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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

Business Pointers.

[Reported by Drummond & Goldingham.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—There is talk of higher dividends on gas.

It is announced that there is to be another immediate advance in coal prices.

The bulls on the market were encouraged considerably by the general strength, and they seem to only fear the dullness resulting from the great celebration next week, as it may subdue bullish sentiment.

A Trenton, N. J., telegram says John Gould has started another cordage company with $7,000,000 capital in opposition to the old company.

The Journal of Finance says that relief is near for R. T., and the financial difficulties will soon be remedied.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7—1 p.m.—Stock market firm; American Express, —; Atchison, 38⅝; C. B. and Q., 99½; Canadian Pacific, —; Canada Southern, 58; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 153¾; L. N., 69¾; Lake Shore, 132; Michigan Central, 108⅞; Northern Pacific, —; Northern Pacific, preferred, 50½; Northwestern, 115; New York Central, 110⅝; R. I., 81¼; St. Paul, 78¼; St. Paul, preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 40¼; Western Union, 90½.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Oct. 7—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97 3-16 for money, 97 3-16 for account; Mexican, 21⅜; Mexican Central, 70½; St. Paul, 80⅝, Erie seconds, 109; Erie, 27½; Pacific Central, 57; Reading, 30⅝; Canadian Pacific, 88½; New York Central, 114½; Illinois Central, 100½; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent.; open market discount, 15-16 to 1.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Oct. 7.

	Ask.	Off.
Bank of Montreal	235	231½
Ontario Bank	—	—
Banque du Peuple	110	108
Molsons Bank	—	171½
Bank of Toronto	—	—
Banque Cartier	120	116½
Union Bank	—	100
Merchants' Bank	162	161
Bank of Commerce	146	144½
Montreal Telegraph Company, x-d	148½	148
N. W. Land Company	—	83
Dominion Telegraph Company	—	—
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Company	70	69
City Passenger Railway	250	245
Montreal Gas Company	230	225
C. P. R.	86½	86
Canada Cotton Company	111½	110½
Montreal Cotton Company	143	139
Dominion Cotton Company	139	135
New Gas	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	167½	166¾
Bell Telephone Company	167	162
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Duluth Railway, common	13½	12½
Duluth Railway, preferred	31½	30

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Oct. 7.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	232½	231
Ontario	123	120
Molsons	—	172
Toronto	254½	253
Merchants	162	161
Commerce	145½	145
Imperial	—	—
Dominion	269½	268
Standard	170	168
Hamilton	178½	175½
British America	101	99
Western Assurance	150	149½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	296
Consumers' Gas	192	190
Dominion Telegraph	—	100
Northwest Land Company	85	84½
Canada Pacific Railway Bonds	—	—
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	86½	86½
Bell Telephone Company	164	162
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	99	98
Farmers Loan and Savings	—	—
Farmers' L. and S. 20 per cent	—	—
Huron and Erie L. and S	—	162
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	—	150
London and Canada, L. and A	132½	132
London Loan	—	106
London and Ontario	—	119
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	130
Ontario L. and D., new stock	—	—

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKET.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Friday, Oct. 7.

The receipts were light, as is usual on Friday. Only a few loads of wheat, hay and oats were offered. No change in prices. Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	1 06	to	1 08
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 06
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 06
Oats, per 100 lbs	80	to	83
Peas per 100 lbs	95	to	1 00
Corn per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 10
Barley per 100 lbs	80	to	90
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 00
Buckwheat 100 lbs	00	to	00
Beans per bu	1 00	to	1 00
PROVISIONS			
Eggs, retail, per doz	15	to	16
Eggs, basket, per doz	14	to	15
Eggs, store lots, per doz	12	to	14
Butter per lb, pound rolls	22	to	24
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks	18	to	22
Butter per lb, tubs or firkins	14	to	20
Lard per lb	10	to	11
Cheese per lb	10	to	11
Chickens per pair	50	to	60
Ducks	75	to	1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00	to	2 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	1 00	to	1 50
Radishes, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Celery, per doz	50	to	60
Cabbages, per doz	20	to	50
Cauliflowers, per doz	10	to	1 00
Squashes, each	5	to	15
Pumpkins, each	00	to	00
Potatoes, per bag	85	to	1 00
Peaches, per basket	1 00	to	1 50
Grapes, per lb	3	to	6
Plums, per basket	75	to	1 40
Melons, Musk, per doz	1 00	to	2 00
Melons, Water, per doz	2 00	to	3 00
Pears, per bu	60	to	1 20
Pears, per basket	25	to	75
Onions, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Carrots, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Beets, per doz. bunches	30	to	30
Turnips, per bu	20	to	25
Onions	1 00	to	1 00
Tomatoes, per bu	50	to	60
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	4	to	5½
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs	5 50	to	6 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	5
Sheepskins, each	50	to	60
Lambskins, each	00	to	00
Pelts, each	25	to	25
Wool, per lb	17	to	17
Tallow, rendered, per lb	4½	to	5
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	to	3

