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| C., B. and Q        | 843   | 844             | 83              | 83    |
| &t. Paul            |       | 76              | 751             | 15    |
| C. and N. W         |       | 1063            | 1061            | 100   |
| Missouri Pacific    |       | 301             | 291             | 30    |
| Rock Island         |       | 754             | 741             | 75    |
| L. and N            |       | $53\frac{3}{4}$ | 531             | 53    |
| Gen. Electric       |       | 314             | 31              | 31    |
| Chicago Gas         |       | $65\frac{1}{2}$ | 623             | 65    |
| Sugar Trust         |       | 105             | 1021            | 105   |
| Tobacco Trust       |       | 831             | 82              | 83    |
| Reading             |       | 103             | 95              | 10    |
| Jersey Central      |       |                 |                 |       |
| U. S. Leather       | 631   | 654             | $63\frac{1}{5}$ | 65    |
| Manhattan           |       | 1011            | 100%            |       |
| Atchison Ry         |       | 17#             | 17              | 17    |
| Tenn. Coal and Iron |       | 323             | 321             |       |
| Wabash              |       | 194             | 19              | 19    |
| Western Union       | 88    | 881             | 871             |       |
| Distillers          |       | 194             | 19              | 19    |
| Pacific Mail        |       | 30%             | 301             | 30    |
| Toronto             |       |                 |                 |       |
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| Toronto Stock Market.                        |         |
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| TORONTO, Dec.                                | 2.      |
| Ask.   | Off.    |
| Montreal                                     | 217     |
| Ontario 87                                   | 824     |
| Moleone                                      |         |
| Toronto250                                   | 242     |
| Merchants                                    | 165     |
| Commerce                                     | 135     |
| Imperial                                     | 183     |
| Dominion                                     | 250     |
| Standard                                     | 163     |
| Hamilton                                     | 153     |
| British America119                           | 117     |
| Western Assurance                            | 167     |
| Canada Life                                  |         |
| Confederation Life                           | 270     |
| Confederation Life                           | 199     |
| Dominion Telegraph                           | 125     |
| Montreal Telegraph                           | 162     |
| Northwest Land Company, com                  |         |
| Northwest Land Company, pre 51               | 45      |
| Canada Pacific Railway Stock 571             | 56      |
| Commercial Cable Company1663                 | 166     |
| Bell Telephone Company                       | 158     |
| Bell Telephone Company, new                  |         |
| Montreal Street Railway                      | 217     |
| Montreal Street Railway (new)                |         |
| Toronto Street Railway 773                   | 77      |
| Dominion Savings and Investment              | 83      |
| Farmers' Loan and Savings107                 | 100     |
| Farmers L. & S., 20 per cent 90              |         |
| Huron and Erie L. & S                        | 166     |
| Huron and Erie. 20 per cent                  | 15      |
| London and Canada, L. and A110               | 109     |
| London Loan                                  |         |
| London and Ontario                           |         |
| Ontario Loan and Debenture                   | 128     |
| Commerce, 10 at 135%; British America,       | 10.     |
| at 118; West. Assurance, 6, 8 at 1671. 50 at |         |
| Montreal St., 50 at 217; Toronto Ry., 25,    | 5. 2    |
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| Montreal Stock Market.                    |         |
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| MONTREAL, De                              | ec. 2.  |
| Ask.                                      | Off.    |
| Canadian Pacific 57                       | 561     |
| Duluth common 6                           | 54      |
| Duluth preferred 10½                      | 94      |
| Commercial Cable                          | 1663    |
| Wabash Common                             |         |
| Wabash preferred                          |         |
| Montreal Telegraph                        | 1621    |
| Richelieu and Ontario 981                 | 964     |
| Montreal Street Railway                   | 2173    |
| Montreal Street Railway, new              |         |
| Montreal Gas Company2071                  | 207     |
| Bell Telephone                            | 158     |
| Royal Electric                            | 130     |
| Toronto Railway 771                       | 77      |
| Bank of Montreal219                       | 218     |
| Ontario Bank                              | 80      |
| Banque du Peuple 13                       | 5       |
| Molsons Bank                              |         |
| Bank of Toronto                           |         |
| Banque Jacques Cartier                    |         |
| Merchants Bank                            | 165     |
| Merchants Bank of Halifax165              | 162     |
| Queoec Bank                               | 115     |
| Union Bank                                |         |
| Bank of Commerce136                       | 135     |
| Northwest Land, Pfd                       | 40      |
| Montreal Cotton Company140                | 130     |
| Canada Colored Cotton                     | 65      |
| Dominion Cotton, xd                       | 90      |
| Postal Telegraph                          |         |
|   | at 1661 |
| SALES-Com. Cable, 50 at 167, 200          | 3 14 9  |
| Richelieu and Ontario, 25 at 95, 25 at 96 | s, II a |

