LOCAL MARKET.

London, Monday, Sept. 21.

There was an excellent demand for hay, but there were not as many loads offered as was expected, therefore there should be a good demand for hay at Tuesday's market; prices ranged today from $10 75 to $11 50 per ton.

Straw was in light supply, at $6 and $6 50 per ton.

Oats were steady, at $1 20 per cwt for the best loads, while some poor oats sold as low as $1 per cwt.

A shipments of live hogs was made by Mr. McIntyre, who paid $6 75 per cwt for selects and $4 50 for fat sows.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at $11 in car lots on track here, with No. 2 at $7.

Baled Straw—Prices range from $6 50 to $7 per ton in car lots here.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—The markets opened today with little variation in prices. Deliveries of grain at country points are large. Bran and shorts are scarce. The local dealers' quotations are:

Wheat—Ontario No. 2 white or red, outside, 90c to 91½c; No. 2 mixed, 90c to 90½c; Manitoba wheat, new, spot, No. 1 northern, $1 05½; No. 2 northern, $1 03, at Georgian Bay ports.

Barley—New No. 2, 59c to 60c; No. 3 extra, 57c to 58c; No. 3, 55c to 56c.

Oats—Ontario No. 2 white, 39c to 39½c outside; No. 2 mixed, 38c to 39c outside.

Corn—Nominal, at 87c to 87½c, Toronto freights, for No. 2 yellow.

Rye—No. 2, 80c outside.

Peas—No. 2, 88c to 90c outside.

Bran—Scarce and quiet; quoted at $21 per ton in bags, outside.

Shorts—Strong but quiet, at $24 per ton in bags, outside.

Cobalt Stocks

Bank and Loan Company stock, paying 6 to 6 per cent. Yukon Gold, Lawson's National Stock. Write for market letter.

THOMAS RAYCRAFT, 410 Rectory St.

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OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Sept. 19.—Credit balances, $1 78.

LONDON.

London, Sept. 19.—Petroleum, American refined, 6½d; spirits, 7¼d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Belgium, Sept. 19.—Petroleum, 22 francs.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 19.—Oil opened and closed at $1 78.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 19.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3.45c to 3.50c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3.95c to 4c; molasses sugar, 3.20c to 3.25c; refined steady. Molasses—Quiet.

LONDON.

London, Sept. 19.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 9s 9d; centrifugal, 10s 9d; beet sugar, September, 9s 6¼d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 19—Sugar—Firm; Montreal granulated, per cwt, in barrels, $4 80; yellow, $4 40; in bags, 5c less; Acadia, in barrels or bags, $4 70; Ontario beet, in barrels or bags, $4 70.

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DAIRY MARKETS.

ST. HYACINTHE.

St. Hyacinthe, Sept. 19.—Seven hundred and sixty boxes of cheese, 12½c; 350 packages butter 24½c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 20c to 23c; dairies, 17c to 20c. Cheese—Firm, 12c to 13c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 19.—Butter—Easy and unchanged; receipts, 5,230 packages.

Cheese—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 1,328 boxes.

LONDON.

London, Saturday, Sept. 19.—On the Dairymen's Exchange today the following offerings were boarded: Uttoxeter and Gallabank, 265; Lakeview, 115; Farmers' Union, 170; North Branch, 60; Yarmouth Centre, 200; Keyser, 125; Dunboyne, 200; total, 1,135 boxes; no sales; 12¼c to 12½c bid.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 21. — Trade was quiet at the West Toronto cattle market this morning. The principal lines showed prices as follows: Export cattle, $4 50 to $5; best butchers' cattle, $4 40 to $4 70; medium butchers' cattle, $4 to $4 25; common butchers' cattle, $3 50 to $4.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,900 head; slow and steady; prime steers, $6 to $6 50; shipping, $5 25 to $5 85; butchers, $4 to $5 25; heifers, $3 25 to $5; cows, $3 to $4 25; bulls, $2 75 to $4 35; stockers and feeders, $3 to $4 25; stock heifers, $2 75 to $3 25; fresh cows and springers active and $2 higher, $25 to $60. Veals—Receipts, 1,000 head; active and 25c higher, $6 to $9 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,800 head; best corn hogs steady to 5c lower; common dull and 15c to 25c lower; heavy, $7 50 to $7 70; mixed, $7 10 to $7 70; Yorkers, $6 90 to $7 50; pigs, $4 to $6 10; roughs, $6 to $6 50; stags, $4 to $4 75; dairies, $6 25 to $7.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 16,600 head; sheep slow, wethers 25c lower; lambs active and steady; lambs, $4 to $6 15, a few at $6 25; yearlings, $4 to $4 25; wethers, $3 75 to $4; ewes, $3 50 to $3 75; sheep, mixed, $1 50 to $4.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000 head; steady to a shade higher; beeves, $3 65 to $7 60; Texas steers, $3 50 to $5 90; stockers and feeders, $2 60 to $4 25; cows and heifers, $1 65 to $5 60; calves, $6 to $8 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000 head; steady to a shade higher; light, $6 60 to $7 25; mixed, $6 65 to $7 37½; heavy, $6 60 to $7 40; roughs, $6 60 to $6 85; pigs, $4 50 to $6 25; good to choice, $7 40; bulk of sales at $6 90 to $7 15.

