

WORK THE EXHIBITION. Will Be One of the Finest Building—Decorations Well Under Way.

EARTHQUAKK AND FIRE LAY WASTE TWO CITIES.

Vaiparaiso and Los Andes Reported Demolished With Great Loss of Life

Except for a few private messages received early yesterday reporting an earthquake in Chile, and damage to buildings in Valparaiso, no direct news from Chile has yet been received. The early reports, coming from different points, stated that the earthquake had resulted in great loss of life and widespread damage to property. Up to 11 o'clock last night, however, there had been nothing to confirm the reports.



who are themselves unable to get any information bearing upon the situation other than the fact that an earthquake had occurred; that the disturbance has disarranged the telegraphic apparatus and interfered with communications. There is much anxiety tonight among those who have friends and relatives in Chile. The cable companies and newspapers are making every effort to secure definite information.

It is pointed out that the absence of any word from official sources in Valparaiso and other points in Chile may be taken as indicating considerable exaggeration in the reports of loss of life and extent of damage.

The reports received from various quarters of the globe regarding the Valparaiso disaster, have varied greatly, some going so far as to compare the havoc wrought to that of the San Francisco catastrophe, with details which are said to be a violent earthquake, took place and was burning, severely, many scores perishing in the flames and the ruins of the fallen buildings.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Some London firms trading with Valparaiso have received telegrams from their agents there. One to James & Alexander Brown, says: "Severe earthquake. Commerce paralyzed. Town safe. Staff safe."

LONDON, Aug. 17.—A despatch to the Reuters Telegraph Co. from Buenos Ayres this evening, says: "Telegraphic communication with Chile is still interrupted. Santiago and Valparaiso are completely isolated. The Pacific cables are working only from Iquique northwards. It is certain that a number of houses have been wrecked at Los Andes, which is 40 miles north of Santiago, with which it is connected by rail."

WOMAN ROYAL ASTRONOMER. GLADSTONE'S GRANDSON.

The honor of being elected a member of the Royal Astronomical Society London has been extended to Mrs. Wilhelmina Paton Fleming, who has



W. G. C. Gladstone, the son of the late W. H. Gladstone, M.P., and grandson of William Ewart Gladstone, was born on July 14, 1855.

AFRICAN GORILLA IS ALARMING THE COUNTRY

GENEVA, Aug. 17.—A huge gorilla which escaped from captivity a few days ago in spreading terror among the villagers who live on the borders of the forest of Berley, in the Canton of Fribourg.

STATISTICS OF CRIME. (Columbus, O., Sun.)

All comparative immigration statistics in this country begin with the year 1826, when the first comprehensive collection was made. Hereafter comparative statistics of crime in the United States will begin with the year 1906.

NO DANGER. (Toronto Star.)

Here is Oliver Asselin in a state of mind because French Canada will be assimilated in 1931. In that year he estimates that there will be 25,000,000 people in Canada, of whom only a small proportion will be French.

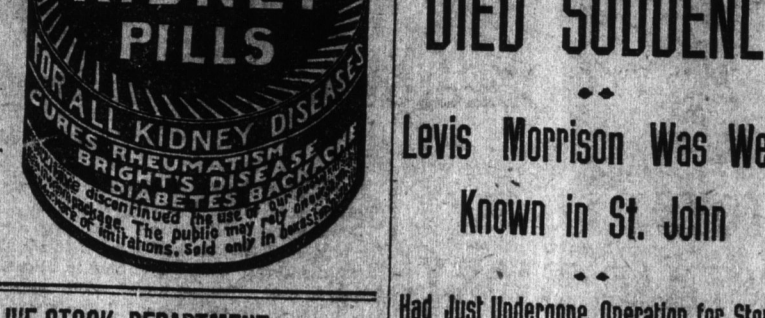
PRINCE KIDNAPS SON AND NOW IS FUGITIVE

Princess Appeals to Italian Court, But Has No Jurisdiction to Act

MALTA, Aug. 17.—The Prince Antonio Licata di Baulonia has arrived here, a fugitive from Sicily, on board the yacht Orietta, which he had hired. He has with him his only child, Biagio, whom he has taken from his wife. The Princess obtained a separation decree from the courts in Palermo last year, together with the custody of the child. The father was granted the right to receive a daily visit from the boy, and last month during one of these visits the father took him aboard the yacht and carried him away.

