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TODAY'S MARKETS

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STOCK MARKETS.						
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New York. Oct. 2.						
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Anaconda Open.	dign.	Low.	Close			
Amal. Copper 65½	65%	651/2	65 5/8			
American Sugar Co 12644	127	126	126 1/2			
American Locomotive. 31%	3134	31	313%			
American Foundry 361/2	371/4	361/4	38%			
Atcheson Com 90%	911/4	901/2	905/8			
Atcheson Pfd10134	1021/8	10134	101%			
B. & O	109	1081/4	1083/8			
Brooklyn Tran 65	651/2	64%	64 74			
C.P. R	1381/2	137 1/2	1381/4			
Chicago Gt. Western 31%	53	513%	523/8			
C. F. I 82	85	31¼ 82	31½ 83¾			
Erie 397/2	403%	397/8	40			
Erie Pfd 69	69	6834	6834			
Illinois Central 1531/	1531/4	1531/2	15334			
Jersey Central K. & T. Com., pfd 30% K. & T. Pfd 63 L. & N 139%						
K. & T. Com., pfd 30%	30 7/8	30%	30 3/4			
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Mexican Central 261/2	116	1151/	11534			
Mo. P	159	158	158%			
N. Y. Central	76	735%	753/8			
Ont. and West 34%	3434	34 14	341/2			
Pacific Mail S. S. Co	01/4	01/1				
Pennsylvania164%	165%	1641/4	164%			
People's Gas106	1051/4	1041/2	1051/3			
Reading 713/4	725%	713/4	72			
Reading, Pref 211/2			::			
Republic I. and S 211/2	221/4	211/2	21%			
Rock Island201	2011/8	2001/2	2011/8			
Southern Ry 38 1/8	3958	381/2	391/8			
Southern Ry. Pfd 9634	-574	751%	7514			
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Twin City	10/2	. 10				
r. C. I	691/	6734	68			
U. Pacific 106 /8	106%		1051/8			
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	Canada Life	208	
	London Electric Light, new	104	
	Commercial Cable	175	
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	Dunlop Tire, pref	107	
	W. A. Rogers, pref		
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at 65. 5 at 65½; Dominion Steel, preferred, 25 at 97, 25 at 96, 5 at 96¼, 50 at 97; Coal, 75 at 131, 20 at 132; Dominion Steel bonds, 2,000 at 89¼, 1,000 at 89¼, 2,000 at 89¼, 2,000 at 89¼, 2,000 at 89¼, 3,000 at

People's Loan

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MONTREAL.	
Montreal,	Oct. 2.
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Canadian Pacific, xd	1385
Canadian Pacific, new139%	
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Montreal Street Rallway219	287
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Halifax Street Railway	95
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Twin City Transit Railway123 Twin City Railway, new	1223
Richelieu and Ontario163	103
Commercial Cable, xd 175	103
Commercial Cable, xd	164
Rell Telephone. 169%	164
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xd	96
Montreal Heat, Light & Power. 99	981
Nova Scotia Steel, common 109	100
Detroit Railway, xd 90	89
Detroit Railway, xd 90 Laurentide Pulp 100	95
Montreal Cotton	122
Dominion Cotton 60	59
Canada Colored Cotton	50
Merchants Cotton	70
War Eagle	
Payne	
Republic	
Virtue	
North Star	
National Salt, common	191
Dominion Coal, common, xd 135	131
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Ogilvie Bonds	1.0
Bankof Montreal	259
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Bank of Toronto 249	
Merchants Bank	160
Royal Bank	180
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Quebec Bank 129 Union Bank 139	
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Imperial Bank Northwest Land, pref. Dominion Iron and Steel Ronds. 89%	.::
Northwest Land, pref.	100
Colored Cotton and Steel Ronds. 89%	89
Colored College	93
Toledo Bonds	36
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PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO. TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—Wheat—Steady, at 65c for No. 2 red and 66c for No. 2 white, middle freights; goose, No. 2, at 64c, low freights to New York; spring, 65c for No. 2, middle freights; Manitoba, No. 1 northern sold today at 79c, griding in transit, and No. 1 hard is quoted at 81c, prompt shipment. Flour—Firmer; local exporters quote \$2 62½ for 90 per cent patents, in their bags, east or middle freights, and holders are asking \$2 65; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at \$17 for cars of shorts and \$12 for bran in bulk, east or middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 40c for No. 2, extra, 37c for No. 3, and 35c for feed, middle freights. Rye—Steady; No. 2 at 47c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 61c for Canada yellow west; American, 68c fic, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 616 for Canada yellow west; American, 682 for No. 3 yellow in car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 27½c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 71c for choice milling and 68c to 67c for No. 2 for exports, east or middle freights. Butter—Demand for fine dairy rolls continues active; supply rather small; creamers saling well and market staddy; prices ery selling well and market steady; prices ery selling well and market steady; prices unchanged; creamery prints, 19c to 20c; solids, fresh-made 18c to 19c; earlier make, 17c to 18c; dairy tubs and palls, choice, 15c; medium, 12½c to 14c; common, 11½c to 12c; pound rolls, 15c to 16c; medium, 13c to 15c. Eggs—Steady, at 17c for selected fresh-gathered, 12c to 13c for seconds, and 11c to 12c for chips.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 2.—Oil opened at \$1 22. CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported for the Advertiser by F. H.

