that prices may go to 9c and 10c. Consumers have had things too much their own way for a long time past, and it is about time a happy average were struck. If providence would kindly prolong the drought in England into September and October, we should no doubt experience a much healthier trade, and consumers would be little if any the worse for it. We believe in drought and other natural causes as a cure for, and corrective of, over production; but the trouble is they are not severe enough to create a general revival of business. It is true the price of cheese has advanced of late from 34s 6d to 41s 6d in Liverpool, and at the advance there has been a much more active inquiry; but what is wanted is a still further rise, as a result of protracted dry weather in England. It would be good for all. It must be admitted that the price of cheese has been abnormally low, and as a natural result trade has been correspondingly dull and depressed.

A LIBERTINE'S SENTENCE.

St. Thomas, Ont., Aug. 25.—Charles Fuller was up before Judge Hughes yesterday for sentence on the charge of leading astray Lizzie Smith. After hearing the evidence the judge sentenced Fuller to three years in Kingston Penitentiary.

Steamship Arrivals.

Aug. 24.	At	From
Barrowmore	Father Point	Liverpool
Scotsman	Moville	Montreal
Gerona	Quebec	Stockholm
Mongolian	Liverpool	Montreal
Grecian	Father Point	Glasgow
Norwegian	Boston	Glasgow
Bovic	New York	Liverpool
Scandinavian	Glasgow	Montreal
Warwick	Glasgow	Montreal
Lake Winnipeg	Liverpool	Montreal
Aug. 25.	**At**	**From**
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Mississippi	New York	London
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Local Brevities.

—J. W. Kilbourne has been granted a permit to erect a brick addition to his building on the Pipe Line road.

—Mr. E. T. Howay has taken out a permit to build a brick veneer cottage on Queen's avenue east, to cost $1,100.

—Miss Nettie Routledge, of London South, has secured a situation as stenographer at Hellmuth Ladies' College.

—A novelty may be seen at Mr. John Waters' orchard, 208 Mount Pleasant street, London West. It is an apple tree bearing ripe apples and blossoms at the same time.

—A medal and diploma awarded by the World's Columbian Exposition to Hellmuth Ladies' College for "correct drawing and originality shown in water colors, oil paintings and very artistic etchings, in an exhibit of students' work," have been received by Principal English.

—"Dick" Jones, the local pugilist, was married yesterday afternoon by the Rev. George Fowler to Miss Sterns, Flint, Mich. Mr. Robert Howard was best man, and Mrs. Howard supported the bride. The young couple received many handsome presents, and the best wishes of their many friends.

—Mr. John Cambridge lost a purse. Like a wise man he inserted an ad. in The Advertiser, and upon returning to his home in the evening the purse was awaiting him. A lady had found it, saw the ad., and returned the purse to its owner. The Advertiser goes into all the homes and is read by everyone.

—One of the largest loads ever brought to the market scales was weighed this morning by Mr. H. W. Healey. It was a load of lumber, destined for the new Y. M. C. A. building, and totaled 15,250 pounds. It was the last lumber the car contained, and to clear things up a little more than usual was put on. It is the second largest load ever weighed on the scales in the present weigh master's time.

—The intimate friends of Mr. Anthony Rolfe, manager for Priddis Bros., were greatly grieved because of his dangerous illness yesterday afternoon and evening. The report of it soon spread among his wide circle of acquaintances, and they will be pleased to learn that Mr. Rolfe's condition is now very much improved. He was worn out with attendance on his sister May, who died in Detroit on Friday, and felt the shock of her death severely. Yesterday afternoon his life was in very great danger. At the latest report he was rapidly improving.

—The interment of the late Florence May Rolfe took place yesterday afternoon at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Robt. Johnston, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, and the funeral left the family residence, 154 Sydenham street, at 3 p.m. The pall-bearers were Messrs. A. Friendship, W. Costello, Ralph, Maynard, Haskett and Walder. The survivors in the family are the father, Mr. Wm. Rolfe, and three brothers of deceased, William and Daniel, of Detroit, and Anthony, of this city, and a sister, Mrs. Wm. West, of South London.

—The marriage of Mr. David Weidenbaum and Miss Sarah Sturimblafer, members of the Jewish colony, of this city, was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cornstein, 225 Simcoe street, Sunday night, nearly one hundred guests being present. Rabbi Gordon, of the local synagogue, performed the ceremony on the lawn in front of Mr. Cornstein's residence. The groom was supported by his two nephews, Messrs. Benj. Cornstein and Walter April, while Misses Sadie and Millie Cornstein were bridesmaids. The bride was handsomely attired. After the ceremony the guests sat down to an elegant lunch, and then danced.

—The rifle team of Wolseley Barracks has left to compete in the D. R. A. matches at Toronto. Sergt. E. H. Price writes to refute certain statements made in a contemporary, which announced that team had first withdrawn from the matches "through poverty," but had since succeeded in borrowing enough money to carry them to Toronto. Sergt. Price points out that the non-receipt of any money since last month did not make the slightest difference to the U. C. officers and men, who had arranged to take part in the matches, for they had paid their entrance fees long before the publication of the article in question.

THE MARKET

There was another large market this morning, but little or no grain is coming in. Oats come in slowly and vary in price from 38c to 55c per cental. Some of them are musty and black and almost useless. Good old oats are sold at 65c. Tomatoes were a drug on the square at 8c to 10c per basket. Fruit, such as peaches and plums, is coming down in price. Both of these fruits were sold readily at 30c, 40c and 60c per basket. Butter is going up, 20c being asked for a single rolls, or 18c per pound by the basket. Crocks sold for 16c. Potatoes were 45c and 50c per bag.