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English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Oct. 7.

Floating cargoes—Wheat firmer, held higher; corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat improving, corn firm.

Mark Lane—Wheat, corn and flour firm; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 33s, was 32s 9d; db. Chilian off coast 29s 9d, was 29s 6d; present and following month 30s 9d, was 30s 6d; do. Walla off coast 31s 9d, was 31s 6d; present and following month 32s was 31s 9d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat prompt sail 33s 6d, was 33s 3d; nearly due 33s 9d, was 33s; No. 2 red winter prompt steamer 29s 3d, was 28s 3d; present and following month, 29s 6d, was 29s.

Weather in England fair after rain.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm, but not active; corn not much demand; No. 1 Cal. 6s 6½d—½d dearer; American red winter 6s — unchanged; Indian 6s 3½d—½d dearer; spring 6s 3d—1d dearer; flour 20s 6d—unchanged; corn 4s 6½d—1d cheaper; peas 5s 5½d—unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 7.

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

	Oct. 5.		Oct. 6.		Oct. 7.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	6 2½	6 3	6 2½	6 3	6 3	6 3½
Red Winter	6 0	6 0½	6 0	6 0½	6 0	6 0½
Kan. winter	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal.	6 6	6 6½	6 6	6 6½	6 6½	6 7
Corn	4 6½	0 0	4 6½	0 0	4 6½	0 0
Peas, perc.	5 5½	0 0	5 5½	0 0	5 5½	0 0
Pork	70 0	0 0	70 0	0 0	70 0	0 0
Lard	41 6	00 0	41 9	0 0	42 3	0 0
Bacon, h'vy.	42 0	00 0	42 0	0 0	42 0	00 0
Bacon, light	41 6	00 0	41 6	0 0	41 6	00 0
Tallow	23 6	00 0	23 6	00 0	23 6	00 0
Cheese, wh.	48 6	00 0	49 0	00 0	49 0	00 0
Cheese, col.	48 6	00 0	49 0	00 0	49 0	00 0

Wheat firm, demand fair, holders offer sparingly; corn quiet, demand poor. Receipts of wheat for the past 3 days, 245,000 centals, including 168,000 centals American; receipts of corn for the past 3 days, 63,400 centals American. Weather very rainy.

Montreal Market

MONTREAL, Oct. 7.

FLOUR—Receipts, 2,800 bbls. Market quiet and unchanged. The quotations are: Patents winter, $4 20 to $4 35; do. spring, $4 20 to $4 40; straight roller, $3 80 to $3 90; extra, $3 15 to $3 20; superfine, $2 90 to $3 00; strong bakers, $4 00 to $4 10; Ontario bags, $1 65 to $1 90.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 81c to 82c; corn, 62c to 65c; peas, 75c to 76c; oats, 32c to 34c; barley, 50c to 55c; rye, 61c to 63c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $1 90 to $2 00; cornmeal $1 80 to $1 85.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $16 00 to $17 00; lard, 7½c to 7¾c; bacon, 10c to 10½c; hams, 11c to 12c; cheese, 8c to 10½c; butter townships, 19c to 21c; western, 16c to 18c; eggs, 12c to 14c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Oct. 7.

