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Services—London East Methodist.
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Services—London West Methodist.
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Services—Colborne Street Methodist.
Services—First Presbyterian Church.
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Services—St. Andrew's Presbyterian.
Services—St. Matthew's Church.
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The Week.
Hats—J. & D. Ross.
Real Estate—W. D. Buckle.
Gents' Furnishings—J. & D. Ross.
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Notice—Miss L. Wilson.
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Servant Wanted—531 Dufferin avenue.
Girls Wanted at Box Factory.
Servant Wanted—Mrs. James Reid.
Nurse Wanted—Mrs. E. Cleghorn.
Clerk Wanted—S., this Office.
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Furniture, etc., Sept. 29—Neil Cooper.
Real Estate, Oct. 14—J. W. Jones.
Building Lot, Oct. 1—W. D. Buckle.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25—1 p.m.—Stock market active and strong; American Express, 117; Atcheson, 46; C. B. and Q., 99½; Canadian Pacific, 89; Canada Southern, 59½; Delaware and Hudson, 136½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 143½; L. and N., 80⅝; Lake Shore, 122½; Michigan Central, 101½; Northern Pacific, 36; preferred, 77⅞; Northwestern, 115½; New York Central, 110½; R. I., 88; St. Paul, 75⅞; preferred, 121; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, 109⅞; Union Pacific, 42½; Western Union, 83⅝.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Sept. 25—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 94 9-16 for money, 94 9-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 103; U. S. 4s, 120; St. Paul, 76½; Erie seconds 107⅞; Erie, 31½; Pacific Central, 76½; Reading, 21; Canadian Pacific, 92½; New York Central, 115; Illinois Central, 106½; Bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 2⅞.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 25.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	229	227
Ontario	115	113½
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	234	228
Merchants	155	153
Commerce	133½	132½
Imperial	180	178
Dominion	246	245
Standard	170	164
Hamilton	170	169
British America	109	99½
Western Assurance	147½	146½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Co.	80½	80½
C. P. R. Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	89½	89
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	123
Farmers' L. & S., 20 per cent.	—	113
London and Canada L. and A.	128½	128
London Loan	111	108
London and Ontario	—	117
Huron and Erie	—	169
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.	151½	150
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	91½
Dominion Savings and Loan	94	137
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	

SALES—Western Assurance, 20, 50, 20, 50, 20, 100, 20 and 20 at 147; N. W. L. Company, 20 at 80½; C. P. R. Stock, 50 at 89; London and Canada L. and A., 100 at 128.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Friday, Sept. 25.

There were fair receipts of hay, wheat and oats this morning for Friday. Wheat lower, selling at 93c per standard bushel. Oats, 90c to 92c. Hay, $10 to $12 per ton. Quotations:

PROVISIONS.

Eggs, retail	15	to	15
Eggs, basket	14	to	14
Eggs, store lots	12	to	12
Butter, pound rolls per lb	16	to	20
Butter, crock or larger rolls	14	to	16
Butter tub or firkin	10	to	14
Cheese	9	to	9
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	6 60	to	6 70
Turnips, per bush	09	to	08
Carrots, per bush	08	to	08
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	00
Parsnips, per bush	30	to	60
Onions, per bush	60	to	65
Apples, bag	25	to	50
Beef, per cwt	5 00	to	5 50
Mutton, per lb	6	to	0
Lamb, per lb	8	to	8½
Veal, per lb	5	to	6
Chickens, per pair	50	to	70
Ducks, per pair	75	to	1 00
Turkeys each	70	to	2 07
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4½	to	4½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3½	to	3½
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2½	to	2½
Wool, per lb	18	to	25
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0
Lambskins, each	35	to	35
Pelts, each	25	to	20
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	2 75
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	00	to	00
Buckwheat flour	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal, standard per bag	2 25	to	2 50
Oatmeal, granulated per bag	2 25	to	2 50
Oatmeal, rolled 90 lbs	2 25	to	2 50
GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$ 93	to	$ 93
Wheat, spring per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 55	to	1 58
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 58
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 55	to	1 58
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 15
Buckwheat	00	to	00
Oats	90	to	92
Corn	1 40	to	1 50
Peas	1 00	to	1 10
Beans, per bush	1 10	to	1 20
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 05
Cornmeal, per bag	2 00	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	12 00	to	14 00
Shorts, per ton	18 00	to	20 00
Clover seed per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	9 00	to	10 00
Hungarian	00	to	00
Millet	00	to	00
Flax	0 00	to	0 00