NEW PITCHERS.

Carl Jacobs, of Albion College, Michigan, is the new pitcher who will twirl in this afternoon's game. He has been signed on Fisher's recommendation, and as that gentleman is a good man himself, and knows when he sees another good one, Jacobs should prove a great strength to the team. He has, however, been taken solely on Fisher's recommendation. He is said to be a very effective south-paw tosser, who seldom hits the bat, and this is just what the Alerts have been looking for. With a good man in the box they need have no fear of meeting a superior aggregation. C. H. Morse, of Lewiston, Me., will arrive here shortly.

MUSIC AT THE ASYLUM.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 there will be a band concert on the asylum grounds, when the celebrated band of the institution will play the following programme, under the baton of Dr. C. A. Sippi:

Waltzes—Irene .... C. W. Bennet
Irish Selection—The Rage in Ireland .... Arranged by E. Beyer
Waltzes—Beautiful Loch Lomond .... H. Round
Fantasie—To the West (on Henry Russell's songs)... Arr. by Williams
Bon-Ton—Viennese Dance .... Carl Malemberg
Selection—Orphee aux Enfers.... .... Offenbach
Waltzes—Fair Italy .... Aigrette
March—King Cotton .... Sousa
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At "The Breakers."

Marriage of Miss Vanderbilt to Harry Payne Whitney.

At the Multi-Millionaire's Beautiful Summer Villa.

A Grand Display of Floral Loveliness—The Ladies' Dresses—Only 50 Persons Present.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 25.—The wedding of Miss Gertrude Vanderbila, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, to Mr. Harry Payne Whitney, eldest son of the former Secretary of the Navy, Wm. C. Whitney, was celebrated at noon today at "The Breakers," the Vanderbilt summer villa, and although a quiet affair, it will occupy a place among the grandest weddings of the country, it having taen place in a palace which for beauty of architecture and decoration is excelled nowhere, and yet the splendor of it was enhanced by profuse and artistic floral ornamentations.

The affair, was, in a way, a disappointment to the exclusive set in society here, because it was strictly for the family. This was necessary on account of Mr. Vanderbilt's health. Therefore only about 50 persons were present.

White and pink were the prevailing colors in the whole floral plan. The most

ELABORATE DECORATION

was in the Grand Hall, through which the bridal party passed on their way to the gold room, in which the ceremony was performed. Cascades of the finest asparagus and maiden-hair ferns fell from the sides of the lofty hall, and from the captials of the columns that support the gallery. White lilies, hydrangea, white and pink roses, and gladiodi literally flooded the green draperies. White and pink peas were also used in the twelve festoons of ferns, which reached almost to the floor. The columns, which support the arches, were guarded by rose-tree sentinels from a turf of the finest ferns. At the head of the grand stairway stood a palm 30 feet high. Garlands were festooned on the massive pillars, and the balustrade of the staircase was interwoven with ropes of fragrant bloom.

THE CEREMONY.

The legal marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. George F. Magill, D.D., rector of Trinity Church, of which Mr. Vanderbilt is a member. Rhode Island law forbids a clergyman from another State from coming into Rhode Island to perform a wedding ceremony, therefore the plan was changed, and Bishop Potter officiated in the ritualistic ceremony.

The members of the bridal party, advancing from different apartments along the upper hall, came together at the middle landing of the grand staircase. Thence the bride and groom proceeded to the priedieu, where the words that made them one were quietly spoken.

THE BRIDE'S DRESS.

Miss Vanderbilt's gown, as well as that of each of her bridesmaids, was from Paris. The bride's costume was of white watered silk, trimmed with old duchesse lace and pearls. She carried a bridal bouquet of stephanotis and gardenias.

Mr. Whitney wore a boutonnierre of gardenias, the best man a white orchid on the lapel of his coat, and the ushers small sprays of lilies of the valley.

The bouquets of the five bridesmaids were of roses and lilies of the valley, caught with broad pink satin ribbon, upon which were embroidered lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were the Misses Sloane, Shepard, Gerry and Taylor.

Mr. Payne Whitney, who has just returned from Europe, was the best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Frank Polk, Columbus Baldwin, Rawlins L. Connenet and Alfred Vanderbilt, brother of the bride. After the ceremony the couple passed into the gray room to receive their guests. Following the reception the wedding breakfast was served in the Italian

New Railway Buildings

To Be Built in the City for the L. E. and D. R. R.

Freight House and Round House—Contracts Awarded.

A meeting of the London and Port Stanley Railway Board was held yesterday, with the following members present: Mayor Little (chairman), A. B. Powell, R. Bland, Chas. Taylor, S. O'Meara, R. Carrothers, J. Nutkins, and City Clerk Kingston. Messrs. Masuret, Leonard and Bowman were out of the city.

The business of the meeting was to award the contracts for the building of the new freight house, round house and other terminals for the use of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway here. The following, which were the lowest tenders, were accepted:

E. F. Howie, building coal docks	$ 160
Everett King, brickwork on round house	1,600
John Purdom, carpenter work on round house	1,350
J. Garratt, brickwork on freight house	1,800
E. F. Howie, carpenter work on freight house	1,985
Moses Cox, drains—6-inch tile, 21c; 8-inch tile, 25c per foot	175
Pace & Fitzgerald, painting	116
Smith Bros., plumbing	106
J. Brockhurst, iron work	70
Total	$7,362

The figures are satisfactory to the board, and are considerably under the estimate of $10,000. These terminals, it will be remembered, must be provided under the Walker lease.

