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LETTERS TO THE "ADVERTISER."

EVILS OF THE WARD SYSTEM.

To the Editor of the Advertiser:

Permit me to give a few facts re the ward system. Early in the season the sidewalks on the street upon which Ald. Nutkins resides were repaired. In old boards were removed, and new ones put down, so that the walks were easily good for a year or two longer. A short time after this, let a strange thing happen, and these same sidewalks are torn up and new ones laid. About this time Ald. Nutkins promised me that something would be done to give relief to the people living in my cottages, but nothing has been done since. I have lost tenants, and some of my present ones threaten to leave unless their children can get some means of reaching the schools on sidewalks. If the winter comes before the sidewalks I can bid good-bye to many tenants. This, too, is in London, not in Old or New France. Money is squandered by incompetent aldermen in one part of the ward, while citizens and their families are denied even a two-plank walk in another section. In one section aldermen live, and not in the other. The think is rank and rotten in the ward, and the power should lie with the engineer, not with the aldermen; he is removed from the hurly-burly of elections, and can do the fair thing, as the needs of the case demand. Thanking you for valuable space, I am yours,
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FINE WITH SHOWERS AT NIGHT OR TOMORROW.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 7-11 p.m.—The shallow, low pressure which was in Michigan last night is now off the Atlantic coast, south of New York. It gave a light rainfall in many portions of the lower lake region during the early morning. A moderate low pressure is now traveling rapidly from the northwestward, and it is followed by an important high pressure and cool weather. A heavy gale is blowing in Manitoba and the Territories. Minimum and maximum temperatures.

Esquimaux, 42-60; Calgary, 40-54; Qu'Appelle, 46-56; Winnipeg, 40-76; Port Arthur, 44-52; Perry Sound, 26-43; Toronto, 42-54; Ottawa, 34-44; Montreal, 42-48; Quebec, 40-52; Halifax, 54-60.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Oct. 8-1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: East and south winds today, and fine, with a little higher temperature; showers in some places at night or on Saturday, followed by strong winds or gales, from the west and northwest.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 56 and 42.

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SATURDAY, OCT. 9.

BREAKFAST—Grapes. Cracked wheat. Scrambled eggs. Bread + pancakes. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—Noodle ham. Brown bread sandwiches. Fried peaches. Caramel cake. Oolong Tea.

DINNER—Veal pot-pie with potatoes. Oyster Sweet potato salad. Wafers. Peach ambrosia. Coffee.

Cut out these recipes and paste them in a scrap-book.

Bread Pancakes—Remove the crust from stale bread and break in crumbs, enough to make one pint; dampen in cold water and let stand over night. In the morning add one beaten egg, one pint of sour milk, two scant teaspoons of baking powder, one half teaspoonful of warm water, half a teaspoonful of salt and half a cupful of oil. Bake on a hot griddle.

Noodle Ham—Make the noodles by beating one egg with a saltspoon of salt, till very light; add as much flour as it will require to make a very stiff dough (eggs vary in size, so an exact amount cannot be given), roll very thin and cut in narrow strips; roll these between the hands till round like "shoe-strings," and break in pieces an inch or two in length; when dry put two cupfuls of them in a stewpan and pour over enough boiling water to just cover them; let boil ten minutes. Chop enough cold boiled ham to make one large coffee cupful. (In slicing ham one can save all the crumbs and small pieces that are trimmed from the bone.) Butter an iron dish; put in a layer of noodles (after carefully draining them) and then a layer of ham, another layer of noodles, finishing with ham for top layer. Beat two eggs, and add one coffee cupful of cream or rich milk and pour over the top; cover with a thin layer of grated bread crumbs and little dots of butter. Bake a delicate brown. Serve in the dish in which it is baked.

Fried Peaches—Pare and cut in halves five peaches; put a tablespoonful of butter in a frying-pan, place the peaches in with the pit side down. When they begin to brown turn and fill the holes with sugar; cook till tender. Serve on a hot platter.

Veal Pot-Pie with Potatoes—Get a knuckle of brisket of veal weighing about three pounds; wash and put in a granite kettle, with enough water to more than cover it. Watch carefully and remove all scum as it rises; when nearly tender put in a large spoonful of butter, two level teaspoonfuls of salt and half a teaspoonful of pepper (if the salt is put in at first it toughens it.) When nearly done put in five potatoes cut in half. Make a batter of one and a half pints of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a saltspoonful of salt and a large cupful of sweet milk. Drop a spoonful at a time either on the meat or in a steamer placed over the kettle. Do not remove the cover for 30 minutes, for if the air strikes them they will fall. Take up the meat, potatoes and dumplings on a large platter. Wet two teaspoonfuls of flour in a little cold water and rub the dumplings with it into the gravy; add another teaspoonful of butter, and cook till it thickens.