Richelieu and Ontario, 25 at 95, 25 at 95, 14 at 96, 25 at 98; Montreal St. Ry., 25, 100, 425, 55 at 218, 425 at 216, 175 at 217, 35 at 217\frac{1}{4}, 375, 25 at 217\frac{1}{4}, 100 at 217\frac{1}{4}, 25 at 217\frac{1}{4}, 25, 25 at 217\frac{1}{4}; Montreal Gas, 25 at 206\frac{1}{4}, 275, 50, 75, 50 at 207, 250 at 208, 175 at 107\frac{1}{4}, 100 at 207\frac{1}{4}; Toronto Ry., 100 at 77\frac{3}{4}, 50 at 77\frac{1}{4}, 25, 50 at 77; Bank of Montreal, 9, 14 at 219; Merchants' Bank, 1 at 167; Montreal Cotton, 4 at 199\frac{1}{4}; Dominion Cotton, 25 at 95. Cotton, 4 at 1294; Dominion Cotton, 25 at 95.

| COMMERCIAL  |          |       |          |
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| COMMENCIAL  |          |       |          |
| Local Market.   |          |       |          |
| (Reported by A. M. Hamilton                                     | on &     | & S   | on.)     |
| London, Monday  |          |       |          |
| Wheat, per bu   |          |       |          |
| Oats, per bu  |          |       | 24c      |
| Peas, per bu  | 49       | c @   | 51c      |
| Barley, per bu  | 39       | co    | 35c      |
| Rye, per bu   | . 40     | c @   | 510      |
| Corn, per bu  | 45       | co    | 500      |
| Buckwheat, per bu   |          |       |          |
| buckwheat, per bu   |          | - 6   | 000      |
| The receipts were light, a                                      | 9 11     | 51101 | on       |
|   |          |       |          |
| Monday.<br>Quotations:  | 1        | 11 1  | 1        |
| GRAIN.  |          |       |          |
| Wheat, white, per 100 lb  | 1 05     |       | 1 05     |
| Wheat red, per 100 lbs  | 1 05     | to    | 1 05     |
| Oats, per 100 lbs   | 72       | to    | 74       |
| Oats, per 100 lbs   | 80       | to    | 85       |
| Corn. per 100 lbs   | 70       | to    | 75<br>70 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs   | 80       | to    | 90       |
| Reans bu  | 50       | to    | 511      |
| Buckwheat per 100, lbs  | 55       | to    | 76       |
| VEGETABLES AND FRU  | 80       | to    | 1 00     |
| Apples, per bag   | 20       | to    | 30       |
| Tomatoes, per bu  | 20       | to    | 30       |
| Carrots. per bu   | 20       | to    | 30<br>20 |
| Turnips, per bu   | 15<br>30 | to    | 35       |
| Onions, per bu  | 35       | to    | 50       |
| PROVISIONS.   |          |       |          |
| Eggs.fresh, single doz  | 18<br>16 | to    | 18       |
| Eggs fresh, basket, per doz<br>Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz | 15       | to    | 16       |
| Butter, single rolls, per lb                                    | 18       | to    | 20       |
| Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls. baskets.                            | 16       | to    | 18       |
| Chickens, per pair  | 35<br>45 | to    | 1 25     |
| Turkeys, per lb, 6c to 7c; each                                 |          |       | 1 20     |
| Hay, per ton  | 12 00    | to    | 14 00    |
| Straw, per load   | 2 00     | to    | 3 00     |
| Clover seed, red per bu   | 0 00     | to    | 0.00     |

MEAT. HIDES, ETC.

6 to 400 to 4

Mutton quarters, per lb.... Veal, quarters, per lb....

Lamb quarters, per lb.....
Dressed hogs, 100 lb......
Hides, No. 1, per lb......
Hides, No. 2, per lb......

Dairy Market.

