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The Weekly Post

LINDSAY, FRIDAY, JULY 14, 1899.

GLORIOUS NEW ONTARIO.

A Land of Grand Possibilities and Surprising Richness in Timber, Minerals and Agriculture.

While some sceptically disposed persons may be inclined to think that the Algoma legislative tour, which terminated last week, was nothing but a pleasant junket for those participating it is fairly safe to prophecy that the excursion will prove one of the best educational schemes of recent times. For years a few enthusiastic Western Ontario men have been attempting to attract attention to this section of the province,—from Sault Ste. Marie west to the Manitoban boundary,—and to satisfy parliament and the country generally that that territory was teeming with mineral resources and rich with agricultural possibilities. It must be confessed that hitherto their efforts have had very small effect, but seeing is usually supposed to imply believing, and the Westerners, confident in their own knowledge of the genuineness of their gospel, were determined to compel conviction by actual demonstration. They did not ask for a public grant to run the excursion, but put their hands deep into their own pockets to meet the heavy costs of the affair. Every municipality along the proposed line of travel cordially co-operated, the itinerary was so arranged that the most and best might be seen, and the result cannot but be of lasting benefit and should make a handsome return to the enterprising citizens of New Ontario.

The visitors have been fairly astonished at the unexpected evidence of greatness produced—the great pulp and mineral industries at the Soo; the rich mines of the Fort William district around Rat Portage, in the vicinity of Mine Centre, and in other sections; and the fertile belt stretching for a hundred miles or more along the Canadian bank of the placid Rainy River, all this and much more testified to the limitless possibilities of the country. The unaided efforts of the individual settler and prospector, however, can do little in a country of such vast distances. The lack of communication with the outside world seven months in the twelve, and by steamer only the balance of the year, was a handicap that would be fatal to less determined and courageous pioneers. But with a railroad running through the territory and with good roads constructed through the localities most requiring them, an immense impetus would be given to the opening up of the country. Those who are already there would be encouraged and fresh settlers would go in, the mineral locations would be developed, and the mining camps springing up on every hand would create a market for the manufacturer in older Canada. Transportation and population is all the country needs. Nature has done all the rest, and a wise assistance rendered to the district in the near future would quickly return a hundred fold.

The great difficulty which will confront the government at the outset of any movement upon their part to render that assistance is the immensity of the need. The country is so vast and the reasonable requirements of the various sections of it would, even if only partially provided for, consume so many millions of dollars that the trouble is where to begin.

At the Soo, for example, the demand is for aid to the Central Algoma Railway, which running north to Missanabie on the C.P.R, and thence towards James' Bay, would open up a vast territory of spruce forests from whence could be drawn unlimited supplies of the raw material for the gigantic pulp mills, and also traverse many miles of rich mineral country, the base of supplies for smelters and reduction works which will be established at this point just as quickly as there is reasonable prospect of material for them to work upon. Water power, unlimited in quantity, is right there, transportation facilities to the markets of the world are already provided, the capital is waiting investment, the railway back into the north country is the one thing needed. This is but a sample of what was met with throughout the trip. In a subsequent article attention will be directed to other parts of the district.

CIVIC GOVERNMENT.

Comparative Population and Taxation of Ontario Towns.

The following statement showing the comparative populations, rates of taxation and taxes per head of the population is interesting. The list includes all towns in Ontario of over 7,000 population. Peterboro stands the comparison well:

	Population	Rate on $	Taxes per head
Peterboro...	10,951	17	6.79
St. Thomas...	11,021	21.7	8.67
Stratford	10,531	22.3	8.45
Guelph.....	10,741	25.7	9.04
St. Catharines... ...	10,144	28.1	11.75
Belleville.....	10,399	22.4	8.41
Brantford...	16,234	19.9	7.90
Owen Sound..... ..	7,800	29.4	9.75
Woodstock...	9,010	22.8	6.96
Berlin.....	8,687	18.2	5.98
Galt...	7,418	18.5	7.12
Brockville...	8,959	24	9.24
Chatham.....	8,788	21.1	8.53
Port Hope...	4,547	22	7.01
Cobourg...	4,036	26.8	9.05
Lindsay...	6,749	24.1	6.85

WRECK NARROWLY AVERTED

The Haliburton Express had a Narrow Escape on Saturday Evening.