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 25.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, $1 07 to $1 07; Manitoba hard, No. 3, $1 to $1 01; spring, No. 2, 94c to 95c; red winter, No. 2, 98c to 99c; fall, No. 2, 90c to 09c; barley No. 3, 42c to 45c.

PEAS—No. 2, 61c to 63c.

OATS—No. 2, 30c to 32c.

CORN—70c to 70c.

FLOUR—Extra, $4 20 to $4 25; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 40; Manitoba patents, $5 50 to $5 60; Manitoba strong bakers, $5 25 to $5 35; Ontario patents, $4 75 to $5 25; low grades, $2 to $2 35.

Local market was quiet. Sales—No. 2 hard Manitoba at $1 08, and No. 3 do. at $1 01; oats on track at 31c; outside at 27½c to 28c, and for October delivery at 27½c; peas outside at 60c to 61c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Sept. 25.

FLOUR—Receipts, 6,168 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Patents winter, $5 25 to $5 50; do. spring, $5 50 to $5 75; straight roller, $4 85 to $5 00; extra, $4 60 to $4 70; superfine, $4 20 to $4 30; strong bakers, $5 20 to $5 20; Ontario bags, $2 20 to $2 30.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, $1 04 to $1 06; corn, 70c to 70c; peas, 76c to 79c; oats, 34c to 35c; barley, 55c to 57c; rye, 90c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 50 to $2 50; cornmeal, $1 60 to $1 65.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $17 00 to $17 50; lard, 7½c to 8c; bacon, 10c to 10½c; hams, 11c to 11½c; cheese, 9c to 10c; butter, townships, 16c to 17c; Western, 14½c to 15c; eggs, 12c to 14c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Sept. 25.

Floating cargoes—Wheat steady, corn quiet. Cargoes on passage—Wheat not much demand, corn steadily held.

Mark Lane—Wheat steady, corn and flour quiet; spot good Danube corn 28s 4d, was 28s 6d; prompt 26s 6d, was 26s 9d; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast, 44s, was 43s 9d; do. Australian off coast, 42s 6d, was 43s; present and following month 42s 9d, was 43s; do. Chilian off coast, 41s 6d, was 41s 9d; present and following month 41s 9d, was 42s; do. Walla off coast, 42s 6d, was 42s 9d; present and following month 42s 9d, was 43s.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat prompt sail 44s, was 44s 3d; nearly due 43s 9d, was 43s 9d.

French country markets very quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat easier, corn moderate demand; No. 1 Cal. 8s 9d, Walla 8s 6½d, K. W. 8s 1½d, Indian 8s 5½d, corn 5s 11d—all ½d cheaper; peas 6s 4d—2d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 25.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Sept. 23			Sept. 24			Sept. 25.		
	S.	D.	F. D.	S.	D.	F. D.	S.	D.	F. D.
Spring	9	0	9 0½	9	0	9 0½	8 11	9	0
Red Winter	8	0	8 1	8	0	8 1	7 11½	8	0
Kan. winter	0	0	0 0	0	0	0 0	0 0	0	0
No. 1 Cal.	8	9½	8 10	8	9½	8 10	8 9	8	9½
Corn	5	11½	0 0	5	11	0 0	5 11	0	0
Peas, per c.	6	6	0 0	6	6	0 0	6 4	0	0
Pork	55	0	0 0	55	0	0 0	55 0	0	0
Lard	35	0	0 0	34	9	0 0	34 6	0	0
Bacon, h'vy.	39	0	0 0	39	0	00 0	38 6	00	0
Bacon, light	39	0	0 0	39	0	00 0	38 6	00	0
Tallow	26	6	00 0	26	9	00 0	26 9	00	0
Cheese, wh.	45	6	00 0	45	6	00 0	45 6	00	0
Cheese, col.	45	6	00 0	45	6	00 0	45 6	00	0

