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WHEAT IN MANITOBA.

Winnipeg, Nov. 24.—The last steamer laden with wheat before the close of navigation on the lakes will leave Fort William on Thursday. There are at present 2,928,243 bushels of wheat in Port Arthur and Fort William elevators, and it is expected that 1,500,000 bushels of this will be shipped out by that time. Shipments to Fort William from the west are very light just now, and will not average more than 25,000 bushels per day. Receipts last week were 498,551 bushels; the shipments were 466,102 bushels.

GRAIN IN STORE.

New York, Nov. 24.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday, as compared with the preceding Saturday: Available supplies: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 1,197,000 bu; afloat for and in Europe, increase, 2,624,000 bu; total increase in the world's available, 1,427,000 bu. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 329,000 bu. Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 258,000 bu.

THE APPLE MARKET.

A. R. Fowler received the following cables on Monday:

Liverpool—Messrs. Simons, Shuttleworth & Co., cable: The market opened weak and gradually weakened, closing with 6d to 1s decline. The inferior quality of many apples is damaging prices generally. Good stock is in demand; inferior neglected.

Glasgow—Messrs. Simons, Jacobs, & Co., cable today: We anticipate a strong market for good apples. Baldwins, Greenings, Golden Russets, R. Russets, 10s to 12s; Spies, 11s to 13s; Kings, 13s to 15s; Spitz, Seeks, C. Reds, 9s to 11s.

London—Messrs. Garcia, Jacobs & Co. cable: The market opened firm and closed the some; demand good.

London, Nov. 24.—Canadian fruit is rapidly taking a front place in England. As long as shippers are careful in sending only the best stock, it will continue to do so, and good prices will be realized. The present of fruit from Hamilton, Ont., was highly appreciated by her Majesty. It was served with dessert at the Sunday dinner at Windsor, and it will no doubt gratify the growers and shippers in Canada to know that the Queen pronounced it excellent. Covent Garden prices for Canadian apples today, reported by W. N. White, are as follows: Kings, 11s to 12s; Baldwins, 9s to 11s; Greenings, 9s to 11s; Golden Russets, 11s to 14s; Fall Waters, 11s to 13s; Golden Mandia, 11s to 13s; Seeks and Spies, 11s to 13s; Nova Scotia Kings, 8s 6d to 11s; Ribstons, 9s to 12s; Blenheims, 9s to 13s. Liverpool prices are about the same as London.

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WEEKLY REVIEW.

London, Wednesday, Nov. 25.

Wheat, per bu	81c to 84c
Oats, per bu	17c to 24c
Peas, per bu	36c to 44c
Corn, per bu	25c to 34c
Buckwheat, per bu	24c to 29c
Rye, per bu	28c to 30c
Barley, per bu	20c to 29c
Beans, per bu	50c to 65c

There has been rather a falling off in receipts of grain this week, and no cause can be found that will satisfactorily account for it, outside of the supposition that the farmer is holding back for more money. The prices paid are just the same as a week ago, there being only one exception to this general rule—that is oats. They sold at a wider range, and the bulk of the business was on the low side of values. The price was 59c to 60c for ordinary white and good new black, and 65c to 70c for good white and old and white black.

Barley was a little scarce.

Beans and corn were decidedly scarce.

Meats quite steady; the supply was good, and no change was noticeable in price.

Turkeys were quite plentiful on Saturday, but Tuesday was a disappointment; so today the price ranged from 6c to 8c.

Butter and eggs made no alteration in price, but a noticeable improvement occurred in the quality of butter offered.

Hay and straw were dull and neglected.

Potatoes showed a great deal of strength on Tuesday, selling at 35c to 40c per bag—a gain of 5c.

Hides, skins and tallow were in good demand, and found ready sale at our tabular prices.

