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Ontario's Prospects.

The fall trade opens in Ontario under conditions much more favorable than in 1887. While the Province is not now so reliant upon her cereal crop for prosperity since her live stock and dairy produce trade has grown to its present magnitude, still a satisfactory harvest is an indication of business activity. Deficiencies do exist in the crops, but in the main, when the returns are in the farmer's pockets he will not be so badly off. For the prices will rule higher than in 1887, and perhaps higher than in any year since 1879, the current quotations for wheat being now considerably higher than in 1887.

Ontario, it has been estimated, will this season have something like 15,000,000 bushels more grain than last year, and the gain in value will be still greater. For instance: Fall wheat shows 12 per cent. reduction in yield but is worth 25 per cent. more in money and spring wheat with about the same yield is worth 25 per cent. more money. The oat crop is larger by 10,000,000 bushels, barley by nearly 4,000,000 bushels and peas by 1,400,000 bushels.

The present outlook for the Ontario farmer is therefore brighter than for several years.

A while ago it was "If Sir John went to the country opposing C. U. he'd be swept from power by a torrent;" to-day it is if he went to the country to-day against Mr. Laurier and his St. Thomas speech the Reform party would never recover from the beating. But The Globe is making a gallant effort to recall Laurier's irreparable error. The musket of the Saskatchewan and the St. Thomas deliverance have blasted Mr. Laurier's career for some time.

Quebec's Crops.

Doleful reports of the crops in that Province come from Quebec. The loss in the hay crop will cause a great deal of hardship; the price is already $10 per 100 bundles, with the prospect of an increase in the near future. The outlook for the hay crop was very bright during the first parts of the season, but the bad weather caught it before it was saved. The weather during July and August has been most unfavorable. The grain has not had enough sunshine to ripen and much of it is sprouting in the ear. The potato crop, too, is poor and rotting in the ground. This state of things has kept up the price of potatoes in Quebec, and according to The Telegraph of that city the price of flour has been raised 28 to 40 cents per barrel. The habitant of Quebec is ill-prepared to meet the shock of a crop failure, and if the failure is as widespread as reports indicate there will be much misery in the province during 1888-9.

Because Mr. John White, who was invited to speak at the Port Hope Orange celebration on July 12, occupied his time in singing poems of praise to "my friend Mr. Bunting," and in supporting the defunct Commercial Union scheme, a writer in The Orange Sentinel says the Orangemen at that gathering favored the fad. Nonsense! The crowd was tired of Mr. White, and so evident was this feeling that Mr. Johnston of Belleville felt is necessary to rap his townsman over the knuckles sharply. The Orangemen want to remain under the British flag.

Mr. Mercier's Intentions.

The World has is from one of Mr. Mercier's leading supporters that the Legislative Council of Quebec will be abolished, and that within four years the Ontario School Act, adapted to Quebec, will be on the statute book. We trust the news is true.

We give Mr. Ross credit for a vast amount of perverse ingenuity, but not even he has been able as yet to destroy all the good that Dr. Ryerson and the Conservative Administration were able to embody in the system. The Empire.

When party journals talk like that they lose their grip on the confidence of the public. To credit all evil to the other party and all good to their own is a policy that the public is tiring of.

The devil is not as black as he is painted nor is ex-Governor Dewdney apparently. He is before the electors of East Assiniboia and nomination day is on the 12th inst., but his unpopularity has not evinced itself in an Opposition candidate. The Liberal press has pegged away at Dewdney until there is hardly one of them in Ontario but has an impression that when he goes out of his fortified castle he requires a body-guard to protect him from the fury of the people up there.

The frosting of a part of Manitoba's wheat may not be an unmixed evil after all. What would we do in Ontario with our farmers growding the road to the Prairie Province with their families and effects next spring? The result of this season's work will pay the settlers as well as did last, and more can hardly be asked by them.