Wheat quiet, demand improving, holders offer moderately; corn quiet, demand poor. Receipts of wheat for the past 3 days 295,000 centals, including 112,000 centals American; receipts corn same time 28,700 centals. Weather fine.

American Markets.

TOLEDO, Sept. 25.

WHEAT—97½c Sept., $1 00½ Dec., $1 07 May.
CORN—53c cash.
OATS—30c cash.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 25.

WHEAT—Quiet; 91c cash and Sept., 93½c Dec.

DETROIT, Sept. 25.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 96c cash red, 97½c cash No. 2 red, $1 00½ Dec., $1 07½ May.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.

FLOUR—Active, irregular prices, closing weak.

WHEAT—Receipts, 298,450 bu; exports, 289,896 bu; sales, 2,320,000 bu futures; 178,000 bu spot; spot weaker, moderately active; No. 2 red, $1 03 to $1 03½, store and elevator; ungraded red, 93½c to $1 07½; options declined ⅛c to 1½c on easier cables, advanced ⅜c to ⅞c on local buying and closed steady at ⅜c to ½c under yesterday; No. 2 red, Sept., $1 03½; Oct., $1 04; Nov., $1 05½; Dec., $1 07½; Jan., $1 09.

RYE—Weak, No. 2 western, 94c asked.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73c to 74c.

CORN—Receipts, 195,300 bu; exports, 141,097 bu; sales, 1,208,000 bu futures; 161,000 bu spot; spot firm; No. 2, 60½c, elevator; ungraded mixed, 59½c to 61c; options opened easier, closed firm; ⅛c to ⅜c advance; Sept., 60½c; Oct., 58½c; Nov., 57½c; Dec., 54½c; Jan., 51½c.

OATS—Receipts, 197,825 bu; sales, 130,000 bu futures; 131,000 bu spot; spot firmer; options dull, firmer; Sept., 32½c; Oct., 33c; Nov., 33½c; Dec., 34½c; spot No. 2, 32½c to 33½c; mixed western, 31c to 34c; white do., 32½c to 40c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 4¾c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5¾c; powdered, 4⅞c; granulated, 4½c to 4⅜c.

EGGS—Firmer, 21½c to 22c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Sept., 95c; Dec., 97½c; May, $1 04.
CORN—Sept., 49½c; Oct., 49½c; May, 42½c.
OATS—Sept., 26½c; Oct., 27c; May, 31c.
MESS PORK—Oct., $9 82½; Dec., $10 10; Jan., $12 35.
LARD—Oct., $6 60; Dec., $6 67½; Jan., $6 77½.
SHORT RIBS—Oct., $6 72½; Nov., $6 65; Jan., $6 37½.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 95c; No. 3 red, 95½c; No. 2 red, 97½c; No. 2 corn, 49½c; No. 2 oats, 28½c; No. 2 white, 28c to 29c; No. 2 rye, 83c; No. 2 barley, 60c; mess pork, $9 80 to $9 85; lard, $6 60; short ribs sides, $6 75 to $7 76; dry salted shoulders, $6 25 to $6 40; short clear sides, $7 40 to $7 50.

