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STOCK BROKER. Stecks. Bonds Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margin. Bend for vest pecket manual. Long distance 'phone 1,278. OFFICES-Masonic Temple. London.

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orthern Navigation.... amilton Steamboat... Toronto Railway 122%
London Street Railway Halifax Electric Tram
Twin City Railway 122%

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Carter Crume 107
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Crows Nest Coal. 500
North Star.
British Canadian L. and I. 72
Canada Lander and Nat. Inv.
Canada Permanent. Canada Permanent
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Central Canada Loan.
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Hamilton Provident.
Huron and Erie L. and S.
Imperial L. and Invest. 80
Landed Banking and Loan.
Lon. and Can. L. and A. 84
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 W. A. Rogers, pref
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1927

Nova Scotia Steel Bonds

SALES: Imperial, 11 at 238¾; Commerce, 40 at 164, 4 at 163¾, 60 at 164¼; Dominion, 20 at 242; Hamilton, 60 at 234¼; Toronto Electric Light, 20 at 163; Canadian General Electric, 5 at 211; Dominion Telegraph, 21 at 120; St. Lawrence, 20 at 165; Twin City, 75 at 127½, 10 at 127¾, 125 at 127¼, 1 new at 124, 50 old at 127½, 125 at 127¼, 50 at 122¼; C. P. R., 450 at 141½, 175 at 141½, 100 at 141½, 250 at 141¼, 150 at 141½; Dominion Steel bonds, 5,000 at 91½; Sao Paulo, 100 at 105¼, 3 at 105; Superior, 25 at 25½; Packers, B. 10 at 100; Dominion Steel, 10 at 14, 200 at 74½, 50 preferred at 73¼, 25 common at 74½; Dominion Coal, 10 at 143, 25 at 142½, 25 at 142½, 25 at 142½, ... ova Scotia Steel, 20 at 116½; Toronto Mortgage, 11 at 30, 30 at 91. Nova Scotia Steel Bonds .

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NEW YORK Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. Open. High. Low. Close.

ADEJORGE			
Amal. Copper 694	69%	691/2	60 14
American SugartCo 13032	13034	129%	120%
American Locamotive. 83%	33 14	33	33
American Foundry 3514	3534	3514	351
Atcheson Com 953	9534	951/2	953
Atcheson Pfd 104%	10434		
D to O		104%	1043
B. & O	1184	116%	117%
Brooklyn Tran 70%	70%	695%	693
C. P. H	1417	140%	140%
Cheaspeake & Ohio 56%	5714	56%	56 %
Chicago Gt. Western 33%	34	3334	333/
C. F. I 82	82	8034	803/
Erie 4236	423/2	42	421/
Krie Pfd 70;			
Illinois Central 172	17275	171%	1717
Jersey Central			
K. & T. Com 35	351/	347/8	345
K. & T. Pfd 6834	68%	6814	68 1
L & N	15654	1551/2	1565
Manhattan	13734	13634	137
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Mexican Central 29	29	2874	287
Mo. P	13334	12234	1224
N. Y. Central165	165	16434	164 7
Norfolk and W 76%	7674	7634	763
Ont and West 36%	367%	3614	365
Ont. and West 36% Pacific Mail S. S. Co. 46%	45%	45	451
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People's Gas1071/2	10734	1071/8	1575
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Southern Pacific 80%	311/8	79%	801
St. Paul191 1/4	192%	189	1903
Texas 52%	527	521/4	523
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Wabash Com 38	38	371/4	373
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W. Union Tel 96% Wisconsin Central 26%	231/4	29	295

AMERICAN MARKETS

NEW YORK. New York, Sept. 11.—Flour—Receipts, 25,688 bbls; sales, 3,700 pkgs; flour was firmly held, with less demand. Buck-wheat flour—Quiet; \$175 to \$2 25 bid, according to cellvery. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, \$3 15 to \$3 49; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 60. Wheat—Receipts, 148,200 bu; sales, 1,215,000 bu; wheat was firm and higher on buying incited by the crop report, strong cables and disappointing northwest receipts; Sept. 76% to crop report, strong cables and disappointing northwest receipts: Sept., 76%c to 76%c: Dec., 73%c to 741-16c; May, 74%c to 75%c. Dec., 73%c to 741-16c; May, 74%c to 75c. Rye-Steady; state, 55½c to 56c, c.i.f. New York: No. 2 western, 59½c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2, 56c to 56½c, on track. Corn-Receipts, 15,700 bu; saies, 55,000 bu; corn was likewise advanced by cable news the crop report, covering and the wheat upturn; Sept., 66c to 66%c; Dec., 48%c to 49½c; May, 44%c to 45c. Oats-Receipts, 240,000 bu; oats ruled firmer and fairly active on smaller crop estimates and light receipts; track, white state, 20c to 35½c; track, white western, 29c to 35½c; track, white western, 29c to 35½c; crack, white western, 29c to 35½c; crack steady; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined steady. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio. 5 9-16c. Lead—Quiet, Wool—Quiet. Hops—Firm. Wool-Quiet. Hops-Firm.

