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APPLE SHIPMENTS.

Montreal, Oct. 20.—In the point of apple shipments Montreal stood second for the week ending Oct. 16. New York led off with 17,871 barrels, while this port's total was 8,285, divided as follows: To Liverpool, 5,129 barrels, and 2,156 to Glasgow. Boston shipped 7,738 barrels, making a total of 33,894 for all ports.

AVAILABLE SUPPLIES.

New York, Oct. 20.—Special cables and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's covering the principal points of accumulation, indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday, as compared with previous Saturday: Available supplies—Wheat, United States and Canada east of the Rockies, increase 2,274,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increase 2,600,000 bushels; world's supply, net increase, 4,274,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase, 2,420,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada east of the Rockies, increase 1,315,000 bushels

Local Market

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

London, Thursday, Oct. 21.

Wheat, white, fall, per bu....78c to 81c
Wheat, red, fall, per bu....78c to 81c
Wheat, spring, per bu....78c to 81c
Oats, per bu....21½c to 22½c
Peas, per bu....39c to 45c
Corn, per bu....32½c to 34c
Barley, per bu....29c to 31c
Rye, per bu....33½c to 36½c
Buckwheat, per bu....28c to 29c

Today's session was a little quiet; the demand for all kinds of grain and produce was good. Prices ruled much the same in grain and dairy produce.

In fruits there were few changes. Grapes had a wider range of values, and sold all the way from 1½c to 3½c per lb. The ordinary kinds, such as Concords, etc., sold at 1½c to 2c in basket lots. A good many lots of extra nice grades offered, and for these the range was much higher, 3c and 3½c being realized.

The receipts of pears improved, and prices held steady. There were more receipts than any day for a week or more. Sales at 25c to 50c per basket.

Peaches were 25c to 60c, and quinces 25c to 35c.

Apples ranged from $2 25 to $2 75 by the barrel, the latter price for fancy. Ordinary sold at 50c to $1 a bag.

The beef and lamb trade was steady and unchanged.

Dressed and live hogs were unsettled; receipts light. Some sales of dressed sold at $6 10, but most of the offerings sold at $6.

Live hogs were quoted at $4 50; there was a good demand.

Hay sales were slow, and unchanged.

Young pigs were quiet, at $4 to $5.

Live hens sold at 40c to 45c; ducks at 50c to 60c a pair.

Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs...	1 30	to	1 35
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs....	1 30	to	1 35
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs....	1 30	to	1 35
Wheat, new....	1 30	to	1 35
Oats per 100 lbs....	62	to	65
Peas, per 100 lbs....	70	to	75
Corn, per 100 lbs....	65	to	70
Barley, per 100 lbs....	60	to	65
Rye, per 100 lbs....	60	to	65
Beans, per bu....	00	to	00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs....	60	to	60
PROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb....	10	to	12½
Honey, extracted....	7	to	10
Cheese, per lb., wholesale....	9	to	10
Eggs, single dozen....	16	to	16
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz....	14	to	14
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz....	12	to	13
Butter, per lb., retail....	20	to	21
Butter, per 1 lb. rolls, baskets..	19	to	20
Butter, per lb., large rolls or crocks....	17	to	18
Butter, per lb., tubs or firkins..	10	to	14
Lard, per lb....	8	to	9
Chickens, per pair....	40	to	50
Ducks, per pair....	50	to	70
Turkeys, each....	1 00	to	1 50
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb....	4	to	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb....	5	to	8
Veal, quarters, per lb....	5	to	6
Lamb, quarter....	8	to	9
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs....	5 50	to	6 00
Hides, No. 1 per lb....	7	to	7
Hides, No. 2, per lb....	6	to	7
Hides, No. 3, per lb....	5	to	5
Calfskins, green....	6	to	7
Calfskins, dry, each....	4	to	6
Sheepskins, each....	00	to	00
Lambskins, each....	55	to	55
Pelts....	55	to	55
Wool, per lb....	20	to	20
Wool, unwashed, per lb....	10	to	11
Tallow, rendered, per lb....	2	to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb....	1½	to	2
HAY AND SEED.			
Hay, per ton....	5 50	to	7 00
Straw, per load....	2 00	to	2 50
Timothy seed, per bushel....	00 0	to	0 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Pears, per bushel....	25	to	60
Quinces, per basket....	25	to	35
Peaches, per basket....	25	to	60
Plums, per basket....	40	to	60
Apples, per bag....	50	to	1 00
Apples, per bbl....	2 25	to	2 75
Grapes, per lb....	1½	to	3½
Melons, water, per dozen....	0 00	to	0 00
Melons, musk, per dozen....	20	to	75
Citrons, per dozen....	15	to	50
Celery, per doz. bunches....	25	to	30
Cauliflowers, per doz....	25	to	75
Carrots, per doz. bunches....	20	to	25
Potatoes, per bag....	65	to	75
Pumpkins, per dozen....	40	to	75
Parsnips, bu....	25	to	30
Tomatoes, per bushel....	50	to	60
Turnips, per bushel....	14	to	16
Cucumbers, dozen....	5	to	10
Cucumbers, per hundred....	15	to	25
Cabbage, per doz....	25	to	40
Onions, per doz. bunches....	20	to	20
Onions, per bushel....	50	to	70
Radishes, per doz. bunches....	12½	to	1 15
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair....	4 00	to	5 00
Cows each....	20 00	to	33 00
Beef, per pound....	2½	to	4
Hogs per 100 lbs....	4 50	to	4 75
Sows, per 100 lbs....	3 50	to	3 50
Chickens, per pair....	25	to	30
Geese, per pair....	30	to	35
Ducks, per pair....	35	to	40