On Saturday afternoon a tremendous storm of rain swept over the disdistrict north of Kinmount. In reality it partook of the nature of a cloudburst, as the rain fell in solid sheets. All low lands were flooded, little rivulets became rushing torrents, and the river rose and overflowed its banks, carrying away cordwood, telegraph poles and other forest produce piled thereon.

The swiftly rolling flood undermined and carried away between 50 and 60 feet of railway embankment near Ingoldsby, the station north of Gelert, about 3.30 o'clock, and as there were no sectionmen in the immediate vicinity the occurrence remained unnoted until shortly before the hour for the arrival of the Haliburton train from Lindsay, in charge of Conductor Jobbitt. Mr. G. W. James, postmaster at Lochlin, inspecting that the pent-up waters would cause a washout, undertook to examine the railway track, and it was lucky that he did so. When he had satisfied himself of the dangerous nature of the break he ran forward and flagged the express when about a mile from the scene.

Word was at once sent to Lindsay, after which the passengers and train crew were made comfortable for the night by the good people of Ingoldsby. About one o'clock Sunday morning the wrecking train arrived from Lindsay in charge of Conductor J. E. Jobbitt, with Locomotive Foreman Storer, Inspector Brown, Roadmaster Mitchell, and a force of sectionmen and bridge builders on board, who set to work with a will and had repairs effected by 7 a.m. The belated train reached Haliburton at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

Freezing Weather in July.

Would cause great discomfort and loss, but fortunately it is seldom known.

A vast amount of misery is caused at this season, however, by impoverished blood, poor appetite and general debility. These conditions may be remedied by enriching the blood and toning stomach with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine seems to put new life into the whole physical system, simply because of its wonderful power to purify, enrich and vitalize the blood, create an appetite and invigorate the digestive functions. We advise you to get a bottle and try it if you are not feeling just right. It will do you more good than a six weeks' vacation. It is the best medicine money can buy.

Temperance Column.

FOR GOD AND HOME AND NATIVE LAND.

EDITED BY ELLEN E. SHARPE

Hope, Love and Truth.

A FEW FACTS FOR THOUGHTFUL STUDY.

In Canada if a drunken man is found dead the coroner's jury return a verdict of death from exposure. In New Zealand the verdict reads that he died of Alcoholic poisoning.

To the utter surprise of the whole world a strong agitation has sprung up in Los Angeles, Cal. So outrageous has been the conduct of the liquor people there, and so demoralizing and fatal have been its excesses, that people no longer feel that there is any safety whilst its sale is allowed in the city.

Happy Iceland.

With 74,000 inhabitants, Iceland has only one policeman. No liquor is allowed to be sold, except in the capital, Reykjaavik, where, by the express order of the King of Denmark, there are two places where liquor is sold. The sole duty of this policeman is to arrest such drunken sailors or visitors as threaten the public peace.

Hard Hit for Liquor Men.

At the session of the supreme Lodge of Orangemen of British North America, held at Toronto, June 1st, a motion was passed to exclude manufacturers or sellers of intoxicating liquor from the Order. A similar motion was proposed about twelve years ago, and was defeated by a sweeping majority.

The following is the resolution passed June 1: "Moved by Bro. Pitts, of Fredericton, N. B., and seconded by Frank Schultz, of Baldur, that no man who is engaged in the manufacture or sale of spirituous liquors is eligible for membership in the grand lodge."

Gen. Hutton's Prohibition.

As commander of the Canadian army Gen. Hutton is determined to follow the wise example of Lord Wolseley, the commander-in-chief of the British army, and of Generals Kitchener and Roberts. These great military leaders all recognize that discipline and good health are essential to the success of an army, and they have proven by trying experience in both hot and cold climates that a sober army is invincible.

