THE VERY LATEST FROM ALL THE WORLD OVER.

Interesting Items About Our Ovn Country, Great Britain, the United States, and All Parts of the Globe, Condensed and Assorted for Easy Reading.

CANADA.

Typhoid fever is becoming prevalent in Brantford

Brantford talks of extending its water-works system.

blacks have formed a union. Mr. J. A. Smart, Deputy Minister of Canada.

the Interior, has gone to England. Railway trackmen meet in conven-

tion at Ottawa, September 12. Complaint is made at Hamilton about the blowing of factory whistles. An addition will be erected to the John H. Stratford Hospital, Brantford.

built. No. 19 company, Western Division Royal Garrison Artillery, is to be moved to Esquimalt.

The headquarters of the Yukon field force have been removed from Fort Selkirk to Dawson.

Ottawa in eleven days.

Isaac Fox, arrested at Hamilton for embazzlement at Marengo, Iowa, has returned voluntarily.

year when leaving Canada.

grain crop in Manitoba.

The Government has been informed Mauritas and British North Borneo, including Labuan, have adopted the 2-cent. Imperial letter rate.

Kingston's School of Mining cost year and in addition a new laboratory to cost \$6,000 is required.

Typhoid fever is somewhat prevalent in Brantford. Fourteen cases are at the hospital, and as many more are being treated at home.

Stanley Huff, aged seven years, was worried by a dog and nearly killed at Chatham. When rescued the lad's face and head were badly lacerated. Judge Richards has fixed the bail in the case of Anderson, charged with the robbery of the Molsons Bank at Winnipeg, at \$20,000.

The trial of two Indians for the man- ing of the Venezuelan tribunal. slaughter of an insane Indian has just been concluded at Edmonton. One was acquitted. The other got three months in jail.

A bush fire in West Flamboro' township is said to have done damage to the extent of about \$3,000 to standing timber owned by Mr. Wm. Laking, of Hamilton.

Ottawa will again renew at the Legislature its request for a reduction in the number of aldermen, the lengthening of the term and election New York on September 6. in alternate years.

Vesselmen are amazed at the phenomenal activity in the lake transportation business, and, considering the improved facilities for handling cargoes, the earnings of the vessels were never war. so great as now.

Woodstock is at present suffering from a typhoid fever epidemic. There are 25 persons down with it. The health authorities say that its prevalence is due to the use of bad well water.

The certificate of Capt. Thomas A. Purcell, of the S.S. Merrimac, recently stranded on Anticosti island, has been suspended for three months, and severe censure has been passed on the second officer, Wm. Goulding.

Frank Kendall, captain of the steamship Clipper, of Rat Portage, was drowned Thursday in the Rainy River rapids. He was caught in a rope that had been thrown to land and dragged off the boat.

Large numbers of deer are swimming the St. Lawrence River, to escape the forest fires. The steamer Empire State passed close to a herd swimming the river, and one large buck was within a few feet of the steamer.

cars there says, "that while there researches. has been more bustle in the city on account of the cars there has been a marked degree less of drunkenness and crime."

Prof. Robertson has gone to the Maritime Provinces to arrange for the starting of co-operative creameries in Nova Scotia, to be managed by his department in a similar way to that followed when the department managed the cheese factories and creameries in Prince Edward Island.

Island shows that last year there were at an estimated loss of \$2,000,000. 34 co-operative cheese factories in successful operation, and 23 co-operative Kotzebue country, Alaska, last fall, creameries, where butter was made. more than 70 have died from disease The total value of cheese and butter or accident. available for export in the year! amounted to \$364,557.63.

with Brockville and with the Grand others badly injured. Trunk System east and west of that

11 pounds, which is the limit of within 18 months. weight.

is a phrenologist by profession, powdermaker, were literally blown to Walsh's opinion of him is not very atoms.

exalted, hence the cause of action. It is reported that the statement of under course of construction sented to the Canadian Bankers' As- steamer was built for the Western for expenses in connection with the lakes. The new boat is 400 feet in forcing of its circulation.