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The Oil Market.

PETROLEA

Petrolea, Oct 21.—Oil opened and closed at $1 40.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Oct. 21.—Oil opened at 65c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 20.—Petroleum—Pennsylvania crude nominally 85c.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Oct. 20.—Following are today's prices for grain and hay:

Wheat, per bu....	$ 80	to	$ 82
Bran, per ton....	9 00	to	10 00
Shorts, per ton....	13 00	to	14 00
Oats, per bu....	23	to	23
Oats, rolled, per cwt....	80	to	81
Peas, per bu....	37	to	40
Barley, per bu....	40	to	40
Corn, per bu....	30	to	32
Beans, per bu....	25	to	35
Hay....	5 00	to	6 00
Straw, per ton....	3 00	to	4 00

English Markets.

RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR DAYS.

The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given:

	Oct. 16		Oct. 18		Oct. 19		Oct. 20	
WHEAT—	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
No. 1 nor. spring....	7	9	7	9	7	8	7	8
No 1 California....	8	0	8	0	8	4½	8	0
Oct....	7	5½	7	5½	7	3½	7	4½
Dec....	7	4	7	4	7	3½	7	3½
May....	7	2½	7	1½	7	1½	7	1½
CORN—								
New....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Old....	3	1½	3	1½	3	0	3	0½
Sept....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct....	3	1½	3	1½	3	0½	3	0
Nov....	3	1½	3	1½	3	1	3	0½
Dec....	3	2½	3	2	3	1½	3	1½
Flour....	29	9	24	9	29	0	24	6
Peas....	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1
Pork....	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0
Lard....	22	9	23	0	22	3	23	0
Tallow....	18	9	18	9	18	9	18	9
Bacon, light....	32	0	32	6	32	6	33	0
Cheese, both....	45	0	45	0	45	0	45	0

London, Oct. 21.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat, nominally unchanged; corn, nothing doing.

Cargoes on passage—Corn, firm.

Country markets—English, steady; French, firm.

Liverpool, Oct. 21—12:30 p.m.

Wheat—Spot quiet; demand poor; holders offer moderately; No. Cal., 7s 11d to 8s; No. 1 red northern spring, new, 7s 9½d to 7s 7d; No. 2 red western, winter, 7s 7d to 7s 8d.

Corn—Spot steady; demand poor; American mixed, new, spot, 3s 2d; old, 3s 4d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 1d.

Beef—Extra india mess, 67s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 33s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 31s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 34s.

Lard—Prime western, 23s.

Butter—Finest United States 90s; good, 60s.

