

LONDON'S SOLDIER BOYS TAKE BUFFALO BY STORM

The Seventh's Marching and Trooping of the Colors Make a Tremendous Hit at Home Week Celebration.

MAKE THE FINEST SHOWING IN A GIANT PARADE

[From Our Own Reporter.]

Buffalo, Sept. 4.—Canadian day of Buffalo's home week might appropriately be called London day, for the Seventh Regiment today simply carried this city by storm. The success at Ottawa last year was repeated here, and tonight the city is ringing with the praise of London's great soldier boys. Their work was distinctively the feature.

Escorted to the Barracks.

The regiment left London at 7:30, the run to St. Thomas taking an hour. After that, splendid time was made, the train reaching Buffalo at noon. The men detained, and were met by Gen. Fox and staff of the Seventy-fourth Regiment, and escorted to the barracks of the Seventy-fourth Regiment, their quarters. Here Gen. Fox welcomed the Canadians to the city, and offered them the hospitality of the regiment. Col. Reid, on behalf of the regiment, accepted.

Shortly before this, the Thirtieth Regiment, of Hamilton, arrived and were escorted to the Sixty-fifth Regiment Barracks. A royal welcome was given them also.

Five Hundred Strong.

The men changed uniforms, were dined, and prepared for the parade. They mustered over 500 strong, with a band of 53 pieces, and a bugle band of 45 men. This turnout was much larger than was anticipated. Every company was well filled.

The March Begins.

At 2 o'clock the men fell in. Col. Reid, Capt. McCrimmon, Surgeon-Major Kingsmill and Major Campbell were mounted, having brought their own horses with them. The regiment was marched to the corner of North street and Delaware avenue, where it was met by Brigadier-General Welch, of the Sixty-fifth New York Regiment, his staff consisting of Major Walter Murray, Lieut.-Col. Haffa, Major E. E. P. Haddock, Capt. H. O. Hicks, Lieut. Wm. Spiedel, Lieut. L. B. Hubbell, and Lieut. E. T. Ziegler. Then the great parade started. The band from Fort Porter, Seventy-fourth Regiment, led, followed by a guard of honor from the same regiment. This body of men made a very smart appearance in khaki uniforms. The Seventh Regiment followed, then the Thirtieth Regiment, and immediately after two battalions of United States Infantry. The parade took in nearly all the downtown streets, and passed the review stand on Main street, where Mayor Adam, Buffalo; Mayor Coatsworth, Toronto; Mayor Stuart, Ham-

ilton, and other visitors reviewed the troops. The Seventh went to the Front Park, where the ceremony of trooping the colors was performed. The other regiments went to their quarters.

Vast Throng Looks On.

Now a word about the parade. The whole line of march was lined by thousands of visitors. Canadians came over 100,000 strong and the American visitors were very numerous. Greater crowds were on the streets than during any day of the Pan-American Exposition, and many more than during the G. A. R. encampment week, the greatest celebration Buffalo ever held up to the present time.

Cheers for Seventh.

The crowd was well disposed toward London's soldier boys. Cheer after cheer broke from the crowd all along the line of march. Every soldier was on his mettle and the results showed in his marching. It was simply splendid. The scarlet uniforms and the bushes caught the fancy of the crowd. Enthusiasm reigned supreme everywhere.

Band Outdid Itself.

The band, under Bandmaster Slater, never played better, and it was easily the peer of any band in the city, even the famous Thirtieth Band having to yield it the palm. The bugle band was also in good trim, and was a decided pleasure to the city boys. The Buffalo evening papers unhesitatingly give the prize to the Seventh.

Thirtieth Did Well.

It must not be forgotten that the Thirtieth Regiment made a decided impression. In truth, it made every Canadian mighty proud to know that was a Canadian. The men were big, smart in appearance, well drilled, and enthusiastic. Lieut.-Col. Moore had his men in perfect control, and was highly commended by citizens and soldiers for the brilliant marching of the men. And the compliments were deserved. The volunteer regiments were pitted against United States regulars, and were better. In fact, it was impossible to correct the impression that the two Canadian regiments were volunteer, and not regular.

A Five-Mile Parade.

There were no untoward incidents during the parade. Not a single manifestation of ill-feeling was shown. The crowd was large, good-natured and happy—a typical Old Boy's crowd. The parade was longer over five miles. (Continued on Page Eight.)