WHEAT—Spring, No. 2, 60c to 63c; red winter, No. 2, 64c to 65c; No. 2 white, 66c to 67c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 89c to 90c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 81c to 82c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 69c to 70c; goose, 88c to 90c; regular No. 1, 57c to 58c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 52c to 54c; No. 2, 48c to 49c; No. 3 extra, 43c to 43c; No. 3, 38c to 39c.

PEAS—No. 2, 58c to 60c.

OATS—No. 1, 30c to 31c.

CORN—60c to 62c.

FLOUR—Extra, $2 90 to $3 00; straight roller, $3 15 to $3 40.

Market varied somewhat in tendency. Sales—No. 2 hard Manitoba wheat for October at 87c, November at 88c, December at 89c and January at 91c; peas outside at 58c to 59c; corn on track at 60c, to arrive at 58c and outside at 52c.

Chicago Board of Trade Fluctuations.

[Reported by Drummond & Goldingham.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos'g
Wheat—				
October	74	74	74	74
December	76⅞	77⅛	76⅞	77⅛
May	82⅞	83½	82⅞	83½
Corn—				
November	44⅞	44⅞	44⅝	44⅞
December	45½	45½	44⅞	45½
May	48½	48½	47⅞	48½
Oats—				
Novmeber	32⅝	32⅝	32½	32½
December	33½	33⅝	33¼	33⅝
May	36½	36½	36½	36½
Pork—				
November	$11 32	$11 50	$11 32	$11 47
January	12 80	12 80	12 72	12 72
Lard—				
November	....	....	....	....
January	7 27	7 27	7 25	7 27
Ribs—				
November	....	....	....	....
January	6 65	6 65	6 57	6 57

American Markets

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.

The pork market was the leading one on the floor for activity and strength. Grain lacked animation, but had a firmer tone and closed at nearly the best prices for the day, the final figures compared with last night's showing a gain of ⅜c for wheat and ⅛c for corn. In wheat there was less show in individual trading than for some days past and altogether it was a dull market after the early advance. The corn trade appears to be pretty well evened up and waiting for fresh influence. Oats were almost stationary and featureless.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Oct., 73½c to 74c; Dec., 76⅝c to 76¾c; May, 82½c.

CORN—Oct., 43⅞c; Dec., 45c; May, 48c.

OATS—Oct., 31⅝c; Nov., 32½c; May, 36⅝c.

MESS PORK—Oct., $11 55; Jan., $12 80.

LARD—Oct., $8 50; Jan., $7 27½.

SHORT RIBS—Oct., $10 57½; Jan., $6 60.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 73½c to 74c; No. 3 do, 61½c to 66c; No. 2 red, 73½c to 74c; No. 2 corn, 43¾c; No. 2 oats, 31⅝ to 31½c; No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 3 white, 31c to 32c; No. 2 rye, 55c; No. 2 barley, 62c to 63c; mess pork, $11 35 to $11 40; lard, $8 50; short rib sides, $7 70 to $10 37½; dry salted shoulders, $7 15 to $7 25; short clear sides, $8 10 to $8 15.

Receipts—			
Flour	17,000	Wheat	858,000
Corn	438,000	Oats	343,000
Rye	11,000	Barley	269,000
Shipments—			
Flour	15,000	Wheat	246,000
Corn	510,000	Oats	256,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	108,000

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 6.

WHEAT—Spring—Fairly active; 5,000 new No. 1 hard sold at 80½c; 3,000 bu old No. 1 hard, 80c; 15,000 bu No. 1 hard, c. i. f., 79½c; 12,000 bu do, 79½c; 21,100 bu old No. 1 northern, 83½c to 83¾c; 2,000 new No. 1 northern, 78¾c; closing, No. 1 hard, spot, 86c; No 1 northern, 84½c; No. 1 hard, new, 81c; No. 1 northern, 78½c; No. 2 northern, 73½c; No. 1 hard, c. i. f., 79½c; No. 1 northern, 77½c; No. 2 northern, 72½c. Winter wheat—Good demand; offerings of best grades quickly taken; No. 2 red 78½c; 2 cars No. 1 white sold at 79c; 1 car at 78½c; 1 car mixed, 77c; a few cars No. 3 extra red, offered at 74c.