The timber in the old round house was sold for $28, the purchaser to draw it away, and the old timber out of the Zavitz bridge was disposed of.

IN THE SENATE.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell Chosen Leader of the Opposition.

C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—Sir Mackenzie Bowell, at a meeting of Conservative Senators today, was elected leader of the Opposition in the Senate. A requisition signed by 46 Senators was presented to Sir Mackenzie asking him to continue as their leader. There are other eight Senators who will sign this requisition. Sir Mackenzie accepted. There are only thirteen Liberals in the Senate.

Fares to the Fair.

Ladies Volunteering to Act as Street Railway Conductors.

Probably Two for Each Car—Attractions by the Way.

"Sweets to the sweet."—Hamlet.

"Fares to the fair," will be another version of it in London on Thursday, Sept. 3, when the street car passengers hand their nickels or tickets to the lady conductors.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association was held yesterday afternoon, and plans were formulated for taking charge of the street railway system on Sept. 3. A large number of ladies have volunteered to act as conductors on that day—there will probably be two lady conductors on each car, and the public may depend upon it that no one will ride free. There will be special attractions at the Military School and at Springbank—possibly refreshments at the latter. The cars will be handsomely decorated, Special tickets have been issued, the sale of which the ladies are pushing, but the regular fares will also be accepted.

The proceeds go towards furnishing the new Y. M. C. A. building.

THE WHEEL.

In the L. A. W. percentage table Bald leads, with .857; Cooper comes next, with .850; then follow Gardiner, .720; Butler, .685; Sanger, .680; Zeigler, .665; Coburn, .665; Loughead, .636.

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HIS DIPLOMACY.

"Oh! you here, Tom?"

"My dear, is there anything so very extraordinary in my being in my wife's drawing-room?" replied Mr. Jocelyn, smiling.

"Of course not, only—— Oh, dear, how tired I am," she continued, dropping into a low wicker chair; "everything is such an awful rush."

"You'll simply knock yourself up, Beryl, tearing about in this way. It is perfectly ridiculous."

Mrs. Jocelyn did not answer, but tossed her big hat on to a chair beside her, and resting her dark head against a cushion, closed her eyes. She was perfectly well aware that against the background of dark amber her delicately-tinted oval face looked its very best. Her husband watched her a moment in silence.

"I wish you'd take more care of yourself, Beryl," he said, with a slight frown; "what's the use of burning the candle at both ends like this?"

"Oh, Tom, it is a great deal too hot for amateur sermonizing! Besides, I've got to decide about my gloves for tonight. I can't quite make up my mind what color I shall wear."

"Why, I thought you had refused Mrs. Merydith's invitation?"

"Refused it? Certainly not. It is one of the jolliest houses in London."

"I hate your going to the house of such a woman as that. Why, any day her name may be public property, and——"

"Yes, dear; but meantime, she's the rage, and gives the most perfect dances I know of. What does anything else matter nowadays? Well, I'm going to talk to Clarisse about those gloves." And Mrs. Jocelyn rose, and noticed for the first time that her husband held an open letter in his hand.

"Anything interesting in that?" she asked, pointing to it.

"Well, yes—rather. It's from Alicia Villiers."

"Oh!" and Mrs. Jocelyn's lip went down into an unpleasant little smile.

"You'd better read it,' said Tom, handing it to her.

"Dear Old Tom,—I've got some news for you, news which, as yet, is an absolute secret; but somehow, I feel I'd like to tell you, my oldest friend. Can you guess? Did it ever occur to you that Alicia Villiers would change her name a second time? Well, so it is; but tell it not in Gath, neither proclaim it on the housetops of Mayfair; I am engaged to——. No, on second thoughts I won't write it; I'll wait to tell you his name till I see you. I hope you're awfully curious; get Mrs. Jocelyn to help you to solve the mystery, a man never got to the bottom of anything of that sort yet, by himself. Wish we good luck, both of you! ALICIA."

"What an extraordinary letter," she said, handing it back to him.

"Just like Alicia, don't you think?"

"Oh, of course you know Lady Alicia much better than I do. So she's going to marry again?"

"I wonder who the man is?"

Mrs. Jocelyn shrugged her shoulders with fine indifference.

"I can't say I feel any wild curiosity, but no doubt the affair has more interest for you."

Tom Jocelyn laughed.

"I do verily believe, Beryl, that deep down in your heart you are jealous of Alicia."

"I? Jealous of a woman on the wrong side of 30, who takes seven in gloves, and dresses like a housemaid?"

"Oh, come, that's too bad; Alicia always looks a lady."

"You think so? And I suppose her manners are also most refined?"

"There's nothing the matter with her manners as far as I can see."

"Possibly, my dear Tom, but where Lady Alicia is concerned, you can never see very far."

"What utter nonsense you are talking, Beryl. I can tell you one thing, I never heard Alicia say a spiteful thing about any one, and that's more than one can say for most people."

"What don't you tell me at once that she's an epitome of all the cardinal virtues?"

"Because she is very much the reverse," he answered with a laugh. "Only you can't expect me to stand by and hear you abuse a girl I've known since her pinafore days without putting in a word for her. Poor little Alicia! I hope she'll be luckier this time. I don't fancy that her five years of conjugal bliss with Villiers were absolutely cloudless."

Mrs. Jocelyn had sat down again, and was very evidently not listening to her husband. He glanced at her as he finished speaking, and noticed how bright her eyes were, and that her usually pale cheeks were slightly flushed.

"You do look tired, child," he said, anxiously; "it's a good thing the 17th is only ten days off; you want the quiet to set you up again."