Receipts—			
Flour	12,000	Wheat	176,000
Corn	265,000	Oats	168,000
Rye	80,000	Barley	61,000
Shipments—			
Flour	11,000	Wheat	389,000
Corn	256,000	Oats	335,000
Rye	136,000	Barley	36,000

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Cattle—Market dull and slow for fair to pretty good butchers' stock at a decline of fully 25c per cwt from the earlier prices of the week. Old cows and trimmers sold about the same or at 1½c to 1½c per lb while one drove of 26 head were hard to sell at $11 per head. Eastern reports were lower for all kinds and the prospects are only fair.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 5 cars and 8 held over. Among the supply were 5 loads of Canada lambs which sold at $5 50 to $5 75, with one load of extra at $5 80. Good to choice lambs sold higher, but commons were dull as ever. Good Michigans brought $5 20 to $5 50; fair, $4 65 to $5. Sheep were slow and the best sold at $4 25 to $4 40, with fair to good at $3 75 to $4 10. Market closed only fairly steady at these prices.

Hogs—Receipts of sale stock were liberal and with those that held over, there were all of 28 cars on sale. The market was very dull and fully 10c to 11c lower again, except for a few lots of choice, and they also sold at a decline. Yorkers were in very light demand at $4 10 to $4 50 for good and mediums; mixed, $5 10 to $5 15; good to choice heavy and medium, $5 20 to $5 25. Pigs slow.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; quality poor; left over, 9,000; market active on packing and shipping account, but feeling weak and prices declined 10c to 15c. Sales ranged at $2 to $4 25 for pigs; $4 10 to $5 20 for light, $4 40 to $4 75 for rough packing, $4 65 to $5 45 for mixed, $4 80 to $5 60 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; quality fair; market active on local and shipping account and feel- weak. Prices 10c to 15c lower. Quotations ranged at $5 90 to $6 25 for prime to shipping steers, $4 50 to $5 80 for good to fancy do, $3 50 to $4 40 for common to fair do, $3 60 to $4 40 for butchers' steers, $2 to $2 80 for stockers, $2 15 to $3 20 for Texans, $2 50 to $4 80 for rangers, $2 70 to $3 40 for feeders, $1 50 to $3 50 for cows, $1 50 to $3 for bulls, $2 50 to $5 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; quality good; market active and prices unchanged. Quotations ranged at $3 50 to $4 35 for westerns, $3 50 to $4 75 for natives, $3 50 to $5 50 for lambs.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—The Chippewa Indian Band left last night for their home in Munceytown.

—Miss Lila Reader, of Hamilton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Welford, Queen's avenue.

—Wesley Blythe was taxed $1 by the police magistrate yesterday for selling cigars on Sunday.

—Mrs. Roger Currey, Bright, visited Mr. Hutchinson, butcher, Wortley road, South London, this week.

—Mrs. T. Starrett, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Symonds, Stanley street, South London.

—The First Division Court sat in the Court House yesterday. Several unimportant cases were disposed of.

—The Oneda Indian Band returned home Thursday night after rendering music at the Fair since Saturday last.

—Richard Curtain, an old man, was given two months in jail yesterday for false pretences. The charge of larceny was dismissed for want of evidence.

—Mr. Harry Pratt, with his cousins, the Misses Barker, of Port Hope, while driving over York street yesterday collided with a grocer's wagon. The ladies were thrown out, but no damage was done, except to the buggy.

—The new lodge rooms in South London are approaching completion. Plenty of room is needed for the several societies which have a branch in South London, as a large number of members are on the roll of each society.

—The case of Higgins Bros. vs. Wm. C. Drake came up at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, recently, when judgment was given for plaintiffs for full claim and costs. Wm. J. Clark, London, for plaintiffs; T. Macbeth, London, for defendant.

—Mrs. Barnes, alias Forsythe, was charged yesterday with a breach of the liquor license act. When her house was raided Saturday a couple of dozen liquor bottles were found. Owing to the absence of a material witness the case was postponed until Tuesday. A similar charge of a previous date was dismissed.

