MISCELLANEOUS.

CRUSTS AND SCALES.

Hair and Eyebrows Fell Off. Doctor and Many Remedies No Benefit Entirely Cured and Hair Restored by Cuticura.

My wife has been troubled for years with dry crusts and scales on her head and eyebrows. After enduring to its utmost for years in her system, it broke out over a year ago in all its fury. Her hair came out in big patches, her eyebrows all fell off and she presented a pitiable condition. We tried almost everything, but she continued to get worse. Then we tried one of our best physicians but all to no purpose. Finally my wife believed that the Cuticura Remedies would cure her. After she had used nine boxes of Cuticura, and about a dozen cakes of Cuticura Soap, and four bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, she was cured outright. Her hair came on again, and to-day she has as fine a head of black curly hair and as smooth skin as any lady in Allentown. Her eyebrows are heavier than they ever were, her scalp is free from dandruff, and her health is excellent. Now for the benefit of those suffering with same disease, or to those who may doubt the truthfulness of this statement, write me, inclosing a stamp, and I will cheerfully answer. I am sure that the Cuticura Remedies cured my wife, for she used nothing else during the four or five months she used them.

FREEMAN STOKKER,
325 Court Street, Allentown, Pa.

Cuticura Resolvent.

The New Blood and Skin Purifier, internally and CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, the exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, instantly relieve and speedily cure every disease and humor of the skin and scalp and blood, with loss of hair, from infancy to age from pimples to scrofula.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 75c; SOAP, 35c; RESOLVENT, $1.50. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

"How to Cure Skin Diseases" 64 pages, 50 illustrations and testimonials, mailed free.

BABY'S Skin and Scalp purified and beautified by CUTICURA SOAP. Absolutely pure.

WEAK, PAINFUL BACKS.

Kidney and Uterine Pains and Weaknesses relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the only instantaneous pain killing plaster.

A Strange Figure.

is what you are buying our FINE TWEED SUITS for when you buy them for $8.50.

It's almost low enough to make you a trifle suspicious about the quality. As to that point, one sentence is enough: We've never handled and you've never bought anything better. Perhaps you'll wonder how they can be sold for the money. Well, that isn't half the mystery. The mystery is how they can be made for it, to say nothing of profits of the dealer. We're selling them at this peculiar price because we obtained them under peculiar conditions—it's a price that's telling and everybody is telling the price.

The goods are actually worth $14. Come and secure one before they are all gone. We have about

400 . BOYS' . SUITS

left which must be cleared out before August 20th. When we say must go we mean it. You can have $5 suits for $3, $4 suits for $2.50 and $2; Boys' Summer Suits for $1.25. We have about 20 Blue Serge Suits left for small boys. They go at 50c. Everything in summer wear at cost, and in some cases under. We don't believe in carrying goods from one season to another. Good plump bargains to be had only at the

Grand Union Clothing Co.

FIRE INSURANCE

Liverpool, London and Globe
Fire Insurance Company.

Funds over $52,000,000. In addition to which the policy holders have for security the unlimited liability of all the stockholders.

Farm and City Property

Insured at lowest possible rates. Before renewing old or giving new business get rates from

STRANGE & STRANGE Agt.
W. J. Fair, Special Agent.
Wellington Street Opposite Ontario Bank.

NASAL BALM

It is a certain and speedy cure for Cold in the Head and Catarrh in all its stages.

SOOTHING, CLEANSING, HEALING.
Instant Relief, Permanent Cure, Failure Impossible.

Nasal Balm is sold by druggists everywhere or will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price (50 cents and $1.00) by addressing

FULFORD & CO.
Brockville, Ont.

NEVER FAILS
CURES COLD IN HEAD AND
CATARRH

A NOTE OF TRIUMPH

Sounded by the Gladstonian Liberals.

THEIR MAJORITY NOW SIX

Provided the Balance of the Elections Go the Same as Heretofore—May Fight the Lords—In Case They Reject the Home Rule Bill a Contest May Be Precipitated That Will Violently Agitate the Whole Country.

LONDON, July 13.—At 1 a.m. yesterday the total returns showed that the Conservatives had 210 members and the Liberal Unionists 31, making a total of 241. The Liberals had 174, Labor 5, anti-Parnellites 35 and the Parnellites 5, a total of 219.

The net Liberal gain is 37, and as 34 gains extinguished the Government majority of 68 at dissolution the Liberals now have a majority of 6, provided the remainder of the 210 constituencies yet to be voted go as before.

The aggregates of the polling so far is: Ministerialist 1,518,131, Opposition 1,598,237.

Where the Changes Took Place.

LIBERAL GAINS.

In the Woodstock division of Oxfordshire, Benson (Liberal) secured 4278 votes and Morrel (Liberal-Unionist), the late member, 4167. In the bye-election the Unionist majority was 688.