Sympathy Expressed for Pres. Archer Trades and Labor Council in Session

Mr. Joseph Haldiday Chosen as Delegate to the T. & L. Congress of Canada

At the regular meeting of the London Trades and Labor Council last evening, many expressions of sympathy were expressed for President Archer, who lies in Victoria Hospital as the result of a serious accident.

Vice-President Clark was in the chair.

The Labor Day committee reported that it will meet next Tuesday evening and render a full report at the following meeting of the council.

The organization committee reported that the new Brewery Workers' Union was making good headway, and that two more new unions were ready to organize.

The election of a delegate of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada which convenes in Winnipeg on Sept. 16, resulted in the election of Mr. Joseph Haldiday. The election was held under the Hare-Spence system of proportional representation voting. Five candidates were in the running. The contest was a close one all through.

Under the old-time system of voting it would have been necessary to

have had four different ballots to have decided the result, but under the Hare-Spence system only one ballot was required, thus saving a good deal of time.

The voters marked their ballots in the order of their choice, thus, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, giving No. 1 to the candidate they desired to elect, No. 2 was marked after the name of the candidate they preferred if their first choice could not secure enough votes to elect him, and so on throughout the list.

In the first ballot no candidate received a majority, the first choice names only being counted. The candidate with the lowest number of votes was then dropped, and his second choice votes distributed as designated by the second choice votes upon them. No candidate having yet secured a majority, the next lowest candidate was dropped, and his second choice votes also distributed.

Three candidates were dropped in this manner, which left the final contest between two candidates, Delegate Haldiday securing the majority vote.

The election was a very satisfactory one, and amply demonstrated the superiority of the Hare-Spence system over the old style. All elections of the Trades and Labor Council are held according to this plan.

There was a very large turnout of delegates.

Bridge Foreman Fell Thirty Feet; Mr. H. Butler Escapes Serious Injury

Accident at the New Bridge Over the Thames on the Pere Marquette Railway.

To fall thirty feet and escape death was the experience of Mr. H. Butler, of 466 Hill street, yesterday afternoon.

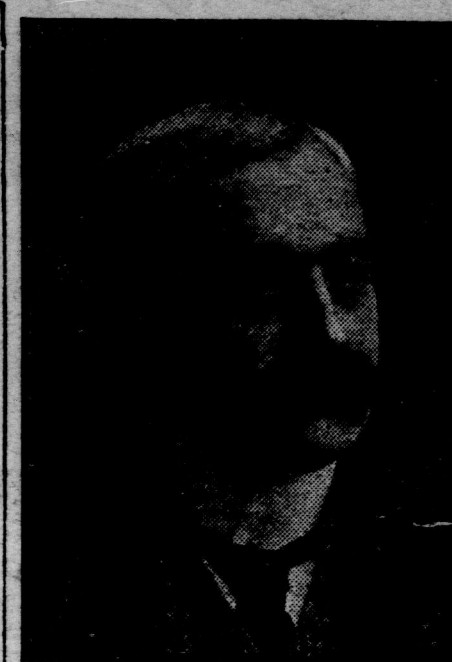
Mr. Butler is employed as foreman by the Pere Marquette Railway, and was supervising the work being done at the bridge over the Thames when the accident occurred.

Mr. Butler was giving orders to lower

material to the abutment some thirty feet below, when in some unknown manner he overbalanced and fell, striking the cement parapet, and rendering him unconscious.

The workmen who noticed the accident quickly went to his assistance, and he was brought up to the tracks again in a few minutes.

He was taken to his home. Dr. Ernest Williams, who was called, found him suffering from a number of bruises and scratches. When the depth of the fall is considered, his escape appears miraculous. The ambulance was called, but Mr. Butler refused to get into it, and pluckily walked to his home.



MR. GEO. C. GIBBONS.
Who, an Ottawa rumor says, is to be appointed Canadian commissioner at Washington.

WITNESS TURNED CROWN EVIDENCE

Declares That Agnes Thomas Fired at Gilbert Intending to Kill Him.

Warton, Sept. 4.—There was considerable hostility prevalent in Warton during the past few days when it was known that Provincial Detective Reaburn was on the scene hunting up evidence to prosecute the raiders upon the tent of Agnes Thomas. This prosecution is unpopular here among the best class of citizens who find a large measure of justification in the raid. The detective succeeded in getting two of the raiders to turn King's evidence, and after two adjournments the trial finally came off today before Police Magistrate B. B. Miller. The raiders put up a fight and secured for counsel H. C. T. McKee, Owen Sound, and W. N. Munro, Palmerston. The accused all elected to be tried summarily by the magistrate, who, however, stated that he would not do so, but would simply hold the usual preliminary investigation.