Sheep—Receipts, 33,000 head; steady; natives, $2 25 to $4 30; western sheep, $2 25 to $4 25; yearlings, $4 30 to $4 80; native lambs, $3 25 to $5 80; western lambs, $3 25 to $5 80.

ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Sept. 21.—Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9d; No. 1 California, 8s 1d. Futures steady; September, 7s 8¾d; December, 7s 8⅝d; March, 7s 6¾d.

Corn—Spot easy; American mixed, 7s 5d. Futures steady; October, 5s 11¼d; December, 5s 10d.

Flour—Winter patents steady, 25s.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £1 10s to £2 5s.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot steady, 22s 9d.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 108s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess western firm, 76s 3d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 57s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 57s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, strong, 58s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, strong, 55s 6d; do, heavy, 35 ot 40 lbs, stong, 53s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, strong, 52s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 59s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, strong, 44s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, strong, 52s; American refined, in pails, strong, 52s 9d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, firm, 61s; do, colored, new, steady, 61s.

Tallow—Prime city firm, 28s; Australian (in London) firm, 33s 6d.

Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 26s 9d.

Turpentine Spirits—Strong, 27s.

Linseed Oil—Dull, 24s.

Petroleum—Steady, 7½d.

Rosin—Common steady.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Sept. 19-20.—At New York—Tasmania, from Genoa; Columbia, from Glasgow.

At Liverpool—Victorian, from Montreal; Umbria, from New York.

At Genoa—Verona, from Philadelphia; Pricess Irene, from New York.

At Cherbourg—Bluche, from New York.

At Plymouth—New York, from New York.

At Father Point—Lake Manitoba, from Liverpool; Montrose, from London; Hesperian, from Glasgow.

At Moville—California, from New York.

At Queenstown—Cymric, from Boston.

EMPRESS AVENUE CHURCH

Large Congregations Listen to Rev. G. W. Dewey.

Rev. George W. Dewey, of Empress Avenue Methodist Church, preached to two very large congregations yesterday. The congregation of the evening literally packed the church to the doors. In his morning address the preacher spoke on, "Why are we called unto holiness," and divided his sermon under four heads: 1, because of the character of God; 2, because of his purposes for Christ; 3, because of his plans for the world; 4, because of the condition of heaven and the character of its inhabitants.

In the evening Mr. Dewey took as his text John I., iii., 2. These words of the text, he said, stated a three-fold fact, and revealed experience, ignorance and faith. Experience, based on the sonship in Christ; forgiveness of sins, victory over the devil, and the waking of righteousness; ignorance of what we shall be in existence without the body; faith, the coming Lord and our likeness to him.

LONDON BOY WINS AT STRATFORD MEET

Campbell Takes the Five-Mile Road Race in 31:15.

Stratford, Sept. 21.—In the five-mile open road race held here in connection with the Y. M. C. A. field day sports, Mr. R. O. Campbell, of the London Ramblers track club, won out in 31:15. Campbell ran a good race from start to finish and entered the stretch 220 yards in the lead of Dave Frawley, of this city, who finished in 31:48. The road was heavy and a raw east wind prevailed during the afternoon.