Mr. Mercier threatens a gerrymander. Why not? Sir John and Mr. Mowat did the same thing under the guise of redistribution. It's quite a proper safeguard in Canadian politics.

The New York papers are becoming quite weak on the Retaliation question. They are all illogical when they are not vindictive, and vindictive when they are not illogical.

Canada and the United States are agreed on Commercial Union—agreed to leave it alone.

Retaliation Not Popular.

The New York Daily Commercial Bulletin is the leading commercial authority of the States. In its issue of Tuesday Sept. 4 it published the following leader under the heading above used:

In view of the chorus of congratulations showered upon the President and the disposition to regard his Canadian Retaliation message as a brilliant political achievement, it is important to bear the fact in mind that the enforcement of the policy outlined in that message would not be popular or politically advantageous, and that with all the clamor about this masterly political stroke, both parties are manifestly disposed, as well they may be, to escape responsibility for the resort to such a course of action. It has been assumed for many years that politicians could prove their Americanism by demonstrating their anti-British sentiments, and that there was no more profitable occupation for a candidate during the campaign than twisting the British lion's tail, but be this as it may, and unworthy and undignified as it must be under any circumstances, no one can be so blind or so foolish as to suppose that partisan advantage could be gained by disturbing our trade relations with Canada. Certainly the President had no such idea, and certainly the Senate has no disposition to assume the responsibility for compelling a resort to non-intercourse.

The pretext for retaliation is the defense of fishing interests amounting to only a small percentage of our trade with Canada. The consequence of non-intercourse is a disastrous blow to interests so diverse and so far-reaching that it is impossible to calculate the loss. It is doubtful whether the powers to whom the interests of the American people are entrusted could betray their trust more seriously in any other way than by causing a breach between the United States and Canada. Since the awful war for the preservation of the unity of our own land there have been few, if any, more important questions than whether the nations of the Western world are to steadily grow into closer relations of friendship, inter-communication and inter-dependence, or whether they are to be drawn apart by the short-sighted devices of politicians, the blunders of incompetent diplomatists, and the subordination of the great issues of American destiny to the petty struggle for partisan advantage.

True statesmanship on both sides of the border has always recognized the obligation to prevent obstruction to increasing intimacy between the United States and Canada. Although political and even commercial union might seem so far distant as to be only a dream, friendship, growing intimacy and expanding trade are matters of the present and are features of the natural order of things upon which the wholesome public sentiment of the two countries insists. Differences and disputes have been deprecated always, and those of the past have not seriously interfered with the development of intimate relations. Now, when Canada has shown most disposition to reciprocate advances, and when the two countries have been linked together by so strong a chain of mutual interests the proposition to strike an unnecessary blow and undo all that has been done in promoting this alliance, is so unworthy of statesmanship, so false to the interests of the people, and so indefensible politically and commercially that the execution of such a policy can hardly be regarded as among the possibilities. If such a course was adopted unnecessarily it would be popularly condemned with an emphasis fatal politically to any party responsible for the resort to such a disastrous expedient.

Grover Will Be Restrained.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Grover Cleveland and his co-workers in the House will not be permitted to wage war against Canada.

The Third Party Has Hopes.

From the Montreal Herald.

We may therefore anticipate a steady revival of commerce—the improvement being as much of a permanent character as there is fair reason to hope for.

Hydra-headed Monopoly.

From the Winnipeg Sun.

Throughout the discussion that has taken place upon the Northern Pacific contract, a great deal has been said by the enemies of the contract about two monopolies, instead of one, being fastened upon the Province by the ratification of the agreement.

THE MONTREAL BUCKET SHOPS.

Warrants Against Paquette and Hanrahan & Co. Issued Yesterday.

MONTREAL, Sept. 5.—The war against the bucket shops, so long impending, seems at last to have come to a crisis here. Two warrants were issued to-day by Judge Desnoyers, one against J. C. Paquette and the other against Hanrahan & Co. The warrants accuse Paquette and Hanrahan of keeping a bucket shop, contrary to statute, and empowering all police officers to raid their premises. The information was laid by a citizen who claims to have been swindled at one of the establishments.