CORN—Unsettled; demand light. Sales: 1 car No. 2 yellow, 50½c; 3 cars No. 3 corn, 49c to 50c, outside price for choice color; 1 car No. 3 corn, 48½c; sales, in store, 3 cars No. 2 yellow, 50c; 4 cars do, 50½c; 3 cars No. 3 yellow, 50c; 2 cars No 2 corn, 49c; 5 cars No. 3 corn, 48c.

OATS — Market firmer; good demand and light supply; 5 cars No. 2 white sold at 37½c; No. 3 white, 36c asked; No. 2 mixed quoted at 35c; No. 2 white, in store, 37½c.

BARLEY — Better demand; 10,000 bu dark Michigan to arrive, 60c; 2,000 bu Minnesota, 50c.

RYE — Quiet; No. 2, 62c asked; No. 3, 55c to 56c.

FLOUR—Steady.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.

FLOUR—Dull.

WHEAT—Receipts, 159,000 bu; exports, 220,000 bu; sales, 655,000 bu futures, 51,000 bu spot; spots dull; No. 2 red, 78½c to 79c, store and elevator; No. 3 red, 73c; ungraded red, 69c to 78c; No. 1 northern, 83½c; No. 2 northern, 78½c to 78¾c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 78c to 78½c; options steady; No. 2 red, Oct., 79½c; Nov., 80⅝c; Dec., 81½c.

RYE—Easier; Western, 63c to 65c.

BARLEY—Steady; Western, 62c to 75c.

CORN—Receipts, 44,000 bu; exports, 136,000 bu; sales, 415,000 bu futures, 96,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 51c elevator; ungraded mixed, 49c to 51c; options firm; Oct., 51½c; Nov., 51⅝c; Dec., 52c.

OATS—Receipts, 72,000 bu; sales, 70,000 bu futures; 78,000 bu spot; options dull; Oct., 35½c; Nov., 36⅝c; Dec., 38c; spots weaker; No. 3, 34⅝c to 34½c; do white, 36½c to 37½c; No. 2, 36c; do white, 39c; mixed western, 36c to 37c; white do and State, 37½c to 46c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 4 13-16c to 5c; confectioners' "A," 4 11-16c to 4⅞c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5 5-16c to 5½c; powdered, 4 13-16c to 5c; granulated, 4 13-16c to 5c.

EGGS—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 22½c to 23½c; ice house, 19c to 19½c; western prime, 21½c to 21½c.

TOLEDO, Oct. 7.

WHEAT—75½c asked cash and Oct.; 77½c asked Dec.; 83½c asked May.

CORN—45c cash.

OATS—32c bid cash.

DETROIT, Oct. 7.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 74½c cash; No. 2 red, 75c cash and Oct.; 77½c Dec.; 83½c May.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 7.

WHEAT—Closes active; 69⅝c to 69½c cash; 72½c to 72½c Dec.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 6.—Cattle—Fresh receipts, 1 car common light butcher cows; nothing outside of a peddling trade was done.

Sheep and lambs—The market was active and strong, and on best lambs 15c to 25c higher for both native and Canada stock, and steady to strong yesterday's prices for sheep; offerings, 11 cars of Canada lambs and 6 cars of native lambs and sheep; the eastern reports were more favorable, and the stock on sale changed hands readily at the advance; good to choice Canada lambs sold at $6 10 to $6 15; good light Michigan lambs, $5 65—fair lots at $5 50; good Michigan sheep, of 114 lbs, brought $5 35; cull and common butchers' lots no better in price, but sold more readily and a fairly good clearance of the yards made early, the market closing firm.