In the Egremont division of Cumberland Lord Muncaster, the late member, was defeated by David Ainsworth (Liberal) by 471. In 1886 Ainsworth was defeated by 164.

In the Accrington division of Lancashire, England, Robert T. Herman Hodge, the late Conservative member, who had 220 majority in 1886, was defeated by Lees (Liberal).

Another Liberal gain was made in the Doncaster division of Yorkshire, where Fleming (Liberal) defeated Hon. H. W. Fitzwilliam (Unionist), whose majority in 1886 was 211.

Still another Liberal gain was made in Lancashire, where the Middleton division was formerly represented by Thomas Fulden (Conservative), who defeated C. H. Hopwood in 1886 by 318. Hopwood reversed this majority by defeating his old-time opponent.

CONSERVATIVE GAINS.

The Liberal-Unionists made another notable gain in Scotland in the election of Whitelaw (Unionist) in the northwest division of Lanarkshire. The seat was formerly represented by R. Cunningham Grahame (Liberal), who had a majority in 1886 of 332.

EDINBURGH, July 13.—In spite of the bad weather the Midlothian poll was remarkably heavy. The Unionists had the advantage of the possession of most of the vehicles. Col Wanchope made a tour of all the booths to stimulate his supporters.

The Liberal church party made a strong effort to give Mr. Gladstone a lesson on the church disestablishment question. They had no desire to unseat him, but they claim to have reduced his majority by 2000 as a warning. It is known that at the bankruptcy court in Edinburgh the poll went against Gladstone in the proportion of 5 to 1.

What the Liberals Say.

LONDON, July 13.—There was an air of contentment and repose about Liberal circles last night. Although not achieving the success they anticipated they feel that there is a certainty of some majority and the assured prospect of office has a soothing influence.

Groups at the National Liberal Club now discuss the constitution of the Gladstone Ministry. It is taken for granted that the Liberals will cohere on the Home Rule Bill, and that the Irish sections will accept Mr. Gladstone's scheme. The bill will be expedited immediately upon the assembling of the House of Commons and the House of Lords will be challenged under a menace of the extinction of hereditary peers to throw the act out.

The elections in the counties, though not fulfilling the most sanguine Liberal expectations, gives them confidence of having such a majority as will oblige Lord Salisbury to place his resignation in the hands of the Queen as soon as Parliament assembles.

A Gladstonian whip, Arnold Morley, speaking at Mansfield to-day, said that if the Lords were foolish enough to run counter to the vote of the House of Commons they would be either mended or ended.

The first fight in Parliament will probably be over the election of Speaker.

A section of the Liberals oppose the re-election of Speaker Peel, and unless Mr. Gladstone sits on the project there will be a hot party contest for the Speakership. For the past 50 years party leaders have always assented to re-elections to the Speakership, refraining from regarding the chair of the House as a party appointment, and probably Mr. Gladstone's customary reiterance of precedent will cause him to suppress the attack on Mr. Peel.

It is different, however, with Mr. Courtney's post of Chairman ofs Committees, which is strictly a party post, and Mr. Courtney will be ousted.

The Solicitor-General Speaks.

LONDON, July 13.—Sir Edward Clarke, the Solicitor-General, speaking yesterday at a meeting at Torquay in the interest of Mr. R. Mallock, the Conservative candidate, pointed out that the leading populous centres—Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Sheffield and Leeds, with a total of 2,225,000 population—had returned 21 Unionists out of a total of 31 candidates. Even London still had 35 Unionists, against 25 Liberals, all of whom elected won on a London reform program, not Home Rule.

If Mr. Gladstone introduced his Home Rule bill in the next Parliament, Sir Edward said, it would be defeated or abandoned. The question would pass away from public life like the politician proposing it.

LONDON, July 13.—William Redmond, accompanied by some hundreds of his adherents, went from Ennis to Scariff, County Clare, Ireland, yesterday to hold a meeting.

The anti-Parnellites, hearing of his approach, met the Redmondites as they entered town and a hand-to-hand fight occurred with empty bottles, stones and sticks.

When the fight was hottest Mr. Redmond leaped out of his wagon and mounting a horse called upon his followers to form in a square.

It was a rather difficult task, but at long h Mr. Redmond got his men in a fairly solid phalanx, presenting on all sides a bristling display of shillalahs.

This disconcerted the foe, who had not been accustomed to the square method of warfare.

Then Mr. Redmond gave the word to fall to, and in a short time the enemy were routed and scattered.

Having thus secured possession of the field Mr. Redmond proceeded to deliver an address.

Gladstone's Final Address.

