TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Anonymous communications can receive no attention. Everything intended for insertion must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of authenticity. It is also requested that correspondents will write on one side of the sheet of paper.

We cannot undertake to return rejected communications.

The Daily News.

SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 26.

The Telegraph says write for various cities in the legislature will be issued this month, and the elections take place next month, and that there will be a general Provincial election this year.

The American says that among the aims of the late Congress was the failure to adopt any of the proposals to relieve the charge for postage, and that the failure is due to the manner of the proposal of the United States to Post Office Savings Bank, such as has proved so successful and popular in Canada.

The Napanee Beaver says: Personal rings have been taken against several prominent politicians in West Hastings for corrupt practices in the recent elections. Among others T. W. Casey, M.P.P., editor of the Belleville Intelligencer, is the activist of a number of rings charged with writing several editorial letters to weekly kneed electors.

The Winnipeg Times publishes the freight rates of the Canadian Pacific and the Northern Pacific Railways which show that the charges for Canadian traffic are about half as low as those on the Northern Pacific. But as remarked by the Times, this is not remarkable when it is borne in mind that American roads running parallel with a region of character similar to that of Manitoba and the Canadian Pacific Railway, are in a decidedly inferior condition. It is as this to be make out, that people in this Province are hastening across the line to an already populous country, which, as it is very likely, they will be in a very short time, if we do not bestir ourselves.

AN ANGLO-CELTIC CORRESPONDENT.

Mr Arthur Kavanagh, who may be known as a model Irish Catholic landlord, who was defeated in 1880 as a candidate for the representation of Carlow by Mr E. Dwyer Gray, is at the head of the Irish Land Committee, of which so much has been heard of late. A circular has been circulated by the leaders of the Land Leagues asking for subscriptions in order to enable the Leagues to substantiate the charges made against the Commissioners. Mr Kavanagh acted as the London Times in reply to the statements and arguments contained therein. That the association was organized for the purpose of "carrying out a conspiracy against the rights of Irish people Mr Kavanagh denies, affirming on the contrary that it aims at leading assistance to the loyal and orderly and is wholly opposed to the teaching of anything else inimical to the interests of the farming class. Mr Kavanagh and his friends would endeavor to secure to the tenant farmer the right to purchase without intimidation or fear of eviction. Mr Dwyer, after answering the charges of the Land League leaders makes an attack in turn upon them and their principles, contrasting their alleged desire for the amelioration of the condition of the people with the restricted class whose advantage they make any attempt to serve. He points out that in the circular issued by the Agitators no mention is made of improving the condition of the agricultural labourer or redressing his grievances. They have been made aware, in the language of the Times editor, "that Irish Land Leaguers are a class of people which would scarcely extend much sympathy to the very bitterness of poverty and yet they are entitled from the pulpit of the Land Leagues to be called the champions of the Irish peasantry." Not so with the Land Committee, the benefit of which will extend to the labouring classes as well as the owners and occupiers of land. Mr Kavanagh believes that every party which has hitherto neglected the laboring class, whose abject state has always received his warmest sympathy, and he gives the assurance that his influence can be used in the cause of the landless will be directed to the amelioration of their wretched condition. The Committee has taken steps to render the demand for labour more abundant, and to enable the poor to develope the wealth of the country by the cultivation of the vast tracts of land now lying waste and unproductive. From the circular issued by a second, it is to be inferred that the Land Corporation is a beneficent institution, and that it will earn more than the blessing allotted to him who makes two blades of grass to spring where one grew before. It is a happy day for Ireland when two such powerful factors as the Land League and the Landlords Association work with each other in harmony and for the general weal. It may be taken for granted that the lot of either tenant farmer or labourer has never been too happy, and that all that can be done to alleviate it by the mutual aid of landlord and agitator may be done without any danger of corrupting the character of the people by unnecessary luxury. Let Mr Kavanagh and his friends continue to exert themselves for the benefit of the laboring classes, and let the Parnellites champion the tenant farmer. If the combined action fails to provide for all who have known what want and poverty, unsatiated energy, and unrewarded industry must, let them send the remainder to Canada where they need not become haughty landlords and blasted land grabbers without having to bear the gift of an occasional cause of trial behind the ear.

FROM OWEGO TO KINGSTON

Last evening's Whig says that the flat field did not run from Oswego to Kingston in five hours as her entrance from the Oswego regatta. We cannot vouch for the truth of the statement that she did perform this feat, but as it was one of the fastest of a crew that gave us the information, it should have been reliable. The Whig further states, however, that no sooner had ever entered Kingston harbour can accomplish the distance between Oswego and Kingston in five hours time. With regard to this, we may say that the yacht's rigmarol, which was here last week and which was beaten in Oswego by the fastest field, ran from Niagara to Toronto, which is called 36 miles, in 5 hours and 20 minutes, or at the rate of 18.42 miles an hour. Will the Whig please explain for our benefit why she of the fastest field, which beat her, couldn't do as well as the Oswego crew, which was beaten, in a speed of 12 miles an hour?

We have since learned that the schooner B. W. Page, yesterday, sailed, came from Oswego to this port in 4 hours and 45 minutes, and that the Annanadale, also commanded by capt. Daisy (who, by the way, sailed fast hope to accomplish the distance in a fraction over 4 hours and 30 minutes.

SEPTEMBER WEATHER

What Vessels Says we Will Have Next Month.

There will be excessive heat again during the Longest of September, which last was Superintendent during the last of August and entry of July.

