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**Geo. W. Cowan**

**IS ACCIDENT OR DESIGN?**

**Ald Edmondson has a Little Mystery which he would Like Explained**

Thinks Somebody is Putting up a Job on the Chairman of the Industrial Committee.

"I can't understand it at all," remarked Ald. John Edmondson, this morning and a worried expression marred his benign countenance. "It's a mystery that's what it is and I think the Property Committee will have to hire Sherlock Holmes James McGregor to solve the enigma. You see last night City Engineer Jones and myself made a tour of inspection of the electric lights in the city. We found the lamp at the corner of King and Lacroix Street near Ald. Piggott's residence out and we found the lamp in front of Ald. Piggott's office out. Now this is the mystery. Why were those two lamps out? I would just like to know whether Ald. Piggott is trying to put up a job on the Property Committee or whether somebody is putting up a job on the worthy chairman of the Industrial Committee. It was only eight o'clock so I don't think it could have been a deep-dyed scheme to way lay Ald. Piggott on his way up town but the fact remains that the two lights were out. I would hate to have Ald. Piggott think that the Property Committee were just doing this to slight him. Last night City Engineer, E. B. Jones, and myself made a tour of the city and examined all the lights. We found six not burning, one on Water Street near Ex-Ald. John Waddell's residence, one at the corner of Lorne Ave. and Raleigh Street, one at the corner of Lorne Ave. and Lacroix Street, the two before Head St. and Victoria Ave. The City Engineer has received a statement of the percentage of lights out in Detroit and other cities. The number is about 4 per cent. Out of 126 lights we found six out so that is not so bad in comparison."

**Another Shotgun Accident.**

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 7.—At Arden yesterday an Englishman named Davison was fatally wounded. He was employed on the farm of James Matthews, and while handling a shotgun accidentally discharged it. The entire contents entered his stomach, inflicting wounds from which his recovery is hopeless.

**Mount Pelee in Eruption.**

Kingston, St. Vincent, Oct. 7.—The captain of the British steamer Sibun, which arrived here yesterday, reports that when the steamer passed the island of Martinique, on Sept. 30, Mount Pelee was in full eruption.

**THE MARKETS.**

Break in Wheat Prices and in Corn Futures—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Oct. 6.

Liverpool wheat futures closed 1/2d higher than yesterday and 1/2d lower than yesterday, December corn 1 1/2c lower and December oats 1/2c lower.

**LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.**

City	Dec.	May.
Duluth	1.13 1/2	1.11 1/2
St. Louis	1.14 1/2	1.12 1/2
Chicago	1.15 1/2	1.13 1/2
Winnipeg	1.16 1/2	1.14 1/2

**TORONTO ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.**

Wheat, white, bush... \$1.01 to \$1.02  
Wheat, red, bush... 1.00  
Wheat, spring, bush... 1.00  
Wheat, goose, bush... 0.90  
Barley, bush... 0.48 1/2 to 0.51  
Oats, bush... 0.35  
Eye, bush... 0.38  
Peas, bush... 0.48  
Buckwheat, bush... 0.47 to 0.48

**LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.**

Liverpool, Oct. 6.—Close—Wheat—Spot, March, 7s 7 1/2d.  
Corn—Spot American mixed, quiet, 4s 8 1/2d; futures, dull; December, 4s 6 1/2d.  
Rice—Short cut, quiet, 46s.  
Cumberland cut, quiet, 46s.  
Quiet, 46s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 46s 6d; shoulders, steady, 46s 6d.  
Lard—Prime westerns, firm, 22s 6d.  
Turpentine—Steady, 32s 6d.

**NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.**

New York, Oct. 6.—Butter—Steady; unchanged; receipts, 6576.  
Cheese—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 6827.  
Eggs—Steady; unchanged; receipts, 8470.

**CATTLE MARKETS.**

Cables Steady—Large Receipts of Heavy Hogs at Montreal.

London, Oct. 6.—Cattle are steady at 8 1/2c to 12 1/2c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 10c to 12 1/2c per lb. Sheep, 10 1/2c to 11 1/2c, dressed weight.

**TORONTO LIVE STOCK.**

Receipts of live stock at the city market were large, there being, as reported by the G.T.R. and C.P.R., 123 carloads since Tuesday, composed of 2894 cattle, 1618 hogs, 2137 sheep and lambs and 98 calves.

There were no first-class exporters of frozen beef or one or two loads of medium. One load of Manitoba cattle, weighing 1275 lbs, each, were sold by Mayhew & Wilson at \$4.25 per cwt.

Deliveries of butcher's cattle were large, but few amongst them were of choice quality. The best butchers' picked lots, sold higher picked out of a load may have sold at \$3.50 to \$4; medium at \$3.50 to \$3.75; common at \$3.25 to \$3.50 and rough to inferior at \$2.50 to \$2.75 per cwt.

Deliveries were large, with prices easier all round. Feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs, each, lot of 14 feeders, 1229 lbs, each, short, sold at \$4.25 per cwt., by McDonald & Mayhew. Stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, each, sold at \$2 to \$2.75 per cwt. Dressed hogs sold from \$2.50 to \$2.75 and a very few at \$2.75 to \$2.85.