LONDON, July 13.—Gladstone addressed the final meeting of the electors of Midlothian at Penicuik yesterday. He said the polls completely convinced him that the great majority of the British were in their hearts friends of the Irish cause. Next to Home Rule labor questions would be the main subject for the attention of statesmen. Replying to criticisms on his foreign policy, Gladstone said it was quite true that the last Liberal Government had wars to deal with, but he contended that every one of those wars were undertaken to redeem honorable engagements in which the Government's predecessors had entered or to remove difficulties which they had created. The responsibility of continuing the Home Rule controversy, he declared, rested with the nation, for now the nation voted and ruled and upon the nation would be the honor of victory or the shame and disgrace of failure.

The Native of India.

Here is a brief history of the Liberal member for Finsbury Central, who is a native of India: Naoroji, Dadabhai is a son of the late Mr. Naoroji, a Parsee priest, b. 1825, educated at Bombay Elphinstone Institution and at Elphinstone College, in the former of which he was head native teacher and in the latter institution successively assistant professor and professor of mathematics and Natural Philosophy, and in 1855 came to England as a partner in the firm of Cama & Co. of London and Liverpool, with agencies at Bombay and Calcutta and in China. In 1867 he succeeded with the co-operation of a few English friends in establishing the East India Association, of which he was for some time honorary secretary, and in 1874 upon one of his visits to Bombay he accepted the position in the interests of both Baroda and the British Government of Dewan of Baroda, and was also elected a member of the Bombay Corporation and Town Council, and was a member of the Legislative Council of Bombay from 1885 to 1888. Unsuccessful candidate, Holborn division of Finsbury, 1886.

Notes of the Campaign.

Election rights occurred at Newbridge, Monmouthshire, yesterday. The police dispersed the rioters. Many persons were injured.

Mr. Morley yesterday joined Mr. Gladstone, who remained quietly at Dalmein Park during the day. Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone and son will start for Braemer to-night for a rest and a change of air.

Lord Rosebery will go yachting.

The Standard says: The Unionists should redouble their efforts where contests are still to be decided. Six seats may make all the difference whether Gladstone will undertake the risk of office or forthwith acknowledge Home Rule legislation impracticable.

Such Irish results as are in show the Parnellite faction to be in the same trivial minority as heretofore, save in North Galway, where Col. Nolan has held the seat against a new comer in the person of Dr. Tanner. Nolan, however, is by no means a bitter partisan. He is personally popular with Irishmen of both factions.

Parnellite Pranks.

[Special despatch to The Toronto World.]

LONDON, July 13.—The despatches that I have hitherto sent you have contained a true picture of Mr. Blake's reception in Ireland. I have nothing extenuated nor aught set down in malice. I have not been carried away by enthusiasm, but have merely reflected the enthusiasm and cordiality of the people wherever he has gone.

Yesterday I may say I presented the reverse side of the shield. To-day for the first time the Parnellite section of the Home Rulers began to show itself. At a meeting here there was considerable stone-throwing and conflict and the Parnellites were very free in their execrations. This stirred another portion of the electorate—that portion which would sooner find fault than be elated by the grand principles of a great movement. This crowd are expressing great disappointment that Mr. Blake has only delivered two speeches in the constituency and, indeed, has only been three days in it.

They say whenever he has an opportunity, instead of staying amongst them he slips off to Dublin.

"We never see him in the street," say they. "He is altogether too sure of his election. To hell with him; we will show him."

I hear all this, and I think I estimate it at its true value. I believe it to be a comparatively small and certainly a very narrow section of the community. Its mouthings have not altered my opinion of the certainty not alone of Mr. Blake's election but also of that of Mr. McCarthy in North Longford, against whom the same sort of threats are being made.

I have no doubt in the world that Mr. Blake would not have been exposed to this sort of criticism had he not taken part with Healy in the North Longford conflict in favor of Justin McCarthy.

The priests are laboring for him tooth and nail. Nevertheless the poll, I think, will be a small one. The Parnellites are working the cry that a native of the country should represent South Longford for all it is worth.

The Protestants, on the other hand, express great disgust that Mr. Blake took part at the Sunday meeting. The Sunday political meeting is looked upon as one of the works of popery and is religiously shunned by the Protestant element. What has disgusted the Protestant element has correspondingly elated the Catholics. Mr. Blake himself has thanked the Catholic clergy for their efforts in his behalf.

Mr. Blake was also gracious enough to give some words of praise to The Toronto World, which had sent its representative with him to Ireland to tell his people how he fared in the land of his fathers. Mr. Blake has decided that he will in case of election take up his residence in the town of Longford when not engaged in his Parliamentary duties. At Granard, the centre of the North Longford fight, Messrs. McCarthy and Blake yesterday created much enthusiasm. Tim Healy's farewell to the electors was a very effective bit of talking. He has a tongue like a scorpion's sting.

Died on the Wheel.