—Mrs. Reynolds, 73 years of age, died suddenly Wednesday evening at 423 Wellington street, where she boarded with George Ludwig and family. The remains were interred yesterday by the city authorities as the deceased was in indigent circumstances, having been some time in the Aged Women's Home, from which she was dismissed two months ago because of improper demeanor.

—By some means unknown to the ADVERTISER, two Western Fair admission tickets of 1890, issued to members of the ADVERTISER staff last year, were this year presented at the gates. The ADVERTISER management is sorry that the Fair gate-keepers did not turn over the possessors of the tickets to the police. They were not presented by any member of the ADVERTISER staff, and must have been procured by illegal means.

—Rev. Wm. McMullen, formerly of this city, was married on Wednesday to Miss Annie Adams, of Cardinal. The bride was organist of the Methodist Church in that town and was highly esteemed for her many fine qualities. She is a great granddaughter of John Quincy Adams, ex-President of the United States. The happy couple, after a trip west, will take up their residence at Marthaville, where Mr. McMullan was stationed by the Conference in June last. The friends of Mr. McMullen in London extend their hearty congratulations.

—R. F. Booth, son of George Booth, this city, and a graduate of the ADVERTISER news room, has been unanimously nominated to head the Democratic ticket in Lucas county, Ohio (which includes Toledo), for the State Legislature. He is foreman of the composing room of the Toledo News and is president of the big Trades and Labor Union of that city. Mr. Booth is only 27 years old. He is a splendid example of the recognition which the steadiness, integrity and ability of the average Canadian meets with in American business life. Mr. Booth is also a brother-in-law of C. W. Norman, of this city.

A House Raided.

Thursday night Sergeants McGuire and Jenkins and P. C.s Campbell and Nickle raided a house on Bathurst street near Talbot. They captured Sarah Moulton and a youth named Martin Jessop. Sarah was charged with keeping a house of ill-repute and Jessop with being an inmate. The case was yesterday adjourned for a week.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. W. J. Gibling, Homer street, London township, died suddenly in bed yesterday morning. About the middle of the night she complained of pain in her chest. Her husband applied turpentine, which she stated gave her much relief. Mr. Gibling awoke early this morning to find his wife a corpse beside him. Bronchitis and heart failure were the assigned causes of her death. Mrs. Gibling was 77 years of age. She was a worthy member of the Methodist denomination, and in every way an estimable woman. She leaves, besides her husband, five children—William J., of Toronto; Alfred, Walter and Mrs. Lewis Clark, of London, and Samuel, in the States. The funeral will take place Monday morning to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Vice and Its Votaries.

Yesterday's Police Court lasted from 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m., without an adjournment for lunch. At the commencement the room was crowded with spectators. Mrs. Esther Barnes, alias Forsythe, Mrs. E. Moses, alias Hunt, and Lizzie Murray appeared, the former charged with keeping a house of ill-repute, and the two latter with being inmates. P. C. Egelton, sworn, said that in company with P. C. Nickle he had been detailed to watch Mrs. Barnes' residence during Christmas week. Nearly every night men came to and from the house from 9 p.m. until 4 a.m. On the night of Dec. 23 he saw nine men come out. Among the women who entered the place was Sarah Moulton. Asked on what authority he based the assertion that it was a house of ill-repute, the witness revealed the names of a few young men of respectable connections who had personally informed him of its character. P. C. Nickle corroborated this testimony. Sergt. Adams gave evidence regarding the raid on the house last Saturday night. Four men and three women were found there at the time. Two young men who frequented the house some time ago were put in the box and forced to give evidence that was damaging to the defendants. The majority of the witnesses, who were well-dressed youths, were in the court but their testimony was not required. Mrs. Barnes was fined $50 and costs or three months, Mrs. Moses $10 and costs or one month and Lizzie Murray, a prepossessing looking girl, was discharged for want of direct evidence. Lena White, another of the women, did not appear. The money was paid on the spot.

