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THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

[From the Advertiser of Nov. 18, 1875.]
Mr. H. F. McDonald canvassed the
city yesterday for subscriptions to
the stock of the Dominion Bank, a new
monetary institution to be established
on the same principle with regard to
local deposits as prevails with the
Bank of Commerce. The head offices
of the bank are to be at Toronto, and
London, by subscribing to the amount
of \$50,000 to have a branch office in
the city. The \$25,000 of this sum is to be
subscribed at once and the balance
when the bank commences business.
Mr. McDonald succeeded in obtaining
the requisite amount in a few hours.

The ball of the non coms of the 7th
Battalion held in the city hall last
evening was tolerably well patronized,
and passed off with a fair degree of
success. The preparations made for
the affair were extensive. The pro-
grammes of dances and engagements
were performed for the occasion with
Plummer & Co.'s new London Light
Infantry Band, which was much ap-
preciated. The music was furnished by
the Seventh band and gave every sat-
isfaction.

Mr. John Williams of this city writes
to a contemporary strongly urging the
necessity to London of the construc-
tion of the line of railway to the north,
running through Missessex, Huron and
Bruce, as first mooted by The Adver-
tiser. We hope the project will be
pushed forward to completion without
delay, that London may secure the
trade of the rich country to the north,
now being drawn towards Hamilton
and Toronto. There is no time to spare.

Port Stanley tracks are expected to
run from the Great Western station
next week.

The Dominion Telegraph can now
communicate direct with Toronto
from this city.

The beautiful snow fell in profusion
during the day. Sleigh bells and buf-
falo robes are in demand.

No. 2 company of the 26th Battalion
met for target practice on the range
at Konoka on the 5th inst. Special
prizes offered by the officers of the
company were won by the following:
Private Ashley Lumby, 1st prize,
saddle value \$7.50, given by Capt. Stev-
enson; Arch McFee, 2nd, gold breast
pin, value \$5, given by R. Smith, M. D.,
assistant surgeon; John Simpson, 3rd,
44 cash, given by Lieutenant J. Irvine;
Duncan Graham, 4th, \$3 cash given by
Ensign T. R. Powell.

London, Nov. 18.—Feeling in finan-
cial circles is somewhat quieter. The
Times remarks that Russia has placed
herself in the position of a public
enemy.

The peace-at-any-price-party in the
cabinet find themselves unable to resist
the popular demand for war against
Russia unless she recedes from her
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LONDON AND DISTRICT.

—Mr. J. F. Holden, of Toronto, is
spending a few days here.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lee, of Glen-
coe, have moved to this city for the
winter.

—Mr. P. Booth, of Aylmer, has come
to London to take a position with the
Cook, Fitzgerald Company.

—Mr. Cecil P. Brewer, of the Do-
minion Bank, Seaforth, has been moved
to the branch of the bank in this city.

—Rev. Dr. McCrae, of Westminster,
will conduct thanksgiving services in
the Eastern Presbyterian Church on Sun-
day, Dec. 3.

—Rev. J. G. Stuart, of Knox Presby-
terian Church, South London, and Rev.
E. H. Sawers, of Bruceville, will ex-
change pulpits tomorrow.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Batty, of
Bloomfield, Ont., are the guests of Mrs.
D. P. Thomas, 219 Wellington street,
while on their honeymoon trip.

—Miss Nettie Barron, who formerly
lived in this city, is the guest of Mrs.
(Col.) Moscrop, St. Marys, where she
intends spending the winter months.

—Windsor Record: Miss Stella Liv-
ingstone of London, was in Windsor
today, and announced to friends her
forthcoming marriage next month.

—Dr. W. E. West, formerly of this
city, and well known here as "Wickie"
West, has opened up dental parlors in
Detroit. His many friends in this city
will wish him every success.

—Evangelist T. L. Belcher, as a com-
mercial traveler in New York City, has
seen a great deal of the dark side
of life, which he will relate at the
York Street Mission tomorrow night.