Cheese—American finest white and colored, 45s.

Tallow—Fine, American, city, nominal.

Turpentine—Spirits, 24s 3d.

Rosin, common—4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined, 8¾d.

Linseed oil—15s 3d.

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 20.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Oct., new, 91½c to 91¾c; Dec., new, 91½c to 91¾c; May, 89½c.

Corn—No. 2 Oct., 24½c; Dec., 26c; May, 29½c.

Oats—No. 2 Oct., 17½c; Dec., 18½c to 18¾c; May, 20½c.

Mess pork—Dec., $7 85; Jan., $8 72½.

Lard—Dec., $4 32½; Jan., $4 47½.

Short ribs—Oct., $4 55; Dec., $4 50; Jan., $4 55.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 84½c to 86½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 78½c to 85½c; No. 2 red, 91½c; No. 2 corn, 24½c; No. 2 oats, 18½c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 22c to 22½c; No. 3 white, f. o. b. 20½c to 21½c; No. 2 rye, 46½c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, f. o. b., 27c to 29c; No. 4 barley, f. o. b., 25½c to 37c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 01½c to $1 04½; prime timothy seed, $2 65; mess pork, $7 75 to $7 80; lard, $4 30 to $4 32½; short rib sides, $4 40 to $4 75; dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 5c; short clear sides, 5c to 5½c; sugar, unchanged; No. 2 yellow corn, 24½c; eggs, firm, fresh, 14½c.

Receipts—

Flour....	18,000	Wheat....	285,000
Corn....	880,000	Oats....	623,000
Rye....	31,000	Barley....	161,000

Shipments—

Flour....	16,000	Wheat....	79,000
Corn....	494,000	Oats....	404,000
Rye....	....	Barley....	28,000

Chicago, Oct. 21—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 91½c to 92c; May, 89½c. Corn, Dec., 26c; May, 29½c. Oats, Dec. 18½c; May, 2 1c. Pork, Jan., $8 77½. Lard, Dec., $4 32½, Ribs, $4 50; Jan., $4 57½.

The Dairy Market.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 15c to 22c; dairy, 12c to 19c.

Cheese—Quiet, at 8½c.

TWEED.

Tweed, Ont., Oct. 20.—Twelve factories boarded 4,200 boxes; Murphy bid 8¾c for August and for September, and 9c for October; all refused; no sales.

NAPANEE.

Napanee, Ont., Oct. 20.—At the cheese board today 325 white and 175 colored cheese were offered; 8½c bid; no sales.

STERLING.

Sterling, Ont., Oct. 20.—Cheese boarded, 525 boxes; 8 11-16c was offered for 325, and 8½c for balance; no sales.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Ont., Oct. 20.—At the cheese market here today 19 factories offered 5,947 boxes of cheese—2,158 colored and 3,789 white; sales, 350 white at 8¾c; market dull six buyers present.

PICTON.

Picton, Ont., Oct. 20.—At our cheese board today five factories boarded 500 boxes; all colored; no bids and no sales.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 821; slow; rough butchers' stock weak; native steers, $3 90 to $5 10; stags and oxen, $2 to $4 40; bulls, $2 40 to $3; dry cows, $1 90 to $3 50; exports, 3,420 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 1,678; steady; veals, $5 to $7 50; grassers, $3 to $3 25; city dressed veals steady at 10c to 11½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8,598; active; ¼c to ½c higher. Sheep, $3 to $4 50; lambs, $5 to $6.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,739; firm at $4 20 to $4 45.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 3 cars on sale; market quiet and steady.

Veals steady at $5 to $6 25; extra, $6 50; heavy-fed calves, $3 50 to $4 60; grassers, $2 50 to $3 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 8 cars on sale; market active and higher; sales at $4 10 to $4 20; roughs, $3 50 to $3 80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6 cars on sale; market steady at yesterday's prices.

QUERIES ANSWERED.

WHEELMAN.—What is the law as to crossing a railway track by a bicyclist in the event of an accident occurring? Ans.—The statute law of Ontario makes no provision, and the question has not arisen in the Ontario courts by any reported decision. It has, however, been held in the United States that it is the duty of the rider to dismount from his wheel before attempting to cross the track, and this declaration of the common law would in all probability be followed in Canada.