Buffalo, Sept. 11.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 82c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red. 73c: No. 1 white, 81c. Corn—No. 2 vellow, 62c; No. 3 yellow, 67½c; No. 2 corn, 67¼c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white 33¼c: No. 3 white. 32½c; No. 2 mixed, 30½c asked, on track. on track.

DETROIT.

OIL MARKETS.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Sept. 11.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2
red western winter dull, 5s 10½d; No. 1
northern spring firm, 6s 4d; No. 1 California steady, 6s 4½d. Futures steady;
Sept., 6s ½d; Dec., 5s 11d.
Corn—Spot quiet: American mixed,
6s 11d. Futures steady; Oct., 5s 3%d;
Nov. nominal; Dec., 4s 1½d.
Peas—Canadian quiet, 6s &d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet,
8s 24

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast, end crop firm, £6 10s; 1902 crop firm, £7.

Beef—Strong; extra India mess, 107s 64.
Pork—Firm; prime mess western, £3s 64.
Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 58s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 58s.
Ilbs, firm, 60s; long clear middles, light, 25 to 34 libs, firm, 59s 64; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 59s 64; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 69s; shoulders, square, 11 to 12 lbs, firm, 53s 64.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 53s 64.

American Trust.

MCL. Howard, Toronto; F. J. Bell, Peterboro; James McGuire, Wingham; special committee on legislation, Messrs. Allen, Howard, Duggan, McIntosh and Whelan. Votes of thanks were tendered to the department and officers.

METHODIST CONFERENCE

Members Investigating Alleged imported seed of the white betty Mr. Wigle installed a drying plant, and succeeded ing a crop that gave a go 528 9d; American re 578 8d. Butter-Nominal.

Cheese-American finest white steady, Cheese—American finest white steady, 48s; American finest colored steady, 49s.
Tallow—Prime city steady, 27s 6d; Australian (in London) steady, 31s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 34s.
Rosin—Common steady, 4s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined quiet, 6½d.
Linseed oil—Dull, 31s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm,

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker. Chicago, Sept. 11.
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Wheat - Dec. 68%

May 69%

Corn - Dec. 43%

May 39%

Oats - Dec. 36%

May 31%

Pork - Jan. 14 97

May 14 10

Lard - Jan. 8 42

May 8 95

Ribs - Jan. 7 90

May

Hot Fountain Water Syringes. Bottles. 122%

Our stock of rubber goods is purchased direct from manufacturers of known reputation, consequently we are in position to guarantee quality and give full value for your money.

W. T. STRONG & CO.,

CHEMISTS, 184 Dundas Street. Marriage Licenses issued at above ad-

WEATHER BULLETIN

Probs-Friday: Fair and Cooler.

Today-Fresh to strong southerly to westerly winds; generally fair, but a few scattered showers.
Friday—Fresh to strong west to northwest winds; generally fair and cooler. WEATHER NOTES.

Fresh to strong winds prevail on the lakes this morning, and rain is falling over the Georgian Bay region. In the Northwest Territories heavy frosts occurred in all localities last night, but in Manitoba there was little or no frost. However, it is likely to freeze there tonight. night.
Local temperatures: Wednesday—Highest, 66.5°; lowest, 43°.

TALES OF LONDON TOWN

-Alex. Stuart, K. C., of this city, is acting as crown prosecutor at Woodstock assizes this week. -The civil list for the fall

entered. -Horsemen should take note of the fact that the entries for the speed department of the Western Fair close

to 3 o'clock only two cases had been

-Mr. Thomas McCormick treated the children of the Mount Hope Or-

phanage to a ride to Springbank this afternoon. -Mr. D. McGillivray, of the London branch of the Bank of Commerce, has assumed the management of the Windsor branch.