Butler, stock broker. Wheat-Dec .. May 47¾ 43¼ 26¾ May Oats-Dec 323/s 15 60 14 47 May 3214

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May 8 17 May ... Pork-Jan... 40 1/2 40 1/8 90 1/2 90 1/2 34 3/4 35 50 51 1/4 93 1/4 93 1/4 28 4/4 90½ 35 51¼ 93½ 28¼ Lard-Jan. May.... Ribs-Jan. ... ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool Oct. 2.-Wheat-Spot. No: 2 red western winter dull, 5s 10d: No. 1 northern spring firm, 6s 7s; No. 1 Califor-nia firm, 6s 5d. Futures quiet; Dec., nia firm, 6s 5d. Futures quiet; Dec., 5s 95d; March, 5s 97d. Corn-Spot quiet; American mixed, 5s 9d. Futures quiet; Oct., 5s 47d; Jan., 5s 24d; March, 4s.

Peas-Canadian quiet, 6s 8d.

Flour-St. Louis fancy winter quiet, 8s 3d.

8s 3d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast, new and old crop, firm, f6 10s to f7.

Beef—Strong; extra India mess, 110s.
Pork—Prime mess western strong, 92s 6d. 92s 6d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 66s; short ribs 16 ot 24 lbs, strong, 66s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28

to 34 lbs, firm, 63s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 63s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 59s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 65s 6d; shoul-ders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 54s.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Friday, Light Rain, Continued Cool FORECASTS. Today-Winds, freshening from southwest and west; mostly cloudy. Friday—Westerly winds; light rain early

TALES OF LONDON TOWN

TRAINMASTER AT STRATFORD. Mr. John Irwin, late of the Denver made trainmaster of the G. T. R. lines north of Stratford, with headquarters at Stratford.

DIXON-GEARY. Rev. R. F. Dixon, rector of Wolfville, N. S., and formerly of the Diocese of Huron, was married last Wednesday to Miss Bessie Geary, granddar Grove, London Township.

HARD LABOR FOR STEALING. At the police court this morning Joseph Allen, the young man who pleaded guilty to stealing a purse from his employer at the fair, was sentenced to 50 days' imprisonment at hard labor.

STUDENTS ELECT OFFICERS. The students of the third year at the medical school elected their officers for the ensuing year yesterday. Mr. Wynn Anderson was elected president, Mr. Ed Spence vice-president, Mr. J. Agnew secretary, and Mr. John Gunn

CHALLENGE TO O.L.H.P.A.

John A. Nicholls Dares Liquor Men to Public Debate.

No Reply to the Challenge rias Been Received Yet.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 2 .- The Dominion Alliance lecturer, John A. Nicholls, has created a stir in temperance and antiprohibition circles by issuing a chal-lenge to Edwin Dickie, secretary of the Ontario License Holders' Protective Association, or any speaker Mr. Dickie may depute, to have half the time to discuss the Ontario liquor act at any of Mr. Nicholls' referendum campaign meetings in the province. Mr. Nicholls is billed to address a series of mass meetings in Toronto next week, and the outcome of the challenge is awaited with interest. Mr. Nicholls is the prohibition speaker who debated with Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, E. King Dodds and others in the SALES: Q P. R., 125 at 128, 10 at 139; Dominion plebiscite.

CARBOLIC ACID AND DIES | Sir Wilfrid Leaves Paris Accom- | Antique Copper and Ornamental Bronze Goods,

Sad Fate of a Pretty Seventeen- ly sent for. He in turn summoned Dr. Year-Old Girl.

