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ng to do but rest;
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EMPRESS FREDERICK

Her Imperial Majesty Passed Away at 6 O'Clock Monday.
EMPEROR WILLIAM AND FAMILY

They Were Present at the Bedside When the End Came—King Edward Learned of the Event at Cowes—Will Go to Berlin—Sketch of Her Sad Life—Her Love Marriage—Her Struggle With Bismarck.
Cronberg, Aug. 6.—Dowager-Empress Frederick died at 6.15 p. m. yesterday.
It is said that the immediate cause of death was dropsy, accompanying the cancer. The remarkable vitality of the Dowager-Empress astonished her physicians. She retained consciousness to the end. The death of the Dowager-Empress was somewhat unexpectedly sudden. At 4 o'clock her physicians reported no change in her condition. Emperor William, who reached here at 5.20 yesterday morning, and Her Majesty's other children and the Empress were in the sick room most of the day. They were all about the bedside when the Dowager-Empress passed away quietly. Professors Renvers and Siel-



H.I.M. EMPRESS FREDERICK.
hagen were also in the room. The flag on the castle was immediately half-masted.
At 8 o'clock last evening Emperor William conducted the members of the Dowager-Empress' household into the death chamber, and led them one by one past the bedside to take a last farewell of their mistress. By her special desire, Dr. Walker, the English Chaplain of Homburg, was summoned. The relatives of the Empress continually arrived here throughout the day. A detachment of one hundred and fifty infantry had come from Homburg to do sentinel and patrol duty around the castle. The eleventh company of the 80th Regiment of Infantry, of which the Dowager-Empress Frederick was honorary colonel, was also ordered here.
Cowes, Aug. 6.—King Edward received the official news of the death on board the royal yacht. The yacht's flag was immediately half-masted. King Edward and Queen Alexandra will leave here for Marlborough House to-day. It is not likely they will start for Berlin until Wednesday.

SHE HAD ONE ENEMY.
The Sad Career of the Late Dowager-Empress of Germany.
The death at the gloomy castle at Cronberg-on-the-Main of this daughter of the throne of England, and mother of an Emperor, by cancer, is a sad ending for a life that, though since the days of her marriage to Frederick the Noble, then Crown Prince of Germany, has been passed among the unsympathetic people, has yet been a brilliant one. Through the whole period of her married life she was called upon to fight to maintain her position at the German court. She had to match her strength against the strongest in the German Empire, and no less a personage than the great Bismarck was her enemy, cruel and unrelenting in his warfare against the English woman who had dared invade German domains and aspired to sit as Empress on the German throne.
Nor was it with his consent that she was ever permitted to secure the title of Empress, a title she held but three short months. It was due almost entirely to her own strong will and inexhaustible resources that Prince Frederick was ever crowned Emperor of Germany. Bismarck worked with all the energy of his strong will, and brought to bear all of his wonderful influence to prevent the crowning of Frederick and his English wife as a punishment upon the prince for daring to marry an English woman, who, as he often said, "had poisoned the Hohenzollern blood at its source."
It is the law in Germany that no prince can become Emperor who is afflicted with an incurable disease, but the fact that he is so afflicted must be solemnly proclaimed after an examination by court physicians. Some months before the death of old Emperor Wilhelm all the world knew that the crown prince was afflicted with a throat trouble, but which he would never recover, but the court physicians had never proclaimed that fact, nor could they without first having the necessary examination. To secure such a proclamation Bismarck spared no effort. Could he but secure such a proclamation he hated English woman would never sit upon the throne of Germany, as the consort of a German ruler, and at the same time he would punish the crown prince for marrying contrary to his and the wish of the German people. But the court physicians never issued the proclamation. They never made the

examination necessary in such a course. With the Iron Chancellor, then just at the height of his prestige, and practically the whole German people against her, the English princess won the battle for a throne. She did it by simply preventing the court physicians from reaching her husband's bedside. The noted English physician, Sir Morrell Mackenzie, attended him exclusively through the days of his illness previous to the death of his father, and when the old emperor died there was no legal reason to prevent his ascension of the German throne, and he was crowned. For three months he reigned as Emperor of Germany, and then he died and gave place to the present Emperor.