General values were as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Oats, per 100 lbs	50	to	70
Peas, per 100 lbs	60	to	74
Corn, per 100 lbs	40	to	60
Barley, per 100 lbs	40	to	65
Rye, per 100 lbs	50	to	53
Beans, bu	50	to	65
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	50	to	60
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	12
Cheese, per lb	9	to	10
Honey	8	to	12
Eggs, single dozen	16	to	17
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	15	to	15
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	12	to	14
Butter, single rolls, per lb	15	to	17
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	14	to	15
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	14	to	15
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	9	to	12
Lard, per lb	9	to	9
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	3½	to	5
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	4	to	5
Lamb, quarter	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	4 50	to	6 25
Live hogs	3 25	to	3 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 2, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 3, per lb	3	to	3
Calfskins, green	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, each	25	to	35
Sheepskins, each	50	to	50
Lambskins, each	50	to	60
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Tallow, rendered, per lb	3	to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb	1½	to	1½
HAY AND SEED			
Hay per ton	7 50	to	8 50
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 50

The Oil Market.

PETROLEA.

Petrolea, Nov. 25.—Oil opened and closed at $1 52.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 24.—Petroleum—Pennsylvania crude, weak; Dec., $1.10 bid. Sales, none.

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Today's wheat market was something of a runaway affair, prices advancing rapidly in the face of the comparatively weak cables from Liverpool and the continent. The trade was altogether professional, and was not broad, which probably accounted for the advance not being twice as great as it was. While Liverpool made but ½d gain for the day, it was nevertheless due to information from that place that prices here were so strong. The Liverpool Corn Trade News estimated that Europe would require 17,000,000 bu monthly from this country from now until next harvest. Until noon this was the prominent factor, and after that hour Bradstreet's report of an increase in the world's stocks of but 1,500,000 bu, where at least 4,000,000 increase was expected, furnished additional incentive for buying. Closing Paris cables were unchanged to 5 centimes lower for flour, and from 10 centimes higher to unchanged for wheat. Antwerp was 2½ centimes higher to 50 centimes higher, and Berlin was a mark lower. May wheat opened from 80½c to 80¾c; sold between 82½c and 83½c, and closed at 81½c to 82c—1½c to 1¾c higher than yesterday. Cash wheat was strong and 2c higher. May corn closed ¼c under yesterday. Cash corn was steady for old, and ¼c to ⅜c higher for new. Oats were steady to a shade higher. Provisions were lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Nov., 79½c; Dec., 78½c to 78¾c; May, 81½c to 82c.

Corn—No. 2 Nov., 23½c; Dec., 23¾c; May, 27c to 28¼c.

Oats—No. 2 Nov., 18⅝c; Dec., 18⅞c; May, 22½c.

Mess pork—Dec., $6 57½; Jan., $7 65; May, $7 97½.

Lard—Dec., $3 82½; Jan., $4 02½; May, $4 25.

Short ribs—Dec., $3 72½; Jan., $3 80; May, $4.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 77c to 80c; No. 3 spring wheat, 76c to 78c; No. 2 red, 83½c to 90c; No. 2 corn, 23½c to 24c; No. 2 oats, 19c; No. 2 rye, 36½c; No. 2 barley, 37c; No. 1 flaxseed, 76c to 78c; prime timothy seed, $2 50; mess pork, $6 60 to $6 65; lard, $3 85 to $3 90; short rib sides, $3 60 to $3 90; dry salted shoulders, $4 25 to $4 37½; short clear sides, $3 87½ to $4.

Receipts—			
Flour	13,000	Wheat	27,000
Corn	255,000	Oats	265,000
Rye	9,000	Barley	103,000
Shipments—			
Flour	4,000	Wheat	99,000
Corn	398,000	Oats	376,000
Rye	....	Barley	59,000

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Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 24.—Receipts of beeves, 779 head; dressed firm, at 6½c to 8½c for good prime native sides.