"The quiet! what do you mean!"

"There won't be much chance for wild excitement on Uncle Lawrence's yacht, you know."

"Oh, I meant to tell you, we can't possibly go there; at least, I can't. You must write and tell your uncle."

"You can't go? why on earth not? my dear Beryl; we can't treat the old gentleman in this cavalier fashion. One does not indulge in caprices with a relation who has signified his intention of leaving you half a million of money."

"Well, I'm sorry, but I have made other arrangements."

Jocelyn gazed at her in amazement. She was perfectly serious, and had, moreover, a certain expression on her pretty face which he had learned to know meant mischief.

"Will you be good enough to tell me what those arrangements are?" he asked coolly.

"The Comte de la Vieille-Roche has asked me to sit for him for my picture, and I have promised to do so."

"You will please to retract that promise as soon as possible. I do not wish your portrait to be painted by that gentleman."

"I am sorry, for I am perfectly determined that it shall be."

"You must be reasonable, Beryl. You don't quite understand what you are doing. It seems all very delightful to you to be run after and admired, but you don't quite see where you are going. The Comte de la Vieille-Roche may be a very charming man and an excellent artist, but all the same I don't choose that my wife's name should be coupled with his. The count has been a good deal too conspicuous in your company lately, and this picture business is quite out of the question. If you want your portrait painted, wait till we come back, and then go to any artist you like; but the idea of your going to De la Vieille-Roche's studio is impossible."

"Not at all. I've been there this afternoon."

"What!"

Beryl bit her lips; the words had slipped out almost against her will, and the expression of her husband's face was not reassuring.

"You have been to his studio this afternoon?"

"Yes," she said defiantly.

"Will you kindly explain yourself?" Tom was, as a rule, the easiest conceivable person to manage, but she had never heard him speak in this voice before.

"I thought you knew," she answered with assumed carelessness. "Didn't you hear him last night at Lady Falaire's telling us of the wonderful collection of Japanese curios he had at his studio. He promised to show them to Molly Merydith and me if we would go to Kensington one afternoon and have tea. I met Mrs. Merydith after lunch and we thought we would go."

"Mrs. Merydith! I'm not sure that her chaperonage does not make the business worse!"

"But she did not come!" put in Beryl, eagerly.

"Do you mean to say you went alone?"

"Yes. When we got half-way there, she remembered that she had an appointment at Kate Reilly's, and had to go back; but I thought as I'd got so far I might as well go on, and—and—well, there's the whole story."

(To be Continued.)

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Olivia Susan Clemens, eldest daughter of Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), who died last week at her father's home on Farmington avenue, Hartford, Conn., was a graduate of Bryn Mawr College, and was 24 years old. After graduation Miss Clemens went to Paris and studied vocal music under Mme. Marchesie, who pronounced her soprano voice of great promise. Miss Clemens was studying for grand opera, and it was her ambition to complete her education and take such a position in the musical world as to recoup her father's fortune. It nearly prostrated her when ill-health compelled her to abandon her music. She returned to America last year, and while her parents and sisters Clara and Jean were on Mr. Clemens' lecturing tour she was trying to regain her health at Hartford. She would have joined the family in England, but was unable to stand the journey. Miss Clemens' illness developed into meningitis, which caused her death. The burial was at Elmira, N. Y.

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

When Goethe was first in love he carved upon a tree in a neighboring forest a couple of heart united by a scroll, and a little later received a sound thrashing from the forester for damaging the tree.

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The Vestry of Hawarden has accepted an offer by the family of Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone to put a stained glass window in the parish church in honor of their father and mother.

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Childhood's Beauty,

Its Susceptibility to Impression and Its Powerful Influence.

Dr. Talmage Speaks of "A Shadow on the Harvest Field."

Washington, D. C., Aug. 25.—While the reapers are busy in many parts of the land, and the harvests are being gathered, the scene brought before us in this subject is especially appropriate. The text is II. Kings, iv., 18, 19, 20: "And when the child was grown, it fell on a day that he went out to his father to the reapers. And he said unto his father, My head, my head! And he said to a lad, Carry him to his mother. And when he had taken him, and brought him to his mother, he sat on her knees till noon, and then died."

