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# commerce and Finance.

Montreal Stock Market.	
MONTREAL, Dec. 9	)
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60 at 2234; Mont. Gas, 125, 100 at 224, 40 at 2044, 1 at 2044; Bell Telephone, 200 at 160; Bank of Montreal, 12 at 221; Merchants Bank, 1 at 169, 1 at 167; Union Bank, 38 at 1004, 12 at 100; Bank of Commerce, 52 at 136.

Toronto Stock Market.

	TORONTO, Dec.	
í		Off.
	Montreal222	220
	Ontario	821
	Molsons	
	Toronto	240
	Merchants	166
	Commerce	1361
	Imperial184½	183
	Dominion	249
	Standard	164
	Hamilton	153
	British America119	118
	Western Assurance	166
	Canada Life	
	Confederation Life	275
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	London and Canada, L. and A1113	110
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	1691, 5 at 1691, 25 at 1691, 25 at 1691, 75 at	
	Huron and Erie, 54 at 170.	
	London Money Market.	

London Money Market. London. Dec. 9-4 p.m.—Closing.—Consols, 1664 for money, 166 9-16 account; Canadian Pacific. 57: Erie. 124; Erie. sec., 754; Illinois Central, 994; Mexican ordinary, 173; St. Paul, common, 765; New York Central, 1014; Pennsylvania, 558; Reading, 43: Mexican Central, new 48, 714; bar silver, 30 7-16d; money, 4 to 4 per cent; open market discount for short bills, 4 to 4c per cent; open market discount for 3 months bills, 4 to 5 per cent.

# COMMERCIAL

Programmer		
Local Market.		
(Reported by A. M. Hamilton	& S	on).
London, Monday, 1		
Wheat, per bushel60c	to	63e
Oats23c		
Peas49c		
Barley32c		
Rye40c		
Corn		
Buckwheat30c		

The receipts were light as usual on Monday Only a few loads offered. No change

day. Only a few loads onered.	140	, спя	inge
in prices from Saturday. Quot	ation	ns:	
GRAIN.			1
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs 1	00	10	1 05
Wheat red, per 100 lbs 1	00	to	1 05
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1	05	to	1 05
Oats, per 100 lbs	70	to	72
Peas, per 100 lbs	60	to	85
Carry par 100 lbs	65	to	70
Corn, per 100 lbs	65	to	70
Parley, per 100 lbs	70	to	80
Rye. per 100 lbs	60	10	70
Beans, bu, Buckwheat per 100, lbs.	55	100.00	60
Buckwheat per 100, 10s		to	00
VEGETABLES AND FRU	80	+-	1 00
Apples, per bag		to	30
Potatoes, per bag	20	to	30
Tomatoes, per bu	20	to	30
Carrots. per bu	20	to	
Turnips, per bu	15	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	30	to	35
Opions, per bu	35	to	50
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs. fresh, single doz	18	to	20
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz	16	to	17
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	15	to	16
Butter, single rolls, per lb	18	to	20
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls. baskets.	16	to	18
Chickens, per pair	35	to	50
Turkers per lb 6c to 7c. each	45	to	1 25
HAV AND SEED			
Hay, per ton	2 00	to	14 00
Straw, per load	4 00	to	5 00
Clover seed, red per bu	0 00	to	0 00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	3	to	51
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	4	to	5
Lamb quarter	6	to	7
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	400	to	4 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb	6		6
Hides, No. 2, per lb	5		7
Hides, No. 3, per lb	4	to	5
Caleskins, green	4		5
Calfskins, dry, each	25		25
Sheepskins, each			63
Lambshius, each	65		65
Wool, per ib	20		25
Tallow, rendered, per lb	4		5
Tallow rough per lb			4
Tallow, rough, per lb			0 00
Timothy seed, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	000

One of the natural curiosities of Stanwood, Wash., is a "blowing," or "breathing," well which exhales immense quantities of nox-

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Toronto Grain Market

Toronto Grain Market
Toronto, Ont.. Dec. 9—Wheat—The offerings are fair and the market is lower; cars of red sold, high freights west, at 63c, and red was offered on the G. T. R. west today at 64c; white is rather easier at 66c on the Northern: Manitoba wheat is firm; No. 1 hard is quoted at 56c afloat. Fort William; No. 2 hard at 56c; No. 1 frosted at 47c and No. 2 frosted at 43c; No. 1 hard is firm at 67c, on track, Midland elevator, and No. 1 northern at 65c; No. 1 hard is quoted at 71c, Toronto and west, and at 75c grinding in transit. ing in transit.