The Gas-Blower's Brother.

Thursday a countryman went into Fysh's confectionery and going deliberately to the handsome soda water fountain, turned one of the taps and started to wash his face and hands with the soda water. One of the young ladies in attendance soon stopped his ablution, but it was hard to convince him of his mistake.

The Humane.

At the monthly meeting of the Toronto Humane Society held Thursday afternoon it was decided to purchase a lethal chamber for the destruction of unlicensed dogs. This is an invention of the most approved pattern by Dr. B. W. Richerdson, of London, Eng. The cost will be £60. The subject of cruelty to street car horses was considered, and it was decided to ask the manager of the company to instruct conductors not to stop when cars are full, and also to change horses every trip on the new belt line. The formation of a humane society in London, Ont., was reported, and the meeting expressed satisfaction at the spread of the work.

Presentation to David Millar.

Thursday night a number of the Forestric friends of David Millar, the high chief ranger of the High Court of Ontario of the Independent Order of Foresters, met at his residence, 133 Bathurst street, Toronto, on behalf of a number of the friends of Bro. Millar presented him with a beautiful silver and gold mounted epergne as a token of their appreciation of his services in behalf of the order. Mr. Millar made a happy response. The epergne bore the following inscription: "Presented to Bro. David Millar, H.C.R., by his brother Foresters as a token of their regard for him as a man, and appreciation of his zeal as a Forester." Letters and telegrams of regret were received from Messrs. J. B. Halkett and Ed. Botterell, Ottawa, also the supreme secretary and Dr. Oronhyatekha, who had been unexpectedly called to Deseronto on account of the serious illness of his daughter.

The Late Mrs. Gilbert Todd.

There passed away at the family residence, Richmond street south, yesterday, one of the oldest settlers, in the person of Mrs. Gilbert Todd, who died from the effects of a paralytic stroke received last Sunday morning. Deceased was the third daughter of the late Edward Robinson, who came to this city with his family from the county Fermanagh, Ireland, some 51 years ago, settling upon the block where Mrs. Todd's late home now stands. In the year 1847, she married. Her husband and six children survive her, the latter being Alex. R., of Detroit, Gilbert J., of Fairhaven, Washington Territory, Will E., of Strathroy, Fannie E., of Brantford, late of Guelph, Minnie J. and Ben J., of this city. Mrs. Todd was for a number of years a member of the Methodist Church, and died in the full assurance of entering into rest. She was a loving wife, a kind and indulgent mother and a true friend. Her funeral takes place this (Saturday) afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

Welcomed by the Mayor.

Mayor Taylor was yesterday introduced to the Grand Association of Patrons of Industry meeting in the City Hall. He was greeted heartily and said he had been unable before to visit them owing to press of duties during Fair week. He had only a slight knowledge of the nature of the business that had caused their assemblage, but he very warmly sympathized with the interests of farmers and believed there was a necessity for such an organization as the Patrons of Industry. There is an important work for such an organization to do. He cited the matter of railways which had been heavily bonused by the Dominion and Provincial Parliaments and by municipalities, and yet the people have no voice in the affairs of those railways, and not only do not share in the profits earned, but have no control over the rates that may be charged for carrying passengers and produce. He would not discuss other matters that affect our dealings one with another, but hoped the deliberation of the delegates assembled would result in practical benefit to wage-earners and farmers. He thoroughly indorsed the objects of the association, and briefly referred to the condition of affairs in the country as recently revealed by investigating committees. Changes are greatly needed, and may be brought about more easily by the assistance of such organizations as the Patrons. The mayor was warmly applauded when he stated that he had been a farmer during the greater portion of his life in Manitoba and Ontario, and suggested this as the reason why he was so heartily in touch and sympathy with farmers. He understood farming in all its details, and concluded by hoping that their efforts to obtain simple justice might be successful. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mayor Taylor for his greeting and his words of hearty encouragement.