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**Monday, Oct. 10th**  
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Telepathy, Mind Reading, etc. Demonstrating New Mesmerism and Hypnotic.

Prices 10c, 20c, 30c.  
Ladies Free Monday night when accompanied with one paid ticket.  
Plan now open at Brisco's.

**Another Soap Bargain**

Two weeks ago we had a very successful sale of fancy soaps at 5c per cake.

Now we are offering a two-pound bar of green castile soap for 15c.

At its regular price of 25c, it is good value, at 15c a genuine bargain.

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**MARRIED WELLS.**

Your daughter is married, I'm told. She married well, I hope. She married well, I see; you mean the man's name is Wells. No, I mean he has wells—oil wells.

Charles W. Baxter, Adelaide St., completed his new carnation greenhouse, which is a fine addition to his already extensive premises. There were 2,000 square feet of glass used in its construction, and Mr. Baxter has under cultivation 2,150 carnation plants.

Up-to-date Millinery. **C. Austin & Co.** Fashionable Dressmaking

... A FEW ...  
**Items of Interest**  
—TO—  
**Saturday Shoppers**

AT 25c—We just received 80 doz. ladies' fine ribb union Vests, nicely shaped, high neck, lace trimmed with drawers to match, extra special at 25c.  
AT 25c—Boy's and Girl's double knee, union ribb Hose, warranted fast black, spliced heel and toe 1/1 ribb, special value at 25c a pair.  
AT 25c—Ladies' ringwood Gloves in all the new shadings, also black and white, at 25c a pair.  
AT 25c—We are showing a big range of the swellest Neckwear that we have ever shown, beautiful lines at 25c.

**3--SPECIALS for SATURDAY--3**  
... IN ...  
**DRESS GOODS**

LOT 1—About 50 yds. of 22 inch Corduroy Velveteen, worth 50c to clear at 39c a yd.  
LOT 2—25 pieces all wool tweed Skirt Lengths, from 3 to 4 yds., worth \$1, to clear at \$2.65 for skirt length.  
LOT 3—20 pieces all wool Tweeds in fancy flake and stripes, worth \$1.25 per yard, to clear at 95c.

**MILLINERY**

New comers among the Ready-to-Wear Hats. Not a day passes without the advent from our workrooms of some pretty new styles. Among these "Tailored Hats" for women—hats for street wear with walking suits, during these Autumn days. The stock is admirably complete to-day. The Hats are light in weight as well as in colors. They are mostly sailor shapes and Turbans of darker shade.

\$1.60 buys a Camel's Hair Felt Hat, prettily trimmed with stitched felt quills and ornaments.

\$1.75 buys a Camel's Hair Felt Hat in any color, trimmed with felt quills and ornaments.

\$2.25 buys a pretty Sailor shape Hat with collar of velvet and finished with straps of velvet and ornaments.

\$4.00 buys a handmade Turban of felt and velvet, finished with ornaments.

**STAPLE DEPT.**  
**Saturday Specials**

At 10c a yd. from 12 1/2-75 yds. only, English turkey red Chintz, fancy patterns, heavy twilled cloth, correct for comforters and quilts, 30 in. wide, Saturday 10c a yd.  
At 10c a yd. from 12 1/2-30 pieces New Wrappereettes, best patterns, good heavy quality, for wrappers, children's school dresses, etc., Saturday 10c a yd.  
At 30c a yd. from 50c-66 in. dice pattern Table Linen, soft make, pure flax, Bohemian bleach, good for every day wear, Saturday 30c a yd.  
Odd Doilies—56 only, odd Linen Doilies, assorted patterns, different sizes, hemstitched, with fancy or plain center, regular 10, 12 1/2 and 15c value, to clear at 8c each.

**Saturday Specials in Furniture Dep't**

Complete Bedroom Suites, made of finest Northern Birch and finished Dark Red Mahogany, neatly hand carved. Commode with two long drawers and two cupboards under. Dresser, swell front, and fitted with large British bevelled Mirror, Saturday Special, at \$18.00.

\$20.00 Oak Sideboard, Saturday Only, \$17.50—Solid Oak sideboard 6 ft. 2 in. high, top 23x50 in., swell front, 3 drawers add door fronts, figured Quarter Cut Oak, 18x30 Bevelled Mirror, Saturday only, \$17.50

**Saturday in the Austin Men's Store**  
Is Your Underwear and Hosiery Ready for the Coming Cold Weather?

Don't wait for cold weather to turn your thoughts to Underwear and Hosiery, just when you need them most; such an opportunity as this sale affords may not await you. Warm weather ordinarily makes Underwear and Hosiery sell slowly—but we force the selling by giving you an unusual incentive to buy. Of course, if we hadn't received a liberal price concession we could not make those unusual low prices, but then you'll realize that, when you come to the sale and see the excellent values. This is the first showing of Fall and Winter Underwear. See East King St. Window for Samples.