Stella Lamont's Story.

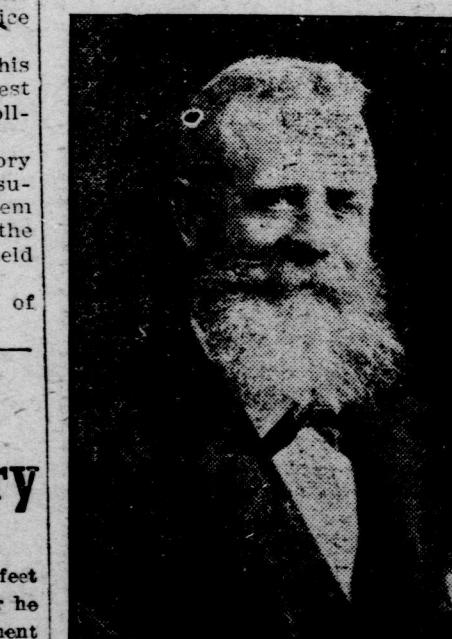
Mrs. Stella Lamont, one of the two women upon this memorable night, was the first witness for the prosecution. Her evidence was practically along the lines already reported. It was a tale of considerable violence, of stones and eggs flying in every direction, and some of which hit her with considerable force. She saw Robert Lancaster upon this occasion, but could not accuse him of participating in the raid.

Milton McKibbin, one of the raiders who gave evidence for the crown, admitted being among the raiders, and having taken part in the depredations. (Continued on page nine.)

MISTAKE IN THE LETTING OF CONTRACT

The city council the other night awarded the contract for the cement retaining wall at Hyman's tannery on Richmond street, to Wm. Anthistle at \$820. When Mr. Anthistle was asked to sign the contract he said his tender was for \$890, and investigation of the document proved that what he said was right.

Mr. Anthistle was willing to do the work for the \$820 rather than lose the job, but as the Forest City Paving Company was then the lowest tender at \$845, the firm will likely be given the contract.



Bank Messenger Retires.

After a faithful and honorable service of 31 years with the local Bank of British North America, Mr. William Moore, of Oxford street, has been superannuated and given an honorarium that will make life easy for the rest of his days. Mr. Moore has many friends in the city who will wish him a long enjoyment of his well-earned leisure. Mr. Henry Cox succeeds Mr. Moore as messenger of the Bank of B. N. A.

PICKPOCKETS IN-TOWN FOR FAIR; PAIR OF THEM ROB CITIZEN

Apparently the thugs and pickpockets who usually infest the Toronto Exhibition have come to this city and commenced operations. They made a good start this morning when two of them relieved aged Mr. William Taylor, of William street, of about \$22.

Mr. Taylor had gone to the Grand Trunk station this morning to see his daughter off for Toronto. No. 6 pulled into the station and the old gentleman, wishing to secure a good seat, picked up her valise and carried it into one of the coaches. As he was entering the door of the car two young men, whom he took to be under the influence of liquor, blocked the passageway apparently quite unconscious of what they were doing. Mr. Taylor politely asked that they make room for him to pass, which they proceeded to do, but still remained in the narrow doorway, thus compelling Mr. Taylor to squeeze in between them. As he was getting through, one of the men shoved his hand into Mr. Taylor's pocket and before he realized what had happened both of them jumped off the train and disappeared. Having the heavy valise in one hand, Mr. Taylor was completely at their mercy. He, however, made a desperate attempt to overtake the thieves as did the Grand Trunk constable, but without avail.

Mr. Taylor has reported the matter to the police and, although he has given up all hope of recovering his money, he is sure that he would be able to identify both men. They were of medium height, stout and red-faced, apparently between 20 and 30 years of age. Neither was well-dressed, but wore clothes similar to those of the class of men commonly known as "bums."

Inspector Selkirk Rounds Up Dogs

It was principally all dog in police court this morning. No less than eighteen people having been summoned to appear for non-payment of dog licenses. Inspector Selkirk, a recent appointee, was the complainant. Some of the cases savored highly of the humorous, and it was with difficulty that the spectators were kept from laughing outright at several junctures. Three of those summoned to appear claimed to have owned no dogs at all this year, while another said that he had been asked to pay licenses for four canines when he owned but one. Those who proved that they owned no dogs were discharged, while the others were assessed 85 cents each, besides being compelled to take out the proper papers at a cost of \$1 per dog.