Therefore Gen. Hutton ordered that no liquor be sold in canteens at the Canadian camps where militia are being drilled this year. The Canadian government and parliament has forefeited its pledges and honor by not doing this for all Canada, but Gen. Hutton makes no ridiculous excuses for doing a simple act of duty and saving his fellow soldiers from destruction.

As a result the press reports state that never was there such good work done in our military camps as this year, nor was such splendid discipline ever known. There are no reports of drunken carousals and rowdyism. As soon as liquor was prohibited officers and men vied with each other for honors on the score of gentlemanly conduct.

All honor to Gen. Hutton. May he live to be a great military hero as have those great generals of the British army whose noble example he emulates.

HOOD'S PILLS

Rouse the torpid liver, and cure biliousness, sick headache, jaundice, nausea, indigestion, etc. They are invaluable to prevent a cold or break up a fever. Mild, gentle, certain, they are worthy your confidence. Purely vegetable, they can be taken by children or delicate women. Price, 25c. at all medicine dealers or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE DOCTOR'S MISTAKE.

The doctor made a mistake in the number and called at the wrong house. No woman calls a doctor after she is once acquainted with the remedial value of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in all diseases and drains common to the sex. Without humiliating questions or local examinations the cure is accomplished by the use of the "Favorite Prescription" supplemented by free medical advice if needed. This medicine is harmless in any condition of the system and can be taken without the slightest fear of bad consequences. It contains no whisky or alcohol. There is not an iota of anything narcotic in it. The relief it gives is permanent. In this it differs from many preparations which give temporary relief only by deadening the sense of feeling with narcotics, and the dangerous stimulants they contain create an appetite for strong drink. When a dealer offers a substitute for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, remember these facts.

When their diseases are deep-seated and of long standing, women will find it to their interest to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., who has had wonderful success in curing diseases of women. *He gives advice free*, and invites all to write him. Prompt, careful and personal attention is paid to each letter, and the fullest advice is always given.

"After five months of great suffering I write this for the benefit of other sufferers from the same affliction," says Mrs. H. A. Alsbrook, of Austin, Lonoke Co., Ark. "I doctored with our family physician without any good results, so my husband urged me to try Dr. Pierce's medicines—which I did, with wonderful results. I am completely cured. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, four of his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets.'"

READING FOR THE MASSES

New Books at the Public Library.

Fiction.—1288, When Knighthood was in Flower, Edwin Caskoden; 1289, Hereward the Wake, Charles Kingsley; 1290, The Minister of Cathage, C. A. Mason,

Juveniles, Boys.—25, The Story of Marco Polo, Noah Brooks; 26, The Master of the Strong Hearts, E. S Brooks 27, Tecumseh, Chief of the Shawanoes, H. R. Gordon; 28, Paleface and Redskin, Anstey; 29, French and English, E Everett-Green; 30, The Valiant Runaways Gertrude Atherton; 31, In the Grip of the Spaniard, H. Hayens.; 32, Tom Benton's Luck, H. E. Hamblen; 33, The Widow O'Callaghan's Boy's, G. Zollinger.

Juveniles—Girls.— 1, The Children at Sherburne House, A, M. Douglas; 2, Three Freshmen, J. A. Chase; 3, Witch Winnie in Holland, Eliz. W. Champrey; 4, Witch Winnie in Paris, Eliz. W. Champrey; 5, Witch Winnie in Venice, Eliz. W. Champrey; 6, Witch Winnie in Spain, Eliz. W. Champrey.

Junveniles—For the Little Ones.—1, Dorothy Dot, Eliz. W. Tomlow; 2, Among the Meadow People, Clara D. Pierson; 3, Among the Forest People, Clara D Pierson; 4, The Monkey That Would not Kill, Henry Drummond; 5, The Invisible Playmate and W. V. Her Book William Canton; 6, Silvie and Bruno, concluded, Lewis Carroll; 7, A Little Colonial Dame, Agnes C. Sage.