FAMOUS ACTOR DIED SUDDENLY

Levis Morrison Was Well Known in St. John



Had Just Undergone Operation for Stomach Trouble at Hospitable in Yonkers New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Lewis Morrison, an actor, whose work as Mephisto in "Faust" gained him fame, died suddenly of shock on Saturday afternoon in St. John's hospital, Yonkers, after undergoing an operation for stomach trouble.

SITUATION IN THE BOSTON MARKETS

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—The outside figures for spruce frames are every day becoming more difficult to obtain and even the strong, conservative sellers, who a fortnight ago resisted the decline, are now willing to accept \$22 for all but really hard orders.

REFLECTIONS.

"A man is soon forgotten after he is dead, unless you happen to marry his widow." The latest thing about a summer vacation is the way you enjoy being back from it.

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WANTED now, trustworthy men to sell Nursery Stock in New Brunswick. Terms exceptionally good. Established thirty years. Write PELHAM NURSERY CO., Toronto, Ont.

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WANTED—A second or third class female teacher for District No. 3, Parish of Grand Manan, Woodward's Cove, Apply, stating salary for fall term to THE J. SMALL, Secretary, Grand Manan, N. B. 27-7-17

POISON IN FOOD. (Toronto Star.) The following items appeared in Monday's Toronto papers:

Poisoned by eating a prepared kidney stew in a city restaurant on Friday, Hugh Macdonald, an electrician, of 10 Dominion avenue, died in St. Michael's Hospital on Saturday. He was 37 years of age and married. The general takes place this afternoon. Macdonald worked till 8 o'clock Friday night in a King street hotel and went out for lunch at a nearby restaurant. After reaching home he was seized with violent fits of vomiting, and Dr. George Smith, who was called in, joined later by Dr. McCormick, found he was taken to the hospital. He gradually grew worse until his death occurred about 8 o'clock morning.

INGERSOLL, Aug. 11.—H. H. Ingalls, eldest son of A. H. Ingalls, a manufacturer, died suddenly of poisoning from ptomaine poisoning, after eating canned pork and beans at a restaurant on the corner of York and Spadina avenues. He was 41 years of age and unmarried. He was soon taken ill. When he was summoned he was in a very bad condition, from which he was never revived. The deceased was 41 years of age and unmarried.

TORONTO JUNCTION. Two children, Vera May, aged 4 years, and Allen Carlisle, aged 2 years, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Holway of 49 Vane avenue, are dead of ptomaine poisoning as a result of eating ice cream on Friday evening.

The case was so serious that several prominent doctors were called in and it was hoped that the life of one of the victims of the poisoning would be saved.

The elder, however, died this morning and the younger died tonight. Do not these cases indicate the necessity for better inspection of food in this country? Dr. Hodgkiss and Dr. Sheard have raised the alarm in regard to what about the quality of the food delivered at the doors of householders or served in public places in Toronto? Is there any systematic inspection of the pantries and refrigerators of Toronto hotels and restaurants? Is there any guarantee that a customer will not be served with a piece of fish that has become rank poison? Is there any efficient inspection of the meat and vegetables and fruit that are put into cans, of the meat that is made into steaks in restaurants, of the cream or other ingredients of ice cream? The cases to which we refer, taken out of one day's paper, in one city, ought surely to set us thinking.