-Mr. A. C. Johnston, of Ridout street south, was thrown to the ground this morning by the upsetting of a Boys' Society is holding its second anload of hay. His ankle was sprained. nual meeting this week. At the open--Mr. Thomas Brown, driver for the ing session on Tuesday it was stated Dominion Express Company, was that negotiations have been comtrown from his rig last night on Richmond street near Dundas and was lands with a view to establishing a lands with a view to establishing a

severely shaken up. St. Marys Journal says: Miss Ella of taking up land in that country. The Haynes resumes her course at the Conservatory of Music in London this gates over the ground. Mr. James week. Miss Haynes is destined to oc- Webb, Toronto, was re-elected presicupy a prominent position in the mu-

POLICE COURT. James Hunter, the man found guilty of assaulting Mrs. Martha Adams, of Bathurst street, was fined \$60 and Ontario Conservatives was held here costs, with an option of three months' yesterday, at which Mr. J. P. Whitney term in the Central prison at the po-

THE WOODMEN'S PICNIC.

nic printed in another column, the re- from now. It is a matter of life and sults of the boat race and the dancing death with the Government to carry competition were omitted. They are North Renfrew, the jig is up with as rollows: Boat race-1 J. Doidge, them. But it does not follow that if 2 J. Wattam, 3 D. Sweeney. Dancing | we lose that constituency, we shall be -1 Miss Macfie, 3 Mr. Wilson. The in the same position." judges were J. McCormick, F. Higby, John Kelly, Wm. Templeton and Carl Miller. Mr. Templeton also delighted the spectators with a sailors' hornpipe. Mr. John Pocock kindly loaned the boats for the boat race.

HOSPITAL BAND CONCERT. The following programme will be rendered by the band of the Seventh Regiment in Victoria Park tonight by permission of Lieut.-Col. Little and officers, the concert being in aid of the

March-"Forward, Volunteers" ... Gunther Guadrille-"Promenade" ... Coote
Guadrille-"Promenade" ... Rossini
Cverture-"William Tell" ... Rossini
Waltz-"Leona" ... W. C. Barron Waltz—"Leona" W. C. I
(Conducted by Composer.)
Selection—"Floradora"
Serenade—"Italiana" C. Z .C. Zebulka

Descriptive—Hunting Scene"...Buccalosi
Waltz—"Germany".......Keler Bela
March—"Our Own"......Campbell DIVISION COURT CLERKS MEET-

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Division Court Clerks' Association of Ontario was held in the private bills committee room, Parliament buildings, yesterday. President Benjamin Allen, of Owen Sound, was in the chair. W. H. Higgins, deputy inspector of division courts, attended the meeting, and answered a number of questions on procedure which were put by the members. The election of officers dealers. resulted as follows: President, B. Allen, Owen Sound; first vice-president, J. W. McIntosh, London; second vice-president, George F. Bruce, Beaverton; secretary-treasurer. Peter Mc-

ropto: H. Falconer, Shelburne; A.

Minister To Be Appointed to Work for Temperance.

Itinerary Term Hereafter To Be Four Years Instead of Three.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 10.—The Methodist General Conference received the report of the temperance committee, which recommended appoint-ment of a minister to devote his entire attention to work of moral reform in this direction.

This carried by a large majority. The place of next meeting, in September, 1906, was referred to conference special committee. The names of Montreal and Vancouver were pro-

tention to evangelistic work was re-ferred back to the committee. At the evening session, the delegate president Japan conference, was also as to them. introduced, and made a stirring speech. The modus operandi of the Ameri-He stated that 15,000 Japanese Church work.

The committee on itinerary and transfers recommended that the pastoral term be made four years instead of three, as at present. Jos. Tait moved that it be five years. J. J. Mc-Laren moved that it be three years.

Frost in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 11.—Eightyfive thousand bushels of wheat was marketed at C. P. R. western points on The weather last night and this

Rushed to Her Death. Montreal, Sept. 11.-Marie Clements, aged 19 years, was killed by a G. T. R. engine at Ste. Cunegonde this morning. The gates were closed, but the girl persisted in crossing. She died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital.

Must Pay the \$5,000

Toronto, Sept. 11.-The court of appeal today dismissed the appeal taken by the defendant from Chancellor Boyd's judgment awarding \$5,000 damages to the plaintiff in the breach of promise case of Middleton vs. Wilkinson. The parties live in Sarnia and the case was tried there.