History.—328, The Awakening of a Nation, C. F. Lummis; 329, Africa: Its Partition and Future, H. M. Stanley and others; 330, Egypt in 1898, G. W. Stevens.

General Literature.—200, Voice, Song and Speech, Browne and Behnke.

Religious Literature.—18-9, The Evolution of Religion, 2 vols., Edward Caird; 50-1, A Study of Religion: Its Sources and Contents, James Martineau.

Periodicals — Bound Volumes. — 1, Scribner's Magazine, vols. Jan.-June, 1887; 5,-21 Scribner's Magazine, Vols 24, 1889-1898; 22-25, Century Magazine, Vols, 53-56, 1896, 1898; 26-29, Harper's Magazine, vols. 94-97, 1896-1898; 30, The Strand Magazine, vol. 14, July-Dec. 1897; 31-34, Good Words, 1897-1898; 35-38, Leisure Hour, Nov. 1896-Oct. 1898; 39-40, St. Nicholas, vol. 17, parts 1 and 2, 1890-1891; 41, St. Nicholas, vol. 19, part 2, 1892; 42-49, St. Nicholas, vols. 22-25, 1894-1898.

LOST—TWO YEARS.

"Yes, sir," said the stock-broker, "I have never ceased to mourn the fact that I lost two years out of my life."

"How do you make that out?" asked his friend, the insurance man.

"I lived upon milk for two years," said the stock-broker.

"That's certainly longer than most," returned the insurance man. "I was weaned at six months."

"I mean since I reached manhood's estate," said the broker.

"How was that," asked his friend.

"Doctor's orders," said the broker. "I used to be sort of a self indulgent fellow in the way of victuals."

"I like a good dinner myself," interrupted the insurance man.

"Yes, well I used to eat everything that came along if it was nice, and I played my stomach out. By and by I found I had dyspepsia and I straightway became a dyspepsia crank.

"I've heard of 'em," remarked the insurance man.

"Well, I was one," said the broker. "I started in to cure myself. Well, sir, if I was to tell you all I took and all I did to get rid of that fiendish disease I would keep you here all night. It was after I had tried about everything, I struck the great milk cure."

"This is where you lost the two years," said the insurance man.

"Yes, I ate nothing for two years. I drank milk till I hated the sight of it."

"Did it cure you?" asked the insurance man."

"It did not," said the broker. "And the worst of it was I found after two years of it I might have been eating good honest beefsteak all the time—yes, or quail-on-toast for that matter."

"How was that?"

"If I'd only known it, a Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal would have digested my food for me, rested my stomach, and cured the Dyspepsia inside a month or so. You can get them at any drug store for fifty cents a box, too."

"That's where ignorance wasn't bliss," said the insurance man

"It's wise to be wise in regard to Dyspepsia and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets," said the broker.

Should you ever chance to see
A man's name writ on glass,
Be sure he owns a diamond—
And his parents own an ass.

"What is so rare as a day in June?"
And the answer is easy, very;
For the rarest day of rarest days
Is the 29th of February.

THE INFLUEN OF A LIFE

When a man ostinction dies the world is made aw of his claims to honor and to rembrance. Newspapers chronicle his eds and qualities; preachers set forth his life as an example and a sourof instructive lessons; biographers allow with stories of his origin, y life and career; critics begin to emate his place in the gallery of the ous.

It is well this sld be so. Public life has few reds commensurate with the sacrifice entails, and any honor given to hi hen dead is small enough recompen for all the public man lays down his life during his career. And yet at of the humbler many who achie as great and as difficult things in eir lowlier sphere of public life? wspapers of wide circulation cannot tice all these, for their name is leg and their deeds are beyond the mbering. Every community has the men within its confines, or it is poor, as to be an object of pity. ly live their life, do a noble work, d pass away, often, unfortunately, scarly noticed. Should this be so? Shou it be that a man may serve his felle faithfully, to the full measure of h strength of body and mind and yet d to be appreciated by his commun ty: It is but a tru sm to say that this ften the fact, but whether especiallyo in Canada it is very difficult to y. Canadians are very undemonstrative and many think us therefore, unappreciative. Possibly, that is so, and if is true, our duty is clear. Appreciaveness may be cultivated like any oir quality, and we may hope that frogeneration to generation Canadiansay develop in appreciation of their ublic men and women in national al local spheres.