ROGERS FOR COMMONS

Expected That Manitoba Minister of Works Will Contest Winnipeg.

Montreal, Sept. 20.—R. L. Borden and Premiers Roblin and Hazen, with Secretary Hanna, left this evening for Ottawa and Pembroke, to continue their tour.

This afternoon Mr. Borden was in conference with Hon. Robert Rogers and it looks as if the minister of public works would enter the federal arena and accept a nomination in Winnipeg.

Premier Roblin also announced today that Hon. Thomas Mayne Daly would be nominated for Brandon on the 23rd by the Conservatives, and the Liberals will nominate Hon. Clifford Sifton on the 24th.

WEBB—STANLEY

Pretty Wedding Takes Place in a Granton Church.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at Granton Methodist Church on Saturday morning, when Miss M. Stanley, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stanley, was married to Mr. Clarence Webb, of Toronto.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Sarnia, assisted by Rev. D. J. Cornish, of Granton, and Rev. C. P. Wells.

Miss Jennie Webb and Miss Pearl Stanley assisted the bride, while the groom was supported by Mr Christopher Webb. The wedding march was played by Miss L. Holmes, of London, and Messrs. F. Hodgins, of Berlin, and F. Smyth, of Mitchell, officated as ushers.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb left for points east, and on their return will reside in Granton.

BISHOP CARMICHAEL CRITICALLY ILL

Montreal, Sept. 20. — Bishop Carmichael was taken suddenly ill at his home here yesterday, and tonight his condition is regarded as very serious. His lordship has not been in the best of health lately, his heart causing him trouble. On arising yesterday he appeared depressed and shortly afterwards retired to his room and had his physician called. He slept fitfully during the night, and this morning appeared somewhat improved. During the day he suffered a relapse and tonight grave anxiety is being felt over his condition.

CANADA'S FARMS.

London, Sept. 19.—The members of the Sotch farming commission are sending home admirable accounts of the tour. They apparently found much to admire in Canada and something to criticize. R. B. Greig declares the Quebec farmers to be conservative and interesting, but the worst farmers in the Dominion, while regarding Ontario farmers, he observes a Buchan man would cut more thistles with less dash. There is plenty of room in Ontario for men with capital, though land is not cheap, he says, and points to New Brunswick and Quebec for want of sheep, because each man must keep a useless dog. Agricultural colleges are the objects of warmest appreciation.

STABBED TO DEATH.

New York, Sept. 21.—A swift razor thrust, which nearly severed the head of Louis Nanna, brought to a tragic end early today what had been a jolly all-night christening party at the home of Guiseppe Fidori, on the Bronx. Nanna died in an ambulance while being removed to a hospital. Little information could be obtained by the police from the score or more persons who witnessed the assault, but they arrested Pasquale Monaco, and charged him with the crime. Nanna and Pasquale are said to have had a heated argument during the night, and have renewed the quarrel just as the party was breaking up.

"Affection for children is an Indian characteristic," says Dr. Charles S. Moody, of Idaho. "I have never seen an Indian mother or father punish a child, nor have I ever seen an Indian child cry."

Paris Phone Girls in Peril In Five Million Dollar Fire

Paris, Sept. 20.—Fire broke out tonight in the Central Telephone building and spread with such rapidity that the telephone employes were forced, after brief and ineffectual efforts to extinguish the flames, to fly hastily to the streets. The entire building was soon in flames and this, together with the postoffice, which is located close to the Place Des Victoires, was totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at $5,000,000, out a much greater loss is likely to be involved through the complete interruption of all telephonic communication in the centre of Paris, as well as communication with the provinces and abroad.

The telephone building was comparatively new and was fitted with the costly new central battery system. It will take a month or more to re-establish the service, and even a temporary installation will require a considerable length of time.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but it is believed to have been due to a short circuit. It is asserted also that it may have been of incendiary origin, but as yet nothing has been found to prove this.