The lifeless body of Narcisse Dagenais, a quarryman employed at Valliere quarry at Cote St. Louis, was found in another quarry at 6.30 this morning. He is supposed to have fallen into the quarry, which is 28 feet deep, last night at a late hour while crossing an embankment on his way home. Dagenais was 57 years of age and has been employed at the Valliere quarry for 30 years.

In the Court of Queen's Bench to-day Edmund Berard was found guilty of neglecting to provide for his wife and family. Sentence, however, was suspended on his promise of paying $5 weekly to his wife and to discontinue drinking.

The Committee of Investigation appointed by Temple Emmanuel to investigate the charges brought by Mrs. Schynman against Rabbi Marks of improprieties has concluded its labors and prepared a report which says that after examining witnesses and hearing the denial of the reverend gentleman and there being no proof in corroboration, the charge made is not proved and he is freed therefrom.

A young son of Mr. Dupuy, seed merchant of this city, who was on a shooting expedition on the Upper Gatineau with a friend, was accidentally shot in the back by miscomrade and is not expected to live.

The city detectives have been busily engaged trying to find S. O. Dupree, cashier of the Lyons Bank of Lyons, Kan., who is supposed to have left Lyons with some $100,000 of the bank's funds and directed his course towards Montreal.

The best tonic known, Dyer's Quinine and Iron Wine for neuralgia, indigestion, want of appetite and general debility. Sold by all druggists. Prepared by W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal. 486

BLACK AND WHITE.

The Right of a Negro to Have a White Wife in Pennsylvania.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 5.—Some months ago James Bentley, a young negro, formed the acquaintance of Annie Barker, a handsome white girl living near Lime Ridge. She fell in love with him, and he proposing marriage she accepted. She was under age, and finding it impossible in consequence to get a marriage license, they began living together as man and wife. Last Saturday the girl's parents caused the arrest of Bentley for ruining their daughter.

At the hearing before Justice Knorr at Berwick, Miss Barker and her dusky lover announced that they were willing and anxious to get married then and there, but the girl's mother vigorously objected, declaring that she would rather see her daughter in the grave than the wife of a "darky." Young Bentley was then committed to jail. The prisoner's counsel says he will have him brought up on a writ of habeas corpus to test whether there exists any law that can prevent two young people from getting married and legitimatizing a child.

Bargains in Wet Weather Goods.

Another bold stroke enables McKendry to sell Ladies and Misses' Waterproof Cloaks for 39c. and 49c. each. These are ordinary unlined cloaks worth $1.25. Then comes a better line worth $1.75 we sell for 69c. each. These prices only last as long as this line holds out. McKendry & Co., 278 Yonge-street.

Belligerent Windsor Officials.

WINDSOR, Sept. 5.—For some time there has been bad blood between certain town officials and yesterday it culminated in two fisticuff combats, in the first of which Fred. Davis, son of Ald. Davis, struck Waterworks Engineer Hall a terrific blow on the eye. Hall struck back and for a minute or two a vigorous round was fought, after which bystanders interfered. After Hall's injuries were attended to he walked into the Waterworks office and attacked Ald. Davis. A lively scrimmage ensued and both men were bleeding freely when separated.

TORONTO FAIR.—Inspect our Exhibition stable (opposite Horse Ring). It contains Tisdale's Brantford Iron Stable Fittings. Horses fed by clock work.

Gotham Wants to Be the Silver Market.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 5.—A syndicate of New Yorkers and Europeans has been formed which has for its object the uniting of the silver production of Mexico with that of the United States, so as to make the silver market in New York instead of London. It is stated that Mr. Jordan of the Western National Bank, New York, is the moving spirit in the enterprise.