What has been id has been suggested by the dea of a young man in our midst. Fihg no civic or political position, n numbered among the wealthy, or t learned, the late Mr. Allin was a ining example of a public-spirited m. Few young men in this community ave labored so zealously and so sucssfully for its advancement in the igher things of life, and few have earned the esteem and love of his fellow tizens to so great a degree. It is sme truth to say that in a very real sense he laid down his life for the uplift of this community In no stinted, judng, forced way was his work done, bu loyally, cheerfully and with feeling odoing His Master's will. He has passt to his reward. The town honors him nd extends its sympathy to his widow and children. His name will remain gen in our memory.

What legacy ca a man leave his children better tin that of a pure, honored, noble nme? Wealth, social rank, and all indred means of privilege entail tmptations and open paths to ruin. A hnored name is better than riches and is an inspiration in the darkest hou. But such a name comes only in one way—by the law of sacrifice. That law is the essence of individual, local, nd natural development. A man must live for others and like our departed friend, from day to day give of his life to make this world better. Such is the teaching of experience; such is the teaching of christianity.

A COALITION.

Speculations as to the Possibility of Alliance in B. C.

Victoria, B.C. July 11.—The following appeared in The Globe yesterday afternoon:

"The Globe is in a position to announce that arrangements have almost been perfected for a coalition between the Opposition and the Government, which arrangement will obviate the necessity of a general election.

"Unless all present plans should be changed, Mr. Martin's successor will be H. D. Helmcken, Q.C., sen or member for Victoria city.

"Two other members of the Opposition will be given portfolios also, but just who these gentlemen will be has not yet been finally decided.

"Messrs. Semlin and Cotton will remain in the Government.

"One important feature of the negotiations, which have reached a stage warranting this announcement, is the fact that Messrs. Semlin and Cotton have agreed to the demands of the Opposition that one of the conditions of the coalition shall be a change of policy. The eight-hour law affecting the miners, and anti-Chinese legislation will be repealed and there will also be a general change in the policy pursued by the Semlin Administration since it assumed office."

ANOTHER FASHODA AFFAIR.

The Newfoundland Trouble More Serious Than Anticipated.

St. John's, Nfld., July 11.—The Colonial authorities are understood to have been informed that the report of the royal commission of inquiry into the French shore complications is withheld for the present by the British Colonial Office, because it so strongly endorses the case of Newfoundland that its publication would provoke another Fashoda difficulty. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Imperial Secretary of State for the Colonies has, however, "determined to force the French to abandon their arrogant pretensions on the coast before another season opens."

Bigamy Case at Chatham.

Chatham, Ont., July 11.—A case of bigamy was set down for hearing before Magistrate Houston, but the defendant failed to appear and his bail is forfeited. Henry Coulson is alleged to have married Bertha Hartford when his legal wife was Nellie Singleton of Highgate. The parties belong to Harwich Township.

"THEY ARE ALL RIGHT."

John L. Geddes' Opinion of the Famous Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Belgrave, July 24.—Mr. J. L. Geddes, a well known blacksmith of this place, has received many enquiries concerning Dodd's Kidney Pills. He used Dodd's Kidney Pills two years ago for lame back. The last enquirer is a Toronto gentleman who is anxious to find if cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills of the commonest diseases, such as Bright's Disease, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart-failure, Lumbago, Urinary and Bladder diseases, etc., are lasting. To this end he has sent out letters to various parts of the province.

Mr. Geddes answered him as follows:

Belgrave, May 29th, 1899.

Dear Sir—Dodd's Kidney Pills are ALL RIGHT. They did me a lot of good. My back hasn't bothered me for two years.

Yours truly,
JOHN L. GEDDES.