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—Without a moment's warning Harry O. Snyder of No. 1312 Park avenue was stricken dead yesterday morning while riding a bicycle at 21st and Diamond streets.

A Sarnia Fire.

SARNIA, July 13.—Fire yesterday destroyed Fraser's grocery here, including almost the entire grocery stock. The building was owned by W. H. Hill and the stock by William Fraser. Both were insured, but not fully.

Death of an ex-M.P.

DIGBY, N.S., July 13.—The citizens were startled yesterday afternoon to learn of the death of John Chipman Wade, Q.C., ex-M.P. The deceased gentleman had been in failing health for the past three months. Mr. Wade was for many years in the Nova Scotia Legislature, being Speaker in the House of Assembly when the Confederation scheme was passed.

Two Murderers Reprieved.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., July 13.—Charlie and Johnnie, the two Indians sentenced to be hanged on July 16, have had their death penalty commuted to life imprisonment. A telegram was received by Sheriff Armstrong to that effect yesterday.

Montreal Votes $10,000.

MONTREAL, July 13.—The City Finance Committee held a special meeting yesterday afternoon and voted $10,000 towards the sufferers by the St. John fire.

A public meeting of citizens to-night decided to forward supplies. The Allan steamship Newfoundland has been placed at the disposal of the committee.

St. John, N.B., Sends $6000.

ST. JOHN, N.B., July 13.—The common council yesterday voted $6000 to the St. John fire sufferers. Private subscriptions are being taken up and in the vicinity of $2000 has already been subscribed.

A Prospector Killed.

VICTORIA, B.C., July 13.—The decomposed and badly mangled body of a man lying in a heap at the foot of a steep bluff was the find Joseph Cook, a prospector, struck yesterday morning in Devil's Gap on Leech River, in the interior of this island. The body is that of prospector, George Morrow.

Morrow was an old British Columbian. He has been mining in the province since the very earliest of the early days and was known to all pioneers. He was getting along in years and fast losing his vigor.

Stoneman is Dead.

DETROIT, July 13.—John Stoneman, the dying roller who some weeks ago was enticed into Louis B. Gunn's North Side saloon, where he received a free hair cut and shampoo, died at Buffalo Saturday morning, where he went shortly after the hair-cutting ceremony. His death was not the result of hard usage at the hands of the "fake" barbers, but was caused by consumption, from which he had long been a sufferer.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Vessel.	Destined to	From
July 13	Assyrian	Liverpool	Montreal
"	Sarmatian	Glasgow	Montreal
"	Monte Vilean	Montreal	Liverpool
"	Circassian	Liverpool	Montreal
"	Lahn	Southampton	New York
"	Westernland	New York	Antwerp
"	Servia	Southampton	New York
"	Wieselen	Queenstown	New York

ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

APPALLING DISASTER REPORTED FROM SAVOY.

Nearly Two Hundred Persons Killed by a Landslide at Well-Known Mineral Baths—Mount Aton Sends Forth Showers of Lava, Killing Many People.

PARIS, July 13.—A terrible accident has occurred at St. Gervais-Les-Bains, in Savoy. A heavy landslide occurred in the mountains that almost overhang the village, and without a moment's warning a number of houses were buried beneath immense masses of rock and earth. The disaster occurred at 3 o'clock in the morning when nearly all the inhabitants and residents were asleep. It has been ascertained that the Bion Nassay glaciers which extend from the northwest side of Mount Blanc became detached and swept down the side of the mountain, carrying the baths and the hamlet of Le Fayet into the river. The loss of life was appalling. There was no possible chance of the people getting out of the way of the tremendous mass of earth, rock and ice, and a great number whose lives were not crushed out beneath the falling debris of their houses were swept into the river and drowned.

Over 150 bodies have been recovered from the Harve, and those with the 30 taken from the ruins of houses brings the death roll up to 180.

It is not believed that this will cover the entire loss of life as there are undoubtedly many bodies buried under the masses of debris that will never be recovered.

The whole surface of the river is strewn with the wreckage of houses and with trees.

It is believed not a single person in the line of the descending glaciers and the debris they carried along with them escaped with his life. Many of the dead were mangled beyond recognition.

Many visitors were at the place, and a large number of them were among the victims.

The Sherman establishment was completely destroyed by huge masses of rock that were swept against it by the landslide.

Caught While Asleep.

The baths of St. Gervais were in five separate buildings joined by a stone wall erected in a narrow gorge. They were situated about 2066 feet above the sea on a road from Geneva to Chamouix. A glacier became detached from Mount Blanc and fell into the mountain torrent, carrying away the hamlet of Bionnay and filling the torrent with masses of ice. The masses of ice and the wreckage of the village formed a dam which effectually restrained the water for some time. Finally the dam broke and the waters burst like a cataract into the stream of Bon Nant, which passes through St. Gervais. The inmates of the bath houses were awakened about 2.15 a.m. by sounds of rushing water and a loud crashing noise. Before they were able to leave the buildings the torrent filled with the debris of the village and large masses of ice crashed against the bath houses.