LOWBANKS.—Two sons have a joint deed and their mother has a life of a farm which faces the lake, with a road running in front about 50 feet from the lake, and the deed calls from the water's edge. The sons lease the part from the fence to the water's edge, including the road, and agree to sell the sand, rock and gravel thereon without the mother's signature. Is this lease and agreement valid, and can the party dig up the road, which has about ten feet of gravel and sand lying under it? This road has been used as a main road for over 50 years. Ans.—The lease or agreement is not valid as to the road, and as to the strip between the road and the lake, the mother's consent is necessary. The road allowance cannot be interfered with in any case by the parties, but is under the care of the township council.

Piles Cured Without the Use of Knife by Dr. Chase.

I was troubled for years with Piles and tried everything I could buy, without any benefit, until I tried Dr. Chase's Ointment. The result was marvelous. Two boxes completely cured me. JAS. STEWART, harness maker, Woodville, Ont.

Admiral Worden's Funeral

Attended by President McKinley and Members of the Cabinet.

Was a Bluejacket for 63 Years—The Famous Monitor-Merrimac Fight Recalled.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Funeral services over the remains of the late Admiral Worden were held at St. John's Episcopal Church yesterday. President McKinley, Secretary Porter, Attorney-General McKenna, Postmaster-General Gary and Secretary Wilson attended the funeral.

Admiral John L. Worden (retired), whose death was announced on Monday, was one of the few remaining heroes of the civil war. For nearly two-thirds of a century he was a naval officer, having been appointed a midshipman Jan. 20, 1834.

Admiral Worden rendered valuable services throughout the war, but the crowning achievement of his career was at Hampton Roads, March 9, 1862, when he commanded the famous Monitor in her duel with the confederate ram Merrimac.

The ram had already sunk the Congress and the Cumberland, and it was hoped by the confederates that eventually she would destroy all the ships of the navy, and make possible the capture of Washington, New York and other seaport towns.

The Merrimac was steaming to the attack of the Minnesota, which was aground in Hampton Roads. When a mile distant the Monitor, which had been brought by Worden, through great dangers, from New York, moved out to meet her.

The Merrimac discharged broadsides at the Monitor, but all the shots glanced off her turret. The Merrimac's guns were discharged as rapidly as they could be served, but the Monitor replied deliberately about once in seven minutes, every shot striking; but as the 11-inch guns could not carry more than fifteen pounds of powder the projectiles did not penetrate.

After two hours the Merrimac rammed the Monitor, but owing to Worden's clever maneuvering, the blow was a glancing one, and did no damage. Subsequently, while Worden was looking through a slit in the pilot house, a shell exploded outside, driving the flame and powder into his eyes, so that he was made blind and helpless. The action was continued by Lieut. Greene, and eventually the Merrimac withdrew to Norfolk.

The battle was drawn, but the prestige of the Merrimac was destroyed. Worden was twice thanked by Congress, and received promotion each time, becoming captain in February, 1863. He became commodore in 1868 and rear admiral in 1872. He retired in 1886.

He was also noted for having delivered, in April, 1861, the orders by which Fort Pickens was preserved to the Union. It was while returning overland that he was captured and sent to prison, remaining there seven months.

TWO DROWNED.

Lost Their Lives on the Way to a Prayer Meeting.

Portage du Fort, Que., Oct. 21.—A sad drowning accident occurred Sunday about three miles from here. After Presbyterian Church in Litchfield that day afternoon, six young men, Ira, Roy and George McLean, John Robertson, Wm. Stewart, and Andrew Piche agreed to go to prayer meeting held in Grant's schoolhouse on the Calumet Island. Having borrowed a six-oared boat, they left about dark. At the head of the Sauble Rapids their boat struck a jam of logs and upset, pitching five of them into the water; the sixth, George McLean, held on to the jam; he landed on the logs just in time to catch Robertson as he was being drawn under. Ira and Roy McLean succeeded in swimming to Beeman's Island, Stewart and Piche were swept down the rapids.

MR. DANA'S SUCCESSOR.