Bright and High-Spirited She Despairs After Lovers' Quarrel.

ideals imbibed from a long course of another maiden; a morbid exaggera- being written at 11:30 p.m., and are the elements which make the to the two other letters and

street. She was of pleasing personal she had been displeased with him, be-cause of some attentions which she sult of a love affair, and said no one accused him of paying to another girl. was to blame in any way. Three weeks ago Minnie went to work as a domestic at No. 270 Central ing light-heartedly the while. She told her mistress, however, that she had decided not to go to a party to which she had been invited, and which was fixed for tonight.

first time her mistress had ever seen solicitously:
"Why, Minnie, what's the matter?"
"The girl laying her

The mistress, thinking that the girl's by it, distress would soon pass away, ad-vised her to go to bed. Minnig then Crown Attorney Magee, decided that no went upstairs to her room. Twenty inquest was necessary. minutes later, the mistress went to the door of the bedroom and gave Minnie directions about a grocery order for the morning, and the girl answered in an apparently cheerful voice. The family then retired to rest. At 7 o'clock this morning the mis-tress of the house heard the doorbell

sleeps at home. She arose and went to Minnie's bedroom for the purpose of calling her, when she was should be should be she was should be she was should be shou of calling her, when she was shocked to see the girl lying on her bed, fully dressed, with her tongue protruding from her mouth, and with a bottle of carbolic acid standing near. The mistress at once summoned her husband, and Dr. Eccles was hurried-

Neu, and together they administered emetics. The effort was successful, but | Had Several Conferences With Foreign the poison had aiready done its work, and at 10:30 death ended the girl's suffering. She had been unconscious from the time she was discovered by her mistress, and probably for the greater part of the night. Coroner Piper, the Goudy family

and Richard Howard, were all notified the guests of Lord Aberdeen, the ex-A bright and winsome girl, barely of the affair. Coroner Piper at once budding into womanhood, high-spirited, proceeded to investigate the circumvolatile and with pseudo-romantic stances. In the girl's room was found conferences at the foreign ministery, three letters, one addressed to her concerning a Franco-Canadian treaty three letters, one addressed to her mother, one to Richard Howard, and novel-reading; a lover whom she sup- one to her mistress. One of the two posed to have been too attentive to first mentioned letters was timed as tion of a trivial lover's tiff, and the other at 11:40. The letter to her tion of a trivial lover's tiff, and the easily obtained bottle of poison—these later, as in it she referred suicide of little Minnie Goudy a particularly sad one.

The unfortunate victim of her own rash folly was the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. James Goudy, of 188 Albert the other civil a girl, but she did not want to live any longer. In the letter to her lover she asked that they be given to the addressees. In the latter letter Minnie said she was sorry to leave her mistress without a girl, but she did not want to live any longer. In the letter to her lover she asked that they be given to the addressees. the other girl, and expressed the hope appearance, and was of a sunny disposition. For three years she had She also expressed the wish that he "kept company" with Richard Howard, a young cigarmaker, who lives at 197 She asked that no postmortem be Queen's avenue. Of late, it appears, made upon her body. In all the letters made upon her body. In all the letters she referred to her action as the re-

The coroner and the attendant physicians are of the opinion that the avenue. Here she became greatly latter statement is true. There liked by her mistress on account of are no indications of any wrongdoing

till last night. Before going out to finishing her letters, drank a quantimeet Mr. Howard at 8 o'clock, she per-formed her work in the kitchen, sing-a small bottle of the poison several days a small bottle of the poison several days ago, and showed it to young Howard, saying it was for toothache. In her letter to him, however, she said she meant to use it with suicidal intent. The Minnie was out for about three doctors were unable to find any trace of hours, coming in just at 11 o'clock. the bottle which contained laudanum. Her mistress met her and noticed that They think that the girl, finding that the she had been crying. This was the laudanum was not producing unconsciousness as soon as she expected, went the girl in low spirits and she inquired to the bathroom and procured a bottle of carbolic acid, kept there for disinfect-"Oh," sobbed the girl, laying her head on her mistress' shoulder, "I've of the laudanum bottle. She evidently just been reading a letter, and it took about 11/2 ounces of the acid, and her mouth and lips were badly burned

Coroner Piper has discovered that the dead girl, Minnie Goudy, purchased two drachms of laudanum at a north end she wanted it to relieve pain. In her

the effects of the carbolic acid she died. Her eyes were dilated by the laudanum she took. Had she been discovered soon after,

taking the poison, her life might have been saved.