Cables from London and Liverpool report American steers at 10c to 10½c, dressed weight; American refrigerated beef, 7c to 7½c; American sheep at 8c to 8½c, dressed weight. Exports, 800 beeves, 1,450 sheep, and 2,600 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 2,203 beeves and 4,600 quarters.

Receipts of calves 200 head; market dull nominal; quotations, $4 to $7 for veals; $2 25 to $2 62½ for grassers; $3 25 to $3 75 for western calves; dressed calves quiet; city dressed veals, 7c to 10c.

Receipts of sheep and lambs 1,200 head; slow and barely steady. Sheep, $2 50 to $3 50; lambs, $4 to $5; dressed mutton, 4½c to 6c; dressed lambs, 7½c to 8½c.

Receipts of hogs, 3,152 head; market firm, at $3 60 to $4 10 for state hogs.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 24.—There were about 60 cars, including 890 sheep and lambs, 1,100 hogs and a dozen calves. The Montreal market for butchers' cattle was reported firm, and there were about 10 carloads taken for there. Nothing done in cattle for export. Taken all round, the market is rather dull. There is a fair demand for export sheep, but outside trade is not brisk. Hogs are holding their own so far.

Butchers' cattle, outside of buying for Montreal, there were not many cattle disposed of, and the market is purely nominal at from 2c to 3c per lb. About a dozen head of fancy cattle sold at 3 1-4c to 3 1-2c per lb, and inferior cattle 2c to 2 1-4c per lb. Market cleared up today for the first time in several weeks. Stockers and feeders—Very few changed hands and very few are wanted. Prices are nominal at 2 1-2c to 3 1-4c per lb for good feeders to fill vacancies in the byres. The farmers are not buying any more light stockers at present. Bulls—About half a dozen head were bought to hold for export at a future date at 2 3-4c to 3 1-4c per lb. Stock bulls are not in demand.

Sheep and Lambs—Export sheep were firm, there being better reports from Buffalo, and $2 85 to $3 10 per cwt was paid. Lambs were quiet at 3c to 3 1-2c perl b. Butchers' sheep were dull, at $2 50 to $2 75 each.

Calves—Offerings were light; good calves were firm, but poor ones were not wanted. Prices ruled from $2 to $6 each, and a few fancy sold at $6 50 and $7 each.

Milch Cows and Springers—The offerings were lighter today, and the market was steady. Prices are not so low because quality was a little better generally. They sold at $20 to $40 each; one cow sold at $48.

Hogs were steady at 3 5-8c to 4 3-4c for choice selections, weighed off cars; thick fat, 3 1-2c, and slow; other kinds of pigs were not wanted.

BRITISH MARKETS.

London, Nov. 23.—The cattle trade today was worse than a week ago, and in consequence prices were again depressed and show a decline of 1-4c to ½c per lb. The supply was excessive, and, as the demand was slow, the market was dull, at 10 3-4c for choice States, and at 8c to 9c for choice Canadians. Sheep were steady, at 10c.

A private cable received from Liverpool quoted choice States cattle at 10c; choice Canadians at 9c; middlings at 8 1-2c, and sheep at 10c.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—The live stock export season for 1896 is now closed, the steamship Gerona sailing on Sunday morning for London with 455 head of cattle. The cable advices received today were of a very discouraging nature to shippers, they being weak and lower, and prices are now about as low as they were at any time this season. At the East End abattoir market this morning the offerings of live stock were 750 cattle, 600 sheep, 600 lambs and 30 calves. Although the supply of cattle was larger than it has been for the past few markets, the tone was steady and prices show no material change. The attendance of local buyers was large. The demand was active and a brisk trade was done, which resulted in a clearance being made. Prime beeves sold at 3 1-2c; good to choice, 3c to 3 1-4c; common to fair, 2 1-4c to 2 3-4c, and inferior, 1 1-2c to 2c per lb, live weight.