Hogs—Receipts, 8 cars and on a generally light order day the offerings early were taken at strong figures; prices very irregular, $6 to $6 05 was paid for several loads, some selling early at $6 10 to $6 15, but later in the day buyers would not give above $6 for anything; light weights sold at $5; roughs and ends $4 50 to $5 50.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 6.—About 400 head of butchers' cattle, 40 calves and 1,000 mutton critters were offered to-day. There was a brisk demand all round for anything good, but lean beeves and half-starved mutton critters were rather slow of sale, although prices of even these were better than they were a week or ten days ago. There were really no prime beeves on the market, and any such would bring from 4½c to 4¾c per lb; good fat cows sold at from 3½c to 4c do, with a few good heifers at higher rates. Rough, half-fatted steers were plentiful, and sold at from 3c to 3½c per lb; common dry cows 2½c to 3½c do, and lean beasts at from 2½c to 2¾c per lb. Good calves are in active demand, and bring higher prices, but nearly all the good veals were sold before reaching the market. Prices of good calves are from $7 to $12 each, and common ones sell at from $3 to $5 each. There are in all some 15,000 sheep and lambs brought to this market since yesterday morning, and good lambs met with ready sale at about 4½c per lb, while some of them were sold singly at over $4 each. Common to inferior lambs sell at from about $3 down to about $1 75 each. Fat hogs are not very plentiful, and sell at from 5c to 5¼c per lb

The Flour Trade.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 6.—The Northwestern Miller says that the flour production last week was 209,175 barrels against 208,200 barrels the previous week. There has not been quite as good a demand for flour the past week, yet most firms sold more than their output. Wheat has shown a little weakness, and this affected sales somewhat. Millers generally complain that the market is far from what it should be at this time of the year. The great volume of transactions is on domestic account. Export trade is generally light. Direct exports last week were 64,815 barrels against 78,040 barrels for the week before.

Physicians' Prescriptions

—AND—

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HOMŒOPATHIC REMEDIES.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. ZV

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—J. F. Lister, Q.C., M.P., is in the city.

—The weekly corporation paysheet amounts to $234 85.

—Mrs. John Paull has left to visit New Lowell and Meaford.

—Judge Robinson, of Sarnia, presided at a short sitting of the First Division Court this morning.

—Edward Synett, of London West, was let go by Judge Elliot this morning on a charge of assaulting his wife.

—Mrs. Duncan Sinclair, of Winnipeg, who has been spending three or four weeks in this city, has returned home.

—Alex. McDonald, of London township, has been committed to jail by Squire Rosser for five days or a charge of vagrancy.

—Mr. Wm. Weir, 428 Horton street, had the misfortune to crush his hand while operating a machine the other day. It is expected he will recover the use of it soon.

—Walter, a son of Alex Smith, 725 Maitland street, had the misfortune to fall from a tree the other day, causing his left arm to be seriously fractured in two places.

—At Osgoode Hall Thursday in the case of Donaldson vs. Darvill, judgment on appeal by the defendant Justin, a judgment debtor from an order made by Davis, local judge at London, in certain garnishee proceedings the appeal was dismissed with costs.

—Mrs. Edward Blake, for three years past, has been the president of the Toronto branch of the Canadian McAll Mission, but yesterday, upon taking the chair, she announced her intention of resigning, as she will shortly leave for England with her husband.

—Joseph Cullen, a youthful vagrant, when arrested told the police that his parents lived in Montreal, giving their name and address. A letter from there shows the statement to have been false. The police magistrate this morning remanded the lad for a week. James E. Dalton, a one-armed wanderer, was ordered to leave London at once.

—A quiet wedding took place at St. Peter's Cathedral Wednesday morning, when Miss Mary Reidy was united in marriage to Mr. B. McNulty, teamster at the M. C. R. The Rev. Father Tiernan performed the ceremony. Miss Mary McNiff acted as bridesmaid and Mr. John Moyer was best man. Only relatives and a few near friends were present. The happy couple will at once go into housekeeping at 478 Wellington street. The presents were valuable.

The Cold Storage Is Ready.

Information has been received that cold storage for the Canadian fruit exhibit is now ready at the World's Fair, Chicago, and doubtless no time will be lost by the fruit growers' associations in sending forward their exhibits.

Middlesex Assizes.

The case of the City of London against the London Street Railway Company was called this afternoon after court resumed. The city claims that the street railway company has no right to extend their tracks east and west along Dundas street to the city limits, and also along Rectory street. The company claims the right, and the suit is to settle the dispute. Case going on.

Wanted—More Money.