Three of the buildings were entirely destroyed and another one partially, while the fifth building sustained no damage being situated upon a higher elevation than the others.

A Stream of Floating Corpses.

The torrent continued into the valley, destroying everything in its course. The village of Le Fayet, lying in the valley was almost entirely demolished.

The wreckage of houses was swept on for miles into the Arve. Down the latter stream corpses and wreckage have been sent floating all day long. The full mortality is not yet known. It is believed that 75 persons perished at the bath alone.

At least 50 of the inhabitants of Lafayet were drowned.

The latest estimate of the number of dead is 180.

St. Gervais is a watering place with sulphurous springs, and is a favorite summer resort. It lies in the wooded region of Mont Joie, half a mile from the Chamon-road on the Bon Nant, Nant being the name applied to all mountain streams in Savoy.

Mount Ætna Active.

ROME, July 13.—The eruption of Mount Ætna is rapidly increasing in violence. The fires in the crater's show great activity. Loud explosions are continually taking place.

A severe earthquake shock occurred yesterday, which reduced to ruins the village of Giarre on the coast of Sicily, five hours' journey from the craters of Mount Ætna. The population of Giarre is about 18,000. No mention of loss of life is made, but it is feared here that many must have perished. The whole country suffered severely from the shock.

Engineers have been sent to the threatened points to prevent the vast quantities of lava that are being thrown out by the volcano from entering the wells from which the population obtain their supply of water. Should the lava come into contact with the water the steam generated would destroy the wells.

The craters of Ætna were last active in 1865. Giarre, the destroyed village, lay directly to the east of the famous Valle del Bove on the eastern side of Ætna, a black and desolate space three miles in width, bounded on three sides by perpendicular cliffs from 2000 to 4000 feet high, opening only to the east.

Buried Alive in Quicklime.

LONDON, July 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times says: "The Official Gazette confirms the report of the rioting at Astrakhan, and says that the people openly drag old corpses out of the hospital, believing that patients were buried alive in quicklime."

The Canadian Bisley Team.

LONDON, July 13.—The Canadians arrived at Bisley Tuesday. It has been raining hard ever since and practically nothing is doing, the time being taken up with small matches. The Canadian team had a good practice at Cambridge. While there they fired two matches, the first with the Suffolk Regiment, 16 men a side, at two ranges. The Canadians made a score of 886 and the Suffolks 823.

They also had a match with the Cambridge Rifles team of eight men. The Canadians made 537 and Cambridge 504.

The match for the Kolapore Cup will be fired on Saturday.

The Manitoba School Case.

LONDON, July 13.—The Manitoba school case came before the Judicial Committee of Privy Council yesterday. The appeal is from the unanimous decision of the Supreme Court of Canada voiding the legislative enactment abolishing separate schools. D'Alton McCarthy, Q.C., and Joseph Martin, Attorney-General of Manitoba, with the help of Sir Horace Davey, appeared for the appellant. Their opening was unfinished when the committee rose. The argument will probably last two or three days. So far their lordships have expressed no opinion.

Big Demonstration at Tamworth.

TAMWORTH, July 13.—About 3,000 people assembled here yesterday to celebrate the twelfth. Twenty-three lodges of Addington and Lennox took part. The Tamworth lodge met the brethren some distance from the village and escorted them in. They marched to Miller's grove, where the ladies of the Presbyterian church had a splendid spread for the inner man, after which order was called and J. W. Bell, ex-M.P., took the chair. Speeches were delivered by W. Wilson, M.P., W. B. Northrop, M.P., John White, ex-M.P., James Reid, M.P.P., Rev. W. Jolliffe and Rev. J. X. Moran. The day passed off very pleasantly with nothing to disturb the harmony. Not a drunken man was seen on the streets. The day will long be remembered in Tamworth.

Cheese Markets.

LITTLE FALLS, July 11.—Sales, 5 lots at 6½c; 10 at 7½c; 49 at 8c; 18 at 8⅛.

UTICA, N.Y., July 11.—Sales amounted to 3 800 boxes cheese at prices ranging from 8⅛c to 8½c; ruling figure, 8⅜.

BELLEVILLE, July 12.—Seventeen factories boarded 1,255 cheese sold at 8⅛c to 8⅜.

Rev. Pilch Plunk on Homeliness.

High Church Record.

A homely face am often a blessin' in disguise, dearb breddern. Dere's a good many people in hell dat ud be in heben if it hadn't been for dere good looks-an' de use dey made ob dem in dis wale ob tears.

LOTTIE COLLINS DEAD.