Two offenders in the drinking line were dismissed, one of them, however, being compelled to promise to take the pledge, and bonds in the sum of \$100 to appear before Magistrate Love in a week's time.

Rumor Says Mr. George C. Gibbons Will Be Sent to Washington

As Canadian Commissioner—No Official Announcement From Ottawa, However.

An interesting story, although it is only a rumor as yet, is to the effect that the Canadian Government intends appointing a Canadian commissioner to Washington, and that Mr. George C. Gibbons, of this city, the well-known lawyer, and at present chairman of the international waterways commission, will be appointed to the position.

SEVENTH IN BIG PARADE TODAY

Buffalo, Sept. 5.—The feature of Old Home Week today is the dedication of the McKinley monument and its presentation to the state by the monument commission.

The programme includes a military parade, in which two battalions of the U. S. Infantry, the Sixty-fifth Regiment N. G. N. Y., the Seventy-fourth Regiment N. G. N. Y., the Thirtieth Royal Canadian Regiment of Hamilton, Ont., and the Seventh Regiment of London, Ont., will participate.

At the monument the dedication ceremonies are scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. Governor Hughes will deliver the principal address.

Was Late Albert F. Grady of Age? Estate of Deceased in a Tangle

Young Man Was Driver for Chapman's and Was Killed in a Runaway Accident

Was Albert Francis Grady, who died in Victoria Hospital on the 30th day of last June, after being injured in a runaway accident a few days before, 21 years of age at the time or was he not?

That is a question which several lawyers both in this city and in Birmingham, Eng., are trying to determine in order to settle an estate left by the unfortunate young man.

Young Grady, who had come over from England, had been employed at J. H. Chapman & Co.'s store in this city as a driver, and he had as a chum another Englishman by the name of

George A. Wilson. Wilson is still employed as a driver at Chapman's.

A short time before meeting with the accident which robbed him of his life, Grady applied for \$500 insurance in the Independent Order of Foresters, and the insurance was granted on the day of his death. Grady also carried about \$100 in another company.

In treating with Grady's case at the hospital it was found that it was necessary to perform a dangerous operation, which proved fatal.

Becoming alarmed previous to the operation, Grady requested Supt. Heard to draw up a will for him, as he feared he would never survive the operation. This was done, and at the time Grady stated to Mr. Heard that he was 21 years of age.

The will gave all the insurance money to Grady's friend, Wilson, and (Continued on Page Eight.)

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST.

TOMORROW—FAIR.

Toronto, Sept. 5—8 a.m. Today—Moderate winds, shifting to west and northwest; some showers and local thunderstorms. Friday—Fine.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	40	38	Clear
Parry Sound	58	52	Cloudy
Toronto	64	56	Rain
Ottawa	60	58	Rain
Montreal	58	52	Cloudy
Quebec	48	44	Rain
Fraser Point	48	44	Rain

The first column records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

Since yesterday morning rain has fallen throughout Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, heavily in many localities, and local showers and thunderstorms have occurred in Ontario. In the Western Provinces, with the exception of a heavy rain-fall in the vicinity of Battleford, the weather has been everywhere fine.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 46-75; Athol, 42-59; Kamloops, 58-72; Barkerville, 40-62; Edmonton, 50-60; Calgary, 44-70; Battleford, 54-70; Regina, 46-70; Winnipeg, 42-71; Parry Sound, 50-74; Toronto, 60-73; Ottawa, 58-66; Montreal, 56-62; Quebec, 52-64; Fraser, 46-62.

Mail Cart Horse Killed by Car; Mischievous Boy Threw a Stone

Causing the Animal to Bolt—Ugly Collision in Dundas Street Today.

A stone thrown by a mischievous boy caused a collision between a street car and a mail cart at the corner of Dundas and Waterloo streets this morning, and as a result, the horse was killed, the car was smashed, and the driver, Wesley Lott, of West London, had a very close call for his life. About 8 o'clock the mail cart was proceeding on its rounds down Waterloo street, near Dundas. A West London car, No. 94, with Motorman Perkins in charge of the controller, was running westward at a rapid rate of speed.

The boy claims he saw the trolley approaching, and that he was slack-

ing up, when suddenly a small lad

on the sidewalk threw a stone and struck the horse.

The animal bounded forward in spite of the efforts of its driver to restrain it, and it was about half-way across the tracks when the car struck it with terrible force.

The animal was shot ahead a considerable distance, and then falling on the tracks, was wedged in under the fender, so that it was necessary to back the car to release it.