Absolutely necessary work to be done and "no funds" with which to do it, are circumstances that have placed No. 2 committee of the City Council in an unpleasant dilemma of late. At a meeting last night it was decided to ask the City Council for $3,000 additional in order to tide over the exigencies of the present year. There are sidewalks to be laid, roads to be put in shape and contracts to be let, besides numerous incidentals. The petition for the sewer on Oxford street, between Richmond and Wellington, requires four more names before its prayer can be granted. The long-delayed Emery street drain will be advertised. The Guelich Stone Walk Company asked that the 25 per cent. of their contract price witheld be handed over to them, as their work was satisfactory. The request was granted on all but the Dundas street walk, between Waterloo and Colborne streets. The engineer will decide as to the payment on this. Ald. Bartlett (chairman), Shaw, Jones, O'Meara, Garratt and City Engineer Graydon were present.

Methodist Women and Missions.

At the concluding session of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society (Western), held at Woodstock, the election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Burns, St. Thomas; first vice-president, Mrs. Dr. Fowler, London; second vice-president, Mrs. Dickson, London; third vice-president, Mrs. Phelps, Mount Pleasant. The following were elected by acclamation: Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Cunningham, Guelph; recording secretary, Mrs. McMechan, London; treasurer, Mrs. R. T. Williams, Galt; corresponding secretary of mission bands, Miss Dickson, London. Representatives to the annual conferences: Niagara conference, Mrs. Phelps; London conference, Mrs. Burns; Guelph conference, Mrs. McMechan. The final session was held last (Thursday) night. The report of the corresponding secretary of the session circle and a programme of music, etc., brought the meeting to a close. The present convention has been one of the best in the history of the society.

TENNYSON.

The Chronicle Thinks Swinburne the Only Possible Poet Laureate.

Sir Edwin Arnold's Touching Tribute to the Deceased Poet.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The canon of Westminster Abbey has formally invited Hallam Tennyson to bury his father in Westminster Abbey.

Hallam Tennyson is now so ill as to be confined to his bed.

A friend of the bereaved family states that yesterday afternoon during a wakeful moment Lord Tennyson asked for a copy of Shakespeare, and with his own hands turned the leaves until he found the dirge in "Cymbeline." Then he fixed his eyes on the pages but he did not speak, and whether he read the lines or not is not known. Soon he again passed into slumber, and his left hand rested on the open book until he passed away.

The body of Lord Tennyson lies on the bed in which he died. He looks fifteen years younger than before death, the lines and wrinkles of the face being less apparent. The beard, which was unkept in life, has been carefully trimmed, the hands are folded over the chest, a laurel wreath crowns the head and another lies at his feet. The coverlet over the body is almost hidden beneath the flowers which have been placed upon it. Burning wax tapers lend a subdued light to the chamber. The Bishop of Winchester will preach the funeral sermon in Haslemere Church on Sunday.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Chronicle thinks Swinburne is the only possible poet laureate.

The morning newspapers are unanimously in favor of Lord Tennyson's burial in Westminster Abbey.

The following poem is from the pen of Sir Edwin Arnold:

No moaning of the bar—sail forth strong ship
Into that gloom which has God's face for a far light;
Not a dirge, but a proud farewell from each fond lip,
And praise, abounding praise, and fame's faint starlight
Lamping thy tuneful soul to that large noon.
Where thou shalt quire with angels. Words of woe
Are the unfulfilled—not thee whose moon
Of genius sinks full orbed—glorious—aglow.
No moaning of the bar—musical drifting—
Of Time's waves, turning to the eternal sea.
Death's soft wind all thy gallant canvas lifting,
And Christ thy pilot to the peace to be.

THE FIRE RECORD.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The Kinney Bros. cigarette factory, one of five great concerns that make up the tobacco trust, was burned early this morning. It throws between 600 and 700 people out of employment. Loss, $300,000; insurance, $250,000. The loss caused by the interruption of business will be very large.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 6.—Fire to-day damaged Clark & Flynn's steam copper and brass foundry and the lumber yard of Charles H. O'Neill to the extent of $50,000. The loss was about equally divided.

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Miss Phœbe Armstrong has retnrned this week from London, where she has, for the past four months, been studying shorthand and typewriting in the Forest City Business College. Miss Armstrong speaks very highly of the teaching and practice in that institution. She says she had the opportunity of attending a school that promised her a situation upon graduating, but took in preference one that did thorough teaching and run chances of a position. —[Guide-Advocate, Watford, bd bw

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