She Sang and Kicked Into Popularity "Ta-ra-ra Boom de Ay."

PARIS, July 13.—A private despatch received from Switzerland says that Miss Lottie Collins, the famous music hall singer who created a sensation by the "Ta-ra-ra Boom de Ay" song, died yesterday.

Miss Collins has lately been playing from three to four engagements per night and was seriously indisposed when she left London on account of overwork.

The Paris Exhibition in 1900.

PARIS, July 12.—At a cabinet council to-day President Carnot signed a decree providing for the holding of a universal exhibition in this city in 1900. The exhibition will open May 5 and close Oct. 31.

18 PERSONS KILLED.

A Steamboat Sinks in the Illinois River Near Pekin.

PEORIA, Ill., June 13.—Peoria Lake was this evening the scene of a horrible catastrophe.

A cyclone struck it about 10.30 p.m. and capsized the Frankie Folsom, an excursion steamer with a party from Pekin.

There were about 40 persons on board.

All but 18 of them have been accounted for it is believed that these are dead. It is known positively that fully a dozen perished. No one escaped from the cabin.

The work of bringing the dead to shore is now in progress.

The New British Columbia Cabinet.

VICTORIA, B.C., July 13.—Attorney-General Theodore Davie is premier. Lieut.-Governor Nelson sent for him and entrusted him with the task of forming a cabinet. Mr. Davie accepted the task, and the ministry is formed. It will be the same as before, with the exception that Mr. Davie will perform the duties of Premier, Attorney-General and Provincial Secretary. It is understood that as to the latter, the arrangement is only temporary, and that in time a Provincial Secretary will be named.

The Government as it now stands is composed as follows:

Hon. Theodore Davie, Q.C., Premier, Attorney-General and Provincial Secretary.
Hon. F. G. Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Hon. J. H. Turner, Minister of Finance and Agriculture.
Hon. James Baker, Minister of Education and Immigration.
Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., President of the Council.

An extra of The British Columbia Gazette, issued yesterday, contains the above appointments.

It will not be necessary for any of the ministers to go back for re-election.

Small Hope of the Factions Coming Together.

DUBLIN, July 13.—Mr. John Dillon, speaking at Gort, a town of Galway, said that the McCarthyites were winning all along the line, and he trusted that their old friends would join the majority in the battle for the liberty of their country.

John Redmond at Mayo said he was anxious to stop the quarrel and restore peace, but was unable to attain this end, as Mr. Dillon would not stand on the same platform as the Independents even on the question of political amnesty.

An Elephant Ran the Town.

BANGOR, Me., July 13.—While being transferred to the cars at Pittsfield yesterday one of Forepaugh's most vicious elephant's broke loose. He tore down fences, ruined lawns and seemed to own the town as he ran trumpeting from one point to another. Then the other elephants were unloaded from the cars, and the keepers on their backs managed to drive the angry pachyderm back to his railroad car, though several of the keepers were hurt.

Cyrus W. Field Dead.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Cyrus W. Field, the man who laid the Atlantic cable, died yesterday at 9.30.

Referring to the cable in The June Youth's Companion Mr. Field wrote: "In looking back over these eventful years I wonder how we had courage to carry it through in the face of so many defeats and of almost universal unbelief. A hundred times I reproached myself for persisting in what seemed beyond the power of man. And again there came a feeling that having begun I could not turn back; at any cost I must see it through.

"At last God gave us the victory. And now, as we see its results, all who had a part in it must feel rewarded for their labors and their sacrifices.

"That iron chain at the bottom of the sea is a link to bind nations together. The magnetic currents that pass and repass are but the symbols and the instruments of the invisible yet mighty currents of human affection that, as they pass to and fro, touch a thousand chords of love and sympathy and thus bring into nearer, closer and sweeter relations the separated members of the one great family of mankind."

The Toronto Suicide.

HAMILTON, July 13.—The body of George Mowat, who committed suicide in Toronto, was brought to his late home in this city yesterday. Mowat was a bricklayer by trade and was 27 years of age. He was in good health and spirits when visiting his home here a month ago, and his parents were not aware he had been ill. He leaves a widow and two small children.

Astor Worth Many Dead Men Yet.

LONDON, July 13.—The death of William Waldorf Astor, cabled yesterday, was untrue. He is out of danger.

Death of Jacob D. Spence.