The demand for Ontario grades is

Flour—The demand for Ontario grades is dull. Cars of straight roller are quoted at \$3. Toronto freights. Manitoba flour is in good demand, and steady at previous quotations. Millfeed is quiet; cars of shorts are quoted at \$13, and bran at \$11 west.

Barley is in fair demand for home brewing, and a few cars of extra choice have been lately shipped to the United States; prices are steady at 44c to 45c for No. 1; 46c to 47c for No. 1 extra bright east; 37c for No. 2 north, and 39c to 40c east, and 35c for No. 3 extra east.

Buckwheat is quiet and unchanged; two cars sold north today at 33c.

Rye is steady with sales of cars north at 46c. Corn quiet; cars of Canada are quoted at 34c west.

We st.
Oats are offering quite freely, but the market is no lower; cars of white soid, west, at 23½c; mixed are quoted at 22c to 22½c.
Peas are in fair demand and steady; cars sold north and west today at 50c.

Monday's Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.
Petrolea, Dec. 9. — Oil opened and closed at \$1 70 today.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 9.—Oil, \$1 321 bid at 11:30 a.m.; \$1 324 at 12:30 p.m.

Latest Montreal Markets. Montreal, Que., Dec. 9-2;30 p.m. GRAINS AND FLOUR.

Peas—Per 60 lbs, store, 61c.
Oats—No. 2 white 30c to 304c.
Barley—37c to 38c.
Buckwheat—Per 48 lbs, 37c to 39c; quotations nominal.

Flour — Manitoba strong bakers, \$3 40 to \$3 75; Spring wheat patents, \$3 75 to \$3 90; winter patents, \$3 65 to \$3 90; straight rollers,

35 50 to \$3 60.

Feed—Bran, \$14 to \$15; shorts, \$15 to \$16.

PROVISIONS.

Canadian short cut heavy, \$13 to \$13 50.

Hams—City cured, per lb. \$e to 10c.

Bacon—9c to 10c.

Lard—Compound, 64c to 64c; lard, pure, 84c

Cheese-Nothing being done.
Butter-Small jobbing of creamery at 201c.

English Markets. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 9-Closing-1:30 p.m. Wheat-Spot quiet; demand poor; futures opened dull and unchanged.
Corn-Spot quiet but steady; futures dull

and unchanged.

Bacon—Quiet: demand moderate; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 27s 6d.

Short ribs—28 lbs, 29s 6d; long clear light, 38 to 45 lbs, 29s; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 27s; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs, 26s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 32s. and unchanged. 14 to 16 lbs. 32s. Shoulders-Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 31s.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, 41s.
Tallow—Fine North American, 22s 6d.
Beef—Extra India mess, 72s 6d; prime mess, 57s 6c. Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 50s; do

medium, 45s.

Lard—Dull; prime western, 27s 6d; refined in pails, 29s.

Cheese—Quiet but steady, demand moderate; finest American white, 44s; finest American

finest American white, 44s; finest American colored, 45s.

Butter—Finest United States, 95s; good 60s.

Turpentine spirits—20s 3d.
Rosin—Common, 4s 7½d.
Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 17s 3d.
Linseed oil—20s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 84d. Retrigerator beef-Fore quarter, 33d; hind quarter, 58d.

Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liv erpool, £7. Hops—At London (Pacific coast). £2 10s. London, Dec. 9-2 p.m.

Cargoes off coast — Wheat firm and corn

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn rather Country markets - English, partially 6d

Country markets — English, partially 6d dearer; French, steady.

Liverpool, Dec. 9—4:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot quiet; demand poor; No. 2 red winter, 5s 2d; No. 2 red spring, stocks exhausted: No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 2d; No. 1
California, 5s 4½d; futures opened dull at unchanged prices; closed quiet, with near and distant positions ½d lower; business about equally distributed: Dec. 5s 2½d; Jan., 5s 3½d; Feb., 5s 4d; March, 5s 4½d; April, 5s 5½d; May, 5s 5½d;

5s 54d. — Spot quiet, but steady; American mixed, new, 3s 4d; futures opened dull at unchanged prices; closed quiet, with May 4d lower, and other months unchanged from Saturday's closing prices; business heaviest on early positions; Dec., 3s 3\frac{3}{2}d: Jan., Feb. and March, 3s 2\frac{1}{2}d: April, May, 3s 2\frac{3}{2}d. Flour—Steady; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 10\frac{1}{2}d.