There is at least one happy home in Shunem. To the luxuriance and splendor of a great house had been given the advent of a child. Even when the Angel of Life brings a new soul to the poor man's hut, a star of joy shines over the manger. Infancy, with its helplessness and innocence, had passed away. Days of boyhood had come—days of laughter and frolic, days of sunshine and promise, days of strange questions and curiosity and quick development. One day there is the shout of reapers heard afield. A boy's heart always bounds at the sound of sickle or scythe. No sooner have the harvesters cut a swath across the field than the lad joins them, and the swarthy reapers feel young again as they look down at that lad, as bright and beautiful as was Ruth in the harvest fields of Bethlehem gleaning after the reapers. But the sun was too hot for him. Congestion of the brain seized on him. In the instant of consciousness he put his hands against his temples, and cries out: "My head! my head!" And the father said: "Carry him to his mother," just as any father would have said; for our hand is too rough, and our voice is too harsh, and our foot is too loud to doctor a sick child, if there be in our home a gentler voice and a gentler hand and a stiller footstep. But all of no avail. While the reapers of Shunem were busy in the field, there came a stronger reaper that way, with keener scythe and for a richer harvest. He reaped only one sheaf, but O, what a golden sheaf was that! I do not want to know any more about that heart-breaking scene than what I see in just this one pathetic sentence: "He sat on her knees till noon, and then died." Though hundreds of years have passed away since that boy skipped to the harvest field and then was brought home and died on his mother's lap, the story still thrills us. Indeed, childhood has a charm always and everywhere. The morning comes out of the gates of the east, throwing its silver on the lake and its gold on the towers and its fire on the cloud; but it is not so bright and beautiful as the morning of life! There is no light like that which is kindled in a child's eye, no color like that which blooms on a child's cheek, no music like the sound of a child's voice. O, what a dull, stale, mean world this would be without the sportfulness of children. When I find people that do not like children I immediately doubt their moral and Christian character. But when the grace of God comes upon a child, how unspeakably attractive. When Samuel begins to pray, and Timothy begins to read the Scriptures, and Joseph shows himself invulnerable to temptation—how beautiful the scene! I scout the idea that good children always die. Samuel, the pious boy, became Samuel, the great prophet. Christian Timothy became a minister at Ephesus. Young Daniel, consecrated to God, became Prime Minister of all the realm, and there are hundreds in the schools and families of the country today who are to be foremost among the Christians and the philanthropists and the reformers of the next century. The grace of God never kills anyone. A child will be more apt to grow up with religion than it will be apt to grow up without it. Length of days is promised to the righteous. The religion of Christ does not cramp the chest or curve the spine or weaken the nerves. There are no malarias floating up from the river of life. The religion of Christ throws over the heart and life of a child a supernal beauty. "Her ways are ways of righteousness, and all her paths are peace."

I pass on to consider the susceptibility of childhood. Men pride themselves on their unchangeability. It is charged to frailty or fraud when a man changes his sentiments in politics or in religion, and it is this determination of soul that so often drives back the Gospel from a man's heart. But childhood; how susceptible to example and to instruction! You are not surprised at the record: "Abraham begat Isaac, and Isaac begat Jacob"; for when religion starts in a family it is apt to go all through. Jezebel, a murderess, you are not surprised to find her son Jehoram attempting assassination. The musician touches the keys, and the response of those keys is away off amid the pipes and the chords, and you wonder at the distance between the key and the chord. And so it is in life; if you touch a child, the results will come back from manhood or old age, telling just the same tune played, whether the dirge of a great sorrow, or the anthem of a great joy. The home and the school decide the republic or the despotism; the barbarism or the civilization; the upbuilding of an empire, or the overthrowing of it. Higher than Parliament or Congress are the school and the family, and the sound of a child's foot may mean more than the tramp of a host. What, then, are you doing for the purpose of bringing your children into the kingdom of God?

I pass on to consider the power which children wield over the parental heart. You no more educate them than they educate you. With their little hands they have caught hold of your entire nature and you cannot wrench yourself away from their grasp. You are different men and women from what you were before they gave you the first lesson. They have revolutionized your soul. There are fountains of joy in your heart which never would have been discovered had they not discovered them. Life is to you a more stupendous thing than it was before those little feet started on the pathway to eternity. Oh, how many hopes, how many joys, how many solicitudes that little one has created in your soul. You go to school every day—a school of self-denial, a school of patience, in which you are getting wiser day by day; and that influence of the child over you will increase and increase; and though your children may die, from the very throne of God they will reach down an influence to your soul, leading you on and leading you up until you mingle with their voices and sit beside their thrones. The grasp which the child has over the parent's heart is seen in what the parent will do for the child. Storm and darkness and heat and cold are nothing to you if they stand between you and your child's welfare. What stream will you not swim, what cavern will you not enter, what battle will you not fight, what hunger will you not endure for your children? And, oh, when the last sickness comes, how you fight back the march of disease, and it is only after a tremendous struggle that you surrender. And when the great spirit has fled, the great deep is broken up, and Rachel will not be comforted because her children are not, and David goes up the palace stairs, crying: "Oh, Absalom, my son, my son, would God I had died for thee, Oh, Absalom, my son, my son."

There is not a large family, or hardly a large family that has not been over such a treasure and lost it. In the family fold is there no dead lamb? I have seen many such cases of sorrow. There is one pre-eminent in my memory as pastor—Scoville Haynes McCollum. The story of his death has brought hundreds unto God. He belonged to my parish in the West. A thorough boy, 9 or 10 years of age. Nothing morbid, nothing dull about him. His voice the loudest and his foot the swiftest on the playground. And yet he was a Christian, consecrated to God, keeping his commandments. That is the kind of childish piety I believe in. When the days of sickness came suddenly and he was told that he could not get well, he said: "Jesus alone can save me. Jesus will save me. He has saved me. Don't cry, mamma. I shall go right straight up to heaven." And then they gave him a glass of water to cool his hot lips, and he said: "Mamma, I shall take a draught from the water of life after a while, of which if one drink, he shall never get thirsty again. I lay myself at Jesus' feet, and I want him to do just what he thinks best to do with me." In those days, "Rest for the Weary" was a new hymn, and he had learned it; and in a perfect ecstasy of soul, in his last hour, he cried out:

In the Christian's home in glory
There remains a land of rest;
There's my Saviour gone before me
To fulfill my soul's request;
There is rest for the weary,
There is rest for you.

Sing, O sing, ye heirs of glory,
Shout your triumphs as you go;
Zion's gates are open for you,
You shall find an entrance through.
There is rest for the weary,
There is rest for you.

"There is rest for you, papa; there is rest for you, mamma." And then putting his hands over his heart, he said: "Yes, there is rest for me." And then he asked them to read "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, and leadeth me beside still waters"; and he cried out: "O Death, where is thy sting? O Grave where is thy victory?" And so, with a peace indescribable, he passed away.