TORONTO, July 13.—Mr. Jacob D. Spence died at his residence, 210 Sherbourne-st., at an early hour yesterday. The deceased has been identified with the temperance cause for over 60 years and took an active part in the Father Matthew movement. He left Ireland for this country 31 years ago yesterday. He has long been a local preacher in the Methodist denomination, and was a member of Sherbourne-street Church since its organization. Since taking up his abode in Canada he has traveled as a temperance lecturer and organizer over nearly the whole of this country and the United States. He was a Liberal in politics, though he did not take an active part in election canvasses. At the time of his death he was a member of the Executive Committee of the Dominion Alliance, of the Toronto Temperance Reformation Society and of St. John's Lodge of Good Templars. Mr. Spence was taken ill last Friday week and gradually sank, not under any disease, but by weight of many years well and profitably employed. He leaves four sons and four daughters residing in the city, besides Rev. J. M. A. Spence of Haliburton and F. S. Spence, the well-known temperance lecturer.

The fund for the relief of the St. John's sufferers is rapidly assuming substantial proportions, and Toronto's generosity will alleviate the sufferings of many a destitute New Brunswicker. Nearly $3000 has already been subscribed through the Board of Trade.

At a late hour last night Dr. Temple informed The World that Sir Daniel Wilson was in a very low condition, though he had made some slight improvement through the day. The result of the illness, Dr. Temple stated, depends entirely upon the way he takes his nourishment; if that proves satisfactory he may recover. However, at present everything is entirely problematical.

THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Spice of the Morning Papers and the Very Latest Telegrams.

Capt. W. Hudson, quarter master of the seventh battalion during the north-west rebellion, died at London yesterday, aged fifty-five.

It is reported that Ned Rooney, the well known driver of trotting horses, who recently fractured his leg, will have to suffer amputation.

Robert Flynn has entered into partnership with Kent Bros., bankers, in the opening up of veins of silver and steatite at Grimthorpe, North Hastings.

The British schooner Eliza Edwards has been fined $1,400 at San Diego, Cal., for taking on a cargo at Santa Barbara without complying with the customs regulations.

The Sherbourne street Methodist church, Toronto, has invited Rev. James Henderson, M.A., pastor of Carlton street church, to be their pastor. Mr. Henderson has accepted.

Rev. T. G. Williams, D.D., Montreal, is receiving medical treatment at Merrickville, Ont. The popular minister, through overwork, had nearly lost the use of his right arm, but is slowly recovering.

Just Think of This.

Ottawa Journal.

If Mr. Blake goes into Gladstone's cabinet who can say that eventually he might not come back here as governor-general!

A COLUMN OF CANADIAN.

FURTHER CONTRIBUTION TO ST. JOHN SUFFERERS.

The Dominion Government and the Canal Tolls—The Intercolonial Railway at Last Pays Expenses—Several Persons Killed by Lightning.

OTTAWA, July 13.—An order in council has been passed amending the order in council of April 4 last with reference to rebate on canal tolls on grain from Lake Ontario ports, passing through the St. Lawrence Canals for export from Montreal. The order as passed allowed rebate only on shipments from "Canadian" Lake Ontario ports. The new order simply strikes out "Canadian," so that wheat or coarse grains shipped from American ports on Lake Ontario passing through St. Lawrence canals and exported from Montreal get the advantage of the rebate. This has no bearing on the transshipment at Odgensburg of western wheat, which still remains liable to full tolls.

The Intercolonial Pays.

Hon. Mr. Haggart's change of the Intercolonial is beginning to be felt. For the first time during the existence of the road the receipts during the last three months exceed the expenditure, and the indications are that the current fiscal year will show considerable surplus.

Quite Safe in Surrendering.

LONDON, July 13.—James Percival was a young postoffice clerk here over two years ago, at the time when letters were missed and were supposed to have been stolen. Suspicion fell upon Percival, but he decamped and had not since been heard from until yesterday when he surrendered to the postoffice authorities and was immediately arrested. Assistant Crown Attorney McKillop said the letters supposed to have been stolen were addressed to a woman of loose character then in the city. The woman had since gone away and nothing of her whereabout was known, and the Crown accordingly could offer no evidence and Percival was discharged.

More Miracles Reported.

MONTREAL, July 13.—More miraculous cures are reported among pilgrims who visited Ste. Anne de Beaupre last week, under the direction of the Fathers of the Holy Sacrament. One of these alleged cures is that of a boy 12 years of age who had completely lost the use of speech as a result of an attack of the grip. After he had prayed at the shrine of the saint he began to speak aloud in the church and the effect upon the large number of worshippers present was such that there was almost a panic, everyone rising and climbing on the benches to see and hear the boy to whose enthusiasm and joy over his sudden cure there seemed to be no limit. It was with some difficulty that the priests present succeeded in restoring order.

The Deadly Tetanus.

HALIFAX, N.S., July 13.—Edward Woodman's 14-year-old daughter went picking strawberries at Digby and accidently penetrated her foot with a small piece of wood. Lockjaw set in and she died a day or two later.

Killed by Lightning.

HAMILTON, July 13.—Isaac Flewelling, a farmer living a mile and a half south of Troy, and his hired man, Ned Croft, were working on a farm owned by Mr. Flewelling, near Weir, when both were struck by lightning.