E. E. W. McGaffey.

CLEARING SALE OF ALL SUMMER GOODS

FOR THE NEXT 60 DAYS

This will be out of the usual Mid-Summer Clearance. Every article . . . . . of Summer Wear MUST be sold . . . . .

Dress Goods.

Nice All-Wool Black Dress Goods, double fold, 18c a yard.
Handsome Figured Alpacas, regular 35c, for 24c
Double-fold Black Lustre, worth 28c, sale price 20c
Beautiful Twill Black Serges, were 35c, going for 25c
Very fine and wide Figured Black Goods, sold at 65c, now 47c
Colored Dress Goods, beautiful Tweed effects, special value a 20c, our price for this line 12½c
Handsome Tartans, sale price, per yard, 4c
Special line Broche effects, were 50c goods, now 35c

Shirtings, Cottonade and Flannelettes.

Good Heavy Shirting, light and dark, the 11c and 12c kind, present price, per yard, 9c
Strongly Woven Cottonade, fast colors, regular 24c, now 18c; special 18c, sale price, 14c
A job lot Flannettes, good patterns, would be cheap at 7c, sale price for this line, 5c

Prints, Muslins and Piques.

Lovely range Cashmere Prints, former price 15c, sale price, per yard, 8c
Five pieces American Wrapper Print, in plaid and checks, selling at 10c, sale price, 6c
Handsome range Muslins, sold for 15c, present price, 10c
Beautiful Striped Chambray Muslin, very popular goods for Blouses and Dresses, in three patterns, clearing price, per yard, 5c
Lovely Heavy Cord White Pique, regular 20c, now 15c; was 17c, now 12c; former 15c, for 11c

Blouses and Skirts.

We lay special stress upon our Blouses in small patterns and block effects now going for 70c. 50c and 43c
Nice smart Top Skirts, in Linen, Duck and Pique, we offer at about half the former prices.

Hosiery and Gloves.

Nice Black Cotton Hose, going at about two thirds their value, per pair, 20c, 16c, 13c, 10c, 8c and 5c
Ask for our Cashmere Hose, in plain and ribbed, regular 35c, now for 25c; 30c, sale price 22c
Handsome Black Silk Gloves, commence per pair, 18c
Nice Lisle Thread, in Black and Colored, former price 18c and 25c, clearing price, per pair, 12c

Silks, Satins and Velvets.

Handsome Silks and Satins for Blouses and Trimmings, new shade and finish.
Lovely India Silks, in thirty different shades, former prices 48c, now 38c; were 30c, present price 23c

Ladies' Ties and Neckwear.

The newest of the new in Ties, Collars and Cuffs, going on sale basis.
Ask for our Linen Collars at 9c

Ladies' Undervests.

Each line that we quote is a stunner, 25c, 20c, 17c, 12c, 7c and 5c

Tickings and Carpet Warps.

Beautiful Heavy Soft Ticking, worth 20c, sale offer in this line, 13c.

Table Linen.

Three special drives in Table Linen, per yard, 40c, 30c and 20c.
Good plump bunch batting for 5c; full pound bunch, 8c.

Men's Furnishings.

A good Linen Collar, stand up or turn down, for 10c.
Ask to see our Gentlemen's Ties, in Strings, Puffs and Bows, going on a sale basis.
Up-to-date Linen Hats for men—Straw Hats commence at 20c,
Clearing prices on hard and soft Felt Hats.
Special inducements in Men's and Boys' Bicycle Hose and Sweaters.

Men's Boys' and Youths' Clothing, Carpets, Blinds, Curtains, Blankets, Rugs, and every article of Summer Wear must be sold below smallest bargains prices. You will want one of our 85c Quilts when you see them, worth $1.25. Our Parasol stock is to be cleared out these goods are to be had at 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c up.

E. E. W. M'GAFFEY

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BINDER TWINE

The Consumers' Cordage

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The finest and most uniform Binder Twine, made by skilled Canadian workmen.

Pure Manilla, 11c a pound, guaranteed to run 650 feet to the pound.