Liner Helpless in a Tremendous Sea

New York, Sept. 19.—For more than half an hour last Wednesday the great turbine steamship Mauretania, with all her cabins filled with frightened passengers, rolled and pitched helplessly in the trough of the storm-tossed seas in mid-ocean with waves constantly breaking over her decks. She had run into the storm hours before, but had been kept under headway until one of her propeller blades flew off with a crash that alarmed everyone on board. So tremendous was the force of the blow which the loosened propeller dealt the ship that the whole middle section of the steamer seemed to rise, the flooring buckling until tacks from carpets were hurled against the ceiling and passengers were thrown about the cabins. The engines were stopped at once and the big ship, losing her way, began to wallow in the trough of the seas. The intense excitement did not subside until the steamer started once more on her way.

An examination disclosed that the compartment adjoining the propeller shafts was filled with water. It is believed that the propeller blade stove a hole in the steamer's bottom. The vessel was docked today.

Indian Admits the Crime of Murder

Belleville, Sept. 20.—The verdict of the coroner's jury upon the body of James Sero was that he came to his death from the effects of a gunshot wound inflicted by James Smart. The evidence was conclusive, and Smart is now in jail with the charge of murder hanging over him. Smart not only admitted that he did the shooting, but said that he intended to shoot Sero because the latter abused his wife and Dorothy Smart, a sister of the murderer, who lived with Sero.

According to the evidence, at the time of the shooting, Mrs. Sero was near Smart and begged him "For God's sake, do not shoot!" but Smart said to her, "Keep out of the way, and in a minute you will see a man fall." Just then Sero came near Smart, who fired the gun point-blank at him. The victim never spoke after he was shot. Smart said he was prepared to hang.

Yesterday Smart was brought before Police Magistrate Masson for a preliminary hearing, and was formally committed for trial on a charge of murder.

POLITICAL GOSSIP

Premier Scott of Saskatchewan was in Winnipeg on Friday with sanguine reports of Liberal prospects in his province. He asserts that they have excellent chance of carrying all of the ten eats, and he says he would not be surprised if they also carried the whole seven in Alberta, although this is not so probable as the sweep in Sakatchewan. Mr. Scott points out that the entire interests of the west are bound up in the success of the Liberal policy now before the country, and he demands that Hon. Mr. Borden, before soliciting western votes, declare his position positively on the question of tariff, railway legislation and immigration. People out here are profoundly interested in the continuation of the immigration policy, which has changed the exodus into an influx.

At a meeting of Liberal delegates held at Spencerville Mr. Sam J. Martin, of Kemptville, was unanimously chosen as the Liberal candidate to contest the county of Grenville at the federal election. Dr. Brown, of Prescott, president of the Liberal Association, presided. The meeting was well represented and great enthusiasm prevailed. Everything points to a great victory for Mr. Martin, as he is well known throughout the riding, very popular with all classes and highly respected.

Mr. John Leonard, K. C., former mayor of Sherbrooke, Que., was chosen as Government candidate in Sherbrooke County at a meeting held at Sherbrooke on Saturday. Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture, was present.

The two aspirants for the Commons from Kent, Messrs. A. B. McCoig (Liberal) and H. S. Clements (Conservative), decided to hold a series of joint meetings throughout the riding.

Capt. Dan Quinn, of Thamesford, a well-known farmer and former militiaman, was chosen by the North Oxford Conservatives in the convention held here on Saturday afternoon to lead the party locally in the coming elections. Three names went to the convention—Messrs. John Butler, of Woodstock, John Youngs, Brooksdale, and Capt. Quinn. The latter got the nomination on the first ballot by a large majority. The convention was well attended.

WHITNEY FOR HOME.

Toronto, Sept. 1.—Hon. Mr. Foy, the attorney-general, has received a letter from Sir James Whitney, dated September 8. The prime minister says that he will sail from England on Sept. 19.

$12 New York and Return.

From Suspension Bridge, via Lehigh Valley R. R., Sept. 24 and 25. Particulars 54 King street east, Toronto. 64k

The Duke of Beaufort, while cub-hunting at Castle Coombe, near Chippenham, was thrown by the fall of his horse. His right leg was broken. After surgical attention the duke was taken to Badminton.

Two archeological discoveries of considerable importance have been made recently. The excavations carried out in the Altis or sacred precincts of Olympia, near the great altar of Zeus, under the superintendence of Prof. Dorpfeld, have resulted in the discovery of interesting remains of the Neolithic period, including house vessels and implements. Thus it is evident that Olympia was a place of human habitation more than two thousand years before Christ. In Sparta the members of the British school have brought to light a large number of interesting terra cotta figurines of the fifth century before Christ.