Men's Special Fleece Underwear in plain, mottled and fancy stripe, all sizes, very special value, each,	50c
Men's heavy Union Underwear, in plain grey shade shirts, and drawers to match, each,	40c
Men's Scotch Knit Wool Underwear, in plain and heather mixed, sateen facings, all sizes, special each	50c
Men's extra fine Wool Fleece Underwear, in plain silver grey shade, all sateen facings, fine and close, each,	75c
Men's Elastic Ribb Heavy Underwear, in extra heavy close ribb, union and all wool qualities, at 75c and \$1.00	
Penman's Natural Underwear in natural shades, sizes 34 to 44, the noted unshrinkable, \$1.00 and \$1.25	
Imported Heavy Wool Underwear, fine quality, imported wool, handsomely finished, special, \$1.50	
Combination Suits—The celebrated Ellis Spring Needle Underwear, extra quality wool, well proportioned, a suit,	\$3.50
Woolsey Underwear, very fine quality imported wool, unshrinkable, all sizes, each,	\$2.50
<b>SPECIAL</b> —Cleared an English Manufacturer's Samples of all high class Wool Underwear, consisting of Naturals, Silk and Wool Mixtures, etc., at 25 to 35 per cent. off while they last	

**MEN'S SOCKS**—Our very special Imported Casmere Sox, full range of sizes, very special value, 25c. Men's Scotch fingering yarn six in plain and ribb black, Heather, Red and Naturals, 25c. Men's heavy wool sock, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c a pair

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**PROBABILITIES.**  
Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, Oct. 7.—11 a. m.—Easterly winds, fair and cool, with showers by night.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:  
**THERMOMETER.**  
Highest yesterday, 54.  
Lowest during night, 27.  
This morning, 34.  
Barometer, 29.82.  
Direction of wind, south.

**THE LOCAL BUDGET**

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mallory, of Erieau, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur O. Oldershaw and son, John Reginald, are visiting friends in Detroit and Jackson, Mich.

The civic play sheets for the past week were as follows—Board of Works \$75, local improvements \$162.46

Mr. and Mrs. James Holmes, Victoria avenue, celebrated the anniversary of their wedding yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Young, Harvey street, returned to-day from attending the wedding of her niece, Dover Township.

To rent, furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to Mrs. Cook, the Home Bakery, next to Harrison Hall, Fifth street.

Ernest Young, of the Molson's Bank, Toronto, is the guest of his uncle, H. D. Smith, County Crown Attorney.

The accounts in the estate of the late Harriet Scane, Township of Howland, were passed to-day. L. J. Heycraft appeared for Wm. Brien, administrator, and Fred. Stone for the infants.

Two actions have been entered for trial at the sittings of the High Court which open here on Monday, Oct. 24. Chancellor Boyd will preside. The actions are Tillman vs. Chaplin and Pink vs. Chaplin. Robinette & Co. for plaintiffs in each, J. N. Kain contra.

**Electricity Massage and Physical Culture.**

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Oysters stewed, fried or raw at Northwood's.

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Oysters by express to-day; standards and selects, at Northwood's.

Fred. Cartier, of Charlevoix, Mich., is visiting his mother, Joseph street, for a few days.

Mrs. A. Dunn and daughter, of Ingersoll, are the guests of Mrs. Macaulay, Raleigh street.

Dentist Will Holmes left to-day for Winnipeg. He will open up an office in the North-west Territories.

Meeting of the Liberal-Conservatives of Ward No. 5, Mrs. Ingall's store, St. Clair street at 8.

**ELKS OFFICERS**

The following officers were elected:—

Past Exalted Ruler—N. H. Stevens.  
Exalted Ruler—G. W. Sulman.  
Esteemed Lecturer—W. A. Hadley.  
Chaplain—A. C. Woodward.  
Secretary—John McCoig.  
Treasurer—Geo. Massey.  
Leading Knight—W. W. Scane.  
Watchman—H. Loudon.  
Guides—F. B. Stevens and Walter Elliott.

Aides—Norman McLeod and Joseph Hadley.  
Esquire—Kingsley Holmes.  
Tyler—Ed. Massey.  
Trustees—Dr. Hall, W. H. Harper and J. T. O'Keefe.

**THE SURVEY**

A resident of the city, who in his business pursuits often takes a trip down the river, gave the following information to The Planet in regard to the survey of the river, which is now in progress:

"The farmers would be greatly obliged to the surveyors if they could possibly see their way clear to taking up the stakes from the road so that a man can drive along the road without having his horse spavined. They would also like the surveyors to take their stakes up out of the sugar beet fields so that the farmers can get to work plowing.

"It would also be a good thing to keep the dirt off the banks where the men are trying to get a 15 foot channel where there is already a 22 foot channel.

"They don't think they will get as far as Chatham by the third of November, but they are taking their time over it."

**Killed Himself in Jail.**

Simcoe, Oct. 7.—George Cousins of Courtland, who was placed in Simcoe jail Wednesday evening, and who was held for examination as to his sanity, committed suicide during the night by hanging himself to the door of his cell with his suspenders. He had been dead some hours when found yesterday morning by Jailer Butler.