But though the Iron Chancellor and the German people may be said to have despised the English princess who, in the past, occupied so prominent a place in the affairs of the German empire for a time, her husband loved her. The marriage that in 1856 joined Prince Frederick and Princess Victoria in wedlock, when the royal bride was but 17 years of age, could not be said to have been a marriage of policy, as so many royal marriages are. The young people were lovers, and continued as such up to the time of the death of Emperor Frederick. To her he was always "her Fritz," and there was an unfeeling love existing between them. It was not that she might become Empress of Germany that she waged so strong a battle against the forces pitted against her, but that "her Fritz" might be the Emperor. Her love for him was amply proven by her devotion to him through the many months of political intrigue, when, helpless as he was with a disease that was eating away his life, he had virtually none but his wife to fight the battles his enemies and hers were waging against him.

Nor did she stop with the fight against his political enemies, but fought the disease that was so rapidly sapping away his life as well. She attended him personally for the greater part of the time that he was sick. She studied carefully the medical principles involved in his case, that by so doing she might hasten the recovery which she hoped for but which never came. While her husband lived she had something to work for, there was an incentive to stir her ambition, and she triumphed over her enemies much more often than they triumphed over her in the small battles of court life.

But with her husband dead, and her son upon the throne of Germany, even her enemies soon seemed to forget her. True, the son broke the power of Bismarck as a factor in German politics, and she could, of German glory in the discomfiture of the man who had made life so hard for her, but it is said that it was not for the sake of the injustice done his mother that the new Emperor had striven to break the power of the old chancellor, but that he might not stand in the way of any of his own ambitious plans. To his mother he was credited with giving but scant courtesy and attention.

In the last sad days she sat beside a great window in the big bare salon of the castle and gazed out upon the little world of which she was then the ostensible mistress. Her servants found her in tears many times, but she did not like to have them notice the fact. She longed for death, and yet the indomitable will that placed a dying man upon the throne of Germany in the face of the strongest opposition that could be brought against her in the German nation, refused to give up the struggle for life. She asserted her intention to live as long as she could, but said that when she did die none would be sorry; she least of all.

But now the aged ex-empress has passed away she is sincerely mourned by at least one Sovereign of Europe, King Edward VII., her brother. Empress Frederick was born November 21, 1840, and her illustrious brother is but one year younger. In childhood they were playmates and companions, and since those childhood days when the stronger will of the sister practically ruled the admiring and respect her. He believed her to be the cleverest woman of royal birth of her time, and has never hesitated to say so. His visit to her, shortly after the death of their illustrious mother, was the brightest incident in her life during recent years, and one which she looked back upon with great pleasure. During the days the English King spent at the home of his sister they were together the greater part of the time. He wheeled her in her invalid's chair through the castle grounds and sat with her for hours in the great rooms that have been to her as a prison house.

The News in London.
London, Aug. 6.—This morning's papers, most of which are printed in mourning, refer in terms of deepest sympathy to the death of Empress Frederick. It is generally admitted that she had only one enemy. Prince Bismarck never forgave her for being English by birth and nationality, and he pursued her with intrigue and resentment. It is an open secret that even State papers emanating from the German Foreign Office during Prince Bismarck's Chancellorship contained allusions to her. All social fixtures in London will for the present be abandoned or postponed, and it is probable, that throughout the United Kingdom mourning for the King's sister will be observed for several days.
Court and three months for the general public. The coronation festivities will not, however, be affected by the Empress' death.

Killed Before the Czar.
St. Petersburg, Aug. 6.—While the battalions Emperor Alexander III. was being launched yesterday during a gale a flagstaff in the dockyards was blown down, killing an officer and a cadet and injuring the commander of the battalions and three cadets. The Czar was present at the launching.