SMALL SIZED CYCLONE

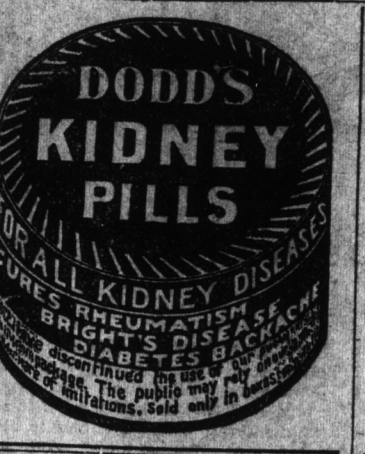
Barn Blown Down and Much Damage Done—Purity Campaign Progressing

MONCTON, Aug. 18.—During the storm Saturday night, which was very light in Moncton, a small sized cyclone seemed to centre around Bonnell's Corner, about eight miles from the city, doing considerable damage to property, but not even in the locality nearby, was the wind felt, its operations seeming to be confined to a very small extent. A large barn owned by Harvey Trickett, a hundred feet in length, was torn down and smashed to pieces. Trees were uprooted and a number of fences blown down. The barn was a large structure, about a hundred feet in length, and in it were two horses and a quantity of farm machinery. Although the roof and walls crashed down around them the horses were unharmed, but the farm machinery was damaged to a considerable extent. Near by where this occurred a United Baptist picnic was being held, but nothing more than a heavy rain storm was experienced.

The purity crusade of Provincial Comptroller W. B. Belyea still continues. He has warrants against nine more Moncton liquor dealers issued by the court of Shediac.

REFERENCES MADE TO LATE FREDERICTON MEN.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 19.—At the parish church, where the Rev. A. G. H. Dicker of St. John preached at both services, and at the Methodist church, where the pastor, Rev. Mr. McConnell, officiated, telling and touching references were made to the sad death which occurred in Fredericton during the past week. The Rev. Sub-dean and Mrs. Street returned last evening from a two weeks' vacation spent in St. John. G. S. Murphy and wife of Calais, Maine arrived here by automobile today.



LIVE STOCK DEPARTMENT AT THE DOMINION EXHIBITION. The Entries Show This Will be a Splendid Feature of the Show—Lodging Bureau Opened for Visitors' Convenience.

The entries for live stock at the Dominion Exhibition in Halifax closed last week and they show that the display in this department of the Big Show from the Maritime Provinces and from other parts of Canada, will be superb.

Horses were named in the Colt Stakes last week, and this feature of the nine days' racing will be in keeping with the other events of the great meeting, a race meeting in which the finest field of horses ever assembled in Eastern Canada will compete for purses aggregating \$5,000.

The committee having the Fisheries Exhibit in charge are leaving nothing undone to ensure a magnificent display—something in keeping with an industry which financially is worth to Nova Scotia fully \$5,000,000 annually. The exhibit will be housed in a magnificent building devoted exclusively to this purpose, and will be one of the great attractions of the Dominion Exhibition.

SUNDAY WAS HOT IN OTHER PLACES.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 20.—The thermometer reached 91 in the shade here at three o'clock today making it the warmest day of the summer. It is the hottest day of the season, the thermometers ranging from 78 degrees at 9 a. m. to 91 degrees at 1 p. m. and falling to 80 degrees at 6 p. m. At 10 p. m. the mercury still registers 78 degrees. These records are from a standard thermometer in the shade under trees. In less secluded and sheltered places the record was as high as 88 degrees, and one house record is given at 110 degrees. These figures have not been paralleled in many years.

FOLLOW ALL THE SCHOOLS.

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LEWIS MORRISON.

He was born of English parentage in Kingston, Jamaica, in 1845. He came to this country at an early age and enlisted in the Union army in the civil war. He rose to the rank of lieutenant and on his honorable discharge at the close of the war, he received the rank of captain for gallant service. During the siege of Vicksburg he swam the messages under fire of the batteries with dispatches for the federal army.

After his discharge from the army, Mr. Morrison entered the theatrical profession as an actor in the old Varieties theatre, New Orleans, making his first appearance with Lawrence Barrett, in 1865. He was afterwards associated with Edwin Booth, Edward Forrest, Thomas O. Salvini, Adelaide Nelson, Charlotte Cushman, Januschev, Rose Coghlan and Agnes Booth. He was also associated for nine years with himself as Mephisto and for nearly twenty years starred in the country and Canada with financial success and popularity.

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Bears the Signature of Dr. H. H. H. H.

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