Leopard Combed Her Locks.

exhibition, has entered suit against the proprietors of Bostock's menagerie struck here on the head, lacerating

Poem Brought \$450,000.

London, Sept. 10. - "The Absent-Minded Beggars' Hospital," which was built at Alton out of the fund collected from the sale of Rudyard Kipling's poem, has been handed over to the war office. The building, together with the freehold, on which it stands, cost about \$450,000.

A Barnardo Boys' Settlement.

Toronto, Sept. 11.-The Barnardo Old Barnardo settlement in New Ontario, -The Wellburn correspondent of the several of the members being desirous executive was authorized to send deledent: Mr. A. G. Smith, Toronto, secretary-treasurer, and Mr. T. Harley, Hamilton, first vice-president.

Mr. Whitney's Predictions. Toronto, Sept. 11.-A convention of delivered an optimistic address, in the lice court this morning. He went course of which he remarked: "I believe our position today is practically certain. In other words, that the present Government cannot possibly be in In the report of the Woodmen's pic- power at the expiration of six months

Comfort Scap at the Fair.

One of the handsomest exhibits at the Western Fair will be that of the Comfort Soap Company, which will be in a very conspicuous and central position in the main building. At present the exhibit consists only of huge piles of packing cases filled with gifts for fair visitors. Among other attractions of the Comfort Soap exhibit will be a large bar of Comfort Soap, which will be utilized as the basis of a guessing competition. Twenty prizes will be given to those who come nearest to Rossini guessing the exact weight of the bar. Among these prizes are six watches, two gold, two silver and two gunmetal. Mr. H. S. Moore, who is in charge of the exhibit, will also redeem all Comfort Soap wrappers, so that those holding them may receive their equivalent at the fair. Altogether the Comfort Soap exhibit will be worthy of special attention from every visitor.

ENJOY THIS DON PABLO

It is the best Cigar for the price made anywhere. Every Cigar is manufactured from the pure Havana tobacco. From all

Price 5c.

Intyre, Woodville, all re-elected. Ex- H. SIMON, Manufacturer, LONDON.

METHODIST CONFERENCE Members Investigating Alleged sow experimental crops, grown from

Both Sides of the Story as Commission Will Hear It.

gation by tobacco men throughout

mittee prepare a special course of study for ministers to devote all attention to every exist. at any time, but so long as it is in force, it gives the purchaser from the factory, if he sells only the goods of from Japan, Rev. John Scott, D. D., the factory, more profit than he could who addressed the conference, represented 2,675 members of the church in is claimed by the complaining fac-Japan and 24 ordained ministers and tories that this method of doing busia dozen evangelists. Rev. J. Hiraiwa, ness is injurious to the farmer, as well

He stated that 15,000 Japanese were can Tobacco Trust is that followed by converts or inquiries in Methodist can markets. The position of affairs Mev. Drs. Sutherland and Potts at present, as stated to The Advertiser moved motions of appreciation, which were enthusiastically carried.

The committee of the position of affairs at present, as stated to The Advertiser today by a local tobacco dealer, is that if they buy from the committee. if they buy from the trust, they are given 3 per cent discount, and if they sign an agreement to sell nothing but the trust's output, they are given a further discount. further discount of ten per cent. Re-tail tobacconists are not prevented from buying tobacco from It was finally decided to make it four Canadian manufacturers, but must years, without restrictions. buy all cigarettes and other manufactured goods from the trust, which controls about all the standard brands. The outside Canadian firms must therefore put salesmen on the road to dis-pose of their goods to the retailers, while the trust simply sells to the jobbers and wholesale grocers. The ten per cent discount is given after morning was rather cold, but bright and clear. There was frost at many and in the event of his failure to keep to his contract within that time, the

FROM THE OTHER STANDPOINT

Evidence Which Showed Effect of Empire Company's Methods.