Sheepskins, each
Lambshins, each
Wool, per lb
Tallow, rendered, per lb
Tallow, rough, per lb
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu

1 northern at 64c asked Midland elevator; No. 1 hard is quoted at 73c and

No. 1 northern at 72c, grinding in tran-

Flour-Quiet; cars of straight roller are quoted at \$3 10, Toronto freights. Manitoba flour is lower; cars of strong

bakers were quoted here today at \$3 50

Mill-feed—Quiet; cars of shorts are quoted at \$13 and bran at \$11 west.

Braley-In fair demand and steady;

No. 1 is quoted at 45c, extra at 46c and

Buckwheat-Quiet; cars outside are

Oats-Quiet; cars of mixed sold on

the Michigan Central at 22c to 22 1-2c.

Mixed are quoted west at 23c and

Peas-Offered more freely; 5 cars

Latest Montreal Markets.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 2-2:30 p.m. The holders of oats are all wanting to sell.

Peas—Per 60 lbs, store, 60c to 6ic.
Barley—Malting, 53c to 55c: feed, 38c to 39c.
Oats—No. 2 white 31c to 31c.
Buckwheat—Per 48 lbs, 39c to 40c.
PROVISIONS.
Post Consider abort supports

Best Canadian short cut heavy, \$13 50. Hams—City cured, per lb, 9c to 10c. Lard—Compound, 8tc to 8tc; lard, pure, 6tc

Bacon—9c to 10c.
Flour—Spring wheat patents, \$4 05 to \$4 15:
Manitoba strong bakers, \$3 60 to \$3 90; winter patents, \$3 85 to \$4 20; straight rollers, \$1 75 to \$1 90.

CHEESE.
Cheese and butter very dull, and prices un-

Cheese—French, 8c to 9c; western, 94c to 94c. Butter—Best creamery, Sept., 17c to 17c; townships at 18c to 20c; western at 14c to 15c.

Monday's Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.

English Markets.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

Liverpool, Dec. 2—12:45 p.m.
Wheat—Spot steady; demand moderate;
futures firm; near positions 4d lower, and dis-

Butter—Finest United States, 95s; good 60s.

Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liv-

but steady. Cargoes on passage—Wheat firm but not

Country markets - English, easy; French,

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Nov. 30.—Wheat was steady today.

with a comparatively small business transacted, Corn—the market was lifeless. Oats

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Nov., 56c; Dec., 56dc; May,

Corn-No. 2 Nov., 261c; Dec., 261c to 261c; Jan.

263c; May, 29c. Oats—No. 2 Nov., 173c; Dec., 173c; May, 204c. —Mess pork—Dec., \$7 674; Jan., \$8 75; May,

\$9 15. Lard—Dec., \$5 22½; Jan., \$5 40; May, \$5 65. Short ribs—Dec., \$4 27½; Jan., \$4 42½; May,

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 55½c to 57½c; No. 2 red wheat, 59c to 60½c; No. 2 corn. 26½c to 26½c; No. 2 oats, 18c; No. 2 rye, 36c; No. 2 barley, 36c to 40c; mess pork, \$7 75 to \$8 75½; lard, \$5 37½: short ribs sides, \$4 40 to \$4 45; dry salted shoulders, \$4 50 to \$4 75, short clear sides, \$4 62½ to \$4 75.

Corn. 88,000 Oats. 187,000 Rye. 1,000 Barley. 19,000

Rye. 1,000 Barley 19,000

NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 2-Noon.-Flour-Receipts, 29,400 barrels; sales, 3,000 packages; State and western, quiet.

Wheat-Receipts, 776,700 bu; sales, 1,755,000;

opened fairly active and higher on political talk; advanced, but lost the rise later on light trade; Jan., 66;c; March, 68½c; May, 677-16c to 67½c; Dec., 65½c to 65½c.

Rye-Dull. Corn-Receipts, 91,700 bu; sales, 10,000 bu;

Dec., 34½c. Oats-Receipts, 71,700 bu; sales, 10,000 bu; in-

Eggs—Receipts, 4.497 packages; steady: State and Pennsylvania, 22c to 25c; western, 21c to

Sugar-Raw quiet; fair refining, 3c; centri-

were dull and weak.

erpool, £7. Hops—At London (Pacific coast). £2 10s.

Turpentine spirits—20s 3d. Rosin—Common, 4s 5½d. Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 17s 3d.

-Spot firm futures quiet but steady and

tant positions unchanged.

Linseed oil-20s 6d

sold north and west today at 50c.

Receipts increasing.
GRAINS AND FLOUR.