Barrey Tulley, the son of a prom- depth. have the young man arrested.

of the railway during the advance second week of October. into the Soudan, has been made ma-London Ont., newsboys and boot- jor in recognition of his services. Major Girouard is at present visiting in

Mr. C. W. Morrison, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in Ottawa endeavoring to secure symptoms of insanity. a site for a pulp mill on the Gatineau River near Chelsea, seven miles from Ottawa, and also to purchase some spruce limits. If a suitable site is secured it is said a mill with a capacity of 300 tons of pulp daily will be An isolation hospital may also be built.

All the boot and shoe factories in Quebec will be closed for two or 'three weeks. In the interval the manufactier. turers will draw up a uniform scale of wages to be submitted to the employes for signature. The factories will then re-open as soon as there is an Charles Moore and J. H. Houston understanding for not less than one have returned from Dawson City to year between employers and employed empty and the Finance Minister is quitoes. If the cow spends her ener-

The Department of the Interior has received most encouraging reports of the progress being made by the Doukhobor immigrants, and there is on Saturday. Every American hunter may here- every reason to hope that their lot after take with him two deer each will be quite as happy and successful The Canadian Pacific has procured have obtained work as laborers on Po. Elohey, Ifni and Corisco Islands. 15,000 new cars for handling this year's railway construction, and many see fit to give over their strictly vegeinterfere with their employment as 000 and the homeless 2,000. laborers. With the acceptance of the same food as other hands and the adoption of clothing better suited to Canadian conditions, it is evident that \$2,070 more than the receipts last the Doukhobors will soon fit into the natural grooves of the country.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The first consignment of Kent hops exceptional quality.

population of England is lower now than it has been for 45 years.

The British Crown counsel are op-

A report to the Church Missionary Society in London says 40,000 persons have died of famine on the east coast and the outlook for the colony, esof Africa.

The Bishop of London has issued a tural prospects are very hopeful. letter asking the clergy of his diocese servances, incense and lights.

The White Star steamer Oceanic, the largest ship in the world, will sail from Liverpool on her maiden voyage to

reputation as a war artist and cor- ing the walls of the building. The morespondent in the Crimea is dead. He live for the outrage is believed to be saw the Indian mutiny, the Abyssin- political. ian campaign, and the Franco-German The ravages caused on the east heat of the day. To have to stay out of a pound of butter or a dozen of

killed 28 and injured 276 Londoners. to appeal to the Lord Mayor of London In five years it has killed in London to open a Mansion House Fund for the 228 and injured 1,624 persons. Many relief of the stricken British subjects newspapers continue to urge the Gov- in East Africa. ernment to raise the flash point.

British Government will shortly ap- ance of the bubonic plague there. The point seven commercial commissioners Lisbon papers assert that two workto various parts of the world. They men, who recently arrived there from will be subject to the embassies, but Oporto, have developed symptoms of will report to the Board of Trade.

Leone, by the Liverpool School of Trop- were arrested. malarial mosquito, has wired to dress to the District Council of Ram- in mind that bulldog flies, which are not strong enough to do the work effective that the mosquito have been been been to be strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been been that the mosquito have been been to be the work effect that the mosquito have been been that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have been the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the mosquito have the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough the strong enough to do the work effect that the strong enough the strong e Professor Jones that the mosquito bouillet said that the whole country amongst the worst tormenters of fectively, and a slow milker tires the has been found, and asking that the should bow to the verdict of the Drey- cattle, will not follow them into a cow so that she is apt to hold up the Government send men to him at once. fus court martial. The judges, he de- dark shed, and is worth all it costs as last milk, which is richest. This Police Chief Powell, of Ottawa, It is believed that the Government will clared, could be relied upon for absospeaking of the operation of Sunday send medical experts to assist in the lute impartiality. He was convinced

UNITED STATES.

gressman for Maine.