So far Judge McTavish has only heard evidence at Windsor, and of this, but little bearing upon the trade quesbut little bearing upon the trade question. A great deal of evidence was taken to show the position of the tobacco growing industry in Canada. The situation, from the standpoint of the Empire Tobacco Company, may be sail one or two lines of goods, and to best understood from the evidence given at Windsor by Mr. Lewis Wigle, to push them, rather than to deal in their buyer, and three tobacco growers large number, and keep old, unsaleable of the Leamington district. Their tes-Toronto, Sept. 11.—Stella Gillette, a dimensional district. Their testimony was that Canadians may be dianist employed on the Midway at the gratified to know that the industry is from Mr. Wigle's evidence it applanist employed on the Midway at the gratified to know that the industry is a prosperous one, increasing with great rapidity. Up to 1897, the Essex tonear a cage and it is alleged that a about 200,000 pounds of tobacco of a leopard reached through the bars and poor variety known as "thick set," for a pound. The Empire Tobacco Company had been manufacturing chewing tobacco from the imported leaf, but found that the hold which the foreign leaf factories had upon the trade made it difficult for them to obtain as large the county, it induced the farmers to | farmer to find a market.

imported seed of the white burley var-lety Mr. Wigle installed a temporary drying plant, and succeeded in raising a crop that gave a good result. From this start, the tobacco output jumped in 1897 to 700,000 pounds of white burley tobacco, and the Empire Tobacco Company, being able to use all of it, bought it all at high prices. The farming interest in Essex thought that they had struck a bonanza, and the that the good tobacco grown that year did not command more than 6 cents a pound, while the inferior grades were unsalable, and were allowed to rot. one, but they now look to the manufacturers to learn what amount they can safely grow, and the result has been that the price rose to an average



of 8 cents, with which all the farmers are content, as they might well be. The consumption of natural Canadian leaf from the Essex district alone is now about 2,000,000 pounds. The distribution of fresh imported seed by the Empire Tobacco Company has enabled them to get better results, and the district generally is better equipped to handle the crop. It was also in evidence the Empire Tobacco Company paid the best prices.

Besides this evidence, Mr. Pinchin,

the manager of one of the complaining companies, gave evidence which went to show that he considered that the channel of distribution was natural shut off by the fact that certain dealers contracted only to handle the Empire Tobacco Company's goods. sale trader, it was best for him

MISTOOK DUNDAS STREET FOR GIANTS' CAUSEWAY

That Block Pavement-Ald. Cooper's Signs.

Ald. Cooper, chairman of the board of works, stands accused of unfair discrimination in the matter of providing amusements for visitors to this city, the sufferers by his injustice being the



a feature of Dundas street east of son.

patrons of the Western Fair. He has CHOLERA IN EGYPT

16,209 Deaths From the Disease in Egypt Since July 15. Cairo, Egypt, Sept. 11.-The weekly cholera returns for Egypt show that there have been 1,380 fresh cases reported, making totals since July 15 of 20,328 cases and 16,209 deaths.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Sept. 10. Reported at From Kingstonian...Father Point....Liverpool Iverna..... Majestic... Rhynland. Majestic. Queenstown. New York Rhynland. Queenstown. Philadelphia Ethiopia. Clasgow. New York St. Paul. Southampton. New York Belgenland. Philadelphia. Liverpool Blucher. Plymouth. New York Sept. 11. Reported at From Corean. Halifax. Liverpool Pomeranian. Fame Point. London

Mrs. W. J. Reid, Lieut. Walter Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid, leave today for England. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherriff, of London, Eng., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baskerville, Ridout street.

ment of the passing throng, has not been explained to the wondering public. Ald. Cooper knows best. The story goes, however, that a few of the other aldermen know something of it. Tis said that they went to him and, figuratively speaking, took him by the throat and forced him to order the removal of the foolish placards, saying that it was bad enough to be an alderman at any time, but to be one when their associates were making such manifestations of absurdity, was more than they would stand for. Still, even with these provokers of laughter zone, that block will surely be found attracting more than its share of attention. A policeman in that neighborhood the other day was accosted by a stranger, who astonished him by pointing to the pavement, and asking if it was an imitation of the Giant's Causeway, or a gravel pit. Strange as it may seem. this policeman did not come from the country whence St. Patrick drove the snakes, and being unacquainted with the natural freak mentioned, did not removed the signs that have been such appreciate this geographical compari-

MR. FITZGERALD BETTER

Telegram From New York Allays Anxiety of Relatives.

gerald, the famous starter, last night belt on one of the wheels, when his received a message from New York to hand got caught between the belt and the effect that Mr. Fitzgerald's con-dition was somewhat improved. This the young man off his feet at every allayed the anxiety caused by the sudden summoning to his bedside of Dr. Fitzgerald, his father and Mr. J. P. Cook, his brother-in-law.

Before. After. Wood's Phosphodine,

The Great English Remedy. Sold and recommended by all

Wood's Phosphodine is sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelles.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were the most brilliant ever seen here, and are ascribed to the volcanic dust.

