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FAVORABLE FEATURES.

The Trade Situation in Canada and the States,

As Outlined by the Commercial Agencies' Reporters.

IN CANADA.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Bradstreet's weekly review says: Trade is fairly active in Canada, though a slackening in demand is noted from the September activity.

Groceries are in better demand at Montreal. The export apple trade is very large at Montreal and Halifax, and profitable returns are hoped for.

Milder weather in the Maritime Provinces checks the demand for heavy goods.

Bank clearings at Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax aggregate $20,299,000, a decrease of 4.4 per cent from last week, but an increase of 5 per cent over last year.

There were 37 failures reported from the Dominion of Canada this week, compared with 40 last week, 32 a year ago and 33 two years ago.

IN THE UNITED STATES.

An accentuation of favorable features is revealed in the telegraphed reports this week. While advices of the most marked improvement come from the west and south, there are some encouraging features also reported from the east, and the net result of the week's business has further progressed in the direction of enlarged distribution.

The number of business failures in the United States this week is 238 against 215 last week.

Bank clearings at 72 cities for the week ending Thursday aggregate $927,428,877, a decrease from last week of 7.5 per cent, but an increase of 3 per cent over last year.

Exports of wheat, including wheat from both the United States and Canada for six days ending with Thursday of this week, aggregate 2,317,048, bushels, compared with 3,243,000 bushels last week.

WATFORD.

Dr. Bently, who has been practicing here for the past year, has moved to Sarnia, where he intends to locate.

Cassells, an acrobat, in the employ of the Kickapoo Medicine and Comedian Company, has gone to London hospital with typhoid fever.

Mr. Thos. Howden, contractor, met with a painful accident Thursday morning. While walking up a plank he missed his footing and fell into the basement, striking his head heavily against the wall, causing an ugly scalp wound.

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FRIDAY MORNING.

The opening devotional exercises of the Middlesex W. C. T. U. Convention at Glencoe today were lead by Mrs. Fife, and a most interesting and eloquent address on "Light," based on the 6th, 8th and 10th verses of the 58th chapter of Isaiah, was delivered by Mrs. Douglas, of London West.

After routine business, the resignation of the newly-elected recording secretary was handed in and accepted with regret. This occasioned a fresh election, resulting in the appointment of Mrs. (Rev.) Kerr, of Mount Brydges.

EVANGELISTIC DEPARTMENT.

Mrs. Winters, Napier, superintendent, read this report. Each union in the county has now taken up this department.

London—Meetings held, 50; calls, 457; leaflets distributed, 623; families relieved, 42; articles of clothing distributed, 100; papers contributed, 123. Jail work—Weekly visits, 40 meetings, literature distributed, assistance given to several female prisoners at close of term. Hospital work—Weekly visits paid, 900 religious and temperance newspapers distributed and magazines, besides a large number of gospel tracts and leaflets. In no department of Christian effort is literature of this kind more appreciated than in the hospital. The committee have had the unspeakable privilege of leading a few of the patients to the Savior.

Parkhill—Mrs. Holmes, superintendent. Several families relieved and articles of warm clothing distributed. Regular cottage prayer meetings held.

Strathroy—Mrs. Heard, superintendent. Twelve Sunday afternoon meetings held.

Kerwood—Mrs. Taylor, superintendent. Regular temperance prayer meetings held.

Glencoe—Mrs. French, superintendent. In co-operation with R. T. of T.; held monthly gospel temperance meetings in three of the churches under guidance of the ministers. In April and also in May were assisted in gospel temperance meetings by Mrs. Hitchcock, of Paris.

Melbourne—Mrs. Harrison, superintendent. Held regular prayer and Bible readings.

Napier—Mrs. Winter, superintendent. Regular Bible readings and prayer meetings. Distributed 1,500 pages of literature.

TEMPERANCE IN SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Mrs. Anderson, of Mount Brydges, superintendent. During the year this beloved worker was called home. Melbourne—Had two Sabbath school addresses, one on "The Effect of Alcohol on the Body," the other on "Tobacco." Temperance Sunday observed and pledge book in school and Church League.

London—Forty-eight Sunday schools in city have been supplied with speakers, subjects not only on abstaining from but from the use of narcotics and tobacco.

Brydges—Temperance Sunday is observed and the pledge book circulated.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS.

Report of the hygiene and heredity department and also the department of pure wine were read, each showing a fair work for the county work reported having taken up the most encouraging financial re-

The juvenile work was most interesting. Bands of hope are conducted Napier members 181, teachers 19; 163; Kerwood, 30; Parkhill, members 40; Mount Brydges, members 40; Industries: those the London Girls reported a membership of the juvenile temperance department having taken by the London Y's, all having special lines of work.

At the presidential reading the reports marked progress that in every case year. been made over last

The plan committee then reported, and adopted. new additions was

Mrs. Cavers "Duties of Citizens." She the convention on one endowed with Superintendent should bright active common sense, a out for something on the lookhelpful to her worker she must be fresh and deny herself some efficient vide herself with necessary to that she may keep she may prMany valuable hints in order well acted upon, which, if union a model one. the times. Middlesex

The conventions place to receive reports be a note-books are used where carried home to be work work year. the

An excellent paper on mperances" was given by Glencoe.