Murdered for Money.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 5.—Information has been received of the murder at Rock Springs, Wyoming, of S. Morris Wain, of this city, and Chas. Livingston Strong, of New York. Both were wealthy young men and had been in the habit of going to the far west on hunting trips. The young men are supposed to have been murdered by their guide. Their bodies were stripped of money and valuables.

ANOTHER EASY VICTORY.

THE TORONTOS SWELL THEIR BATTING AVERAGE.

Other Championship Games Yesterday—Trotting at Hartford and New Hamburg—Racing at Sheepshead Bay—On the Tennis Courts—Cricket at Whitby.

The Torontos gained another easy victory over the Bisons yesterday. About 800 spectators witnessed the game, and although it was somewhat one-sided the fielding of both teams was brilliant, several difficult running fly catches fairly made rendered the sport interesting.

It was the Champs' batting day, and Fanning, who was in the box for Buffalo, was unable to keep the ball away from the Toronto bats, and was pounded hard. Oldfield and Burke's stick work was exceptionally good, the former having a home run, a three-bagger and a single to his credit, while the little right fielder, out of four times at bat secured four hits, including a double. President McConnell presented Oldfield with $10 for making his home run to which "Davy" doffed his cap on receiving the money. Though Fanning was hit freely, his support was excellent, Kappell's work being very brilliant.

Shepherd pitched with fine effect for the home team and but for Kearns' error would have whitewashed the visitors. The best Buffalo batters fell victims to the little twirler. Lehane twice striking out. What hits were made by the Bisons were so scattered that they availed them nothing. The Toronto's stick work and the brilliant fielding of Mansell and Kappell were the features of the game.

McLaughlin opened the game with a hit to Fanning who retired him at first. Then Connors rapped the ball along the left foul line for a base and was advanced to second, when Burke came in contact with the ball and was given his base. A passed ball allowed Connors to reach third and Burke second, the former scoring on Hartnett's fly to Grant, on which Burke went to third, scoring on Oldfield's single along the right foul line. Rickley sent a grounder to Reidy and was retired at first.

Kearns secured a run in the second inning. He opened with a hit to the infield, which he beat out, stole second and reached third on Mansell's going out to Lehane. Shepherd singled and Kearns crossed the plate. The Toronto pitcher tried to steal second and was caught and McLaughlin struck out, retiring the side.

Three more runs were added in the third inning which Connors opened with another hit along the left foul line. Burke followed with another single and Connors to second, reaching third on Hartnett's fly to Kappell. Oldfield then rapped the ball along the right foul line to the fence for three bases, and both Connors and Burke scored. Rickley failed to know what a fortunate bargain he had secured. So far as being thoroughly well cared for and looked after went, the colt could not have fallen into better hands to be developed and the effects of it all made itself painfully manifest to the thirteen other high class competitors that entered the lists against him on Monday.

Though as yet only two years of age, he has been successful in piling up what would appear to many a snug fortune. His winn nge, reckoning as follows, are:

West Side Stakes, Nashville	$ 840
Alexander Stakes, Louisville	1,500
Kenwood Stakes, Chicago	2,900
Junior Champion Stakes, Monmouth Park	20,925
Equity Stakes, Saratoga	1,976
Futurity Stakes	61,610
	$89,710

Racing at Sheepshead Bay.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY, Sept. 5.—The following are results of the Coney Island Jockey Club races here to-day:

First race—Sweepstakes 7 furlongs. Leo H won, Oconee 2, Belle D'or 3. Time—1.28 3-4.

Second race—Autumn Sweepstakes for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs. Fresno won, Diablo 2, Blue Rock 3. Time—1.15.

Third race—Omnium Handicap, 1½ miles. Climax won, Badge 2, Gallifet 3. Time 1.55 2-5.

Fourth race—Purse $600, 7 furlongs. Grenadier won, Laredo 2, Jennie McFarland 3. Time, 1.27 4-5.

Fifth race—Sweepstakes, 1 mile. Long Dance won, Proxmire 2, King 3. Time, 1.44.