HOW JULIA ARTHUR LEARNED THE ART OF SKATING

It is not generally known that Julia small slender girl of 16 or 17 years, lionaire Cheney, of Boston, was look-ed upon as a lady of quality, learned Bandmann himself she was playfully very old-will recall with feelings perhaps not unmixed with pain the days gracefully, and with much squeaking clatter, on roller skates. The roller Bazan." entirely, one of her favorite roles being that of Lazarillo in "Don Caesar de rinks were filled nightly and pedestrithe sidewalk. The young fellow who his best girl, pawned the silver watch matrons and staid business men acquired the rolling habit, and presently it looked as if the good old art of walking was about to be forgotten and that men and women would roll to church in the company. and business.

Louise Beaudet were playing to good on going traveling.

The fact has been recalled before, yet | business in the theaters of the United Arthur, who, before she married Mil- whose wonderful dark eyes had quite roller skating in the Princess rink in this city. The indulgent reader, if he Arthur. To the great theater-going be old enough—and he need not be so public this "Little Gipsy" was unknown. "The profession" looked upon her as a most promising young emotional actress, and how far they were when roller skating was the fad, cr, justified in the opinion now everyone rather, the craze. The whole world knows. "Little Gipsy" was at that stage of her career playing boys' parts entirely, one of her favorite roles being

It chanced that the Bandmann-Beauans were daily knocked down by small boys, who dashed madly up and down play a week's engagement, and with them came "Little Gipsy," who evinced hadn't the ready cash to buy skates for so much interest in roller skating that she was taken in hand by members of "passing." Middle-aged the company and given instruction in the anything but graceful art. But don she left quite the prettiest skater

The fair Clorinda hasn't forgotten

MRS. DEMMERY'S COMPLETE DISAPPEARANCE UNSOLVED

daughter of the late John Geary, Ce- Not a Single Trace of the Lost the affair has made a new man of dar Grove, London Township. Woman Has Yet Been Obtained.

> dering why their mother does not He says that Mrs. Demmery's whole home-leaving and disappearance of his wife, who went away, as is generally largery larger by the Friday as is generally and her husband says that he always he is asked over and over again, appearance. Where is mother? The father says communicated with at intervals, but that they had never known what it none of them have hard or seen the was to be parted from their mother missing woman. Detective Nickle, an till now, and although the mysterious unusually astute officer, has been circumstances of the case have not working on the case, but he confesses to suspect that there is something been baffled, but he is more inclined strange in connection with her going to believe that Mrs. Demmery is alive away, and refuse to listen to words of than dead. It is said that once before to see her come home again, says that in London.

An important gathering of the Roman Catholic hierarchy is in conference at Ottawa.

him, and if his wife returns, as he believes she will, he says she will never have cause to regret it. Not the slightest clue has yet offered

itself to the police or to Mr. Demmery and the friends who have been assisting him in trying to find his wife. The Four small children, the eldest of suicide theory was hinted at, but the whom is only 10 years old, wait at their husband absolutely refuses to put the cottage home on William street, won- least grain of faith in such a story. nature was against such action. Mrs. come back to them, and William Demmery had not been acting strange-Demmery, the father and husband, is ly before her disappearance, and her wholly at a loss to explain the strange husband holds that it was in a fit of known, last Friday, and has dropped gave in at the last to her arguments. from sight as completely as though They had frequently had words, but the earth had opened and swallowed never of a serious nature, and their home was a happy one. Mrs. Demher. The four children watch eagerly mery was passionately fond of her for their mother's return, and when children, who have been under the their father comes home from work care of her sister-in-law since her dis-

Relatives of the family have been

-Those who have not heard the Rev. Thomas Wilson in his lecture on the "Life of Dr. Paton in the South Seas," will have an opportunity to lo

panied by Lady Laurier.

Ministry.

Paris, Oct. 1.-Premier Laurier, of Canada, and Lady Laurier left Paris today for Scotland, where they will be Governor-General of Canada. The Premier while here, had several of commerce, but the results have not

RAIN CAUSED COMBUSTION

yet transpired.

G. T. R. Coal Piles Have Narrow Escape From Fire.

Steam Arose From Them and Was BOY HAD NARROW ESCAPE Luckily Taken for Smoke.