SCHEME TO WAR ON CRIME IN LONDON

Noted Sleuth Speaks of Necessity of More Extended Work of Scotland Yard.

London, Sept. 19.—The proposal for a central detective organization in London to deal with important crimes in any part of the country meets with strong approval from many expert criminologists.

The opinion of some of the keenest brains in Scotland Yard may be summed up in the words yesterday by a world-famous detective:

"The proposal, as I understand it, is that Scotland Yard or a central detective organization in London should take immediate and complete control of the investigation of important criminal mysteries in any part of the country. There may be practical objections which make the proposal impossible; there is not the slightest doubt, in my mind at least, that such a system, if it could be brought into working order, would be of the greatest value in the elucidation of great criminal puzzles.

London Police Not Experts.

"At present it is impossible for the local police to call in the assistance of Scotland Yard, and they generally do so only after the lapse of a day or so. In the meantime, they have done their best to solve the mystery themselves, incidentally often destroying what might be valuable clues. How can it be otherwise? They may be the most intelligent of men in all ranks, but a great crime mystery comes possibly only once in their lives. At Scotland Yard men are dealing with them every week.

"The sooner an expert can get on the scene and take charge the better, but he had better be there after the lapse of a dozen hours than not at all. Let me give an illustration of what happens in the case of a London mystery, and then compare it with the course of action in a country place where the local police make investigations:

"Assume that a man is found dead, apparently murdered, in a London house, and a policeman is called in, with the doctor. The constble's duty is to touch nothing, but communicate instantly by telephone with Scotland Yard. Within a few minutes a motor car will leave the yard containing perhaps the assistant commissioner himself with other experts. On arrival at the scene great care is exercised not to disturb the smallest thing until detective photographers have taken pictures of the body showing its position and pictures of various parts of the room, so as to have a record of the actual position of everything. Then, with the utmost care, detectives with magnifying glasses will proceed to examine the bedpost, the walls, the doors, the window frames—indeed, every square inch where a mark might be found. Finger prints are, of course, the great thing sought for. Those finger prints have brought many criminals to justice.

Likely to Destroy Clues.

"Now think of the local policeman who, in the excitement of his first murder scene, finds a revolver a dozen yards from the body. It is conceivable that he will not instantly pick it up, and thus uawittingly destroy those practically invisible finger marks on the weapon which might have led to detection?

"That is but one instance where it is so easy for the inexpert to blunder. Now, after the doctor has found the victim to be dead, a ring should be formed round the scene, within which no one, not even the police themselves, should be allowed to enter till the expert arrive."

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN BUSY EAST LONDON

AN ARTESIAN WELL IN THE EAST END

Guaranteed to Yield Fifty Gallons of Water Per Minute.

Ald. Rose yesterday inspected an artesian well on the premises of the Battle Creek Toasted Corn Flake Company, which is yielding twenty gallons of water per minute through a four-inch bore. Owing to the water shortage the company decided to drill on their premises at the corner of Adelaide and Grey streets, with the very good result mentioned.

The man in charge of the well, who comes from Toronto, claims that it can be made to yield 50 gallons per minute.

"The water question in this city is very serious," said Ald. Rose to The Advertiser today, "and it must be dealt with immediately if trouble is to be avoided. Some means should be considered to keep the pressure up, as under the present conditions the whole city would be menaced by a big blaze. I am looking around at the different methods of securing water, as I wish to see which gives the best results."

THE ANNIVERSARY OF ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Special Services Were Held in Edifice on Sunday.

Sunday being the anniversary of the erection of the new church, special services were conducted at All Saints' by Rev. E. W. Hughes, who is filling the position of Rev. T. B. Clark, now absent in England.

Mr. Hughes dealt with the growth of the church in a very interesting manner and spoke encouragingly of the future.

Harvest festival services were also held, the edifice being beautifully decorated with fruit, grain, flowers and fall products. Food was also displayed.

REV. MR. LOWE IS ABLE TO RESUME CHARGE

Of His Congregation in St. Matthew's Church—Officiated Sunday.