Chicago Exchange. Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic

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1		Open.	High.	Low.	Close
	Wheat-Dec	579	594	571	59
	Мау	613	$63\frac{1}{4}$	611	6:
,	Corn-Dec	:61	264	261	20
	May	29	291	281	25
	Oats-Dec	171	173	171	1
	May	$20\frac{1}{8}$	201	201	20
	Pork-Jan	\$8 75	\$8 57	\$8 52	\$8 5
5	Мау	8 92	8 92	8 87	8 9
	Lard-Jan	5 27	5 27	5 25	5 2
	May	5 52	5 52	5 50	5 5
	Ribs-Jan	4 30	4 32	4 30	4 3
	May	4 52	4 55	4 50	4 5
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American Produce Markets.

Buffalo, Dec. 9.—Spring wheat — Offerings ight: firm: No. 1 hard, at 66½c to 67½; No. 1 horthern, 64¾c. Winter wheat—Quiet; No. 2 red, 68c to 71cs Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 33½c; No. 3 yellow, 33c; No. 2 corn, 32½c; No. 3 corn, 32c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 23c; No. 3 white, 22c; No. 2 mixed, 22c.

22c; No. 2 mixed. 22c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—The market today was fairly active, but the demand was of a local character. Corn and oats were dull. The business was of a decidedly uninteresting kind. The range was restricted to narrow limits and changes were guided solely by the action of wheat. action of wheat.

action of wheat.
The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat—No. 2 Dec., 57\(\frac{1}{2}\)e to 58c; Jan., 58\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.
May, 61\(\frac{1}{2}\)c to 61\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.
Corn—No. 2 Dec., 26\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Jan., 26\(\frac{1}{2}\)c to 26\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; May, Corn—No. 2 Dec., 204c; Jan., 204c to 205c; May, 294c; July, 30c. Oats—No. 2 Dec., 174c; May, 204c to 204c. Mess pork—Dec., \$7 70; Jan., \$8 574; May,

\$8.95. Lard.—Dec., \$5 17½; Jan., \$5.30; May, \$5.55. Short ribs—Dec., \$4.27½.
Cash quotations were as follows: Flour unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat. 57½c to 59½c; No. 2 ceru, 26½c to 26½c; No. 2 oats, 17½c; No. 2 rye, 35½c, nominal; No. 2 barley, 38c to 40c; mess pork, \$7.75 to 88; lard, \$5.30 to \$5.32½; short ribs sides, \$4.37½ to \$4.4½; dry salted shoulders, \$4.50 to \$4.75; short clear sides, \$4.50 to \$4.62½.
Receipts—

Receipts— 9,000 Wheat 60,000 Flour 9,000 October 100,000 Corn. 123,000 Oats. 234,000 Rye. 5,000 Barley 420,000

Rye—Quiet. Corn—Receipts, 128,760 bu: sales, 35,000 bu; opened quiet but steady, the movement is reported to be increasing; May, 35% to 35%.

Oats — Receipts, 110,600 bu; sales, 5,600; dull; track white, State and western, 24c to

27½c.
Beef—Steady; family, \$10 to \$12.
Pork—Quiet; family, \$10 75 to \$12 50.
Lard—Easy; prime western steam. \$5 57}

centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c to 3½c; refined firm; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 4½c; granulated, 4½c, Coffee—Quiet; No. 7, 14½c.

Hops—Dull; state common to choice, 1894, crop, 3c to 7c; 1895 crop, 7c to 10c; Pacific coast, 1834 crop, 3½c to 7c; 1895 crop, 6c to 10c.

LEAD—Firm; bullion, \$3 27½; exchange, \$3 27½.

The Hog Market. Packers predict \$4.50 for heavy averages before the bulk of the crop is worked off. A year ago car loads sold in this market at \$5.35 to \$5.50, which prices were considered very low; but today they are 60c to 70c per 100 lbs lower.