—Residents in the neighborhood of
the Port Stanley tracks between Hor-
ton and Hill streets are complaining
of the pranks of young fellows who
hang around there incessantly in the
evening. The boys created a nuisance
by their boisterous conduct.

—The Christian Workers begin spe-
cial services tomorrow in their new
mission on the corner of South and
Adelaide streets. The speakers an-
nounced are Mrs. York, of Toronto;
Pastor and Mrs. Philpott, of Hamilton,
and Miss J. Cook, of Toronto.

—The Rev. J. Graham will speak to-
morrow evening in the First Methodist
Church on the subject "The Shepherd
and the Sheep." The service will take
the form of a short song service. The
church choir will render appropriate
music, soloists being taken by the
Messrs. Fox, Scarlett, Fowler and
Ellar and Messrs. Crooks, Harding and
Garthwaite.

—Mr. Joseph Holmes, son of Rev. J.
W. Holmes, and formerly of this city,
has resigned from the position which
he has held up to the present in Sas-
katoon, and is engaged in the real
estate business, in which line pros-
pects are very bright at present. The
Grand Trunk Pacific has given an
impetus to the real estate business in
Saskatoon.

—The Bishop of Huron will visit the
following places for confirmation on the
dates named: Nov. 18, Petrolia; Nov.
20, Camanche; Nov. 22, Forest; Nov. 23,
Theford and Warwick; Nov. 25, Point
Edward and St. George's, Sarnia; Nov.
26, Sarnia Indians and Corunna; Nov.
27, St. John's, Sarnia. Services will be
held in the first-named places in the
afternoon, and at the other places in
the evening.

—One of the most successful sales

of grade dairy cows held in this vicin-
ity for some time, took place yester-
day afternoon for Mr. S. Dart at the
Western Fair grounds in this city.
Forty new high ones and springers
sold at an average of \$25 each, and
eight cows coming in in the spring
averaged \$33.25. The whole herd of 48
cows bringing \$2,500. Auctioneer A. M.
Hunt conducted the sale.

DEBATE AT VARSITY.
Next Friday evening has been chosen
as the date of a debate between teams
of the Ontario Agricultural College and
the Western University. The subject
is: Resolved, that the present leader-
ship of Japan in Asia is likely to pro-
duce a retrograde movement in the
civilization of the world. The proceed-
ings are to commence at 8 p.m.

MONDAY'S SERVICE OF PRAISE.
The programme arranged for the
service of praise to be given in St. An-
drew's Church on Monday evening, is
certain to delight the large audience
that will be present. The services of
the past have drawn each week a
time enough to fill the vast edifice—gallery and audi-
torium—and this same evidence of the
popularity of the service will be shown on
Monday night. The choir will be assisted by Mrs. Adam
Beck, who is recognized as one of the
very few exceptionally clever vocal-
ists in London, and whom Londoners
are always so delighted to hear. Mr.
Samuel I. Slade, the bass soloist in the
Woodward Avenue Presbyterian
Church, Detroit, is also to assist. Mr.
Slade has a wide reputation across
the continent, and is sure to "make good"
here. He recently appeared in Chi-
cago, and this is what the Tribune said
of him: "Mr. Slade did full justice to
his opportunity, displaying a magni-

cent bass voice of unusual compass
and power." Mr. Wheeler and the
soloists of the church appear on Mon-
day's programme and a most enjoyable
evening is promised.

STUDENTS' APPOINTMENTS.
The appointments for Sunday next
from Huron College are as follows:
St. Paul's Cathedral—Rev. Principal
Walton.
Waterloo—D. J. Cornish.
Markdale—F. E. Powell.
Alvinston—H. M. Shore.
Melbourne—J. M. Horton.
Bayfield—C. F. Washburn.
Inwood—F. K. Hughes.