Rev. Wm. Lowe, who has been seriously ill at Victoria Hospital, has practically recovered, and the members of the congregation were greatly pleased to have him conduct the evening service at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Seaborne, a former pastor of the church, conducted the morning service and preached both morning and evening. Mr. Lowe is still very weak from his illness, but will be able to continue the Wednesday evening services hereafter.

A SERIES OF SERMONS ON THE LORD'S PRAYER

Second Was Delivered Sunday by the Rev. Mr. Rollins.

Rev. James Rollins, of the King Street Presbyterian Church, delivered the second of a series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer at the morning service yesterday, taking as his theme the first words, "Our Father."

He treated the subject as answering the questions: "What is God to us?" "What are we to God?" and "What are we to one another?"

The revelations of the Fatherhood of God was made by Jesus Christ when on this earth, that being his chief message. The fatherhood system previous to that time was though of, but carried no great influence. It is now the dominant thought, as through it we are given the idea that we are all children of God.

The question, "In what sense are we children, and are all men children of God?" may be asked. "We are all children in one sense," said Mr. Rollins. "That is, we have a moral nature, the capacity to distinguish between right and wrong."

The speaker compared the sonship to the prodigal, not when asking for his share, but when he returned home, penitent, saying: "Father, forgive me."

Following, Mr. Rollins said that men are brothers, not merely because they dwell in the same family, or even speak the same language, but because they have a common nature. The brotherhood of man is founded on the fatherhood of God; thus we should live in mutual helpfulness and kindness.

MORE FRUIT SEALERS MUST BE SECURED

Four Times the Usual Number Sold Than Previous Seasons.

An east end merchant reports that for several weeks the city has been practically without fruit sealers, the sale this season having been phenomenal.

About four times the usual number were sold this year, and for a time the wholesalers were unable to meet the demand. The matter has been straightened out now, however, and all stores have a supply ahead.

The large number of sales made is attributed to the heavy fruit crop, and as the raw material was cheaper than usual the housewife took advantage of it to get in a supply for the coming winter.

It was thought that the canning factories would affect the prices, but very few complaints have been made this season.

A RECORD-BREAKING PREVALENCE OF DUST

The Situation in the East End Has Become Intolerable.

Rectory street and a few other east end thoroughfares are achieving fame in this city, the dust for the last few weeks being intolerable.

At the beginning of the warm weather the residents awoke to the fact that they were suffering great hardship on account of the dust, and consequently a petition was put out and signed by a large number. It was handed to the council, but not before the estimates were in, with the result that nothing could be done unless a collection were taken up and the money placed in the city treasury. This was never done, and when the sewer was laid between Hamilton road and Simcoe street several inches of loose sand was exposed, and with every gust of wind the dust is choking.

The street cars, which are operated on the street, add considerably to the dust nuisance. Before another summer passes the resident intend circulating a petition, which will be in the hand of the city council in proper time, as few wish another summer such as this.

A DANGERAUS CROSSING.

Corner of Rectory and Campbell Streets Needs Looking After.

Complaint is made that the sidewalk on the east side of Rectory street, at the end of Campbell street, is in a dangerous condition, and that the limbs of residents are endangered.

Vehicles are constantly passing over the cement walk and large pieces have been broken out. The walk is but a few inches wide in some places, as a result of this traffic, and several pedestrains have met with minor accidents while passing in the dark. dark.

A crossing should be placed at the intersection, or a suit for damages will likely result, if anyone is seriously injured there, as a number of persons have been recently.

EAST END NOTES.

Mr. Stanley Clark, of Adelaide, South Australia, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Lewis Clark, of East London, left on Thursday last and sailed from Montreal Sunday on the Empress of Ireland. He is accompanied by his wife. Mr. Clark had not seen his brother here for over 37 years, and made the trip almost around the world to visit him.

Mr. Will Kelly, a London boy, returns to the Grand Seminary at Montreal this afternoon to resume his studies for the priesthood. Mr. Kelly, who will probably be ordained at Christmas, has been visiting Rev. Fathers McKeon and Tobin at St. Mary's manse during the summer holidays.

Miss Smith, of Windsor, is visiting with Mrs. Allen, of Queen's avenue east.

Mr. Harold Hughes, of Parsons' Fair staff, is holidaying in Buffalo.

Stanley Scruby, of No. 2 fire hall, is spending his holidays at Buffalo.