His Son Paul Will Be the New Man.

New York, Oct. 21.—Mr. Dana's wish that his obituary should be short was expressed to his son Paul, shortly before his death, in the following words: "Paul, when I am gone, don't have a long obituary of me printed in the Sun. Simply announce my going away, that is all."

Mr. Dana wished his son Paul, the Journal says, to succeed him, and this desire will be regarded.

Mr. Dana had what was unquestionably the most valuable collection of ceramics and art bric-a-brac in the new world. It was one of the passions of his life, and cost him, so he asserted a few years ago, between $350,000 and $400,000. It is not certain what disposition will be made of them.

THE FLYING MACHINE WOULDN'T FLY.

Malone, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The trial of a flying machine or huge parachute, invented by the sons of State Superintendent of Banks Kilburn, resulted yesterday in injury to his son Edward, 16 years of age. The boys hauled the would-be aeronaut and his machine up to the top of the highest tree in the neighborhood, from which he was to take his leap. The machine failed to work, and Edward Kilburn struck the ground with great force, and then rolled several rods down a steep embankment. His ankle and nose were broken, and otherwise he was badly hurt.

THE LAST FATAL BOXING MATCH.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The inquest being held at Depew on the body of Frank Kozewski, who was killed while boxing with Edward Voll at Lancaster, N. Y., last Saturday night, has developed the fact that Kozewski died from a clot of blood on the brain, caused by the rupture of a blood vessel in the neck. Many witnesses testified that it was a blow on the neck in the twelfth round that caused Kozewski to collapse. Several of the doctors testified that all of the dead man's organs were in a normal condition when the autopsy was made with the exception of the brain where the blood clot was found. Assistant District Attorney Penney announced that Voll would be held to answer for the killing of Kozewski.

Stout People.

Stout people are in great danger of having the heart muscles gradually weakened by filtration of fat. This can be prevented by the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Mr. James Kelly, Hamilton, Ont., says: "I have been sick and feeble for five years, with a weak, fluttering heart, sinking feeling, nervousness, shortness of breath, etc., but am now glad to say that Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have completely removed all my heart and nerve troubles, and given me back my health."

In English St.

Sir Edwin Arnold Marries Once More.

He Wedded His Pretty Japanese Wife Six Years Ago in the Oriental Rite

But Christian Society Will not Countenance Such a Connection.

London, Oct. 21.—The talk of the town today is Sir Edwin Arnold's marriage on Saturday to a pretty Japanese woman who has before been known as Mrs. Watanabe.

The ceremony took place at St. Mathias' Church, Earlsfort, this city, in the presence of Sir Arthur Arnold, chairman of the London County Council, the Japanese minister, and their wives.

The poet-journalist met his present wife, the first in Yokohama, in 1891, when he visited Japan with his daughter Edith. The author of "The Light of Asia" and the editor, with J. M. Le Sage, of the Daily Telegraph, was captivated by the country, its people and customs. He was already, a believer in the beauties of Buddhism. He was the guest of the house of Major General Palmer, the celebrated engineer, in Nagasaki, about a month before throw from the United States.

One morning Edith Arnold went to the legation in great distress. She said that her father had gone crazy. He claimed to have married the pretty widow of Count Watanaba, of the Japanese army. But, as far as she could discover, the ceremony had been performed, without shocked her European ideas.

Minister Takahira Swift called on Arnold, who introduced him to his bride, and explained that they had married by the easy Japanese method of drinking a cup of tea together.

"It is the custom of the country, and will be as binding to me as would a pompous ceremony in a cathedral," said the latter, whereat his daughter said the latter had to be satisfied.

When Sir Edwin returned to England he found that his Japanese wife was recognized neither by the law nor by society. It has frequently been reported that he was about to marry her under the British law, but owing to his friends doubted if he would do this, as he dreaded that he would never bow to conventional prejudice.

Sir Edwin's second wife was a native of Boston, and he has professed the warmest friendship for Americans and United States. The land he loves best, however, is Japan.

Chinese Affairs.

The New Loan of £16,000,000 Arranged For.