Oh, there is nothing sad about a child's death save the grief of the parent's heart. The little ones go right out from a world of sin and suffering to a world of joy. How many sorrows they escape, how many temptations, how many troubles!

The brightest lights that can be kindled, Christ has kindled. Let us, old and young, rejoice that heaven is gathering up so much that is attractive. In that far land we are not strangers. There are those there that speak our name day by day, and they wonder why so long we tarry. If I could count up the names of all those who have gone out from these families into the kingdom of heaven, it would take me all day to mention their names. A great multitude before the throne. You loved them once; you love them now; and ever and anon you think you hear their voices calling upward. Ah, yes, they have gone out from all these families, and you want no book to tell you of the dying experience of Christian children. You have heard it; it has been whispered in your ear, O father, O mother, O brother, O sister. Toward that good land all Christians are bearing. This snapping of heart strings, this flight of years, this tread of the heart reminds us that we are passing away. Under spring blossoms, and through summer harvests, and across autumnal leaves, and through the wintry snow banks, we are passing on. O, rejoice at it, children of God, rejoice at it! How we shall gather them up, the loved and the lost! Before we mount our throne, before we drink of the fountain, before we strike the harp of our eternal celebration, we will cry out: "Where are our loved and lost?" And then, how we shall gather them up!

O how we shall gather them up!
In this dark world of sin and pain
We only meet to part again;
But when we reach the heavenly shore,
We there shall meet to part no more.

The hope that we shall see that day,
Should chase our present griefs away;
When these short years of pain are past
We'll meet before the throne at last.

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Mr. Edward McMillan, of Kintyre, reports a yield of 50 bushels of oats from a sowing of 20 pounds of seed.

Rev. John Maxwell has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Riversdale, Enniskillen and Kinloss congregations.

There were two weddings in Leamington on Saturday. John Snider and Miss Mary Hoople, and Gordon Brown and Miss Sarah Parson.

Mr. Asa Cronk, collector of customs at Courtright, is establishing a printing office in that town. Mr. Cronk is an experienced newspaper man.

Chatham will celebrate Labor Day. The Erie and Huron Railroad purpose putting on a regatta at Rond Eau, and other special events are being arranged.

A severe thunderstorm passed over Comber Saturday. Peter Runnels and Joseph Giroux, of Tilbury North, had their barns destroyed with all their contents.

Charles McKeegan, of Kent Bridge, is charged with indecently asaulting Violette Gallipo. The alleged assault is said to have taken place while the prisoner was giving Miss Gallipo a drive to her brother's residence. The case was sent for trial, bail being accepted.

The police of Detroit are inquiring for Harriett Gerome, for whom a large fortune is in prospect. The girl is a French-Canadian, and is believed to be in this neighborhood.

Frank Pollock, of Gorrie, formerly a school teacher, but who has given up teaching for journalism, goes to the Soudan as a special war correspondent for the Massey Magazine, of Toronto.

A little 3-year-old daughter of Rev C. W. Finch, of Montreal, who has been visiting in St. Thomas, had a finger almost completely cut off by having it caught in the iron gate in front of the house.

Wm. Griffin, who works at Leitch's basket factory, Ridgetown, was accidentally shot through the leg while coming up town Friday evening. A rifle ball also entered a window in one of the cottages on Cunningham avenue one day last week.

Major Coogan, high constable, Chatham, has issued a warrant for the arrest of Annie Richards, complainant in a charge of indecent assault preferred against George Wilson, a well known colored man. Friends of the accused are supposed to have spirited the girl away.

Nellie Tapley, aged 16, the daughter of Chester Tapley, who lives near Mount Vernon, was handling a loaded revolver the other night, when it became discharged, and the bullet entered her left breast and passed to a point under the left arm, whence it was extracted. The pistol was left among some papers which Miss Tapley was removing. Unless blood poisoning intervenes, no serious results are expected.

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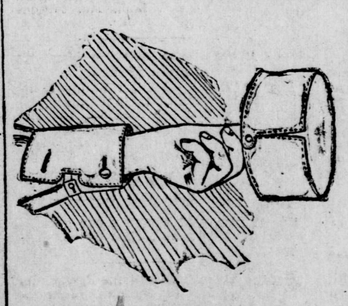
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PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Aug. 25—1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lake region: Southwesterly to southerly winds, increasing to fresh or strong; fine and warm.

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—The property southeast corner of King and Richmond streets, was sold yesterday afternoon by auction. Mr. J. W. Jones was auctioneer, and Mr. Samuel Glass, jun., bought the property for $16,500.

—Toronto Star: Frank Kirchmer, at one time manager of the Academy of Music (formerly of London), was in the police court this morning, charged with non-payment of wages. Harry Todd says Kirchmer owes him $2 50. The defendant stepped up and paid $2 into court, promising to pay the other 50 cents in a few days.

—Refreshment booths at the Fair Grounds were auctioned yesterday afternoon. The following were the buyers and the amounts paid: T. Jeffries $18, R. Shopland $16, T. Jeffries, $20; A. Jeffrey, $15; Mrs. Bartlett, $15 50, John Mackler $15 25, Mrs. McLaren $15 25. Only four booths remain unsold. The dining halls will be dealt with by private sale.

—The Salvation Army are greatly elated over the success of their meetings during the past two or three weeks. About twenty have knelt at the "penitent form" and the attendance has been large. Ensign Shea, sub-editor of the War Cry, assisted in the meetings Sunday. Next Saturday, Sunday and Monday they will celebrate their annual harvest festival, when a good time is promised. Sergt.-Major Dawson, of Guelph, will be the chief attraction.