No. 1 at 40c to 41c outside.

quoted at 32c to 33c. Rye—Firmer at 46c outside.

white at 24c.

WATERTOWN. • Watertown, N. Y., Nov. 30—At the cheese board today 230 large sold at 9½c; 50 small at 10c. Canton, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Cheese closed out at 9ic to 9ic.
No butter sold; offered 21c; board closed for ... 0 00 to

Chicago Exchange.

| A. M. HAMILIUN Q SUN  | Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple.  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Flour, Breakfast Cereals, Feed,<br>Salt, Land Plaster, Etc.<br>373 TALBOT STREET - PHONE 662  | Wheat—Dec  | 57<br>61½<br>261<br>291<br>174         | 564<br>604<br>254<br>287<br>287<br>178         | 56<br>61<br>26<br>29                           |
| Toronto Grain Market. Toronto, Dec. 2.—Wheat—The offerings are fair and the market is lower. Cars of red sold west at 5 1-2c freight at 65c; cars of red north and west freights are quoted at 65c and white at 67c. Manitoba wheat steady; No. 1 | May 20 Pork—Jan \$8 70 May 9 07 Lard—Jan 5 37 May 5 60 Ribs—Jan 4 37 May 4 60 Puts, 61; calls, 62; | \$8 72<br>9 10<br>5 37<br>5 62<br>4 37 | \$8 67<br>9 05<br>5 35<br>5 60<br>4 35<br>4 60 | \$8 72<br>9 10<br>5 37<br>5 60<br>4 37<br>4 62 |
| hard is quoted at 65c Midland and No.   | CTD  | AT                                     | (2)(   | -  |

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-Mr.W.H.Law, of the Peterboro Bridge Company, was in the city Saturday on busiress relating to the Ridout street bridge. -Miss Ethel Nichols, South London, has returned home, having spent two weeks with her sister, Mrs. James Kelly, Lambeth.

-Mr. G. R. Guy, of Guy Bros. Minstrels, was in town today, visiting his wife and children. The eldest daughter, a girl about 10 years old, is ill at the Grigg.

Li II il izigi al Exi Petrolea, Dec. 1. — Oil opened and closed at \$1 70 today.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 2.—Oil opened \$1 37; 12:30 p.m., oil \$1 59. -On Friday night or Saturday morning some miscreant forced open the missionary boxes at the Askin Street Methodist Church and stole the unknown amount contained

> -G. T. R. Detective Logan yesterday arrested a man named McDonald on ron on a charge of mortgaging some silverware, and then bringing the goods him. The goods are worth \$50.

unchanged.

Bacon — Quiet; demand poor; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 30s.

Short ribs—28 lbs, 31s; long clear light, 38 to 45 lbs, 28s; long clear heavy, 55 lbs, 27s short clear backs, light, 18 ibs, 27s 6d; short clear backs, light, 18 ibs, 27s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs, 27s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 33s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 33s.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, 41s.

Tallow—Fine North American nominal.

Beet—Extra India mess, 73s 9d; prime mess, 57s 6d to W. C. Brown, London. Rev. Dr. Horner officiated. The bride wore a gown of white Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 53s 3d; do Lard-Dull: prime western, 27s 9d; refined in pails, 29s 6d. crystal cord silk, trimmed with point lace and ostrich tips. Miss Fralick, the brides-maid were a dress of white India silk. Mr. in palls, 23s 6d. Cheese — Quiet, demand poor; finest American white, 44s; finest American colored, James A. Brown acted as groomsman. The Misses Dalton and Rason were maids of chrysanthemums. Between 40 and 50 guests were present, among them friends from Petroleum—Refined. 84d. Refrigerator beef—Fore quarter, 38d; hind Barrie, Toronto and London.

CROWDS GREETED HIM. John Patterson, the young clerk who Hops—At London (Pacific coast). £2 10s.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 2—4:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot steady; demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, 5s 2d; No. 2 red spring, stocks exhausted: No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 1d; No. 1 California, 5s 3d; futures opened firm, with near positions \(\frac{1}{2}\)d higher and distant positions \(\frac{1}{2}\)d to \(\frac{1}{2}\)d higher and distant positions \(\frac{1}{2}\)d higher; business about equally distributed: Dec., \(\frac{1}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; Jan., \(\frac{1}{2}\)s 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; Feb., \(\frac{1}{2}\)s 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; Intures opened quiet but steady and unchanged; closed firm, with Dec., \(\frac{1}{2}\)d higher and other months \(\frac{1}{2}\)d higher; business about equally distributed; Dec., \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; March, \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; April, \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; Feb., \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; March, \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; April, \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 3\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; Feb., \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; March, \(\frac{3}{2}\)s 2\(\frac{3}{2}\)d; April, \(\frac{3}{2}\)d; May, \(\frac{3}{2}\)d. Flour—Steady; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy winter, \(\frac{7}{2}\). is alleged to have stolen \$4,600 from the Traders' Bank in Strathroy early last spring, was brought back to that place today by Constable Wilson. An meet him, but Patterson and his es- the journey as cheaply as possible. cort alighted at the water tank some distance west of the town. Patterson Noble.