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Pour over the pot-pie and send to the table at once.

Peach Ambrosia—Bake a small sponge cake of one-half cupful of sugar, two eggs, a pinch of salt, one teaspoonful of baking powder sifted in a half-cupful of flour; stir flour in lightly and add one tablespoonful of hot water just before putting in the oven. Bake in a square tin. When cold take out on a platter or ice-cream dish and cover with thinly-sliced peaches, a small teaspoonful of sugar and a cupful of whipped cream.

A Local Budget

—Miss Kate Macvicar, of Sarnia, is visiting Miss May Pigot, in this city.

—Miss Simmons, of this city, is visiting at Mrs. Salter's, Emeric street, Sarnia.

—St. James' Church, South London, will be reopened on Oct. 17 or 24. The Bishop of Huron will preach at both services.

—Arrangements are about completed between the G. T. R. C. P. R. and the London street railway for putting in the interlocking switches at all the railway crossings. The work will likely begin on Oct. 23.

—The literary programme for the Granton harvest home on Monday evening, Oct. 11, contains the names of Revs. Dr. Hannam, D.D., of Stratford; E. B. Lancelotti, of Dundas Street Church, London, both of whom will deliver addresses.

—Mr. H. P. Elliott, B.A.Sc., M.E., formerly of London, has resigned his position with the Port Pitt Bridge Co., of Pittsburg, Pa., and has been appointed lecturer on thermodynamics and electrical engineering in the Toronto Technical School.

—Dr. Stalker, of Ridgeway, has disposed of his fine property there to Dr. Wright, of Wheatley, in consideration of \$5,000. The residence and grounds are among the finest in that section of country. Dr. Stalker has determined to remove to this city, greatly to the regret of his numerous friends there.

—Five men, in charge of Mr. Crosby, all hailing from Petrolia, were in the city yesterday on their way to the East Indies. They are experienced oil well borers, and have been hired to go to Sumatra by a wealthy Dutch syndicate. The men are to receive \$4 a day and expenses from the time of leaving Petrolia.

—No time is lost in Japan. The Methodist missionaries from Canada arrived Monday afternoon, Sept. 6, Council executive meeting in the evening. The Misses Robertson and Washington left with Miss Preston for Kofu the next afternoon. School opened Wednesday, and Miss Sifton (late of Metcalfe township) entered upon her term in Tokyo. The same day Miss Cunningham left for Shizuoka.

—Harry Donaghy and Mabel Ryan were before Squire J. B. Smith yesterday as vagrants and disorderly persons. Donaghy is one of the men alleged to have been with the woman in a swamp on Sept. 20, and when Constable Stonley appeared on the scene, ran to the river, jumped in, and swam to the other side. Donaghy was let go, and the woman, who claims Brantford as her home, was remanded for another week.

—Yesterday afternoon Squire J. B. Smith committed Benjamin Logan, a constable on the Muncie reserve, and Francis Tonshee, another Indian, for trial on a charge of having assaulted Samuel Clark, postmaster of Muncie, on Sept. 23, by striking and injuring him with a handcuff. The Indian constable brought a counter action against Clark for using abusive, insulting and blasphemous language towards him and refusing to allow him to pass along the public highway. This case was dismissed.

THE LONDON HUNT.

The London Hunt had a great meet Wednesday. Added to the local membership, the run was graced by the addition of Misses Beadmore, Cawthra, and James, of Toronto; Miss Maud Hendrie, of Hamilton; and Mr. Adamson, of Ottawa. The run started at Mr. Platt's, Oxford street, and after going six or seven miles, taking all fences just as they are, without any interference, finished opposite the residence of Mr. D. S. Perrin, "Win-drome." Unfortunately, at the last fence, the huntsman, Mr. Wilson, was thrown, and suffered injuries which necessitated his removal home in a cab,

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and his confinement to bed, but for a few days only is expected. After the run, the master, Mr. Beck, entertained visitors and the other riders, including Major Smith, Mr. Gibbons, Miss Gibson, Mr. Abbott and others, to dinner at the Kennels. All who saw the run declare it to have been the most brilliant in the history of the club.

SUNG THE JUBILEE COMMITTEE.

The Jubilee committee are in receipt of the following letters from Blackburn & Cox, baristers:

"We beg to inform you that we have been instructed to begin an action against the Jubilee committee for the value of 3,000 medals supplied by the Jubilee committee, and which remain unpaid for."

The Jubilee committee deny that they are liable for the account. It is claimed that the medals were ordered by a member of the committee, with out instructions from the whole committee, and that he acted on his own responsibility.

PORT STANLEY DRAMATIC CLUB.