—Chas. Baker, 40 years of age, was arrested last night by Detective Ward at his home on the base line, Westminster, about 10 o'clock. Mrs. Baker came in to Squire Lacey yesterday afternoon and laid an information against her husband for abusing her. Baker was brought before the magistrate and remanded for a week. Baker is a farm laborer and has not even the good wishes of his neighbors because of his worthlessness. His wife said he had only given her 75 cents in two months. Baker attributes all the trouble to the tongue of his mother-in-law. His wife was a widow with four children when Baker married her. He has one child. The house is an excellent evidence of the discomfort of which the woman complains.

In Trouble Again.

Isaac Bird Arrested on Another Serious Charge

By Chief Skirving of Ingersoll—Accused of Criminally Assaulting a Girl Under 14 Years.

Ingersoll's wide-awake chief of police, Archie Skirving, has laid hands on Isaac Bird, the colored man who achieved notoriety in London a few months ago. He was accused of seducing Maud Phoenix, a local colored girl. After a protracted examination and trial, Bird was acquitted by Judge Elliot because it could not be proven that the girl was under 14 years of age at the time of the offense. Bird returned to Ingersoll upon his dismissal.

The charge upon which the scamp is now in the toils is the same. The complainant is Ellen Marah Piper, a girl under 14 years of age. She accuses Bird of violently assaulting her on Feb. 5 last, despite her frantic opposition, at a house on the sixth concession of Dereham township, kept by a man named Johnston. The girl lives at Johnston's, and Bird was visiting there at the time. The arrest was made by Chief Skirving at the instance of the chief of police of Tilsonburg. Bird was taken there by Chief Skirving yesterday to await examination. The Piper girl is about to become a mother.

MINING NOTES.

What the Promoters and Agents of Properties Say of the Outlook for Profits.

An important sale of mining stock was made the other day by Mr. W. Fullerton, mining broker, 114 Yonge street, Toronto. Mr. Fullerton had recently appointed an agent in London to look after the interests of the Hill Top Mining Company, and last evening he received a cable from his agent stating that the latter had sold a large block of Hill Top stock to an English syndicate.

"A great part of the available stock is now disposed of," remarked Mr. Fullerton to the Globe reporter, "and at the rate the stock is being taken up it will be but a short time until I will have placed all the stock that the shareholders of the company purpose to let go. English capital is being every day put into the Trail Creek mines, and the experts who have been sent out by intending English investors to report on the Hill Top have, I understand, sent home most favorable reports. I suppose one of the results of these reports is the English money that at present is being invested in the property, and you know that English capitalists examine most thoroughly into the merits of a mine before they place their money there.—Toronto Globe b

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Camp for London.

Volunteers Will Be Here During the Western Fair.

A Great Double Attraction — The Battalions Ordered Out.

As announced in The Advertiser last night, the volunteer camp will be held on Carling's Heights, beginning Sept. 8 and ending Sept. 19.

As the Western Fair begins on Sept. 10 and ends on Sept. 19, London will have two great attractions simultaneously. The date fixed for the camp is later than in previous years, but owing to the change at headquarters, this was unavoidable, and, besides, it will be much pleasanter camping in September than in midsummer, when the blistery heat adds to the discomforts of life under canvass. The camp and the Fair will by no means be rival attractions, but will work admirably together. Many Fair visitors will be delighted at the opportunity of witnessing the picturesque spectacle on the Heights, and the volunteers themselves will prefer to be in London when the Fair is in progress and the city so lively and crowded.

Lieut.-Col. Smith, D.A.G., will be the commandant of the camp, and as usual his staff will be composed of officers of the district. The camp will be composed of No. 1 Company, Royal Regiment Canadian Infantry, and the following battalions:

Twenty-first Essex Fusiliers.—Staff—Col. Beattie and Major J. C. Guillot; paymaster, Major Meloche; adjutant, Capt. Reeves; quartermaster, Capt. E. S. Wigle; surgeon, Dr. Casgrain. Companies—No. 1, Windsor; No. 2, Leamington; No. 3, Essex; No. 4, Walkerville; No. 5, Windsor.

Twenty-second (Oxford Rifles)—Staff—Col. Munro, Majors Hegler and Macqueen; paymaster, Major James Sutherland; adjutant, Capt. Davis; quartermaster, Major M. Day; surgeon, Dr. McWilliam; assistant surgeon, Dr. Rice. Companies—No. 1, Woodstock; No. 2, Embro; No. 3, Princeton; No. 4, Ingersoll; No. 5, Norwich; No. 6, Strathallan; No. 7, Woodstock; No. 8 Thamesford.

Thirtieth (Wellington Rifles).—Staff—Col. White and Majors Mutrie and Allan; paymaster, Major E. Harvey; adjutant, Capt. Porter; quartermaster, Capt. Mann; surgeon, Dr. Johnson; assistant surgeon Dr. Maurice. Companies—No. 1, Harriston; No. 2, Guelph; No. 3, Fergus; No. 4 Elora; No. 5, Mount Forest; No. 6, Eramosa; No. 7, Erin; No. 8, Palmerston; No. 9, Moorefield; No. 10, Arthur.

The First Hussars may also be ordered out.

An important militia order was before the Cabinet Council at Ottawa on Saturday, and will be promulgated in a day or two. The general order will greatly affect the establishment. The following are its salient points:

Cavalry—All troops of cavalry become squadrons. An addition of about seven men is made to each squadron in order to enable them to drill in accordance with the revised cavalry drill. Each squadron receives an addition of one officer.