Roger Bros.' 1847 and Ontario Silver Co. Plated Ware at Reasonable Prices.

Tea, Dessert and Table Spoons; Dessert and Table Forks; Dessert and Table Knives; Berry Spoons, silver and gilt; Pie Knives, silver and gilt; Cold Meat Forks, silver and gilt; Cake Forks, silver and gilt; Sugar Shelle, silver and gilt; Gravy Ladles; Tomato Servers, etc.; Butter Knives, all silver, with pearl handles.

All White Metal and Plated Ware guaranteed fully. If not satisfactory, to be returned.

SAVB MONEY BY BUYING AT

Cowan's Hardware, Dundas St.

Nearly 2,000 Attended During the Chicago Packing-House Teamsters Months of July and August.

Coming Season.

holidays Wednesday afternoon with a Philadelphia and Reading Coal and fair representation of its members. Iron Company and the Pennsylvania Some arrangements were read for the Coal Company scout the idea of con-

winter's work. chosen for the opening of the educa- ment is made it must be on the basis tional branch. There will be a recep- of unconditional surrender on the part tion held on the afternoon of that day, of the strikers. These officials all and the evening will be given to dis- claim to be in close touch with Presicussion of plans for the winter's work dent Baer, and say they know what of this department. Mrs. Harris, presi- they are talking about. dent of the Dominion Association, is A committee of citizens representexpected to be present, and a pleasant Harrisburg today, where they will hold and profitable time is hoped for. Arrangements were also made for the Chicago, Sept. 11.—Packing house collection of those subscriptions to the teamsters renewed their fight against building fund, which are now due.

The general secretary's report showed a total of 1,710 in attendance during the 600 drivers employed by Swift & Co. little regular work during the vacation | Chicago, Sept. 11.—The price of coke months, the rooms only being open at certain times. The rooms will now be to the unprecendented figures of \$12

WORK ON COUNTY BRIDGES BIG FAIR OPENS TOMORROW

Some Will Not Be Finished Till Preparation Day Means Busy Late in Season.

Small Bridge Accepted by County Getting Ready for Crowds of Visitors Representatives.

Work on the various county bridges now in course of construction is go- Fair today, the busyness will be ening on apace. Operations are being hanced a hundred times tomorrow, the

the new structures are completed. The concrete work on the Walker bridge near Glencoe has been finished. The Hamilton Bridge Company are now constructing the superstructure in ployes preparing the stands and tables their shops, and it will probably be of exhibits and arraying them in aterected within six weeks. There then remains only the constructing of the concrete floor and the building of the approaches to make the bridge ready

traffic. The concrete work on the Clandeboye bridge is also finished, and the so successfully conducted here. It work of erecting the steel work will only remains for the citizens of Lon-

be begun shortly.

The Muncey bridge, though the largest under construction, is the most backward in point of progress made, the contractors having been retarded by the height of the water in the river. Work on the first abutment was commenced last week, and it will take gets into the soil, but it will be quite late in the season before the steel

work is finished. County Commissioner Jackson and Councilor James Murray have examined and accepted the new 20-foot stee and concrete bridge over Caddy's Creek, between East and West Nis-

BLEW OUT THE GAS

Four Visitors Staying at Toronto Hotels Partially Asphyxiated.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 11 .- Four cases of partial asphyxiation occurred this morning. At 5:30 o'clock the proprietor of the St. Lawrence Hotel, West Market street, discovered two men, J. H. Lebanf and Art La Riviere, from Valleyfield, unconscious in their room with the gas turned on. The men were resuscitated without the services of a doctor, and they left the city later in the day.

TWO MORE. Two men are at the Emergency Hospital unconscious. They were taken there from the Queen City Hotel. They were warned last night not to blow out the gas, but were found in bed this morning with the gas turned on. They are regaining consciousness. The men are Wm. and Fred. Burnleigh,

"Lost His Arm by Thresher.

Newtonville.

Mount Forest, Sept. 10. - While threshing on the farm of Mr. Wm Evans, about three miles from town William Mapletoft attempted to put : turn, twisting and smashing the forearm in a horrible manner. A doctor was at once sent for, who amputated the arm a little below the el-

Pumice Stone From Pelee.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 11.-At Bay St. Louis, Pass Christian, Biloxi and Sch and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Six puckages guaranteed to care all the watering places along Mississippi Scaual Weakness, all effects of abose or excess, Mental Weakness, all effect blowing for a week. The sunsets on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were the

READY FOR WINTER'S WORK | CONCESSION IS SCOUTED

Y. W. C. A. Make Plans for the By Officials of Pennsylvania Coal Companies.

Join to Fight Stockyards.