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The Hamilton Races.
Hamilton, First Day, Aug. 5.—Weather fine, track fast. First race, 5 1/2 furlongs, purse \$250, all ages, 1 Scorpio; 2 Gold Lack; 3 Snark, 6-5. Time, 1.07 1/2.
Second Race, 4 1/2 furlongs, \$250, maiden 2-year-olds, 1 Merriment; 2 Me-sah-che; 3 Santa Bonita, 6-5. Time, .54 1/2.
Third Race, 1 1-16 miles, \$300, handicap, 3-year-olds and up, 1 Filibuster; 2 Chappaqua; 3 Baronet, 11-5. Time, 1.49.
Fourth Race, 1/2 mile, \$250, 3-year-olds and up, 1 Oakmaid; 2 Gotemba; 3 Moro-Kanta, 3-1. Time, 1.15 1/2.
Fifth Race, 1/2 mile, \$250, 2-year-olds, 1 St. Hera; 2 Easy Street; 3 Plum Tart, 6-5. Time, 1.62 1/2.
Sixth Race, short course, \$250, steeplechase, 1 Fifield; 2 Angus; 3 Higbie, 1-1. Time, 4.13.

Druggists Elect Officers.
Toronto, Aug. 6.—For the next two years J. F. Roberts of Parkhill will preside over the destinies of the council of the Ontario College of Pharmacy. He was elected to that office at the opening session of the semi-annual meeting yesterday afternoon. The other officers elected were: Vice-president, A. Turner, Brantford; secretary-treasurer, I. T. Lewis, Toronto; auditors, J. H. McKenzie and James Watt, Toronto; scrutineers, George Bingham and F. W. Flett, Toronto.

Step After Aug. 15.
Windsor, Aug. 6.—At a special meeting of the directors of the United States Gas and Oil Co., in Windsor yesterday morning, it was decided to stop the exportation of natural gas to Detroit on or about Aug. 15. No gas according to the officials of the company, will be pumped over the river after Sept. 1.

Scotch Market for Canadian Products
Hon. Arthur Boyer, who had just arrived home from the Glasgow exhibition, states that there is in Scotland a great market for Canadian farm products. The prospects for manufactured articles were not as wide. It was found for example that certain lines of iron-made articles could not compete with those of Scotch and English manufacture. With some other lines, however, it was different. There was certain to be a large trade in carriages. As a result of the Canadian share in the exhibition a Toronto firm has now an order for carriages to be sent to Johannesburg, South Africa. Mr. Boyer was sure that the results to Canada would prove a splendid and profitable advertisement. The average attendance was over 50,000 and on a few days it was over 120,000. These included a large number of small farmers, and he was certain that there would be a considerable emigration of desirable settlers to Canada.

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THE PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE,
BLACKWELL'S BLOCK, NEAR THE MARKET

Wheat Cutting Has Commenced in Manitoba
A despatch from Winnipeg dated Aug. 5th says: The best reports of the wheat yield this year come from the Portage plains. The grain on the majority of farms there has grown just as thick as it is possible for it to stand, and in a few cases it is too thick and is drooping over a little, but cases of this kind are very rare. It would be hard to estimate just what the average yield in Portage district will be; 40 bushels to the acre would not be an overestimate. The heads of wheat are well filled, and are beginning to change color fast, and with a week or ten days of bright warm weather, harvest ought to be in full swing. Some barley has already been cut, but cutting will not be general for a few days yet. Implement dealers have a large staff of men setting up binders, and getting ready for the big rush which is expected next week. Hundreds of these machines have already been shipped to the plains.

Farther up the C. P. R., from Bagot to McGregor, the grain seems to be advanced even farther than Portage, but it is questionable if the yield will be as heavy.
At Morris four farmers are cutting wheat, which is fully matured. Cutting will be general by Thursday. The yield will be high and of excellent quality.
At Gretna wheat-cutting commenced Saturday, and will be general by Monday. New barley was threshed Saturday, and yielded 40 bushels per acre.

The Weather
Report for week ending Saturday night, August 3rd, 1901.
Temperature
Highest.....84.30 Tuesday
Lowest.....50.80 Friday
Warmest, mean of.....74.45 Tuesday
Coldest.....62.85 Thursday
The Week.....67.65.....X
Precipitation in Inches
Greatest fall of rain in one day 1.26 Monday.
Rain fell on 6 days.
Total rain fall 2.69.
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Oakwood, 23 July, 1901.—30-4.

NINE BOILS.

FOUR RUNNING SORES.
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Yours truly,
MISS MAGGIE WORTHINGTON,
Feb. 3rd, 1901. Galspie, Ont.