Sixth race—Grass Selling Stakes, 1 mile. Long Branch won, Ballston 2, Lucy H. 3. Time, 1.43.

Trotting at New Hamburg.

NEW HAMBURG, Sept. 5.—The fall races of the New Hamburg Driving Park Association commence to-day. There was a large attendance. Summaries:

2.34 Class—Purse $150; divided.

B. Barnes' (St. Thomas) Mabel B	1	1	1
J. Nixon's (Owen Sound) Dandwood	2	2	2
A. Middaugh's (Smithville) Grey Tom	3	3	4
A. Peal's (Paris) Puzzle	4	4	3
G. Well's Lady Amber	dis		

Time—2.37, 2.34¼, 2.37.

Three-minute-class, purse $125, divided.

W. O. Goodwin's (Fort Huron) Lizzie G	4	1	1
F. P. Barrett's (Rampler) Hamiltonian King	1	2	2
C. Lowell's (Galt) Lady Gibson	2	3	3
H. Wheeler's (Orono) Maggie B	3	4	4
D. S. McMillan's (Erin) King Imperial	5	dis	
C. Everett's (Hagersville) Jennie Vincent	6	dis	

Time 2.40¼, 2.40¼, 2.38, 2.38.

Named race—Purse, $100.

Hamilton Stock (Stratford) Highland Johnnie

C. Meyer's (Sheffield) Honest Dutchman	1	1	1
A. Hunt's (New Hamburg) Woodworth	4	4	4
D. Carling's (Shakespeare) Harkaway	2	2	2
B. H. Hicks (Richmond Hill) Billy	3	3	3
J. Kock's (New Hamburg) Molly	dis		
C. Everett's (Hagersville) Imperial Messenger	dis		

Time—2.50, 2.50¼, 2.48, 2.51.

The Sawbones Beaten at Whitby.

WHITBY, Sept. 5.—A match between the Sawbones of Toronto and Whitby was played after all, resulting in a victory for the home team, on the result of the first innings. The match by mistake was booked for Thursday by the home team, but in order that the Sawbones should not have an idle day, Judge Dartnell organized a scratch team on very short notice, and the result was a very pleasant game.

SAWBONES.

First Innings.		*Second Innings.*	
Bascom, c Hilker, b Gold	21	b Gold	7
Stevenson, c Campbell, b Gold	9	c Pelham, b Campbell	4
E. A. Anderson, c Snow b Gold	0	run out	16
Payne, b Campbell	0	b Mathesson	2
Burns, b Campbell	2	b Gold	8
Burt, c Snow, b Campbell	4	b Matheson	2
Brey, b Gold	0	b Matheson	0
Nevitt, b Gold	0	b Gold	1
Smith, b Campbell	2	not out	0
Maxwell, b Campbell	1	b Gold	0
D. W. Cameron, not out	0	b Gold	0
Extras	4	Extras	14
Total	43	Total	56

WHITBY.

First Innings.	
Matheson, b Stevenson	3
Snow, b Stevenson	0
Pelham, b Stevenson	11
Gold, b and c Stevenson	8
Snow, c Bascom	3
Campbell, b Bascom	8
D. McCullough, c Burns	6
W. McGillivary, c Nevitt, b Bascom	6
Bryan, bid Cameron	0
Elliker, c Macbell, b Cameron	12
Rice, not out	26
Extras	4
Total	74

The Tennis Tourney.

The score of the second day's play in the Toronto Lawn Tennis club tournament is as follows:

SINGLES.

Second Round.

Wood beat Featherstonhaugh ..... 6—3, 6—3
Hayes beat Gillespie ..... 6—4, 6—2
R. Mackenzie beat Macklem ..... 6—3, 6—3
Torrance beat Davies ..... 6—3, 6—1
Wood beat Hayes ..... 6—3, 6—3
Torrance beat R. Mackenzie ..... 6—4, 6—4

DOUBLES.