The Port Stanley Amateur Dramatic Society, under the management of Mr. J. Ferguson, gave one of their excellent entertainments on Tuesday night last to a large and appreciative audience. The entertainment consisted of songs, dances and recitations.

Mr. J. H. McKelvey, in the comic sketch of "An Irish Jackass" defying the lightning. Messrs. May and Goring frequently applauded in their staturesque clog dance. Loney and Dunn gave a fine exhibition of club-swimming. Mr. S. Martin officiated as master of ceremonies. The proceeds, \$32, will be devoted to securing books for the public library.

LONDON WEST SCHOOL BOARD.

There was very little business to transact at the London West School Board meeting last night. Chairman Glover, Secretary McPherson, Trustees Cooper and Crockett and Head Master Liddicoat were the only members present. The head master was instructed to notify the parents of the irregular attendance at school of some scholars. The following is a summary of the attendance for September, submitted by Head Master Liddicoat:

Daily Teacher. On roll, average.

W. H. Liddicoat 53

Miss Jeffery 44

Miss Platt 50

Miss Liddicoat 58

Miss Proudfoot 58

Totals 221

276

Joseph Smith Here

Biographical Sketch of the Prophet and Head of the Latter Day Saints.

History and Doctrines of the Church Founded by His Father.

Brigham Young an Apostate—Polygamy No Part of the True Faith.

Joseph Smith, the president of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, came to the city on Wednesday evening from Toronto, where he was attending the annual conference of the London district, and since his arrival has been the guest of Elder R. C. Evans, of this city, the youngest of the twelve apostles of the church, and president of the Canada mission.

President Smith is the son of the martyred founder of the church, and is the prophet of the sect. He was born Dec. 6, 1832, at Kirtland, Lake county, Ohio, and went with his parents to Missouri, out of which state they were driven in 1839, when, with \$8,000 to 12,000 other believers, they crossed the Missouri River on the ice and settled in Illinois. In a few years followed the death of Joseph Smith, senior, and the great pilgrimage to Salt Lake City, headed by Brigham Young. Young, who was called to take his father's place, and in 1890 reorganized the church, of which since that time he has been the president and prophet. The church was started in 1830 in New York State by a band of half a dozen disciples, of whom was Joseph Smith, the elder, who professed to have received a communication from God by the hands of an angel. Smith was an abolitionist, and opposed to what he called a hiring ministry, but despite the unpopularity of his views on these subjects, he was able to attract and enrolled 200,000 members. His denunciation of slavery and paid ministry made him a popular figure, and he was tried 49 times before the tribunals of his country, and after being formally acquitted in 1844, was set upon by a mob of 150 people and shot to death. After this the church was split into several factions. Brigham Young, an elder, led away some 10,000 people to Utah, and eight years and two months later proclaimed the doctrine of Salt Lake City. This was the first public statement made in justification of polygamy by the Mormon people. Regarding Joseph Smith's views as to polygamy, his disciples say there is not a line either in his sermons or his revelations that in any way countenances the practice of the church. The Book of Mormon, they say, distinctly denounces it. Brigham Young claimed to be the successor of Joseph Smith, but was in reality an apostate.

When young Joseph Smith began the reorganization of the church, he met with opposition on the part of the United States authorities, who feared the spread of the practice of polygamy. In 1877 the church was granted a charter of incorporation. The general executive consists of: The prophet, the second twelve apostles, a quorum of seventy, a high council, high priests, bishops, elders, teachers and deacons. On the reorganization of the church, in 1877, the church organization was the same as in Bible times. Maitland Street Church was crowded

to the doors last night, when an address was delivered by President Smith. He spoke for about an hour and a half, and was listened to with the closest attention. After referring to the curiosity manifested in the world at the present time about the existence of prophets, he said the Latter-Day Saints believed that in every age in which God has had people upon the earth, he has spoken to them by the voice of revelation. Continuing, Mr. Smith dealt with the principles upon which the church is based—faith, repentance and remission of sins, baptisms, laying on of hands, the resurrection of the dead, and eternal judgment.

Scotch Sport.

First Caledonian Games Held in London in Ten Years.

Fine Contests, but the Attendance at Tecumseh Park Was Very Small.

The attendance at the Scotch games at Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon was very small, and the gate receipts were not sufficient to reimburse the promoters for their outlay. Some of the events on the programme were not presented, owing to a lack of competitors, but there were some fine contests between well known athletes. The sports were arranged for by Piper F. Beaton, who holds the World's Fair gold medal, and has been the champion bagpipe player of Edinburgh for a number of years, and W. Johnston, a well known Scotch dancer, of Toronto. Champion Gladstone was unable to be present, owing to an engagement at Halifax, but all the leading events were well contested. The results were as follows:

Putting heavy shot, 15 pounds—1 C. J. Currie, Parkhill, 46 ft. 3 in.; 2 M. O'Neill, Ridgeway, 45 ft. 7 in.; 3 W. F. Scott, Brussels, 45 ft. 6 in.