Croft, the hired man, remained unconscious for some time. Flewelling was instantly killed. The lightning struck the deceased on the back of the neck and the fluid passed through his body, burning a hole in his socks and tearing off his heavy shoes. His whiskers and his face were burned.

WOODSTOCK, July 12.—William Williams, a farmer, while returning home to-night in his hayrack, was struck by the 9.10 C.P.R. train and instantly killed. The engine cut the wagon in two and pitched the unfortunate man against the fence.

Delta Doings.

DELTA, July 12.—Farmers have commenced haying. May is heavier this summer than it has been for years. H. Denaut, M.D., started yesterday (Tuesday) for Illinois, where he intends to locate. N. Stevens, M.D., Plum Hollow, also left yesterday for the same place to remain. Dr. Mallory has traded horses with G. Wing. A Jackson, liveryman, bought a new commercial waggon from Alex. Stevens last week. A. E. Hoock took a party of picnickers to Portland last week. R. J. Stevens has returned home again. N. Witherell is doing a good business this summer in moving buildings. M. Vanloon is well pleased with his locust hedge which is growing splendidly. He intends to extend it another season. It is one of the flying reports that T. Brumer has bought out the bakery business in Newboro now being carried on by Charlie Wells; another is that a marriage is contemplated. A daughter of W. Church's passed away on the 9th a victim of consumption. Another daughter died of the same disease last winter. James McAvey and Wm. O'Grady, of Lansdowne, passed through here last Sunday. Thomas Kenny and son, of Jones' Falls, made a short call here last week. James Halliday and son have completed their new steam yacht. It will carry about sixty persons. They have named it the Ocean, of Delta. Its construction has been watched with much interest by the men and boys of the place and its completion was the cause of a kind of general rejoicing. It was taken to the water, yesterday morning, amid quite a triumphal procession and will be launched this morning. Another of the reports is that Levi Soper has sold or will sell his farm to George Morris and intends going to Manitoba. Quite a number from here attended the celebration in Ogdensburg on the 4th. Mrs. M. Vanloon and Miss Ethel, her daughter, is in Watertown visiting friends. A. J. Flood is selling apple trees at half price. Dr. Creeggan has only six horses. His patients need not long to wait for him if his horses are as swift as numerous.

The best way to find out how to be happy is to make happiness possible for somebody else and observe how he goes about it.

Do not exchange checks with anybody. This is soon discovered by your bank; it does your friend no good and discredits you.

Umbrellas made of paper are coming into use in France. The paper is made waterproof by gelatined bichromate of potassium.

The minister who loves to discourse upon the delights of the rural surroundings often spends his own vacation in the capitals of Europe.

Dead men's shoes are very often surprising, but probably none more so than the legacies of the late Horace Daniels, of New London, Conn., who bequeathed $400,000 to his friends, and now they cannot find where the property is.

COMMERCIAL.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKETS.

Bank of Montreal	227	225½
Ontario Bank	000	115
Bank du Peuple	109	106
Molson's Bank	170	168
Bank of Toronto	250	245½
Merchants	145	142
Quebec Bank	000	000
Union Bank	00	00
Bank of Commerce	141½	141
Montreal Telegraph Co	144	143½
N. W. Land Co	80	75
Rich. & Nav. Co	78	76½
City Passenger RR	227½	225½
Canada Pacific Railway	90	89½

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Patent winter, $4.80 to $4.90; patent spring $4.85 to $4.95; straight roller, $4.20 to $4.35; extra $3.80 to $3.90; superfine, $3.65 to $3.80; strong bakers, $4.45 to $4.55.

Wheat—No. 1 hard Manitoba, 86c to 87c.

Wheat—No. 2 hard, 84c to 85c.

Peas—76c to 77c in store.

Rye—81 to 82c.

Barley, feeding—62 to 65c.

Oats—50½ to 51c per 34 lbs. Manitoba mixed.

Corn—65c, in bond.

Pork—$16.50 to $16.75.

Ashes—Pots, $3.87 to 3.90; seconds, 3.40 to 3.50; Pearls, 5.70 to 5.80.

Eggs—60c to 65c for fresh stock; 60c to 62c for ordinary; 55 to 57½c for choice.

Cheese—8½c to 9c for finest white.

Butter—Creamery, 19c to 19½c; Townships 16 to 17c; Western, 15c to 15c.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, July 12.—Spring wheat, 6s 4½d. Red winter, 6s 7½d; No. 1 California, 7s 1d. Corn, 4s 7½d; Peas 5s 5d; Pork 65s 6d. Lard 57s 6d. Bacon 35s to 37s 6d; Tallow 25s 7d. Cheese, 48s 6d. Cotton middlings 5 15-16d.

UPHELD

SUNLIGH