Registrar of Waterloo.

Mr. Isaac Master has been appointed registrar of Waterloo, Ont. Mr. Master is a native of the county, having been born in Wilmot township in 1835. He is of German descent. He was deputy reeve of his township for some years, and sat for several years as representative of South Waterloo in the Local House, retiring at the general election of 1890.

No Ladies Need Apply.

At the meeting of the benchers of the Ontario Law Society held yesterday in Toronto Mr. W. A. Cameron was called to the bar, and certificates of fitness were granted to Messrs. Howard Hunter and J. E. Jones. With reference to the case of Miss Clara Brett Martin, who has made application to the Law Society to be admitted as a student at law, the benchers decided that there was no provision in the statute to cover her case. Lady students could not be admitted. This was decided at the last meeting and confirmed yesterday.

Governing Children.

The following rules for the government of children, which were first presented in one of Jacob Abbott's books, are said to have been of great service to many successful teachers:

When you consent, consent cordially.
When you refuse, refuse finally.
When you punish, punish goodnaturedly.
Commend often. Never scold.

That tired feeling now so often heard of is entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla which gives mental and bodily strength.

Be a lamp in the chamber if you cannot be a star in the sky.—[George Eliot.

"And you rejected him?" "I did." "He has the reputation of being a large-hearted man." That's the trouble with him; he is too large-hearted. He can love half a dozen women at the same time."

TERSE TELEGRAMS.

Wired From Every Quarter of the World.

An All-Night Snowstorm in Colorado

CANADIAN.

The arrest of Mr. Pacaud at Father Point was not attempted.

The trial of R. N. O'Brien for libeling Prince George of Wales during the latter's recent visit to Montreal began Thursday.

The week's export of wheat from all ports in the United States and Canada is 5,106,904 bushels, as against 1,155,000 bushels for the corresponding week last year.

Justice MacLennan gave judgment in preliminary objection re North Bruce Dominion election petition, dismissing it. The objection was that the petition was filed after office hours.

The C. P. R. express arrived at Winnipeg Friday morning in two sections, having on board, in addition to ordinary travelers, 350 Ontario excursionists, principally farmers who have gone to see the country.

The benchers of the Ontario Law Society have decided that there was no provision under the statute to cover the case of Miss Clara Brett Martin, who made application to be admitted as a student. Lady students could not therefore be admitted.

UNITED STATES.

In Silver Lake township, Susquehanna, Pa., a paying vein of gold has been discovered.

Rev. Dr. Burchard, of "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion" fame, died at Saratoga, N. Y., on Friday.

The first snow of the season fell at Leadville, Col., Thursday night and snowed all night, but it is melting rapidly.

Chas. W. McCorkle had his skull fractured by the explosion of a carbon tank in Detroit Friday. He will probably die.

A great many wagons are trailing back over the Cherokee strip with people who failed to get claims in the Indian lands opened last Tuesday.

Ernest Lehman, of Newark, N. J., the rejected lover of Emma Bush, poisoned the girl Thursday night with paris green. Lehman was captured.

In Cheshire county, N. H., water in the rivers is getting so low that numerous mills are not able to run on full time and many springs are giving out.

At Bradford, Pa., Thursday evening, Sandy Ferry and James Darling, while blasting stumps with dynamite, were instantly killed and horribly mutilated by a premature discharge of the explosive.

BURGLARY AT BOTHWELL.

Midnight Mechanics Operate in the Postoffice—A Fusilade in the Dark—Unwelcome Additions to the Population.