Putting light shot, 14 pounds—1 C. J. Currie, 51 ft. 10 in.; 2 M. O'Neill, 50 ft. 3 in.; 3 W. F. Scott, 45 ft. 10 in.

Throwing 55-pound weight, distance—1 C. J. Currie, 26 ft. 5 in.; 2 W. F. Scott, 25 ft. 3 in.; 3 M. O'Neill, 25 ft. 3 in.

Throwing 55-pound weight, height—1 C. J. Currie and M. O'Neill, 12 ft. 6 in.; 3 W. F. Scott, 12 ft. 3 in.

Throwing heavy hammer—1 W. F. Scott, 100 ft. 10 in.; 2 M. O'Neill, 100 ft.; 3 C. J. Currie, 88 ft. 2 in.

Throwing light hammer, 1 M. O'Neill, 115 ft. 1 in.; 2 W. F. Scott, 114 ft. 5 in.; 3 C. J. Currie, 105 ft.

Sword dance, for boys and girls under 16 years—1 Susie McGill, 2 Florence Small.

Irish jig, boys and girls under 10 years—1 Eugene Lockhart, 2 Ina McDell.

Highland fling, boys and girls, under 10 years—1 E. Lockhart, 2 Frank Tupper.

The judges of the athletics were J. Collins and J. McDonald; of the dancing, P. H. McLeod and J. Chalmers. Pipers, Beaton, Johnston and George Angus gave exhibitions of dancing and playing that were heartily applauded. It is ten years since Caledonian games were held before in London.

The New Sewers.

Engineer Chipman Will Be Here on Oct. 14 to Confer

With the Joint Committee—Section "K" All Right—No New Tenders to Be Opened Meanwhile.

The city sewerage committee met last night after the board of works had finished business.

City Engineer Graydon wrote denying the statements made about sewer section "K." It was built on a good clay bottom, and not on sand. Only a few feet of it was on the sand, and it was there protected by concrete.

Mr. Buskard, the city's inspector, and Mr. Nurse, the foreman, confirmed the engineer's statement.

In compliance with Ald. Carrothers' resolution, Engineer Chipman had been notified to attend a joint meeting of the sewerage committee and the board of trade representatives. Mr. Chipman arrived from Grenville, Ont., that Thursday, Oct. 14, was the earliest date at which he could be in London.

Dr. Campbell asked what the idea was in calling such a meeting.

Ald. Carrothers said it was because a large number of people were dissatisfied with the sewerage system. They claimed it was not large enough.

Ald. Parnell asked Ald. Carrothers to discriminate between the system and the construction. The construction reflected on the board of works.

Ald. Carrothers had no doubt that the construction was excellent.

Engineer Graydon said it is.

Dr. Campbell asked why the board of trade had been asked for its opinion.

Ald. Carrothers said it was because the committee could get no information from Mr. Chipman.

It was decided not to open the tend-

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For two new sewerage sections until the report of the engineer with Mr. Chipman was made known. The tenders were on the table.

The matter of private drain connection on Talbot street, between Lichfield and John streets, came up. The engineer said it would be cheaper and safer to build an independent sewer than to make direct connections with the main sewer at so great a depth.

Ald. O'Meara moved that vertical pipes be erected. Lost.

Ald. Carrothers' amendment to have a separate sewer was carried.

The engineer was asked to report on the extent of the grade from the end of Evergreen avenue sewer to the sewer farm.

Ald. Parnell (chairman) Nutkins, Johnston, Carrothers, O'Meara, Bennett, Stevely, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, the engineer and Secretary Bell were present.

THE NEW ORGAN OPENED.

Recital at the Southern Congregational Church—A Good Programme—A Beautiful Instrument.

A most successful organ recital and concert was held in the Southern Congregational Church last evening, the edifice being well filled, and a fine literary and musical programme, by some of the best local talent, being given. The recital was given to celebrate the opening of their fine new Scribner organ, which was presided over by Mr. J. W. Fetherston. The beautiful tones of the new instrument were brought out to advantage by the skillful touch of this musician, who received much praise for the excellence of his work.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Clarks, presided, and introduced the following line programme: Organ selection, overture, "Tancress" (Hoskins), Mr. Fetherston; solo, Mrs. James; solo, Miss Templeton; organ selection, "Marche Triumphant" (Schubert), Mr. Fetherston; solo, Mr. Stockwell; organ recital, "Andante" (Haydn), Mr. Fetherston; recitation, Miss Lethbridge; solo, Mr. Matthews; organ selection, "Andante"