Japan and Russia Said to be Preparing for a War—China Has Its Klondike.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 21.—The steamship Empress of Japan brings the following Chinese advices:

The Jameson-Hooley syndicate loan of £16,000,000 has now been absolutely settled. On Sept. 18 the agent for the syndicate settled the matter with Weng, the director of railways. Of this, £9,000,000 is already in London, to be handed over to the representatives of the Chinese government, and the balance will be paid before Dec. 2. The syndicate has secured the construction and financiering of the railroad from Pao Chow to Hand Chow, and there is prospects that this will include control with the Chinese government to the exploration and development of coal deposits, which are known to exist in Honan. It is expected that a staff of English engineers will arrive in China early next year to survey the country, and carry out the whole scheme. The loan is for fifty years, after ten years of which the Chinese will commence to repay the principal.

China has a gold excitement, too, the fabulous metal being reported to have been discovered in the Chang Mountains. A rush of Chinese to the spot is expected.

A correspondent in Corea, writing to a Shanghai paper, takes rather an ominous view of the state of affairs in that country, stating that there is no doubt that Japan and Russia are both preparing for war in the near future. The Japanese are surveying the southeast coast of Corea, while the Russians have obtained a small island off Fusan as a naval coaling station. The Japanese also are building barracks in Gensathat will hold 5,000 men. The Japanese in Seoul are using money quite freely in order to foster an anti-Russian spirit.

The Japanese government will be forced to go abroad to float a public industrial loan. Out of 67,000,000 yen, only 13,000,000 was subscribed in Japan.

It is rumored in Hong Kong that 16,000,000 rifles have been shipped to the Philippine rebels.

LIKE A BALLOON.

St. Pauls, Que., Oct. 21.—Something like a balloon was seen in the sky here by several people at 4 yesterday morning, coming from the west, and going east in a southwesterly direction. Two lights were descernible. It was very high.

DEATH OF MRS. GARFIELD'S FATHER.

Mentor, Ohio, Oct. 21.—Zeb. Rudolph, the father of Mrs. James A. Garfield, the widow of the late president, died last evening at Lawnfield, the Garfield home, of old age. The deceased was 92 years of age.

THE UNIVERSALIST "FAITH."

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The Meridian confession of faith of the Universalist Church proposed two years ago, and up for ratification yesterday before the biennial general conference, was rejected by an almost unanimous vote. A substitute confession of faith was afterwards proposed, which likewise failed of passage. The church now stands with its old confession of faith.

KILLED AT NIAGARA FALLS.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 20.—An unknown man was killed by a trolley near the terminus of the Devil's Hole line in this city last night. The deceased was about 55 years old, has gray hair, and gray mustache, and was dressed in a coat and vest of dark gray color, and dark trousers. He wore a pair of congress shoes, and a four-in-hand tie. The only clue to work out his identity was a letterhead found inside the sweat-band of his hat, which reads: "Office of Francis Kahn, sole agent for Dominion of Canada and Great Britain for Dr. Ransom & Son, Western Medicine Company." The remains are now at the morgue.

Phone 644 for Yeoman's Weather Strips.

Our Neighbors.

Electric Plant and Acetyline Gas at Glencoe.

Mr. E. G. Hurdle is putting in an acetyline gas plant in his store at Glencoe.

Mr. Gordon, of Glencoe, has commenced work on the new building for his electric plant.

The folks along the second concession of Westminster are expecting a great time in church matters at their association on Nov. 2.

The Nilestown Royal Templars are preparing to hold a rally meeting, as suggested by the Dominion Grand Council of Royal Templars.

R. W. Bro. W. C. Harris, of Delaware, D.D.G.M., of London district, will dedicate the new hall of the Masonic fraternity at Lawrence Station on the 29th inst. A large number of brethren are expected to attend.

Mrs. R. Stevenson, Glencoe, succeeded in securing 300 prizes at ten fall fairs, having shown ladies' work at Glencoe and Thamesville on the same day, receiving 26 prizes in Glencoe and 37 in Thamesville. She received 150 first prizes, 137 seconds and 13 thirds.