WHIST AT BRUNSWICK CLUB.
Last evening the Brunswick Club
held a progressive whist party in its
handsome rooms, Masonic Temple
building. About 40 members and
visitors attended and the result of the
contest proved that the visitors were
the best players. Mr. Jared Vining
succeeded in winning the first prize,
Captain John Graham the second, and
Dr. Balfour the third. Mr. W. E.
Jacobs won the "booby" prize. After
the game refreshments were served,
and a short programme of songs and
speeches was given, with His Worship
Mayor Campbell as acting chairman.

THE LUCAN SHOOTING.
The Central Hotel in Lucan has been
given undue notoriety, and the prop-
rietor, Mr. Alex McFalls, has been
caused considerable annoyance over
the shooting affray which took place at
the Western Hotel on Tuesday night
last. A similarity in the names of
the proprietors has led the travelling
public to believe that the trouble oc-
curred at the Central Hotel, whereas
the Western Hotel, near the G. T. R.
depot, was the scene of the affair.

A Rant by Ald. Cooper at a Committee Meeting

Had No Effect, for His Move
Was Sidetracked—Change
in Dates.

Ald. Cooper, at a meeting of No. 1
committee yesterday afternoon, stated
in plain, but somewhat inelegant, Eng-
lish, exactly what he thought of Alder-
man Jewell's report on the different of-
fices in the city hall. The committee
took up the report, and attempted to
deal with it piecemeal, grappling first
with the recommendation that the au-
ditors be removed, and then with the
recommendation that three assessors and
another clerk be furnished Mr. Grant
next year. Mr. Jewell also made certain
recommendations as to when the as-
sessment rolls should be returned, and
when the court of revision should meet,
and these recommendations conflicted
with a motion on the same subject
presented at a meeting a few days
ago. Consequently, Ald. Cooper
looked upon the auditor's action as a
sort of personal insult—a piece of "but-
ting in."

This led Mayor Campbell and Ald.
Cooper into a short wordy war, when
Ald. Greenlee moved that Mr. Jewell's
report on the assessment office be
accepted.

"I'm not going to take Mr. Jewell's
word for everything around the city
hall," Ald. Cooper said. "I've been
around here who know just as much
as he does." The dates I named for
the return of the rolls are the proper
dates, and the rolls should be two per-
manent assessors, instead of three, as
Mr. Jewell suggests."

"But we authorized Mr. Jewell to
make this report, and it should count
for something," said the mayor.

"The report's a ridicule around
town," Ald. Cooper declared, with
great warmth. "The report's rotten—
it's rotten to the core."

"Nonsense," said the mayor.

"Is it nonsense? I guess not," the
alderman retorted. Why, Mr. Jewell
went on, the report is a piece of "but-
ting in" and it should be rejected.

The officials tell him anything they
choose—and he believed it. If Mr. Jew-
ell was dead you'd get another auditor,
and he could do the work, too.

"Perhaps they would get you," said
the mayor, with a trifle of sarcasm.

"No, they wouldn't," Ald. Cooper
retorted. "I would take the job."

The discussion continued for a while
longer, and a motion of Ald. Carson's
—a sort of compromise—was accepted,
as to the dates for the court of revision
and the return of the rolls, as follows:

Return of Assess- Sittings of Revi-
ment Rolls. sion Court.
June 1—June 20 June 24
June 2—July 15 Aug. 15
June 3—Aug. 15 Sept. 19
June 4—Sept. 15 Oct. 29

It was also decided to recommend
that two permanent assessors be ap-
pointed, instead of three men for a
portion of the year, as was recom-
mended by Mr. Jewell. Progress on the
remainder of the report was reported.

FAVORS MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.
Ald. Carson's motion re the council of
1905 putting itself on record as being
in favor of the city owning its own
street lighting plant, when the present
contract expires in 1908, was re-
commended to the council.

The committee agreed to allow As-
sessment Commissioner Grant to at-
tend a meeting of the assessment com-
mittee in Toronto, the first week in
December.

On motion of Ald. Cooper it was de-
cided to pay Dr. Hutton \$100, the
sum of \$155, now in the hands of
the city treasurer, and which was paid
by the Dominion Government for the
care of P. C. Wouch, the smallpox pa-
tient.