Field Artillery—Each battery is raised from four to six guns in establishment. The increase will include one officer and about one-third of the present strength. The former strength was 49 of all ranks; the present strength will be 102; the former strength in horses was 29; the present strength will be 49.

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AUGUST CLEAN-UP ..SALE..

OUR BUYER is homeward bound and the new fall and winter goods are following quickly on his heels. All short ends must be cleared out before they arrive, and all our remnants are marked for a quick good-bye.

BLOUSE SILKS:
Dresden Patterns, 23 inches wide, were 60c..... 45c
Striped Taffeta Silks, 23 inches wide, all colors..... 55c
Dresden Patterns, 23 inches wide, reduced from 80c..... 60c

HOUSEKEEPING LINENS:
An All-Linen Bargain Towel, extra value..... 5c
White Sheeting, twilled or plain, 8x4 size..... 20c
3x4 Table Napkins, were $3.75 a dozen, now..... $2.75
3x4 Table Napkins, were $3.85 a dozen, now..... $3.10
3x4 Table Napkins, were $3.75 a dozen, now..... $3.00

HOSIERY:
Ladies' Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, black..... 15c
Ladies' Balbriggan Hose, extra value..... 28c
Ladies Lisle Hose, in black only, beautifully embroidered.. 50c

BLACK DRESS GOODS:
All-Wool French Cashmere, 44 inches wide..... 25c
Black Soliel Cloth, 44 inches wide, was 60c..... 40c
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Heiress to $17,000,000

Gives Her Heart and Hand to a Mechanic.

He Went to Put a Range in Her House and Remained as Her Happy Husband.

Hillsdale Manor, N. J., Aug. 25.—An heiress to $17,000,000 was married yesterday afternoon in a little cottage on the hillside overlooking this village and Woodcliff. A score of friends, farmers and small tradesmen from the village, and a few persons who had come from New York, witnessed the simple ceremony. There were flowers, gathered from the gardens near by, but no jewels, no high altar, no glittering costumes. The bride wore a simple costume of black silk, becoming to her 53 years, and made by her own hands.

She was Mme. Eglantine Gaudin, village dressmaker of Hillsdale Manor and Woodcliff, whose sudden enrichment by the death of her South American uncle was announced some months ago. She had not yet come into all her money, but her lawyer bids her rest easy—it is coming.

But, as she says, she has done better still. She has found a husband who prefers her to her fortune. Out of hundreds of suitors, of high and low degree, who have offered themselves since her good fortune was published, she has made her choice. He is Bernardo Malizia, superintendent of a New York company, a Swiss-Italian, and madame's junior by five years.

The secret came out at last. Mme. Gaudin, after repelling or ignoring nearly a thousand offers of marriage, had succumbed at last to the plain, homely man who superintended the repairs about her premises.

The manner of the wooing was as simple as the wedding. Malizia was sent there by his employers to put in a range. He knew nothing of her fortune, but he was not long in finding it out. The madame showed him the proposals brought by each post, and laughingly read them over. So the friendship, begun in chance, and fostered in fun, ripened into intimacy. Malizia finally finished his work, but the madame detained him.

He had been a widower for eight years. The cottage, though small, was cosy; he had helped to make it so, and so had grown to like it. The madame herself, fortune or no fortune, is a plump and pleasing person. They stood in the shade of a noble old chestnut tree at the gate, when she asked him why he should go away, and—the upshot was that they went back into the house, heaped the three hundred offers of marriage upon the grate, and watched them vanish in smoke.

Preparations for the wedding ripened in secrecy. Until a day or two ago none of the neighbors knew that the wedding impended—none, that is, except the Grandjeans, madame's nearest neighbors. It was necessary to tell them, because in their house the wedding was to be held. Moreover, there are three little Grandjeans. It was proposed that madame and her husband stand godparents to the entire flock.

The programme was carried out the same afternoon. There were three christenings, as well as a wedding, at the Grandjean cottage. The Rev. Mr. Grandliegnard, of the French Evangelical Church, in Sixteenth street, New York, performed all four ceremonies. This arrangement was in the nature of a compromise, for, while the bride is a Roman Catholic, Malizia is a free thinker.

It rained dismally and without ceasing, but not enough to dampen mirth. The guests defied it. After the ceremony they sat down at tables spread upon the porch of the bride's house. The dripping woods echoed the sound of laughter as the guests toasted each other in noisy mirth or drank "a la bon heur" of the bride.

Old Marsh, a St. Bernard, whose deep bass growl has scared away so many of Mme. Gaudin's importunate suitors, sat at the feet of Mme. Malizia. He wore a ribbon about his neck for the occasion, and graciously allowed himself to be fed with scraps from the table. All the guests wore the colors of France on their breasts — red and white carnations and blue cornflower. From the flagpole of Dr. Charles A. Seere near by fluttered the tricolor.

The millions that are to come to Mme. Malizia were gained in the Argentine Republic by Andre Pinaud, a hide and leather magnate, whose wife was Annette Larcot, an aunt of Mme. Gaudin, formerly Mary Eglantine Manuel. The estate is said to amount to $34,000,000, but there is another heir, a niece, who is as yet undiscovered. The partition of the estate awaits only her appearance in the scene. Mme. Malizia learned of her good fortune in April from the correspondent of a Buenos Ayres lawyer, who had sought her out.

"America has no standing army, I believe," said the foreigner. "It is clear you haven't spent much time in the street cars of this great country," replied the native.

Of the 303,975 tons of copper mined in the entire world last year, 147,210 tons were the product of the United States mines.