In Holt vs. Harrison, at Osgoode Hall, Neville for plaintiff, Folinsbee, Strathroy, for defendants, action to recover damages for defendants' refusal to deliver mining shares purchased by plaintiff, judgment for plaintiff for $200 with such costs as that finding will carry.

BELMONT.

Large Shipment of Hogs for Slaughter—Cheese Output of Westminster Factory for September.

Belmont, Oct. 20.—John McNichol shipped 176 hogs on Monday for the Ingersoll packing house. The price paid was $4 35 per cwt., live weight.

Mrs. Gordon Shirk, of 136 James street, Hamilton, is the guest of his cousin, Miss Cora Fawcett.

Miss Alice and Rye Huntly, of St. Thomas, are the guests of the Misses Kennedy, of the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoover, of Mount Bridges, are visiting the scenes of their youth.

A unique social, in aid of the Presbyterian Church, Springfield, was held in the spacious residence of Wm. Pendreigh on Friday evening. The receipts totaled $13 50.

The demise of Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, Yarmouth, occurred yesterday (Monday) at her mother's home, after a protracted illness and a surgical operation. She met her trouble with Christian fortitude and resignation. A husband and two young boys survive her. She was 36 years old.

Mrs. John Paterson, Yarmouth, succumbed to a severe attack of pulmonary consumption on Saturday night, after an illness of three years. She leaves a husband and six children. The latter are: Mrs. H. Lewis, of con. 10, Yarmouth, and Misses Flora, Maggie and Effie, daughters at home, and John and James, at the paternal home. Interment took place in the St. Thomas Cemetery on Monday, Rev. John Currie officiating.

The output of the Westminster cheese factory for August was: Cheese, 47,766 pounds; average pounds of milk to make a pound of cheese, 10.99; average price, 9.31; price per 100 pounds of milk, 75.3.

The Rev. Geo. W. Racey, of the Anglican Church, got word yesterday anent the death of his mother-in-law in Sherbrooke, Que.

GLEN OAK.

Farmers Busy Sowing Wheat—The School Prospering—Good Words for a London Hospital.

Glen Oak, Oct. 19.—The farmers in Adelaide township are busy sowing their wheat since the big rain of Monday week.

The Glen Oak school is in a very prosperous condition under the able management of Miss Minnie Stephenson, of this place.

Master Willie Stephenson, of the postoffice, is improving nicely since he left St. Joseph's Hospital, London. He speaks highly of that institution.

Mr. Levi Pettit is winding up the threshing for the season. He has six more jobs.

Rev. Mr. Torrance filled the pulpit here on Sunday in place of Rev. Mr. Holmes. The reverend gentleman gave a most interesting discourse from the words found in I. Samuel, xiv., 14-15.

GRANTON.

Death of Mr. Andrew Knox—Wedding at the Ontario House.

Advertiser Agent, C. C. Grant.

Granton, Oct. 20.—Mr. Andrew Knox, of the eighth concession of Blanshard, who for a considerable time has been suffering from a malignant attack of typhoid fever, died yesterday morning. The funeral took place to St. Marys today, under the direction of the Orange order, of which society he was an honorable member. He leaves a wife and several small children to mourn his early demise.

A pleasant event took place at the Ontario House this evening at 6 o'clock, in the marriage of Mr. Jeffers Westman to Miss Jemima Nixord, sister to Mrs. Thomas Fotheringham. Mr. George Westman, of Milverton, and Miss Verda Leavitt, of Granton, acted as groomsman and bridesmaid, and the Rev. E. F. M. Smith, B.A., officiated at the marriage ceremony. Their large circle of friends unite in extending congratulations to the estimable young couple.

DELAWARE.

A Pleasant Event at Mr. Behnke's Residence—Successful Cattle Sale.

Delaware, Oct. 21. — A pleasant event in the form of a wedding took place at the residence of Mr. John Behnke, on Wednesday last, Mr. G. Baker, of Detroit, was the fortunate man to win the hand of Miss Hannah Behnke. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Brown at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple left at once for Detroit, where they will reside.

A number of drunks and disorderlies were up before Squires Cornell and Lockwood this week, and received sentences varying from $1 to $5, and costs. Delaware does get a little too lively some times, but with our efficient police force, nothing serious is likely to occur.