Torrance and Mackenzie beat McEwen and Hargraft ..... 6—2, 6—3
Wood and Davies beat Torrance and Mackenzie ..... 2—6, 6—4, 6—2
Kirkpatrick and partner beat Hayes and Hollyer ..... 6—4, 6—4

The final of the "All-Comers" will be played at 11.30 this morning between Messrs. Wood and Torrance, the best out of five sets. The winner of this match will be entitled to play Mr. Hyman for the championship.

The final round of the doubles will be played in the afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock, between Messrs. Wood and Davies and Kirkpatrick and partner.

Teemer Finishes in Front.

HAMMONDS PORT, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Several thousand people swarmed in the village to witness the rowing contest in which Teemer, Hamm and Ten Eyck took part. The lake was obstinately rough all the afternoon until 5 o'clock, when it calmed down beautifully. The race was a mile and a half and turn. Teemer won in 20.10, Hamm a good second.

The Toronto Sculler Defeated.

ORILLIA, Sept. 5.—The amateur boat race between Colon Ralston, of Orillia, and James Rice, of Toronto, which was rowed here to-day, resulted in a victory for the Orillia man by five feet. Time—10.21.

Lacrosse Points.

At Bright yesterday, for the Western District championship, Stratford defeated the home team by three games to none.

The Brants of Paris defeated the Athletics of St. Catharines at the former place yesterday by 10 games to none in 10, 6, 6 and 10 minutes respectively.

TORONTO.	1	2	3	4	5	R	BUFFALO.	1	2	3	4	5	R
M'Leg'hlinne	0	0	0	4	1	1	Hamburg, lf.	0	0	2	1	0	3
Connors, lf.	2	2	2	0	1	7	Lehane, 1b.	0	0	1	12	0	0
Burke, rf.	2	2	2	0	0	6	Carroll, cf.	0	0	1	2	0	0
Hartnett, 1b.	0	0	1	0	0	1	Reidy, 3b.	0	0	1	6	0	0
Oldfield, c.	1	2	1	1	0	5	Burns, rf.	0	0	1	1	0	0
Rickley, 3b.	0	1	2	4	0	7	Birmingham, c.	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kearns, 2b.	1	1	1	0	0	3	Kappell, rf.	0	0	1	3	1	0
Mansell, c.f.	0	2	1	1	0	4	Welch, c.	0	0	1	1	0	0
Shepherd, p.	0	1	1	7	0	9	Fanning, p.	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	8	18	12	16	3	43	Totals	1	3	12	27	1	4

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.
Toronto	2	1	3	0	1	0	0	1	—	8
Buffalo	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—	1

Earned runs—Toronto 8; Buffalo 0. Two base hits—Stovey, Grant. Three base hit—Oldfield. Home run—Oldfield. Stolen bases—Burke 3, Rickley, Kearns, Mansell, Hamburg, Kappell. Double play—Kappell to Bittman. Bases on balls—Harnett, Mansell, Fanning 2. Hit by pitched ball—Burke, Rickley, Reidy. Struck out—McLaughlin, Lehane 2, Grant, Welch, Fanning. Passed balls—Welch 1. Time of game—1.55. Umpire—Curry.

Other International Association Games.

At Hamilton:

									R.	H.	E.
Hamilton	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	8	2
London	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	8	2

Batteries—Wood and Thayer; Husted and Kinslow. Umpire—Kmelle.

At Albany:

									R.	H.	E.
Albany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Rochester	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1

Batteries—Abbott and Weckbecker; Callihan and McCall. Umpire—Brennan.

At Troy:

									R.	H.	E.
Troy	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	3	6	4
Syracuse	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	2

Batteries—Soering and Wright; Bishop and Shellhase. Umpire—Decker.

National League Games.

At New York:

										R.	H.	E.
New York	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	— 6	10	2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 1	7	7

Batteries—Welch and Ewing; Saunders and Schriver. Umpire—Kelly.