Other brands: BLUE RIBBON, SPECIAL MANILLA, STANDARD and GOLDEN CROWN, for sale by

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Call and see or write me re Steamship rates and sailings. . . . . .

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Buy Canadian Express Co. Money Orders—very cheap, perfectly safe, special low rates on Books and Printed Matter.

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All business carefully looked after and promptly forwarded.

GEO. WILDER,

ADMITS HIS MISTAKE.

The Stranding of the Paris Was Due to an Unaccountable Error of His in Calculation.

New York, July 11.—The report of Captain Watkins of the stranding of the American Line steamship Paris was made public yesterday by the Local Board of Steamboat Inspectors. Captain Watkins makes no attempt to evade responsibility for the accident, but, on the contrary, says frankly the stranding of the ship was the result of an unaccountable error on his part. The accident, he says, was not due to any want of thought or anxiety about his vessel, but resulted from a mistake he made in calculating the position of the ship. Captain Watkins is still in charge of the Paris, and is acting in the interests of the underwriters, to whom the ship was turned over by the American Line officials.

License Suspended Two Years.

Attached to Captain Watkins' statement is a report of the United States local inspectors of the steam inspection service. This report concludes as follows:

"We are of the opinion that Captain Watkins has not acted with the necessary care and attention requisite in the navigation of his vessel which a master should have used, and we, therefore, suspend his license as master of ocean steamers for a period of two years."

Delagoa Bay Award.

London, July 11.—The Parliamentary Secretary of the Foreign Office, Mr. William St. John Broderick, announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the Delagoa Bay award would be made in October.

Winnipeg's Big Show.

Winnipeg, July 11.—The Industrial Fair opened yesterday. Speeches were delivered by Governor Patterson and Premier Greenway. There was a good attendance.

Killed by the I.C.R.

Montreal July 11.—Thomas Moyhun, an old man, 65 years, at Point St. Charles last night, was struck by the incoming Intercolonial express, and mortally wounded.

Heavy Loss of Timber.

Quebec, July 11.—The exceptionally heavy rains of the last two days broke the boom at the mills of F. X. Gosselin & Fils, Baie St. Paul. The large quantity of logs confined by it were let down to the sea. The loss is estimated at $25,000.

M. J. Carter

Few Days Only...

Just a few days more till July is pushed off the Calendar, and we've got a rush on here that's wholesome and no mistake The people are making hay while the sun shines on our special lines—big cuts all over the store.

100 dozen or 1,200 Men's Ceylon Flannel Shirts now on sale at ⅓ off regular price. Handsome patterns, collar detached, good washers, breast pocket, sizes 14 to 17, regular 75c quality, our bargain price, 50c

Ask for the Moose Brand Prints Take no other—it is the best—only to be had here. 32 inches wide, 4 ounces to the yard, beautiful patterns, fast colors, 12c quality for . . . 10c

Our Smallware department is now well stocked with Side, Back and Toilet Combs, Tooth Brushes, Perfumes, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Curling Tongs, Belts, Baby bibs, Booties, Infantees' Beauty Pins, Bustles, Side Elastics and Ladies' Collars and Ties.

Our Lady customers are highly delighted with the display we are making of Black Dress Crepons. In this line we show seven different patterns, 40 inches wide, regular $1.00 goods for . . . 75c

700 yards Fancy Cotton Crepons, regular 10c, now . . . 7c

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Will Prosecute for Treason.

Pretoria, July 10.—The Transvaal Government has decided to prosecute, on the charge of high treason, the three principal defendants whose complicity in the recent attempt to promote a rebellious rising at Johannesburg has been for several weeks under judicial investigation.

Kruger Dallying to Gain Time.

London, July 10.—All the despatches from Cape Town and Johannesburg to the morning papers concur as to the complexity and obscurity of the Boer proposals, and declare that the Uitlanders are profoundly disappointed. In Johannesburg it is believed that President Kruger is only dallying to gain time until the wet season makes campaigning difficult

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