A. H. Longino, Democratic candidate

for Governor of Mississippi, has declared for Bryan for President. The business portion of Victor City, A statement from Prince Edward Colorado, has been wiped out by fire that 8,000 Finns have left Finland

Out of 1,000 men who went into the

Jersey Southern railroad at Seabright, sons. A new line of railway between Ot- N.J., a carriage containing six persons tawa and Brockville is projected back- was struck by a train. Miss Louise E. ed by local capital as an independ- Terry, Charles Trippe, and Creata ent one, to furnish direct connection Terry, were instantly killed and the

The Postoffice Department has made servatory of Peru, is seeking a suit- tons of tallow and over a ton of oil a new parcel post arrangement with able location for the largest telescope and soft soap to persuade her to leave Russia. Hereafter parcels for Russia in the world, being constructed at Cam- her cradle and glide peacefully into will be sent "via Hamburg," the rate bridge especially for observing the new the water. being 58 cents per pound, or \$1.62 for planet due to pass close to the earth

The dry house of the Samuel Debble My wife has ruled me ever since our Prof. John Welsley Brooks, of powder mill near Sheppton, Pa., was marriage. ages for alleged slander Mr. Brooks the proprietors, and Harry Jones, a on her.

The new steel steamer Buffalo, now the Banque Ville Marie affairs pre- Buffalo, will be launched soon. The sociation showed that no less than Transit Co., and will be the largest \$52,000 had been charged by the bank package freight steamer on the great length, 50 ft. beam, and 281-2 ft. in

inent citizen, of Malone, N.Y., a A Chicago despatch says: "The Cancouple of weeks ago stole \$17,000 from adian Veterans' Association received a his father and came on to Montreal, letter from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, stat- highly developed the nervous system where he has been caught, but upon ing that he, the Earl of Minto, the is the greater her power of making his confession his father declined to Canadian Cabinet, and the members of the Canadian Parliament would accept Captain Girouard, a graduate of the an invitation of the Chicago Festival Ontario Military Academy at Kings- Committee to participate in the fes- conclusion that it is very important ton, who had charge of the building tival exercises to be held during the that she should have comfortable sur-

GENERAL.

There are several cases of yellow fever at Panama.

Serious riots have occurred between Czechs and Germans at Gradlibe, near Koniggretz, in Bohemia. Professor Bandi, of the University of Messina, Italy, claims, to have discov-

ered a cure for bubonic plague. A party of Russian engineers has been massacred by Chinese brigands at Kirin, on the China-Russian fron-

A Rome despatch says there have been several fatal cases of bubonic plague recently at Palermo and Naples. as we are aware, of the loss caused The Turkish exchequer is said to be

The American-built Athara railway bridge was opened by Lord Kitchener

Spain is reported to be considering the sale to Germany of her African

The bodies of over 2,500 victims of the recent hurricane have been buried tarian diet, which rather tended to in Porto Rico. The injured number 1,-

> The Transvaal Volksraad has refused by 18 to 9 to abrogate the dynamite monopoly.

analand charged with attempting to stir natives up to rebellion.

At Santiago, Chili, an entire passen-It is estimated that over 70,000 Am- ger train fell into the River Mapocha, ericans have visited England this which runs through the city, and many man in Canada. lives were lost.

The Nile has risen slightly in the indicates that the season's crop is of Sinnaar district, but the rise has not been sufficient to allay the uneasiness The proportion of paupers to the felt for the safety of the crops.

It has been decided to hold a universal exhibition in Rome in 1901. At the same time a colossal monument to timistic as to the result of the proceed- King Victor Emanuel will be unveil insects were used. At first they were Extract of Wild Strawberry, which every

South Australia harvest prospects are fair for the time of the year, pecially with the improved agricul-

The Sultan of Morocco has notified to obey the decisions of the Arch- the powers that he is destroying the bishops, and to abandon Ritualistic ob- native boats on the Riff coast, and is establishing a gunboat service, to pro- Even if it had to be done every day we tect foreign shipping from piracy.

throwing of a dynamite bomb into the to be convinced that it will pay him, villa of the Archbishop of Gallipoli, and pay well, too, to protect his cows and pains in the stomach. I was a great William Simpson, who made a great Province of Leccek, seriously damag- from the flies and mosquitces.

coast of Africa by famine have become out in the sun all day long must be eggs often doubles the profit. Get-Last year American low flash oil so appailing that it has been decided

A sanitary cordon has been establish-A London despatch says that the ed around Oporto during the continuthe plague.