Regarding the current winter season a year

lower.
Regarding the current winter season, a well known packing firm in the West estimates that the total number of hogs packed will reach 270, 00 to 275,000 head at least, which will be a considerable increase over that of last winter's packing. With this as a basis, it is estimated that the total winter packing of Canada for 1895 and 1896 will be between 500,000 and 570,000 hogs, although some in the trade are inclined to believe it will be nearer 600,000 hogs.—Trade Bulletin.

Dead Weight in the Cheese Market That big block of 24,000 hoxes of Prince Edward Island cheese, which is being held for Government speculative account, acts as a dead weight on the market, and until it is cleared off it will have an adverse effect on trade. Of course, as Prof. Robertson has adverse edge which were the course, as the course of government money or the cleared off it will have an adverse effect on trade. Of course, as Prof. Robertson has advanced a big sum of government money on the cheese, it is only natural that he should endeaver to extract the last fraction possible out of them in order to conclude a good stroke of business; but what a terribly bad precedent to set before the farmers of Prince Edward Island by the Government of the Dominion! Here is the extraordinary spectacle of the June, July, August, September and October makes of Prince Edward Island cheese held in this city on a speculative venture of the Dairy Commissioner, to the injury of the whole trade. What would have been the condition of the cheese trade of Canada today, if our dealers and shippers had adopted the course of Prof. Robertson? This whole lot of cheese should have been sold long ago if the Government intended to set a good example to the farmers of Prince Edward Island. But the idea of June and July cheese being held, and held, and held for a future market is simply an anomaly in trading that should be decried from one end of the Dominion to the other.—

Montreal Trade Bulletin.

Dairy Market.

Dairy Market. WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 7.-At the Board of Trade Saturday the sales were 600 small cheese

at 9\frac{3}{c}.

LONDON.

London, Saturday, Dec. 7.—The London Cheese Board meeting was even more slimly attended today than it was a week ago, and business was very dall. Fifteen factories boarded 3,890 boxes, and though there was the usual number of buyers in attendance not a pound of cheese changed hands. Bids ranged about the same as a week ago—8\frac{1}{2}\text{ to 8\frac{3}{2}\text{ co Nfc}} = \frac{3}{2}\text{ to Nfc} = \frac{3}{2}\text{

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# LOGAL BREVITIES.

-Mr. Robert Rider, city, has taken Mr. Gilmore's place as upholsterer for the London Furniture Store at Pe-

-Mr. Jas. A. Part, ex-mayor of Ridgetown, and formerly of this city, is spoken of as a candidate for the office of mayor once more.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, of old St. Andrew's, Toronto, lectures tonight in Knox Church, South London, on the subject "What is a Liberal Education?"

-Abel Waucaush and Christopher Cusick were removed from the county jail to the asylum on Saturday. Waucaush is an Indian from the Oneida reserve. Cusick belongs to Parkhill and is minus both legs.

-Charles Ames. a young man who gives his place of residence as Halton county, has been fined \$5 and costs by Squire J. B. Smyth for boarding a C. P. R. passenger train and refusing to pay his fare. In default of the fine Ames will serve ten days in

-The stock of W. J. Gillies, of St. Marys, was sold by J. W. Jones this afternoon to A. Beattie, of the Stone Town, for 511 cents on the dollar. The stock comprised drygoods, dress goods, gents' fur-nishings, hats, caps and clothing, and was valued at \$10,777 96.

Shipments—
Flour. 6,000 Wheat. 134,000
Corn. 192,000 Oats. 250,000
Rye. 4,000 Barley. 19,000
NEW YORK.
New York. Dec. 9—Noon.—Flour—Receipts. 38,300 barrels; sales, 4,000 packages; State and western steady.
Wheat—Receipts. 373,400 bu; sales, 525,000; opened easier with rather free offerings by local houses and on absence of stimulating news; cash wheat firmly held; Jan,, 67c to 674c; May, 68c to 681c.
Rye—Quiet.

—F. N. Howley, an old man who has evidently seen better days, was given a pass to Niagara Falls by Inspector Bell, this morning. He is a helpless paralytic and had to be assisted into the City Hall by a policeman. He is on his way from Illinois to the home of his youth in Connecticut.

—Rev. W. M. Walker, who for several years has been pastor of the Wortley Road Baptist Church, has resigned, and returned to his home at Barrie. The resignation took effect -F. N. Howley, an old man who has

Barrie. The resignation took effect three weeks ago, but the fact has not gone beyond the knowledge of the congregation, who are now looking for successor. Rev. Mr. Baker, recently from Nova Scotia, will preach with 1 view to receiving the call.