The retiring president, of farewell remarks, assuring few unabated interest in all her its welfare. to

A unanimous expression tendered to Mrs. Dunlop any way had endeavored convention a success, and closed.

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ELECTRICITY AND CHARITY.

Two Questions That No. 1 Committee Dealt With.

Electric Railway Matters Discussed—Aid for the Prison Home Shelter.

Brigadier Margetts and Adjutant Millar, of the Salvation Army, waited on the finance committee last night in support of their request for aid towards the establishment of the Prison Home Shelter. The visitors went into details and the committee thought well of the scheme. The only thing that they appeared to be doubtful of was the condition of the city relief fund. Ald. J. W. Jones wanted to grant the army $100, but the other members thought the city could spare more. Just how much they could not say, and the matter was laid over until the council meeting, when the exact amount of the remaining relief fund will be made known. The army may get $200 or $150 at least. The aldermen believe that the scheme will aid the city's poor to a great extent next winter.

Ald. Daniel Lamb, Toronto, wrote re legislation as to municipal fire insurance.

"We had better look into that thing," said Ald. J. W. Jones. "There is more in that than we think." So the matter was laid over to be discussed at a future meeting.

The result of the trip of Commissioner Grant and City Clerk Kingston through exempted manufactories was read and discussed. It was reported that the Hobbs Hardware Company, while employing the stipulated number of hands, were not manufacturing all the articles agreed upon. The bylaw read "glass, nails, hardware and binder twine." The last three are not as yet being manufactured. At Watson's box factory only 36 hands were employed. They agreed to carry 40. The Globe Tobacco Company promised to hire 30 hands, but were not employing half that number.

Ald. Pritchard introduced a motion to compel the Hobbs Company only to live up to the agreement.

Ald. J. W. Jones moved that the whole three companies be treated alike, and after a good deal of persuasion Ald. Pritchard consented to withdraw his motion. Ald. Jones' motion prevailed.

Mrs. Phillip Hoskin was granted a remission of her taxes. The requests for similar favors from Isabella Riddell, Henry Chrysler and J. Ray were denied.

W. J. Harvey, secretary of the Mechanics' Institute, wrote asking the council to make the usual quarterly grant of $250. Granted.

The committee then talked for an hour about electric street railway matters, and took up Mr. Everett's objections to the city's proposition. The aldermen showed a disposition to be less particular about extensions than formerly, and agreed to drop the proposed lines down Egerton street and up Rectory. They also accepted the company's plan of electrification in the fourth ward. By it the Pall Mall street line is abandoned at Waterloo street, and Waterloo traversed to Central avenue. This street is followed to Adelaide street and south to Dundas. This get over the railway crossings nicely. A line on Oxford street will attend to the wants of the north enders. At 10 o'clock the committee adjourned to meet next Wednesday evening and continue the discussion unless the council takes action on Monday night.

There were present: Ald. Judd (chairman), J. W. Jones, F. J. Fitzgerald, Pritchard, Carrothers, Mayor Essery and Secretary Pope.

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THAMESVILLE.

[Agent for the ADVERTISER, John Duncan.]

About 11 o'clock Thursday morning the people were startled to hear the fire alarm sound. The fire was found to be in the frame dwelling occupied by Mr. Higgins and his family. The fire got too much the start of the fire boys, and the building was burned to the ground. Most of the contents were sold. The firemen had hard work to save the house south of it, occupied by Mr. Gush, as there was a heavy breeze blowing. A barn in the rear also caught fire, but was put out before any damage was done.

Mr. B. Smith, who has been lying at the point of death, is recovering.

A number of the Foresters (I. O. F.) went from here this (Friday) morning to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Little, of Bothwell, who was killed on the G. T. R.

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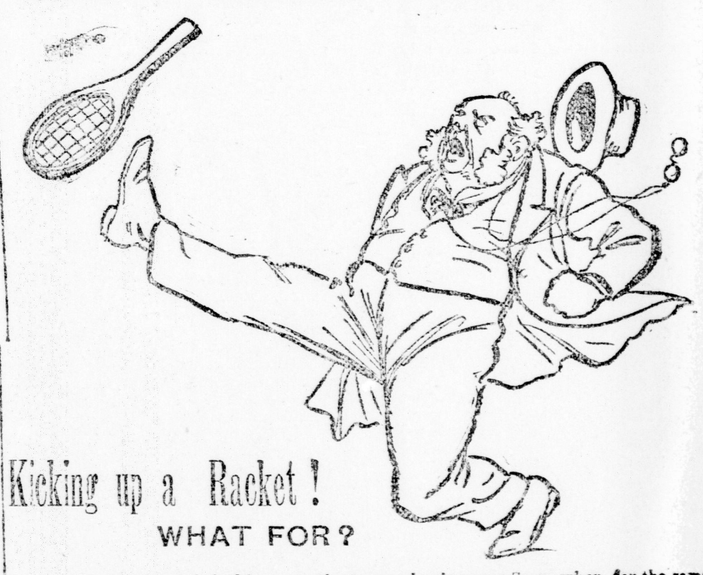

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