Sir Edmund Antrobus, owner of the At Rouen, France, a body of 2,000 the cows and allowed them to manu- These men should take a farm paper estate upon which Stonehenge stands, striking dock laborers, on being re- facture milk in peace. Dairymen hav- for the rest of the family to read. The offers the land to the Government for fused admission to a cemetery during ing a high knoll or bluff which can be rising generation like to read, and they £125,000. The price is big, but the the burial of the remains of a com- added to their pasture, should fix it might learn something from such a value of Stonehenge as an antiquity, rade returned to the city, crying: up as a summer resort for the cows. paper. may induce the Government to buy. "Long live the strike!" Disturbances A natural shade is to be preferred, There are comparatively few places

malarial mosquito, has wired to dress to the District Grance, in an ad- soon pay for itself. It should be kept men and children. Their hands are that the troubles of the country were nearing an end.

Two disastrous fires broke out in Ex-Speaker Reed has resigned as Con- St. Petersburg. In the first the military apothecary headquarters and san-Ex-Judge Henry Hilton, of New itary warehouses were destroyed, in-York, died Thursday at his summer volving a loss of millions of roubles. Gromoff's timber wharf and lumber yards, the largest in Russia, were also burned, and the loss in this case also will run into millions of roubles.

At St. Petersburg correspondent says since February. The Finnish Work- the desirability of large seed, small ingmen's Association has decided to send agents to choose lands in Aus- best yield. tralia for emigrants. The peculiar methods of Russia's internal policy While crossing the tracks of the New her most industrious and hardiest

COST OF LAUNCHING.

runs away with something like \$10,000. Prof. Pickering of Harvard Observa-tory, who established the Misti Ob-

A VICTIM AT FIRST SIGHT.

Brantford, has issued a writ against completely wrecked by an explosion, You're a lucky dog,; my wife has ewe is a medium-sized animal of the Isaac Walsh, a baker, for \$2,000 dam- and William T. Betsenberger, one of ruled me ever since I first laid eyes breed in question.

Agricultural

COWS NEED PEACE.

It is recognized by all dairy experts that the secretion of milk depends in a very large measure upon the nervous condition of the cow, the more milk, says the Nor'-West Farmer. From this it is easy then to draw the roundings free from all annoying influences, where she can graze or chew her cud at pleasure, and be free to elaborate large quantities of milk rich The Chinese Emperor has developed in butter fat. It is, perhaps, not quite so natural to look at the other side of this question, i.e., that annoyance and worry, from whatever cause, are not conductive to best returns in milk. Experiment has shown that cows chased by strange dogs, or, for that matter, by dogs the cows are familiar with, do not give so much milk nor as high a percentage of fat in the No experiments are on record, so far

through the worry of flies and mosgies, as she often does, in fighting flies and mosquitoes, she cannot give as much milk, and we feel sure the percentage of butter fat will be much lower. Practical farmers know that as was looked for. Many of the men colonies, particularly of the Fernando when the flies are particularly bad they can see a marked shrinkage in the milk yield. We have not found any one yet who has tested the milk given at such times for butter fat, but we feel certain it will be lower than that given under normal conditions. Will some one test this point A Boer has been arrested in Bechu- for us? How to lessen or counteract the annoyance caused to milch cows by flies and mosquitoes is a question well worthy the study of every dairy-