The cart was smashed, one wheel and the seat being demolished.

The boy was thrown out, but escaped unhurt.

Another story is to the effect that the lad had the curtains of the cart down, on account of the rain which was falling at the time, and that he did not see the approach of the trolley.

The horse was led to a nearby lawn after the accident, where it died within a few minutes.

What Became of Jockey's Money? A Mystery of Late Otto Wonderley

Was Supposed To Be Worth \$100,000, But No Money Has Been Found.

New York, Sept. 5.—It will come as a surprise to the public, and to many who knew Otto Wonderley, the jockey, to learn that his father is now a watchman at the Sheepshead Bay track, and the wages earned there are his sole support. When Wonderley was killed at Memphis a year ago last spring, it was supposed he had left a fortune, estimated by some to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000. He was exercising a mare in which he was interested, when she crossed her legs, and Wonderley went over her head. He died the following day from concussion of the brain, having never regained consciousness.

The day before the accident, in conversation with Secretary McFarlane, Wonderley said there was \$32,000 so tied up he could never touch it, and should he have a long losing streak or anything happen to him, there would be this sum to take care of his father and the folk at home. The elder Wonderley at this time lived in London, Ont. When the news of Ot-

to's death came he went to Memphis. A careful search of the dead jockey's papers revealed no trace of any bank account, any stocks or bonds, and all there was of value was a small collection of jewelry and \$97 in cash. There was a key to a lock box in a safety deposit company of Memphis, but this box, on being opened, was found to be empty.

Those who were intimate with Wonderley are convinced there must be funds belonging to his estate somewhere. Though he lived well, he had always been a good manager. The year he rode for William C. Whitney, and also when he was riding Watercolor, Wonderley became quite prosperous. Three winters ago, while riding in California, it was nothing unusual for him to wager \$500 on horses he rode.

At the beginning of the Oakland meeting he was a heavy loser, but later, at Los Angeles, he won all this back and more backing Owsman and other horses trained by Frank J. Reagan. The winter before his death Wonderley was the star of the Hot Springs meeting, and as he was winning constantly and heavily, for he always backed his mounts, it is confidently believed there is money somewhere, if it can only be traced.

BARNS WIPED OUT BY ELECTRIC BOLT

Farmer Holmes, Near Comber Village, Suffers a Heavy Loss.

Comber, Ont., Sept. 5.—The barns of Mr. Arthur Holmes, about three miles from Comber, were struck by lightning during the storm about 11 o'clock last night, and were consumed, with the contents, which included about all the season's crops. Two small stocks near the barn were saved by the efforts of those present. There is no insurance, and Mr. Holmes is a heavy loser.

WILL SUE MAJOR MILLS FOR DAMAGES

Ernest Taylor Declares the Officer Owes Him Wages.

Summons were served on Major E. Mills, of the Sixth Field Battery, yesterday to appear before Squire Chittick in the county magistrate's court tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and answer to a complaint of nonpayment of wages preferred by Ernest Taylor, a farmhand formerly employed by the defendant.

Taylor alleges that he worked for Major Mills at Petawawa when the Sixth Field Battery was there in camp, and that he put in some time on the farm at a London Township. When he asked for his money recently he alleges that he was refused.

Mr. J. M. McEvoy is acting for the plaintiff.

Joe Lawrence Spoke to Flo Potter For His Son When 12 Years Old

Alleged Elopement of London Boy Is But Sequel to a Romance of Other Day.

Mr. Joseph Lawrence, of South London, explained to The Advertiser today that his son, who is alleged to have eloped with a Miss Potter, of Manitoba, was married to the young lady in August, and that, consequently, nothing can be done by the father of the girl in regard to the matter. Young Mr. Lawrence is not a farm-ager, but has been one of the largest farmers in the west, having had 1,500 acres of land under cultivation last year. He gave up farming some time ago because of ill-health. Mr. Law-

rence, of this city, is the gentleman who was an alderman candidate in London in January last.

When seen by The Advertiser, Mr. Lawrence said:

The Romance.

"Yes, we have been expecting our son Joseph to pay us a visit at London this week, but we know nothing about him bringing Miss Potter with him. My son up to this spring was farming on the next section to the Potters. Last year he had about 1,500 acres of crop. But he has not been in good health lately, so last spring he sold out, and since April he has been stopping with the Potters. On Aug. 1, it appears, he and Florence went to Killarney Fair, and there they got married secretly."

"After the fair was over, they re-

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