At Boston:

										R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	3	0	4	1	5	0	0	0	—13	16	14
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	— 4	10	3

Batteries—Clarkson and Kelly; Whitney and Arundel. Umpire—Valentine.

At Chicago:

										R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	2	1	1	6	1	0	—10	12	3
Detroit	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	— 3	7	5

Batteries—Tener and Farrell; Beatin and Wells. Umpire—Lynch.

At Indianapolis:

										R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	— 4	9	5
Pittsburg	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 2	8	4

Batteries—Burdick and Buckley; Morris and Fields. Umpire—Daniels.

American Association Games.

At Philadelphia:

										R.	H.	E.
Athletics	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	— 3	9	1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 0	4	4

Batteries—Seward and Robinson; Werrling and Keenan. Umpire—Doescher.

At Brooklyn:

										R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	— 2	3	4
St. Louis	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	— 6	8	5

Batteries—Caruthers and Clark; King and Boyle. Umpire—Goldsmith.

At Cleveland:

										R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2	0	0	5	2	1	3	0	0	—14	13	3
Louisville	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	— 2	6	6

Batteries—O'Brien and McGuire; Cowell and Cook. Umpire—Ferguson.

At Baltimore:

										R.	H.	E.
Baltimore	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	— 6	6	1
Kansas City	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	— 3	6	1

Batteries—Cunningham and Cantz; Porter and Donohue. Umpire—Gaffney.

The Standing of the Clubs.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.		Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Toronto	71	26	.732	London	46	68	.486
Syracuse	61	28	.717	Buffalo	41	54	.431
Hamilton	59	39	.602	Utica	36	70	.340
Rochester	52	41	.559	Albany	17	78	.178

NATIONAL LEAGUE. AM. ASSOCIATION.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
New York	67	36	St. Louis	70	38
Chicago	59	46	Athletics	64	37
Boston	55	47	Cincinnati	60	42
Detroit	54	48	Brooklyn	53	44
Philadelphia	52	50	Baltimore	43	52
Pittsburg	49	53	Cleveland	41	60
Washington	38	66	Louisville	33	64
Indianapolis	39	66	Kansas City	34	68

Games To-day.

International Association:—London at Hamilton.

National League: No games scheduled.

American Association: Cincinnati at Cleveland, St. Louis at Baltimore, Kansas City at Philadelphia.

Exhibition game: Washington at Buffalo.

Dust From the Diamond.

The Torontos have no game till Saturday when they play at Rochester.

Buffalo has lost thirteen games to Toronto.

Doc Shepherd goes into the box now confident of victory. And he gets there.

Pitcher Atkisson is recovering from his illness.

The Champs will leave here for Rochester to-morrow.

THE GRAND CIRCUIT MEETING AT HARTFORD.

The Pennsylvania Gelding Spofford Wins The Guarantee Stake.

HARTFORD, Sept. 5.—The attendance at Charter Oak Park to-day was about 10,000. The fourth heat of the unfinished 2.22 race was taken by Gean Smith in 2.18¼. Protection won the fifth heat and the race in 2.19¾. Summary:

2.22 class.—Trotters. Purse $1500, divided.

Protection	7	1	1	6	1
Gean Smith	1	2	7	1	1
Ernest Maltravers	2	3	2	2	2
Lucille's Baby	3	5	1	3	3
Clara	4	6	4	4	4
W. K.	5	4	5	5	6
Perplexed	6	7	8	7	ds
Olaf	8	8	6	dr	

Time—2.19¼, 2.19¾, 2.22¼, 2.18¼, 2.19¾.

2.30 class. Purse $1000, divided.

Cleon	2	1	5	2	1	1
B. B. Custer	6	2	3	1	2	2
Elda B	1	5	2	4	4	4
Mable S	4	4	1	5	3	3
Idol Gift	8	3	6	6	5	ro
Kennett	5	6	4	3	6	ro
Charlie C	dis					

Time—2.22, 2.23¾, 2.22¼, 2.22¼, 2.22, 2.25¾.