The Tiffany swamp was burning up to last night, but it is thought the rain will put out the blaze.

Mr. R. Elsie is busy making apple barrels. The packers are paying $2 per barrel for apples, and are shipping a fair amount for this year.

Mr. G. Hetley had a very successful sale of cattle yesterday, disposing of about 50 head at good prices.

A number of the boys who went to Manitoba last summer have returned. They report the harvest short of last year.

Mr. Thomas Mose, of Windsor, who has been spending a week with friends here, left yesterday for Toronto.

Miss B. Walker, of London, is visiting here.

Mr. W. Montgomery, of Bay City, Mich., is home at present.

Mr. R. Hammond is absent on a shooting expedition.

KOMOKA.

The W. F. M. S. Missionary Anniversary—Royal Templars Flourishing.

Komoka, Oct. 20.—Mr. D. Rowland, of Hamilton, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this place, returned home on Tuesday last.

The W. F. M. S. intend holding their missionary anniversary in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening, Oct. 28.

The Royal Templars of this place are increasing in membership. Three new members were initiated on Tuesday evening, and others are expected at their next meeting. Preparation is also being made for rally week, Nov. 1.

Mrs. J. Lince has returned from St. Marys.

Mrs. A. Hord is around again.

Anniversary serves will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday, Oct. 31. An excellent entertainment will be given on Monday evening, No. 1.

Miss Ida McKellar is visiting friends in Thedford.

The school bell is in working order again.

WEATHER PROBS: Unsettled and showery.

Ladies Of the Jury.

Your Verdict on Wet Feet.

It is a fact, positive and unassailable, that to wet and cold feet can be attributed more than one-half of the ills of the body. Don't get them wet again. You'll pay more for your indiscretion than for a snug pair of our Shoes or Rubbers.

Bedroom Slippers.

We've got the kind that don't cost much but give a deal of solid comfort. Ordinary, 35c; fine, 45c, and the finest, 65c. The most complete assortment of Slippers in the city.

For those who prefer to crochet their own Bedroom Slippers, we have the Lambswool Soles in different colors, at 18c for large sizes, 15c for small sizes.

We are selling all shades of Polishes for all shades of leather, at 5c, 10c and 15c a bottle.

New Hosiery.

We have just received a large shipment of Ladies' and Children's Full Fashioned Cashmere Hose, double knees, spliced ankles and fine ribbed.

Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, full-fashioned, spliced ankle, assorted sizes. A splendid stocking for boys.

The above two lines are what our customers have been waiting for.

We have the most carefully selected stock of Hosiery in the city. Only goods that we can guarantee kept in stock.

Men's Heavy Wool Socks, 2 pairs for 25c.

Fur Ruff Specials.

50 Sable Ruffs, 33 inches long, well worth $2 50, for $1 95 each.

You can buy a beautiful Mink Ruff for $2 25, well worth $3.

25 Gray Lamb Ruffs, cheap at $2, but our price is $1 50 each.

25 Thibet Lamb Ruffs, 37 inches long at $1 50 each. Good value.

Take These Towels.

5 dozen Large Size Cotton Towels, per pair 10c.

20 dozen Damask Towels, size 18x36 inches, 25c pair.

74 dozen Pure Linen Huck Towels, 18x36 inches, 25c pair.

15 dozen Pure Linen Bleached Huck Towels, 20x42 inches, 60c pair, worth 70c.

WEAR HEPTONETTE CLOAKS WHEN IT RAINS. THEY ARE THE BEST.

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Treasurer's Sale of Lands in the County of Middlesex.

Province of Ontario, County of Middlesex, To Wit:

By virtue of a warrant issued under the hand of the Warden of the said County of Middlesex, and sealed with the corporate seal thereof, which warrant bears date the 20th day of August, 1897, and is to me directed and addressed, as Treasurer of the said County, commanding me to levy in accordance with the provisions of "The Consolidated Assessment Act, 1892," and amendments thereto, in that behalf, on the lands hereinafter mentioned and described, being in the said County, for taxes in arrears thereon respectively and lawful costs, I hereby give notice that unless the said ta