BOTHWELL, Sept. 25.—Yesterday morning, about 2 o'clock, Mrs. Chambers, wife of the chief of police, who lives next to the postoffice, was awakened by an unusual noise, and on looking out saw a man standing in the side door of the postoffice, and awakened her husband. The chief's movements were observed by the burglars, who began firing a revolver at him. The chief returned the fire, and several shots were exchanged, but so far as known without taking effect, but the burglars meantime made their escape. The chief then awakened the postmaster and some other citizens and found they had entered Mr. Johns' blacksmith shop and taken tools wherewith the door had been forced open, and in their haste left a diamond drill with which the safe was partly bored. About $7 was abstracted from the till, which was the total amount of plunder obtained.

It is supposed there were three parties to the job, two of whom may be in town assisted by an expert from Port Huron or some other city, but nothing definite is as yet known.

Mr. A. T. Sussex has recovered most of the goods taken from his store two weeks ago, and a woman by the name of Anthony or Cross is in jail, and the police are on the lookout for her sister.

Bothwell of late seems to have become quite an Eldorado for robbers, thieves and drunkards. Only about five weeks ago Mr. Kinney was robbed of $50 near his own house; about two weeks ago Mr. Sussex's store burglarized, and now comes the post-office robbery, while drunkards stalk the streets in broad day and frighten and annoy people at night.

"THE SLAVERY OF DRINK"

Discussed by London Doctors, Scientific Men and the Press.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—In the columns of two of the most widely-read newspapers in London there is at present going on a controversy on the subject of drinking alcoholic liquors. It began with the Telegraph, which for the last two weeks has been devoting two or three columns per day in correspondence under the heading "The Slavery of Drink." This week, however, the Times has begun a new phase of the discussion which has been participated in by many eminent medical and scientific men. It is started by Dr. W. Mortimer Grenville, the great alienist of Hanover Square, who, apropos of Sir Wilfred Lawson's quotation from Lord Althrop, "the cause of drunkenness is drink," comes boldly to the front with the assertion that "drunkenness is in no other sense the consequence of drinking than the destruction of a house by fire is the consequence of having a cooking range on the premises," and goes on to say: "It is not to engage in the puerile play of words with Sir Wilfred Lawson and the advocates of what I believe to be one of the weakest and most mischievous crazes of the nineteenth century—I mean teetotalism—that I ask you to give me space in your columns, but because I think the time has arrived when it is desirable that some one who has strong views on the subject of what it is the fashion of the day to denounce as 'drinking,' should speak out honestly. I have never shared the opinions of the many in my profession on the drink question, and I have not intentionally veiled my view of the issue so repeatedly raised and so hotly discussed, but the moment appears opportune for plain speaking, and I trust this may be permitted not only to those who seek to convince the public mind that alcohol in all its forms is needless to the health and of only questionable value to the sick, but to those who hold that it is far better that the healthy should be moderate drinkers than abstainers, and that the great value of alcohol in the treatment, and I will go further and say in the prevention of disease, should be clearly recognized." Further than this, Dr. Granville says that he honestly believes that the propagation of teetotal doctrines is exercising a destructive influence on the moral, mental and physical health of the people, and that those who have rational views on the matter are doing a great wrong in giving way, step by step, before the aggressive policy of the teetotal advocates.

Of course Dr. Granville's challenge was at once taken up, and a large section of the medical fraternity of England have fallen upon him in a body. However, the battle is only begun and seems likely to increase in fury.

RAILWAY WRECKS.

Three Train Hands Meet Instant Death.

Accident to the Montreal Express in New Hampshire.

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Sept. 26.—Two freight trains on the New England Railroad collided two miles west of Hawsyville Thursday night. Engineer Day, Fireman Larner and Brakeman Sprague, of the east-bound train, were killed.

ACCIDENT TO A MONTREAL EXPRESS.

LEBANON, N. H., Sept. 26.—The Montreal express, which leaves Boston at 7 p.m., ran into the rear of a freight train which had broken apart on the northern division of the Boston and Main Railroad at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Three freight cars and the forward end of the passenger engine was demolished. No one was seriously injured, but the passengers were well shaken up.

ESCAPED DEATH.

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