Recent rain soaking into the large coal piles at the east end yards of the Grand Trunk brought about spontaneous combustion last night, and badly scared the officials, who feared that they would lose some of their precious her happy disposition, her neatness and her willingness. Nothing unusual was noticed about her demeanor up to be steam, was noticed pouring from the piles, and after an investigation orders were given to deluge the piles with water. This was done, and the destruction of the coal piles was pre-vented. The officials aver that spontaneous combustion had developed in the bottom of the coal pile.

GIVES REASON FOR DELAY

London Armory.

It Was Expected That Tenders Would Be Invited This Week.

It is understood that tenders for the construction of the armory and drill drug store a few days ago, saying that hall in this city will be called for at no very distant date. It was expected pathetic letter to her sweetheart she said | that they would be required before this, and Mr. C. S. Hyman, M. P., has been in frequent communication with the Ottawa authorities regarding it. He received a letter this morning from public works department, who explains the delay as follows:

"In reply to yours of the 29th inst. I beg to say that the plans of the London drill hall are now ready. It was expected that tenders would be invited this week, but the specifications are still in the hands of the King's Printer. I may say that the matter is receiving special attention."

CHICAGOAN WEDDED HERE

Mr. Malcolm McAlpine Married to Miss Lizzie Saunders.

Pretty Marriage Solemnized in Presence of Immediate Friends.

A quiet wedding, only the immediate friends of the two families interested being present, took place at the residence of Mr. Jacob Saunders, No. 567 married by Rev. C. C. Owen, rector of flowers.

The bride presented a charming picmums and carnations. The wedding presents were numer-

for a short tour in the west, before settling in their home in Chicago. Mrs. McAlpine has many friends in London who will wish her much happiness.

HAVE GIRLS ORGANIZED?

Union Said to Have Been Formed by Them.

Waitresses in It and It's Thought Idea Will Spread.

The dreadful news has gone forth

that a union has been formed among the waitresses of this city, and that there is some danger that the notion of amalgamating may spread so that trict (between Hamilton and Port the union will inclue the servant girls Dover), 20th district (between Buffalo of amalgamating may spread so that discouraging news comes says that a day or so ago a number of local hotelwaitresses for permission to have the been made known to them, they seem that up to the present time he has evening to themselves. He says that some time later they met at a down- the old order of things is now restored. town hall and 24 charter members were comfort from relatives or their father. she left her home after having had initiated into the mysteries of the Mrs. Demmery, her husband says, some words with her husband, and union. A particularly winsome waitseemed to live for her children, and said that when he wanted her he ress was addressed by The Advertiser they were given everything they could send for her. She stayed that this morning and asked if this was asked from her, and caressed and time at the home of a friend in the really true. She said that she had petted by her when they were with city, and one theory entertained is promised not to tell anything about it, her. Her husband, whose only wish is that she is still living somewhere here that it was a secret, and all the persuasiveness of this great family journal's representative failed to get he: to say anything about the new union. She did say, however, that there was no truth in the runor that they had decided to take this course, so as to The population of Hamilton, according to the assessment, is 54,035. The assessed value is lower than last year.

So tonight, as he gives it in the First give their employers a warm time during to the assessment, is 54,035. The assessed value is lower than last year.

So tonight, as he gives it in the First give their employers a warm time during the days when coal is scarce. The splendidly illustrated. very fact that this one girl refrained Germanic...... New York...... Liverpool

PREMIER OFF TO SCOTLAND OOE Doz. Locks, Knobs, Bolts, Etc.,

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Meat Choppers, capacity 1 lb per minute, \$1.25; Wringers, \$2.50; Sweepers, \$2.00; Raisin Seeders, 60c.

Cowan's Hardware, Dundas St.

from speaking further, even after having promised to keep it a secret, shows the tremendous effect that the union may be expected to have upon them. The seven or eight men in town who have been able to keep a servant girl since the cold weather has forced them to give out a large part of their income for coal, regard the new order with dismay, and say that if the girls ask for an increase they will have to by Police Magistrate Love during the break up their happy homes and go

Fred Scott Fell Under Wheels of Street Car.

Received Slight Injuries, Speed of Car Being Slow.