Dairymen in the east have suffered loss through the attack of flies, but the more progressive ones among them soon found a preventive, as it cut too seriously into their profits. Kerosene emulsion and a number of other substances having an odor disagreeable to that MAY help you. You want Dr. Fowler's rubbed over the cows with a cloth at one knows will positively cure Cramps and points the flies settled on the most. this was too slow, so it was not long before the spray pump was brought into use. It has been found very effective. A good spray pump will soon pay for itself in the saving made in the loss of butter fat. The time required to spray a cow is very small, and it will last for two or three days. believe it will pay well and that a A despatch from Rome reports the man has only to try it on a few cows

We feel sure that another loss is sus- have perfect comfort." tained when the cows have no shade into which they can run during the quite a trial on a highly nervous cow, ting the extra price is just where the and we believe that some shelter or farmer needs a head for business. protection from the sun will add much to the profits of dairying. An experiment at the Kansas station is worth eight weeks old. Give them plenty of noting in this connection. A grove good feed and clop and let them run was opened up for the cows to run in on good clover pasture, if possible. for shade, but, strange to say, they With this kind of treatment their preferred to gather on the top of the growth will not be checked. highest knoll in the pasture where Some farmers won't take a good there was usually a breeze blowing. The explanation was that the breeze blew away the flies which bothered know all about farming themselves Major Ross, who was sent to Sierra followed, and a number of the leaders but, if that is not to be had, an open shed on the top of a breezy knoll will a protection from bull-dogs alone. dries the cow off. It is to the interest Close attention to shade, water and of the farmer to hire only men who protection from annoyance by flies and are used to milking, who are kind to mosquitoes will yield a good profit on all animals, and especially when they the cost of obtaining them and thus are milking. Whoever beats a cow, make dairying more profitable in the or even speaks so loudly to her as to

FARM TOPICS,.

A dry season decreases the yield of potatoes, but increases the starch content. A wet season has the opposite effect.

and medium tubers gave decidedly the protected by full sets of guards, to

quired for hatching eggs; Hen 21 days, we have often known men and teams swan 42, goose 35, turkey 28, peafowl to be delayed several hours when a 28, duck 28 piggorn 14 28, duck 28, pigeon 14, canary birds 14. bar broke or some other part of the

The cost of launching a battle ship had from healthy cows kept in well- bought separately from the machines tuns away with something like \$10.000 ventilated clean stable in wellventilated, clean stables and given bought separately from the mount wholesome food. wholesome food.

> Large coarse boned ewes with big made purposely weak, so that eads and thick eads and thick heads and thick necks seldom raise

SPRAINED BACK

Sprains, Strains and Injuries of the Back often cause Kidney Trouble.

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> Colie quickly. Just a dose or two and you

> > a wonderful cure for

But now a word of proof to back up these assertions, and we have it from Mr. John Hawke, Coldwater, Ont., who writes: "Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberryls

Diarrhœa, Cramps sufferer until I gave it a trial, but pow!

Pigs should be weaned when about

farm paper because they think they

where the milking is now done by wofrighten her, lessens her product in the milk pail.

BE PREPARED.

Wherever grass or clover is to be cut with reapers or harvesters, all the repairs to be needed should be secured In some German experiments to test in advance. There should be entire sets of knives on the bars, and fully replace any that may be broken. It Following are the number of days re- is better to have all these in stock, as Good butter can only be made from machinery got out of order, while some one was sent to the city to procure a good milk, and good milk can only be one was sent to the city to provide if new one. The repairs cost heavily if dealers in implements to sell machines It pays to select a cow according to dealers in implements to self more up that the manufacturers have given up that the manufacturers have given up her ability to convert food into milk trying to make much on them, and according to the trying to make much on them, they tack it on when the buyer goes and according to the character of the to buy repairs. We have fancied, too, were milk she produces, i.e., its richness in Large coarse boned owers. Large coarse boned owers in Large coarse boned owers. The buy repairs. We have fancieus to buy repairs. We have fancieus were that these cheaper machines made purposely weak, so that the buy made purposely weak, so that the buy

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