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### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Caledonian games will be held in Strathroy on May 25. The Royal Grenadiers, of Toronto, will visit Woodstock, May 25.

The Ridgeway veterans will have a celebration at Toronto on June 2nd. Petrolea has a population of 4,363 and real estate value of \$1,099,630.

The Middlesex Beekeepers' Association will meet at Strathroy on May 20th. Bishop Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin are spending a couple of weeks at Nia-

Crossley and Hunter, the revivalists, open services in Neepawa, Man., on May 17.

The Lower House of the Prussian Diet has voted 165,000 marks to Prof. Koch's institute.

The return of the assessment roll for Ingersoll, for 1891, shows a total population of 5,009; total assessment, \$1,353,

The census returns show Kingsville to have 1,400 inhabitants; Essex 1,800; South Gosfield, 2,220; South Colchester,

According to the assessment roll the resident population of Aylmer is 2,179, or 90 less than the highest number ever

Hon. Mr. Ross, Minister of Education, has just been ordained an elder of Old St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, in Toronto.

At the International Y. M. C. A. convention a resolution has been adopted urging that the World's Fair be closed on Sundays.

The May District meeting of the Methodist church, Wingham District, will be held in Blyth on Wednesday and Thursday, 20th and 21st.

Andrew McGuire was sentenced to life imprisonment at Cobourg on Satur-day for attempting to murder a young woman by shoving her in front of a train.

Miss Livingstone, of Simcoe, Ontario, who sued Frank Knox, of Condersport, Pa., for \$25,000 for breach of promise of marriage, at Buffalo, got a verdict of \$5,000 after 3 hours deliberation.

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A football match will take place on the Recreation Grounds, Seaforth, on Saturday afterneon, May 16th. The Rangers, of Berlin, and Hurons, of Seaforth, will be the competing teams.

Crowell Wilson, J. P., of Wingham, formerly of London township, issued the first marriage certificate granted in Brantford, on Feb. 27, 1820. There was no minister nearer than 18 miles at the time.

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A fire at Woodstock Thursday night did \$700 damage to Bean & Westlake's Biscuit Factory and \$200 or \$300 injury to the machinery, damages to stock over \$1,500. Insurance in the Perth Mutual and Liverpool, London and Clohe.

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D. B. McKinnon & Son, of Blyth, through the failing of John Birrell & Co., of London, found it necessary to suspend payment last week. Their affairs are being investigated and it is supposed the suspension will only be temporary.

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The collectors in the Presbyterian church were unable to find the plates last Sunday morning, and had to fall back on their hats in order to lift the money. Plates may come and plates may go but the hat remains forever.—
Chesley Enterprise.

A large quantity of hickory is being shipped from Ridgetown and neighborhood direct to Germany to be mangfactured into rifle stocks for the army. The timber sells for \$16 per thousand and the freight charges to its destination amount to \$50 more.

Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer announ-Mis. After Freeman Palmer announces from the platform that there are to-day 40,000 girls in the colleges of America. This gives color to Dr. Seelye's declaration that before the end of the present century the American women will be better educated than the men.

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The two largest agricultural implement manufacturing concerns in Canada, the Massey, of Toronto, and the Harris, Son & Co., of Brantford, have amalgamated and will, hereafter, be carried on under one management. The capital stock is fixed at \$5,000,000, and the head office will be at Toronto.

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The Free Mason who succeeds General Albert Pike as the highest dignitary of the order in this country is Jas. Cunniagham Batchelor, M. D., of New Orleans, lieutenant grand commander of the Grand Consistory of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in the Southern Jurisdiction. He is a Canadian by birth, but settled in Alabama before the war.

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In the present confusion it is impossible to give any correct idea of the amount of the several losses caused by the disastrous fire at Aliston on Friday May 8th, and insurance thereon. The loss is estimated at from \$450,000 to \$500,000, with a total insurance of about \$140,000. Not a dry goods or grocery store is left in town. The number of fouldings destroyed is reported at 130, emostly places of business. It is the in tention of most of the sufferers to rebuild. The Market Hall, Town Hall, Fire Hall, four hotels, three or four Turniture stores, two jewelry stores, two banks, the telegraph, telephone and express offices, the post office, the division scourt, all are gone. No courches were burned. The burned district covers from five to six entire blocks, and is a complete wreck, nothing remaining but the burnt walls. Provisions have to be scomplete wreck, nothing remaining but whe burnt walls. Provisions have to be expressed in from outside cities. Sympathy and substantial aid is offered from all provinces. An effort will be made to seeme aid from the Government.

### Latest Market Reports.

	ATWOOD MARKET.	
	Fall Wheat	\$1 0
	Spring Wheat 95	1 0
	Barley 45	4
	Uats 40	4
	Peas 70	7
	Pork 5 00	5 5
	Hides per lb	41
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	Potatoes per bushel 50	54
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### Note Lost.

Potatoes per bag ...... 18 20 1 100 1 10

OST, a note given by Robert Buchanan, on the 16th day of April, 1891, for the sum of \$225.00, due in twelve months, and payable to the order of Wm. Dunn at the Bank of Hamilton, Listowel. The payment of said note is hereby forbidden.

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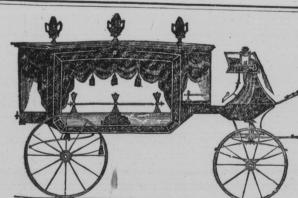
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