-The wire of a prominent business man, who resides at 394 Waterloo street, susnominal.

Butter — Receipts, 6,141 packages: firm; State dairy, 15c to 22c; State creamery, 18c to 25c; western dairy, 105c to 16c; western creamery, 17c to 17c; Elgins, 27c.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,291 packages; steady; State large, 74c to 10c; small, 74c to 10d; part skims, 32c to 6c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

Eggs—Receipts, 5,081 packages; steady: State and Pennsylvania, 22c to 26c; western, 21½c to 24c.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 32c to 34c; with some accident, and, as she was in cure it for you.

Mito lesites at 334 Watchoo steet, sustained a severe shock today, as the result of an attempted practical joke. A telegram came from Kerwood addressed to a newlymarried couple who are visiting with her and she opened it by mistake. The signal ture was her husband's, and the m ssage and big margins sell people what they want. There is no money to be made in selling them what they ought to have.

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delicate health, was almost prostrated by the news. Her husband arrived shortly afterwards and found the signature to be a forgery. He would like to get a grip on the would be joker.

-The annual meeting of the London Proof Line Road Company was held at the office of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. James Hamilton, 437 Ridout street, this morning. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, Llewellyn Meredith; superintendent, J. W. Orme; secretary-treasurer, James Hamilton; auditor, John Overed; directors, L. Meredith, J. F. Ryland, H. Farncombe, M. D. Fraser and Peter Eison. The financial statement showed a decrease in the receipts as compared with last year.

-The Middlesex December sessions were concluded this morning when Judge Edward Elliott sentenced Wm. Doxtater, jun., to three months in the common jail. Doxtater is the Indian who shot Lazarus Schuyler in the knees and was convicted of unlawful wounding. In the action of L. Mahler, of Delaware, against Mr. McWilliam, of Toronto, to recover a loss of \$115 incurred by the refusal of the defendant to accept a carload of apples which had been shipped to him by Mahler, a verdict was given for the amount claimed and \$50 damages. The non-jury case of Bennett vs.

Hodgins was postponed until Friday. -Mr. H. Madden, one of the foremen on the construction of the street rail-way, was surprised at his home on Rectory street a few days ago, when a number of the workmen employed un-der him called and presented him with a handsome arm chair and address signed on behalf of the men by Messrs. B. Northgraves, S. E. Gilroy, J. Adair and J. Lake. Mr. Madden thanked them kindly for their remembrance, and hoped they would always succeed in whatever they undertook to do. Mr. Madden is one of the most popular foremen of the London street railway since its construction.

# THE HORSELESS CARRIAGE

Probable Dominion Race in This City on May 24 Next.

Results of a Contest for Big Purses in Which a Canadian Participated.

Arrangements are in progress for a great norseless carriage race in Canada on May 24 next. As London can offer the best roads and best accommodation in Canada, a strong effort should be made to have the race with this city as the point of starting and finishing. At Chicago the other day, a moto-cycle race took place from Chicago to Evanston and return. The roads were very bad, and there was deep slush in the town portion of the route, and six to eight inches of snow through the west side parks dent Crespo of Venezuela today, when Eleven vehicles started. In each carriage he comes to the capital to appoint a rode an umpire and operator. The first car- new Cabinet. There is no doubt what riage in was the Duvyea motor wagon, with an actual running time of 7 hours and 53 minutes; prize, \$2,000; distance covered, 60 miles. The second winner was the Mueller track anary pitch of enthusiasm and motocycle, \$1,500; the third, R. Macyver, patriotic fervor. At Puerto Cabelle miles. The second winner was the Mueller motocycle, \$500; the Sturgis electric motor wagon scored tourth and got \$500. Messrs. subscriptions were opened for the pur-George and Arthur W. White, of this city, chase of a torpedo boat for the dewere in Chicago for ten days during the fenseo f the harbor. At the city of preliminary tests and on the race day. Arthur W. White acted as umpire on the

# LAID IN THE GRAVE.

Funeral of the Late Rev. Thomas Cullen.

Services at the Askin Street Methodist Church - Eulogistic References Made to the Worth of Deceased-Clergymen Present.