For the next event, the great $10,000 race, the wonderful 2-year-old gelding, Guy, with a record of 2.14¾, was the principal attraction. In the pools he brought $150 to $100 for T. T. S. and $40 for Spofford. Kit Curry had the pole and held a good lead till nearly home, pressed by White Stockings and T. T. S., but Spofford forged for the front and went under the wire a winner in 2.18¾.

The second heat was taken by T. T. S. in a rush with Kit Curry.

The third heat on the first quarter Kit Curry's sulky, driven by H. D. Kyger, collided with Spofford's, driven by J. E. Turner, taking a spoke out of the latter, which prevented Spofford from winning the heat. He took the next heat and the race. During the scoring there was another collision between the same sulkies, throwing both drivers and rendering it necessary to change Spofford's sulky. Summary:

Charter Oak Guaranteed Stake of $10,000, divided.

J. E. Turner's (Amber, Pa.) blk g Spofford, by Kentucky Prince	1	3	1	1
H. D. Kyger's (Dayton, O.) br m Kit Curry	3	1	3	2
E. Stewart's (Topeka, Kan.) ch g T. T. S.	2	2	5	3
E. Stewart's (Kansas City) b g White Stockings	4	4	2	5
Borchert & Schuler's (Allentown, Pa.) b g Thornless	5	5	4	4
W. J. Gordon's (Cleveland) blk g Guy	dis			
J. Bowen's br g Pilot Knob	dis			

Time—2.18¾, 2.19¼, 2.18¾, 2.18¾.

But one heat of the 2.27 trotting class was trotted before darkness rendered a postponement necessary. This was won by Darkness in 2.22¼, Lady Barefoot second.

The free-for-all trot on Friday is declared off, Prince Wilkes having gone west and Favonia being out of condition, instead of the race the Association will offer a special purse for Guy to beat his record.

BETTER THAN A GOLD MINE.

A Total Amount of $30,710 Won by Proctor Knott in Six Races.

Proctor Knott, the hero of the Futurity Stakes, was foaled on April 13, 1886, at the celebrated breeding establishment Belle Meade, Tenn., and at the annual auction of the Belle Meade yearlings, fell to the bid of his present part proprietor, Mr. Sam Bryant. His breeding is essentially typical of his Belle Meade origin, and both on sire and dam's side he is full of blood which is deservedly held in the highest esteem by those who study the intricacies of blood and crosses. His pedigree is as follows:

PROCTOR KNOTT.
- Lake Blackburn
  - Imp. Bonnie Scotland
    - Iago.
    - Queen Mary.
  - Nevada
    - Lexington.
    - Lightsome.
- Tallapoosa.
  - Imp. Great Tom.
    - King Tom.
    - Woodcraft.
  - Capitola
    - Imp. Albion.
    - Damby Wagner.

"At the time of the colt's sale there was, evidently, however, a something which did not please the connoisseur, for he was knocked down at the comparatively low price of $450, and a Mr. Bryant from that day has never singled and Oldfield came home. Kearns forced Rickley out at second and after Mansell hit safe, Shepherd sent up a pop fly to Lehane, retiring the side.

Another run was added in the fifth on Oldfield's long drive to right centre on which he made a circuit of the bases, to the delight of all present.

The last run was secured in the ninth inning, when Burke hit for three bases, stole third and crossed the plate on Rickley's long fly to Kappell.

The Bisons scored their only run in the sixth. Grant drove the ball over third base, on which he reached second, and scored on Kappell's failure to secure Kappell's grounder. The score:

TORONTO.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	BUFFALO.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R
M'Leg'hlinne	0	0	0	4	0	1				1	Hamburg, lf.	0	0	2	1	0	0				3
Connors, lf.	2	2	2	0	1					7	Lehane, 1b.	0	0	1	12	0	0				1
Burke, rf.	2