On the month others in a Friday an unlucky day of the week, or on the sixty goes. Stormy weather is probable in both sides of the globe for Ireland.

First Week (1st to 7th). New moon. Foggy weather will be experienced along the North Atlantic and Atlantic Coast. Lawrence, with thunderstorms and generally sultry weather over the North Atlantic Ocean. Cool weather in Canada. Cooler change night of 6th or 7th.

Second Week (8th to 14th). Fair and pleasant weather. Days very cool, warm to sultry, evenings and nights quite really cool. A favorable week in the Atlantic States. Cool in Canada and Western regions. Probably a good deal of rain in Province of Quebec and Lower Provinces. Stormy on Newfoundland coast.

Third Week (14th to 21). A rather stormy and unsettled week, with frequent rainfalls. Windy weather probable in Gulf of St Lawrence and North Atlantic. Fair seasonable weather in the majority of sections. Wet in northern sections of Ireland. Cool in Canada and Western weather in England and Scotland.

Fourth week (22d to 29th). Temperature generally Fall-like. Windy with very cool evenings and nights probably frosty in Northern Canada. Fair weather and a good deal of rain in North West and Western States. Stormy and wet in Gulf Lawrence and along North Atlantic coast.

Closing days (26th to 30th). In all probability wet and stormy in the majority of sections. Crop reports less favorable than last year. Cooler weather on the Maritime ports and Newfoundland.

Mr Vennor adds: The above is not that our predictions fail for certain dates, but that they are correct in so many.

Swimming Baths

To the Editor of The Daily News

Dear Sir, I am much pleased to see the press advocating the erection of swimming baths in this city. The wonder is, that action has not been taken in so important a matter long ago. How are children of parents in Kingston who are anxious that their children should learn how to swim, yet numbers of adults who would gladly save themselves such a struggle, but can not think of it under present circumstances. Instead of our children being encouraged to acquire this health and respectable art, we in this city of water privileges are compelled to keep them from the water except in special circumstances.

The suggestions that have been thrown out are good, and if some one energetic citizens take this matter up in earnest, I feel certain it can be made a handsome success as well as a benefit to the public, by having the baths properly conducted, and the money invested into a good skating rink for the Winter season. This to my mind would be a good investment, and would well encourage a very numerous class of our citizens, and why not in our city? Dirty, I admit, but it is a fact that the members would be sure of getting all the patronage necessary to make the investment a paying one. It only needs one or two moneyed classes to take the matter up and lead the way in a financial sale, yours Wm. Mitchell.

Well thanks for your valuable space, etc., etc.

Yours, etc.,
KINGSTONIAN.

August 26th

The Amelia and Letter "C"

To the Editor of the Daily News

Dear Sir, Having noticed the letter of Mr John Fisher in your edition of the 25th inst. pertaining to a challenge to the Letter "C", in the absence of Captain John Saunders, respectfully log to state that I am prepared to accept his challenge to play the Amelia against any boat in the city, regardless of nationality, yours, Captain Letter "C".

Bradstreets Weekly Report.

New York, Aug. 26. Telegraphic advices to Bradstreets Journal from leading trade centres report unseasonably cool weather in the Northwest and west there is no change to record as to damage to cotton from rains. Natural trade continues to expand in volume and points to a heavy fall trade. The industrial situation has visibly improved. The great coal strikes in Maryland and Pennsylvania and the labour troubles at Chicago, N.Y., have been formally broken. The situation during the time strikers at Pittsburg is more in favour of employers than ever. The failures reported throughout the United States during the week were 192 or 16 less than last week and 35 more than the corresponding week of last year. Canada had 8.

A Well Cured Editor

At No. 56, Rosy Street East, Toronto, is a well cured editor of the Daily School Manual, edited by Mr Withrow. 240 Jarvis street, in the same city, writing recently with several gentlemen one of them the representative of the largest advertisers in the world—Mr Withrow remarked. "As to advertising I consider it, in fact the best advertising medium of all. It is a splendid remedy too." Besides the many cases of rheumatism it has cured right along of late it has rendered me most efficient service in curing a severe scrapper of the head and an inflammatory headache. It does its work relentlessly.

THE EGYPTIAN WAR.

General Wolseley Gives an Account of an Engagement How Arabi is Situated A Battle Too more now.

London, Aug. 26.

On the seaside a skirmish occurred now days ago with the rebels in the sands between the railway embankment and Lake Mareotis. This fight is now universally acknowledged to be, Lord Wolseley's first victory. Lord Wolseley's report: I have to report the Egyptian army on Monday, August 21st, attacked the rebels in a well-prepared position at Mahsamah, on the south side of Lake Mareotis, and completely routed them. Our loss was very small. The rebels lost heavily. Our troops bivouacked on the ground they had gained, and returned to Alexandria the following morning. Our cavalry and horse artillery had a smart skirmish with the rebels on the same day, and drove them in with a loss of 20 killed and wounded. Our loss was very slight. The Egyptian army is now in a very satisfactory condition, and I have every confidence in its fighting qualities. Arabi is now in a very critical position. He has lost the Egyptian Delta, and his troops are now cut off from Egypt. Alexandria, Aug. 22. General Wolseley has issued a proclamation to the effect that an agreement is made between the rebels and the Egyptian Government, which provides that 10,000 Egyptian troops are to be sent to Alexandria, and 7,000 more from Damietta, and 10,000 Egyptian troops are to be sent to the Delta, and the Egyptian troops are to be sent to the Delta, and the Egyptian troops are to be sent to the Delta, and the