The funeral of the late Rev. Thomas Cullen took place from the Askin Street Methodist Church this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The remains were viewed at the residence up to that hour by a large number of people, after which they were removed President could hardly have chosen to the church where the service was held. The teachers of the Sunday school and members of the congregation formed a double line between the house and church. and down this the funeral procession passed. Preceding the casket were several clergyman from the district bearing floral emblems, and the pallbearers were Rev. W. W. Sheppard, Delaware; Rev. Dr. Hannon, St. Thomas; Rev. R. G. Treleaven, Aylmer, Rev. A. G. Harris, of the Centennial further argument, but regard the dis-Methodist Church, East London; Rev. cussion as closed. Having definitely Benjamin Clement, of London West, and Rev. George W. Henderson, of Windsor. The body of the church was reserved for those in the procession and members of the congregation, and the gallery was open to the public. Both were crowded to their utmost capacity. As the cortege entered the edifice the "Dead March in Saul" was played on the organ by Mr. Frank Callander, followed by the impressive number, "Oh, Rest With the Lord." Rev. A. L. Russell, pastor of the Wellington Street Church and chairman of the London district, presided at the service, which was opened with the singing of a hymn and a prayer by Rev. Dr. Daniels. Addresses were delivered by Rev. J. G. Stuart, pastor of Knox Presbyterian Church, South London; Rev. Chas. Smith, King Street Methodist Church; the Bishop of Huron, Dr. Williams, of Mitchell, president of the London Conference, and Rev, Benjamin Clement. Eulogistie references were made to the diseased clergyman's Christian life and character and many feeling tributes paid to his memory. The audience was very much affected. Among the clergymen present were R. J. Millyard, St. Thomas; E. A. Chown, Wyoming; G. McAllister, Brownsville; William Penhall, Dorchester, and Thomas Jackson, Mount

At the last meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 209a, A. F. and A. M., G. R. C., a resolution of condolence at the death of Rev. Thomas Cullen was passed and ordered to be forwarded to the family of deceased.

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Brave Talk-Cleveland Gone Duck-Hunt ing and Jingoes Are Angry-What Will Congress Do?

Washington, Dec. 9-The note from Lord Salisbury demanding \$60,000 from Venezuela will be delivered to Presi-Venezuela's answer will be. It will be refusal to pay the indemnity asked for. The boundary controversy with Great Britain has aroused an extraa public meeting was held at which Bolivar another subscription is being received by the Central Bank from Arthur W. White acceptance winning vehicle. He was the only Canadian official engaged on the tests. The judges were Prof. J. P. Barrett, Chicago city electrician; S. S. Summers, editor of Electric Engineering; C. P. Kimball, Major-General Wesley Merritt and Henry Tinkin.

General Wesley Merritt and Henry Tinkin. and at the head of the parade the coat of arms of Venezuela will be borne. The movement was started by the Central Society for the Propagation of the Defene of Venezuelan Territory, but has apparently secured official approval, as members of President Cres-po's Cabinet and the governors of the

several states of Venezuela give it full CLEVELAND DUCK-HUNTING. Washington, Dec. 9.—As the President is absent on his hunting trip, there is no probability that the reply of Lord Salisbury to Secretary Olney's note regarding the Venezuelan boundary dispute in which Congress is so deeply interested, will be sent to the

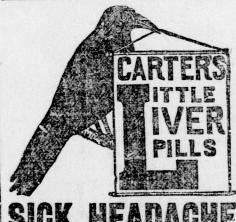
House this week.

The absence of the President on a duck-hunting excursion just at this juncture excites no little comment. Friends and foes both agree that the more inopportune time for leaving Washington than on the eve of a serious crisis in diplomatic affairs. A controversy between the two Governments over historical records and topographical facts, such as Lord Sal-isbury's statement of the case opens up, might run an indefinite length of time. Should this Government refuse to be drawn into the meshes of this net, spread by the crafty Premier of Great Britain, it will not reply with further argument, but regard the disascertained Venezuela's unwillingness to submit to England's pretension, the President will undoubtedly refer the whole matter to Congress at an early date. The future course of the contention will rest with the 'National Legislature.

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Toronto, Dec. 9.—At the annual general meeting of the Commercial Travellers' Association of Canada at Toronto the following nominations were made: R. H. Gray, president; R. J. Orr, first vice; C. E. Kyle. second vice; J. C. Black, treasurer. In each case the nominee was elected by acclama

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