"If Hutchinson doesn't get it, it must
go back to the Government," said Ald.
Cooper, "and I wouldn't like to see
that." (Laughter.)

The matter of securing an oil por-
trait of the first mayor of London, the
late Murray Anderson, was laid over
for a week. "If you get this portrait
for the city hall, you have just as
much right to get a picture of every
other mayor since his time," said Ald.
Cooper, who opposed the proposal. The
cost of the portrait would be \$55.

PRICES ADVANCED IN SEVERAL LINES

A Brisk Demand for Almost
Everything Offered on the
Market Today.

The market this morning, while not
as large as the two or three preceding
it, was one of the best of the season.
The demand was strong, and the prices
ruled firm. Several lines were some-
what higher than last week.

There was a large quantity of pota-
toes for sale. The price has gone up
some owing to the advance at outside
points. At Mount Brydges they brought
55 cents a bag, and it is said that they
sold as high as 70 cents. The ruling
price here was 70 cents, with a
strong tendency to increase. The de-
mand for them was good.

Poultry was to be had in abundance,
with the prices somewhat lower than
last week. There was a good supply
of turkeys, and the ruling prices were
12 to 15 cents for the best, and from
13 to 15 cents for hen turkeys. Geese
sold for 8 cents a pound. There were
not many offered for sale. Ducks sold
for 8 cents a pound, or from 90 cents to
\$1.20 a brace. Chickens (dressed)
brought from 9 to 9 1/2 cents a pound
and 7 1/2 cents alive. Hens sold for 6
to 7 1/2 cents a pound, and 5 cents alive.
There was any quantity of chickens,
and the demand was very good. Ducks
were numerous and of excellent
quality.

Butter was not plentiful, but the de-
mand was good. The price showed a
tendency to increase. The bulk sold
for 24 cents a pound, and eggs were
also in great demand. They brought
23 cents wholesale, and 25 cents retail.
There were not many offered.

The demand for apples was keen. The
average price was \$1 a bag, although
some Spies sold for \$3 a barrel. There
were good ones.

MELODRAMA AT GRAND

"Slaves of the Mine," by Good
Company, Will Be Given Today.

The melodrama "Slaves of the Mine"
was given at the Grand Opera House
last night to a fair-sized audience. The
play was good, and was well staged.
The story deals with the mines, as its
name suggests, and is a good portrayal
of the conditions existing. The play
centers around an old man who was
robbed of his mine by a schemer. The
old man is not the same after that
until in the excitement of finding his
own he recovers his mind and his
property. The interval gives plenty of
opportunity for the giving out of a
couple of very fine love episodes.

The comedy is very fair and the act-
ing with one or two exceptions is good.
Miss Charlotte Zandila, as Estelle
Duquesne, is capable, and Frederick
Brandon is the villain to the letter.
Robson Dalton and C. W. Marty are
good in their parts. The play is very
clean and appeals to the best senti-
ments. The staging and stage effects
are startling.

"Slaves of the Mine" will be at the
Grand this afternoon and evening. It
will no doubt be greeted by a large
house.

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THE FIRST WHIST MATCH**

Large Number Tried for the Two
Prizes at the Liberal Club.

The first of the winter season's whist
matches attracted a number of
Liberal to the club house, corner of
Queen's and Park avenues, last night.
It was expected that the entire
ground floor would be utilized for the
tables, but so great was the demand
for tables that the upper rooms were
also required.

In the play, which was of the progres-
sive style. First prize was awarded to
Mr. Alex Wootton and Mr. Walter
Vining won second prize.

The serving of refreshments brought
the evening to a close.

With the interest so keen, it is as-
sured that every night of the whist
matches will be the club house
crowded.

Queen May Visit America.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The
rumor that the Dowager Queen Mar-
herita of Italy intends to visit this
country cannot be confirmed at the
Italian embassy. It is held to be very
probable, however, that she may come
to America, as she is an extensive
traveler. She has just finished an
automobile trip through Holland, trav-
eling incognito, and in a very demo-
cratic way, going around to see the
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