

A Boston Packing Company Failed
for \$1,000,000.

CANADIAN.
The jury disagreed in the Martin-Luxon
criminal trial at Winnipeg.
John Shannon, of East Zorra, has been
arrested on the charge of shooting George
D. Dunn last week.

The crew of the steam barge Bruno and
her consort the Louise, wrecked near Cook-
burn Island, arrived in Toronto on Satur-
day.

It is rumored that \$275,000 has been
offered for the Anderson stone quarries near
Amherstburg, owned by S. L. White, of
Windsor, and T. B. White, of Guelph.
R. M. Wanser & Co., sewing machine and
lamp manufacturers, of Hamilton, have
called a meeting of their creditors. The
firm claims a surplus of \$50,000 to \$75,000.
Rev. W. W. Carson, pastor of St. Andrew's
Street Methodist Church, Kingston, will
accept the call extended to him by the
Person Avenue Presbyterian Church in
Detroit.

Donald McInnes, one of Hamilton's
estimable young business men, died of
pleurisy Saturday at Nottingham, Eng.
The deceased was 27 years of age, a nephew
of Senator McInnes.

William John Locke, for eight years con-
fidential clerk of Mayor McLaughlin, Ham-
ilton, died suddenly on Friday evening
of heart disease. He was 65 years old, and
leaves a widow and five grown-up children.

Henry Osterman, of New Jersey, is it
said, Thomas looking for his wife, a young
woman who formerly lived in that city, and
whom he charges with bigamy and with
having \$4,000 of his money. It is said the
woman is married to a man named Mirley,
who is still alive. Osterman says that he
never heard from his wife since she left
him in Detroit last summer, and they
were married there. He says he has
\$4,000 of his money and lost him, and as
he is now in London, he has two other
husbands living.

UNITED STATES.
The Kansas City Packing and Refrigera-
tor Company, of Boston, has assigned
its liabilities upward of \$1,000,000.

The United States Treasury Department
strictly informed of the arrest at Superior,
Wis., of Lee Ching, a Chinaman, who
had been smuggled across the line on
a piece of freight car, and of a white man
named Muldoon, living in Toronto, who is
having dealings with him in evasion
of the law. They were turned over to the
United States District Attorney, who will
prosecute.

FOREIGN.

John Lewis Brown, the painter, has died
Paris.

The Duke of Clarence has arrived at Har-
rogate to attend the wedding of Princess Vi-
ctoria.

The French Minister of Marine says 30,
in guns are the most serviceable for naval
purposes.

It is stated that a bill will be presented
to the Reichstag to grant 1,000,000 marks
of \$900.

Mayhew, a London solicitor, has aban-
doned, leaving liabilities of \$655,000 and
assets of \$900.

The schooner Vine has foundered off the
coast of Ireland. Six persons were re-
ported drowned.

The French steamer Le Chatelet has
been wrecked off the mouth of the Loire,
Le Mans.

The Municipal Council of Paris has
voted 5,000 francs toward a fund for a
monument to Garibaldi.

Reports of the export trade in London go
show that it is not affected by the new
United States tariff law.

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University, Mr. Balfour was elected, re-
ceiving 948 votes, against 717 for Lord
Glasgow.

Mr. Premier Sigala returned to Madrid
Sunday. Sixty thousand people gathered
to see him, cheering and shouting
"Long live liberty."

The Dublin Express says Mr. Tarnell has
announced a prominent man that he
will not lead the Irish party in Parlia-
ment the coming session.

General Boulanger, who will spend the
winter in Egypt, returns to Jersey in a
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COMBINES AND FARMERS

How the High Tax Policy In-
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Greater Freedom to Trade the
Remedy Required.

Prominent East Middlesex Men Dis-
cuss the Question.

Able Presentation of Facts by Mr.
John W. Robson.

Mr. J. W. Robson read the following
paper at the meeting of the East Middle-
sex Farmers' Institute, at the Court House,
Saturday afternoon:

How to Put Down Combines.

The question propounded to me and on
which I have been asked to prepare a paper
is "What legislation is required to prevent
the formation of combines and trusts?"
The words combine and trust, in the sense
we hear them so often used in these days
are not found in any English dictionary
that I have had the opportunity of consult-
ing. They seem to be terms lately invented
to express or describe combinations of men
of capital for the accomplishment of cer-
tain enterprises, whether for the public good or
not depends on the character of the in-
dividuals composing them. But as the ob-
ject is nearly always the enrichment of the
individuals, we may safely conclude that they
will be operated for the interest of the com-
bine rather than of the public good.

Now, I suppose the combines and trusts
mentioned are such as are now being
operated or are expected to be operated in
this country—in this Dominion—and are
combinations not for the public good, but
for the private gain of the individuals com-
posing them. The object of the promoters
of combines in this country seems to be to
obtain the control of the supply of certain
commodities so as to enhance the price of
them, and when these are commodities in gen-
eral what the cost may be it will be better
for the combine and worse for the consumer.
Such a one is the sugar combine, of which
we have all heard and have all had to pay a
price very much higher for the article than
it can be bought for in other countries just
because the manufacturers or refiners more
than speaking have been able to control
the supply of sugar in this country.

Another is the salt combine, which causes
us to pay for that necessary article about
50 per cent. more than we could buy it for
two years ago. The coal oil combine causes
us to pay for that illuminant more than
100 above what it can be bought for
in the United States. The cotton
combine is another which promises
soon to make itself felt even more powerfully
than at present. Another is that affecting
binding twine, adding so much to the ex-
pense of harvesting that it is felt
very much by the farmer is that enhancing
the price of barbed wire for fencing. I might
enumerate many others, but I am expected,
I suppose, rather to propose a remedy for
what we all know about and admit to be
an evil.

It seems to be a foregone conclusion on
the part of those proposing this propo-
sition that something may be accomplished
by legislation in the way of remedying or
lessening the evil. With this conclusion I
agree so far. I believe something can be
done by legislation, but if it is expected
that the evil can be remedied by enactments
prohibiting the formation of these combina-
tions, I must say that I am very doubtful
of the efficacy of such a remedy, or the wis-
dom of attempting it. The placing of these
combinations under the ban of the law
would be obnoxious to many minds and lib-
erties of the citizenry. The difficulty is to
discriminate between combinations that de-
serve of encouragement and others that do not.
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