Fred Scott, a boy employed at Pocock's shoe store, had as narrow an Pocock's shoe store, had as narrow an the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold escape for his life as will likely fall by Druggists in every part of the world. to his lot while riding his higyele on the sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" to his lot, while riding his bicycle on | Be sure and as | Soothing Syrup. Central avenue yesterday afternoon. A recent illness had left the boy with a sort of nervousness, which at times affected his neck so that his head fell forward on his chest. It was during ply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 forward on his chest. It was during

one of these spells that he slipped and fell almost in front of a belt line car, which, however, was luckily moving at Chief Architect Ewart Writes Re a slow rate of speed after having allowed a passenger to alight. As it was he was struck in the head and slightly injured. Had the car been going much faster the boy would undoubtedly have been maimed or killed. He will be able to be around again in a few days.

ELECTED NEW OFFICERS

Coal Employes' inion, No. 7483, Hold Anr al Meeting.

At the last regular meeting of the Coal Employes' Union, No. 7483, held in the Edge block, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Walter Parker; vice-president, John Beal; financial secretary, Mr. D. Ewart, chief architect, of the Josph Davies; recording secretary, Albert Butter; treasurer, Horace Land;

COUNTY WILL WANT COAL

Problem of Heating County Buildings Confronts Committee.

The jail committee and the board of road directors of the county council will meet on Monday next at 10:30 a.m. The board will consider certain bridge matters, while the committee will debate the problem of securing coal to heat the courthouse, jail and county building for the year.

DIED AT ADVANCED AGE

Mrs. Letitia Weir Lived Many Years in Dorchester.

Mrs. Letitia B. Weir, widow of the late Joseph Weir, of Dorchester, and for many years a pioneer resident of King street, on Tuesday, when his that community, died yesterday at the "Little Gipsy" was graceful under any circumstances, and when she left Lon- married by Rev. C. C. Owen, regtor of King street.

She was born in Ireland 83 years ago the Memorial Church, to Mr. Malcolm and came to Canada early in life, and McAlpine, of Chicago. The rooms were after marrying Mr. Weir settled in It was when the roller craze was at its height that Daniel Bandmann and at odd moments when memory insists with an abundance also of palms and time of his death, a few years ago. She then moved here to live with her daughters. She leaves a family of five ture, robed in white Japanese lawn sons and four daughters, they being: and carrying a bouquet of chrysanthe- John Weir, Manitoba; Adam Weir, Clinton; James Weir, Dorchester Joseph W. Weir, West Nissouri; Wilous and very handsome. After luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine left Quiott, West Nissouri; Mrs. D. Wood, Dorchester; Misses Maggie and Letitia Weir, London. The funeral takes place tomorrow to Brown's Hill Cemetery.

GRAND TRUNK CHANGES

Duties of Local Officials Fixed After Unsuccessful Experiment.

Superintendent Jones of the Grand Trunk has issued the following circular, dated yesterday: The following changes and appoint-

ments are effective this date: Mr. W. E. Costello, assistant superintendent, will have charge of matters pertaining to transportation and stations on 16th district (between Toronto and Hamilton), 17th, 18th and 19th districts, and 20th district, between Harrisburg and Tilsonburg Junction. Mr. P. J. Lynch, trainmaster, will have charge of the 15th district, 16th disbesides. The oracle from whom this and Goderich), and 21st district; office, Stratford, Ont. Mr. John Irwin is appointed trainmaster of the 22nd, 23rd and 24th districts; office, Stratford, men were bothered by their brightest | Ont. About eight months ago the number of trainmasters on this division was reduced by one, but the experiment was not deemed a success, and

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Oct. 1. ...QueenstownBoston ..Queenstown .Philadelphia ..Southampton...New York Haverford St. Paul. .Glasgow . .Liverpool.. Oceanic...... Columbian.... ..London ... Kingstonian... .London. Ryndam Rotterdam New York Pennland Philadelphia Antwerp Buenos Ayrean Philadelphia Glasgow Ryndam..... Pennland..... Buenos Ayrean. Lake Champlain.....South Point...Lordon Montevidean...Father Point...London Milwaukee...Father Point...London

Tritona.....Father Point....Glasgow Oct. 2.

POLICE COURT STATISTICS

Interesting Figures for Year Ending September 30.

Police Court Clerk Moule has made out his statement of convictions made year ending Sept. 30. During that time there were heard 1,684 cases of all kinds. There were 679 summary convictions, and 117 trials for indictable offenses. Of the latter, stealing was the most prevalent offense, there being cases of that alone. The longest sentence imposed was that of five years upon J. W. Randall, convicted of an offense under the Charlton Act. The total amount of fines imposed was

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