The demand for sheep was fair and prices were unchanged, at 2 1-2c per lb, live weight. Lambs met with an active demand, and values were firm, at 3 3-4c to 4c per lb for choice, and at 3c to 3 1-2c for fair to good.

The range for calves was good, at prices ranging from $3 to $12 each, as to size and quality.

At the Point St. Charles cattle market trade was slow, owing to the fact that local dealers had ample supplies on hand, and holders forwarded them to the above market, where they were disposed of at full prices. There were 300 hogs offered, which met with a good demand at $3 75 to $4 per 100 lbs, live weight.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 24.—Cattle—Fresh arrivals light; market quiet and easy; veals easy; common to good, $3 to $5 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 loads and 15 cars held over; trade slower and lower; good to choice Yorkers, $3; mixed packers' grades, $3 45 to $3 50; heavy hogs, $3 35 to $3 40; pigs, good to choice, $3 80 to $3 85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7 loads, nearly all of which were Canadian stock; market dull and easier for all kinds; native lambs, choice to prime, $4 50 to $4 60; culls and common lambs, $3 25 to $3 60; Canada lambs, good to choice, $4 25 to $4 55; fair to choice mixed sheep, $3 to $3 40; culls and common sheep, $1 75 to $2 75.

Today's receipts of Canada lambs were light, only 6 cars, while 4 cars of Monday's supply carried over were unsold. The market opened very dull, and ruled so throughout the day, and closed with a generally easy feeling. Only one half of the offerings were sold or shipped out by the close of the day. A few prime loads of ewes and wethers sold up to $4 55, with heavy to choice lambs at the range of $4 35 to $4 50, or about easy Monday's values.

The Dairy Market.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Nov. 24.—Cheese, steady demand poor; finest American white and colored (September), 51s.

Butter—Finest United States, 98s; good, 60s.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Butter market firm; creamery, 15c to 21 1-2c; dairies, 10c to 18c.

Cheese firm, at 8 3-4c to 9c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 24.—Butter firmer; State dairy, 11c to 19c; do, creamery, 13 1-2c to 21c; western dairy, 8c to 13c; do, creamery, 13 1-2c to 22 1-2c; do, factory, 8c to 11c; Elgins, 22c to 22 1-2c.

Cheese in moderate demand; State large, 7 1-4c to 19 3-8c; do, small, 7 1-2c to 10 1-4c; part skims, 3 1-2c to 6 3-4c; full skims, 2 1-2c to 3c.

INGERSOLL.

Ingersoll, Nov. 24.—Cheese market offerings were 4,325 boxes; no sales; market dull.

London Presbytery.

Rev. Mr. Little and His Orange Parishioners.

Their Petition Against Him—A Resolution Generally Satisfactory—Mr. Fraser Asks Time.

At yesterday afternoon's meeting of the London Presbytery the petition from members of the congregation of Bryanston presented at the last meeting of the Presbytery was read, and the names of those attached thereto.

On motion, the petitioners were asked to come forward. It was decided that the persons who had signed the petition who were present, and who were well affected, should be heard. Four members of the congregation stated that the attendance had fallen off, and that as the reason of it was an unfortunate difference of opinion which had arisen between the pastor and certain members, they desired that the Presbytery should inquire into the matter.

A statement was then read for William Elliott, an elder of Bryanston congregation, in which he stated that Mr. Little had refused to recognize an Orange procession on July 13 last, and had made various derogatory statements concerning the Orange order, and in consequence thereof he felt that Mr. Little's influence for good in Bryanston had ended.

Considerable time was spent in questions by members of the court in regard to the matter in hand, Mr. Little also made a statement.

The following decision was arrived at: "Moved by A. Henderson, seconded by W. J. Clark: The Presbytery having fully heard all parties, regret that misunderstandings had arisen between certain of the petitioners and their pastor, the Presbytery declines to pronounce on Orangeism either as an organization or as to its principles, but leaves all members to judge for themselves and use their individual liberty. Neither does the Presbytery indorse or condemn the views of the minister or his mode of expressing them, but exhort all parties to consider one another charitably, drop all further discussion, and seek the things that make for the peace of the church.