TONIGHT'S COUNCIL MEETING.

If the matter can possibly be got ready the Grand Trunk car shops question will that it was the cholera come again. come up at tonight's council meeting. fancy winter, 7s.
Peas-Canadian, 4s 11d.
London, Dec. 2-2 p.m.
Cargoes off coast-Wheat steady; corn quiet before the board and indications point to a and finally end up in some open place. midnight session. It will be a bylaw night. Where the native helper who accompanied him would hold a service. The the people as to whether or not the wards shall be reduced to three will be up for discussion. The oft postponed fire limits bylaw is also in shape for adoption or annihilation, and the bylaw directing the street railway company to clean the snow off certain streets will also be read.

ANTHONY MANSELL PARDONED. Mayor Little today received a communicharge of manslaughter in connection with shoot, I'm a man!" the death of Harry Platt at Labatt's with Platt and it is alleged Mansell threw him down a stairway, causing fatal injuries. The petition for Mansell's pardon was based Flour. 17,000 Wheat. 92,000 Corn. 164,000 Oats. 241,000 Rye 7,000 Barley 70,000 Shipments upon his previous good character and the fact that his son was recently killed, thereby depriving the prisoner's wife of her main support. The pardon took effect on Friday 

SHINING IN COMEDY.

Thorn's Comic Opera Company gave the musical comedy of "Beaten by Strategy" here on Thursday night. The Thorn pleased those present by his laughable personation of the ne-gro character and was heart-ily encored. Miss Alice Gal-braith made a capital soubrette Oats-Receipts, 71,700 bu; sales, 10,000 bu; inactive; May, 25½c.

Beef—Dull; family, \$11 50.

Pork—Dull; new mess, \$9 50 to \$10.

Lard—Weaker; prime western steam, \$5 60.

Butter—Receipts, 5,163 packages; steady;
State dairy, 12c to 21c; western dairy, 11c to 16c; State creamery, 17c to 23c; western creamery, 15c to 24c; Elgins, 24c.

Cheese—Receipts, 4,859 packages; quiet; State large, 7½c to 19c; small, 7½c to 10½c; part skims, 3½c to 6c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

Eggs—Receipts, 4,437 packages; steady; State and her dancing was all to be desired. Mr. Furness, as the Irish policeman, was thoroughly good and brought down the house. Mr. J. C. Lockhart made a splendid hit, his songs being encored. Mr. John D. Raymond gave him splendid support. Miss Wood-worth and Mis Hughes made two very good sisters. Mr. W. H. Irvine, as the uncle, was all that could be desir-

ed.-St. Mary's Argus. fugal, 96-test, 33c; refined quiet; crushed, 53c; powdered, 43c; granulated, 44c.

Coffee—Dull; No. 7, 143c.

The funeral of the late Mrs. V Coffee—Dull; No. 7, 14]c.

Hops—Quiet.
Lead—Qui t; bullion, \$3 20; exchange price,
\$3 25 to \$3 27].

Buffalo. Dec. 2.—Spring wheat—No. 1 hard.
64 c to 65 c; No. 1 Northern, 62 c. Winter
wheat—Firmer; No. 2 red 67 to 69c.
Corn—Firmer; No. 2 vellow, 33 c; No. 3 vellow, 33 c; No. 2 corn, 33 c; No. 3 corn, 32 c.
Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 23 c; No. 3 white,
22 c; No. 2 mixed, 21 c.

TOLEDO.