The board of managers of the Y. W. Tamaqua, Pa., Sept. 11.—Officials of C. A. held its first meeting after the the Lehigh Coal and Navigation, the cession being granted the striking Thursday evening, Sept. 25, was miners. They say that if a settle-

> the stockyards concerns last night at a meeting of the union. It is the

open from 8 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., except and \$13 a ton. Small foundries are Wednesday evenings. The general secretary's hours, 10 a. threatened with ruin, or at least with meaning to the secretary's hours, 10 a. being forced to close down until prices the exception of Mondays. threatened with ruin, or at least with being forced to close down until prices shall drop. Even at this price all orders cannot be supplied.

Scene at Grounds.

on Saturday.

Busy as is the scene at the Western gates or be unloaded from trains, while live stock of all kinds will also be brought onto the grounds in great numbers. Every building will be a hive of industry, filled with busy emtractive form for the crowd of visitors who will pour in from the public opening on Saturday to the close a week hence. There is every prospect that the fair of 1902 will prove the banner exhibition of the many which have been don and of the West to do their part in patronizing liberally the institution which is such an important and invaluable factor in the industrial life of

this section of the Dominion. Fifty Against Two. It is not reasonable to expect two weeks of outing to overcome the effects of fifty weeks of confinement.

Take a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla along with you. Three doses daily of this great tonic will do more than anything else to refresh your blood, overcome your tired feeling, improve your appetite, and make your sleep easy and restful.

Lewis Wigle, of Leamington, says that the tobacco crop of Essex county will amount to 3,000,000 pounds this

THE EXECUTORS OF THE EST TE of Mrs. Barbara Rossconnell will sell by auction at the rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, on Friday, Sept. 26, 1902, at 2:30 p.m., part of lot 27, north side of East Hill street, City of London, on which are the brick dwellings Nos. 570 and 572 Hill street. These houses are withing a short distance of the new within a short distance of the new buildings of the McClary Manufacturing Company. Terms: Ten per cent cash and balance in 30 days. MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY, solicitors for vendors. 86i-11,13,16,20,25 within a short distance

GREEN & CO. HAVE REMOVED their coal and wood yard to Mailand-street and Grand Trunk Railway (Heaman's old yard). A good supply of all kinds of hard and soft wood on hand at the lowest cash price. 'Phone 391. Green & Co.

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Confectioner, 117 Dundas Street.

A Chance

to get your lace curtains nicely cleaned. Need cleaning now.

R. PARMER @ CO. Dyers and Cleaners, 490 Richmond street, near corner of

Dundas, London, Ont.

SUMMER

Good dry slabs make an ideal sum mer fuel; cut any length desired. DALY, 19 York Street.

Branch Office-305 Richmond St.

BUFFALO.

Detroit, Sept. 11.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 77c; No. 2 red, cash and Sept., 72c;

PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 11 .- Oil opened

LIVERPOOL.

IN THIS CITY TOMORROW

The royal commission which is investigating into the existence of a tobacco trust in Canada will sit in this turers could use. The consequence was city tomorrow. All classes of local dealers in tobacco are deeply interested in the work of the commission and similar interest is felt in the investi- The lesson to the farmers was a severe

The object of the inquiry is to consider the effect on the trade of the use by the Empire Tobacco Company of a form of contract which some of its competitors think affects their in-

discount is forfeited.

closed at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Up for \$2,000. The woman was standing bacco growing district was raising ufacturers can handle, and that reasonable encouragement is extended to the tobacco trade by the Government. which they got about 3 to 4 cents so as to enable the Canadian leaf to compete with the foreign grown leaf, everything would go to show that the Leamington district has a great future before it. The white burley tobacco grown there is quite equal to the foreign grown leaf, as is shown by the a sale as hoped for, and through Mr. rapid increase in the sales since the Lewis Wigle, the former member for time that it became possible for the Stranger in City Ran Foul of Wellington street. Why the Western tion of the structure. The approaches Fair visitors should be denied the fun will be constructed before the frost of seeing these signs, when they were

left all summer, to increase the merri-

The relatives of Mr. Chris J. Fitz-