The petitioners on the one side and Mr. Little on the other, agreed, with the exception of two of the petitioners, who asked that they might have further time to consider the matter, to yield to the chairman of the Presbytery.

It was agreed that Mr. Brown, of Tempo, exchange with Mr. Little on Sabbath first, and read to the congregation the decision of the Presbytery.

A telegram was received from Mr. Fraser, stating that he wished for a few weeks to consider the call from St. Thomas.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet on the second Tuesday of January, at 10:30 a.m. in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church London.

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BAYLEY'S.

TRAINMEN'S ANNUAL BALL

Dance at the City Hall Enjoyed by a Large Number.

The tenth annual ball of Forest City Lodge, No. 240, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, was held in the City Hall last night, and the Grand Trunk trainmen and their friends to a large number spent a pleasant time. The hall was tastefully decorated with streamers and flowers in profusion, and every arrangement made to contribute to the pleasure of the guests. In the grand march 65 couples joined, and this number was increased later until nearly 150 young people were on the floor. An excellent programme of music was provided by Dayton's Orchestra, and the post of master of ceremonies was most efficiently filled by Mr. James McCormick. Supper was served at Harry Walsh's.

During the evening the galleries were well filled with spectators.

The committees who brought about the complete success were composed of Messrs. A. Muir (chairman), J. Wilson (secretarytreasurer), T. King and E. Dibbs. Reception Committee—E. Burt, C. McFadden, J. Langley, F. Fountain, J. Hill, J. A. Johnston, A. E. Johnston, W. Wallace, J. Naven, and D. Murray. Decoration Committee—John Wilson, J. Wheatcroft, H. Scarcliff, J. Smith, W. Sutherland, H. Watson, W. Jones, J. Payne, J. Rich and T. White. Floor Committee—W. H. Culbert, A. Douglas, J. Dore, W. Durkin, M. James, C. Mason, W. Priestley, J. Legg, J. Thompson, and R. Johnston.

Sparks From the Wire.

Col. Bob Ingersoll has concelled all lecture engagements because of illness. He is suffering from sciatica.

The trial of the petition to unseat Mr. Hugh John Macdonald as member for Wininpeg, has been postponed until Jan. 15.

There is an inch of ice on the Beauharnois Canal, and the sudden cold weather is likely to interfere seriously with navigation.

Saturday afternoon Wm. Thomas, aged 18 years, was drowned in the bay at Collingwood. He was out on a duck shooting expedition on Saturday afternoon, when his boat upset.

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Wm. McComas, the colored man, who with Hattie Gardner is being held at Woodstock, on the charge of murdering the latter's husband, will be admitted to bail on $4,000, himself on $2,000, and two sureties of $1,000 are to be forthcoming.

The President of Nicaragua has granted amnesty to over 500 persons implicated in the revolution last February, and the conspiracy of Sept. 8 last. The members of the rebel Government and the principal generals of the defeated forces are not included in the pardon.

A Troy, N. Y., telegram says: Through an explosion of molten metal at the steel works on Breaker Islands yesterday, four men were seriously burned, and one, Benjamin Spittal, will probably die. The other injured men are Wm. Maher, Michael Tyrell and Edward Butler.

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Horrible Holocaust!

Sixteen People Meet a Terrible Death.

Victims of a Prairie Fire Started by Outlaws—Heroic Work of Catholic Sisters.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 25.—A destructive prairie fire swept over the Seminole country this morning near Rochelle. It is reported that sixteen persons were burned to death.

A Catholic mission was saved by the heroic work of Sisters Freda and Kirk. These two sisters fought the flames for two hours with blankets, and saved the lives of 20 Indian pupils.

The fire was started by outlaws, who were fleeing from a posse of deputy marshals. Most of the people burned were half-breed Indians.