Stevely took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, King street,
to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The cortage was one of the largest seen in London for some time, containing 75 carriages, and being over four blocks in length. Rev. Robert Johnston, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, conducted the services at the house and grave, and the following acted as pall-bearers: Wardsville), Wm. Tackaberry, Alexan- sat under him.

der Fraser, Daniel Fraser, and Young (of Glencoe). Messrs. C. McCallum and Andrew Thompson officiated as bearers of the many floral offerings given by the family's friends. Chief among the mourners were Mrs. (Dr.) Thompson, Aylmer, and Mrs. T. W. Tackaberry, Denver, Col., daughters of Mrs. Stevely; Dr. Thompson, and Messrs. Samuel and John Stevely, city.

Missionary Allen's Parents Were Decidedly Uneasy.

Their Son Had to Pass Through the Dardanelles.

This Missionary Rides a Bicycle and it Mearly Cost Him His Life-An East End Boy.

By the news of the safe arrival in New York of their son Eli, the minds of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, 458 Quebec street, are very much relieved. Mr. Allen has been laboring as a missionary in Persia, and was on his way home. His route lay through the Black Sea, the Sea of Marmora, and the Dardanelles, the seat of the trouble between Turkey and other powers, and as his parents had not heard from him since he left Erzeroum they were very anxious. On Saturday Mr. Allen, sen., told an "Advertiser" reporter that if he did not have word by Monday, he would write to the American Presbyterian Foreign Mission Board in New York, and ask them to institute inquiries. Judge, then, the surprise of Mr. and Mrs. Allen when they learned yesterday of the arrival of their sonin-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Liddicott, and child, who went to England from East London in the summer. They brought news that Mr. Eli Allen had accompanied them as far as New York, where he would remain for a few days on business before coming home.

Mr. Allen will remain here a year. For four years he has been superintendent of the industrial department of a mission in Persia, and as an iron department is to be added to the shop, he has been granted a year's absence to come home and increase his knowledge of the iron trade.

Mr. Allen is a practical missionary He received a public school education in East London, and also perfected himself in shorthand, which, however, he did not seek to use to his advantage. The loss by death of a brother and sis ster, followed by that of a dear com-panion, gave him sober food for rethe streets. He is wanted in Port Hu- flection, and he determined to become a missionary. He was then connected with the King Street Presbyterian to Canada. He arrived here yester-Church. He was accepted by the Amday, bringing the articles in question erican Presbyterian Foreign Mission erican Presbyterian Foreign Mission Board, not so much because of his orawith him. A sheriff came from Port Huron, and McDonald went back with torical ability, but because of a splendid knowledge of mechanics. After -A very happy event took place at the some time spent in perfecting this residence of Mr. J. Postle, 85 Perry street, knowledge, in particular branches, es-Detroit, Mich., on Wednesday evening, it pecially in furniture manufacturing being the marriage of his daughter, Sadie, and cabinet work, he left for the field. This missionary rides a bicycle, and

the sight of the wheel and the man astride it caused great excitement among the natives, and gave Mr. Allen a disappearance of Bicyclist Lenz. Light honor, Mr. R. Albert Brown was usher. bicycle tour by the following letter. The parlors were decorated with palms and from a Cleveland lady, who is also from a Cleveland lady, who is also attached to the mission: "Mr. Allen, the superintendent of the

industrial department, has gone to America to learn something more of the iron trade, as an iron department is to be added to the shop. He started off on his bicycle, and expected to ride to Batoum, on the Black Sea, stop at Samsoon, and run up to Marsovan, on his wheel, to see the training school there, and take the steamer to Mar-

"In August he took a tour to the southern part of the field on his wheel. will be brought before Magistrate He would leave the horsemen who accompanied him away behind him, and rode most of the way alone. Every-where he was an object of the greatest wonder and excitement. Some said "He would go to a village, and the

whole place would gather to see him. congregation was there with no ringing of bells, except the bicycle bell. "Mr. Allen says that in this way vil-

lages were opened up where never before had the Gospel message been atlowed to enter. But sometimes he got into trouble, and at one place a mob surrounded him that he had to get out of that village at the earliest opporttunity. "One day he was riding atong when

cation from the Department of Justice, he saw a horseman ahead of him, who Ottawa, informing him that, in answer to a stopped and stared with all his might petition for clemency, the Minister had at this strange apparition. Then the man drew out a cartridge and slipped ordered the release of Anthony Mansell, of it into his gun, at which Mr. Allen London, from the Kingston Penitentiary. jumped off his wheel with the great-Mansell was sentenced for seven years on a est alacrity and called out: "Don't

Mr. Allen purchased the wheel from brewery in 1891. He had an alternation a fellow-missionary, who had returned from a furlough to America.