ON A DEER'S BACK.

A Hunter's Fearful Ride—Stabbed by a Fallen Buck.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 25.—Six Grand Rapids citizens have just arrived home from a point 60 miles north of St. Ignace, where they shot 22 deer. They tell a startling experience.

O. D. Woodworth, brother of Sheriff Woodworth, had shot a buck and started to cut its throat. At the prick of the knife the deer sprang to its feet. Woodworth dropped his knife, but, clinging to the game, threw his leg over the buck's back, and away they went over logs and through brush, Woodworth riding astride and hanging frantically to the deer's horns with both hands.

The deer was unaccustomed to the handicap for weight, and gradually swung around in a circle. Near the starting point he stumbled and fell. Woodworth pushed down hard on the horns and managed to bring the buck's head against a log with force enough to momentarily stun it. Court Officer Greenley reached the spot in time to help Woodworth dispatch the animal.

SCENE IN CHURCH.

Extraordinary Man and Woman Fight in a Scottish Place of Worship.

On Sunday forenoon of last week a very unseemly occurrence took place in Kirkintilloch Parish Church. A local manufacturer has for some time past been at variance with two young women who occupy the same pew with him. He has occupied it for a longer period than they, and while it is let for six people, only five can be comfortably seated. On Sunday the seat was occupied by four persons, and the manufacturer, it is alleged, had placed his feet on the cushion, and made himself offensive to the other occupants of the pew. After quietly remonstrating with the offender several times, the woman who was sitting next him took his silk hat and placed it between them. The hat got crushed, and the owner, taking it up, threw it at the woman. It rebounded back on him, and then in a fit of temper he seized the hats both of the woman next him and of her sister. He tore them off their heads, partially destroying them as he did so, and threw them down on the floor. The elder of the two women had her jacket pulled open and her dress torn, and, leaving the church, she proceeded to the police office and there lodged a complaint against the man. Before the service was finished the man also left the church, another hat having been procured for him. He, too, went to the police office, where he left the battered hat, stating that the woman had deliberately sat on it. The affair caused considerable commotion in the church, and several of the worshipers rose and went out.

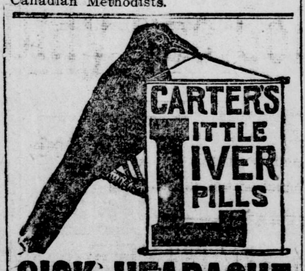
OUR BIG GAME.

Great Animals Supposed to be Extinct Found in Northern Canada.

Not the least interesting of the notes recently furnished to L'Evenement by the Comte de Puyjalon, respecting his late journey of exploration in the region of the Upper Ottawa, on behalf of the Local Government, has reference to the fish and game found there. As a game country it presents remarkable features. Its remoteness makes it a natural home for the wild animals, driven back by the advance of settlement, and seeking a region in which they can exist unmolested. The big game is very numerous and, in the space of a couple of months, the explorer counted the tracks of no fewer than six hundred moose and deer, and had he continued to do so he states they would have run up into a much greater count. One especially noteworthy feature of the report in this connection is the statement that the Count saw many tracks of the great Canadian elk, a specimen of animal life supposed by many to be extinct, east of the Rockies, and, in addition to these evidences of the presence of this noble animal, he was privileged to see one for himself, besides obtaining the information that one of his canoemen had killed two of them not long ago. The waters abound with fish which, he states, may become a source of provincial revenue in the future.—Quebec Chronicle.

A METHODIST MEMORIAL.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 25.—Baltimore Methodists yesterday erected a bronze tablet near the site of the Lovely Lane Meeting House, where the Methodist Episcopal Church was organized at a conference held in 1784. At the meeting last night in honor of the event, a number of addresses were made by prominent Methodists. Rev. Dr. John Potts, of Toronto, Ont., represented the Canadian Methodists.



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