### CELEBRATING ITS ANNIVERSARY. The Colborne Street Methodist Church-Sermons by a Distinguished Preacher.

Colborne Street Methodist Church commemorated another anniversary yesterday, when the sermons were preached by Rev. James Allen, M.A., of the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, who was pastor of the congregation when it worshiped in the much of fun which was thoroughly appre- less pretentious building on Pall Mall street. The choir, under the able diforth rounds of applause. Mr. Will rection of Mr. H. Ruthven Macdonald, rendered special music of a high order. Forty voices sang Parker's "Praise the Lord" at the morning service with spledid effect, and Mr. Macdonald's solo in the evening was listened to with rapt attention.

The Colborne Street Church has been laboring under heavy financial difficultes which at times threatened its materal existence. In March last over \$500 was overdue on interest account, but during the year, thanks to the welldirected efforts of the pastor, Rev. Walter Rigsby, the debt has been largely diminished, and it is expected that the receipts of tonight's anniversary entertainment will more than The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm.

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text from St. John, xiv., 21—"He that hath my commandments and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me, and he tege was one of the largest seen in London for some time, containing 75 father, and I will love him and will carriages, and being over four blocks manifest myself to him." Mr. Allen's in length Pow Popular London pulpit ability has ripened with the tor of St. Andrew's Church, conducted lapse of time, and his sermons were listened to with great pleasure and at-Toledo, Dec. 2—Wheat—Cash, 612c; May, Messrs. (Ald.) Armstrong, Caldwell (of bers of the congregation who formerly

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## The Lake Ferries.

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Port Dover, Dec. 2.—It is stated here that the captain of the Government dredge has discovered that Port Dover harbor cannot be made available for lake ferry traffic such as was contemplated, except through an enormous expenditure of money. It is understood that the harbor cannot be dredged sufficiently deep because the bottom solid rock. No one need be surprised if the new company organized to run lake ferries between Port Stenley and Cleveland, should buy out the boats intended to ply to and from Port Dover. In that case, the lake coal traffic would be diverted to Port Stanley, as was the intention when the syndicate bargain was agreed to by the London Council.

That They Fired on a British Gunboat.

Constantinople, Dec. 2.-The Sultan has ot yet heard the last of the extra guard ships question. As intimated in these dispatches on Friday last, the withdrawal of the British gunboat Dryad from the en is thrown upon Mr. Allen's Asiatic trance of the Dardanelles was only a temporary step, taken on account of the fact that the palace people had inflamed the fanaticism of the Mussulman population here, and that serious rioting was planned to commence as soon as the warships entered the Bosphorus.

The powers now appear to be unanimously resolved to insist upon their demands for the extra guardships. In consequence the ambassadors have arranged for a meeting today to discuss the situation and consider what action is necessary in view of immense crowd was at the station to seilles, and run across France, making the Sultan's continued objection to granting the firmans. In the meanwhile, the palace party is triumphant and the impression is being conveyed to the general public that the Sultan has won a great victory over the foreign powers. This tends to make the matter more delicate to handle. The so-called firing upon the British ship

Lock Rannock, in the Dardanelles, is said by Turish officials to be a matter of little importance and easily explained. They say that the Loch Rannock arrived after sundown and that instead of anchoring she attempted to proceed and was signalled from the shore by a gunshot to bring up. As she did not do so a second shot was fired and the Loch Rannock let go her anchor. The "shell" which is said to have whizzed over the head of the captain of the Loch Rannock is pronounced to have been nothing more than the wad from the signal gun ashore.

## MIDDLESEX DICEMBER SESSIONS

Opened at the Court House Before Judge Edward Elliott.

The December sessions for the county of Middlesex we: e opened at the Court House at 1 o'clock this afternoon before Judge Edward Elliott. The grand jury comprises John Armstrong, Newbury: Thomas Atkinson, Glencoe; James Douglas, lot 15, con. 6, Mosa; Daniel Ferguson, lot 9, con. 1, Lobo; D. N. McLeod, Parkhill; Alexander Mc-Dougall, lot 5, con. 2, Ekirid; Richard Oke, Victoria street, city; James E. Orr, West-minster; Wm. O'Brien, 379 Horton street, city; James Powell, Ailsa Craig; Samuel T. Piper, Westminster; Archibald Rowatt, North Dorchester; John Rosser, lot 31, con. 14, London township. Mr. James Douglas was chosen foreman.

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