Miss and Mrs. Phillips, of Guelph, are visiting with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lang, of 465 English street.

Mr. and Mrs. Code, of 689 Queen's avenue, have left for a two weeks' holiday to Glencoe and other points.

Mr. George Parish, of Hagersville, is visiting with his uncle, Mr. W. Harrison, of Dundas street east.

EXHIBIT TO SHOW THE IDEAL HOME

Novel Project Under the Patronage of Queen Alexandra.

London, Sept. 20.—Extraordinary interest is being displayed in the ideal home exhibition, which opens under the patronage of her Majesty the Queen at Olympia on Oct. 9. In a year which will be memorable in London for splendid exhibitions, this promises to be in every respect one of the most popular, appealing as it does to all classes of the community.

Put briefly, the exhibition is the first attempt by practical demonstration to portray the ideal home in conception, construction and equipment.

On entering the amphitheatre the visitor will find himself in the sections devoted to construction, decoration and sanitation. Every type of metal work, flooring and building material, wood carving and turning, beautiful pictures, engravings, hangings and draperies, artificial flowers and ornaments, fascinating new methods of lighting, in town and country houses, all types of geysers, stoves and radiators will be displayed.

In the section devoted to ventilation, not only will there be all sorts of patent windows, fans and other devices, but a completely fitted billiard room will be filled with tobacco smoke at intervals, and practical methods for clearing it demonstrated.

Those who take interest in the interior charm of home will doubtless linger in the furnishing sections. There the rich and those of humbler means alike will have demonstrated what art and refinement, science and invention have accomplished to make the home beautiful and comfortable. Leading firms will exhibit complete rooms furnished in various styles. Near by there will be a remarkable display of antique and historical furniture—one of the most original ever arranged in London.

But the exhibition will be notable in another direction. Furniture and equipment, such excellent adjuncts, do not constitute a home. Hence the promoters have arranged that all that tends to make home life social—its music and recreations—shall have place in the foreground of the splendid display. There will be a section devoted to music and indoor pastimes.

Every woman will seek the "babyland" section, with its model creche, model ward in a children's hospital, children's furniture and games, and toys of every description.

The practical housekeeper will examine with interest the infinite variety of cleaning materials, carpet sweepers, brushes, brooms, laundry appliances, washing and knife-cleaning machines.

In Spain about the only kind of plow in use is a primitive wooden affair with one handle and a tongue. To this is hitched a pair of small oxen or of mules yoked up like oxen. The driver rests his right foot on a rear extension to keep the plow from jumping out of the ground, steadying himself by touching his left foot when he seems likely to lose his balance.

QUEEN'S FAVORITE PREACHER DEAD

Canon Fleming Was Praised in Parliament by Lord Beaconsfield.

London, Sept. 19.—Canon Fleming, vicar of St. Michael's, Chester Square and chaplain-in-ordinary to the King died on Tuesday.

By the death of Canon Fleming the Church of England has lost one of her greatest preachers. "He is one of the most eloquent preachers I have ever heard," dclared Lord Beaconsfield of him in the House of Lords on one occasion. He was a splendid elocutionist, and his example has resulted in a great improvement in the method of preaching.

Born at Strabane, Ireland, in 1830, he was educated at Shewsbury and Magdalene College, Cambridge, being ordained in 1853. Curacies at Ipswich and Bath led him in 1866 to the living of Camden Church, Camberwell, whence he moved in 1873 to the valuable living of St. Michael's, Chester Square, which he held up to the time of his death. In 1877 came his appointment as canon residentiary of York.

Canon Fleming's connection with the royal family was intimate. In 1876 he was appointed honorary chaplain to Queen Victoria and he became chaplain-in-ordinary to King Edward in 1901.

That he was Queen Alexandra's favorite preacher is generally known, and this led to the delivery of a sermon around which hangs an interesting story.

In her sorrow at the death of the Duke of Clarence in 1892, the Queen, then Princess of Wales, turned for spiritual comfort to Canon Fleming, and, as he recorded in his book, "Our Gracious Queen Alexandra," poured out to him her heart's burden of grief. By her command he preached before the bereaved family at Sandringham Church on Jan. 24, 1892, basing an eloquent discourse on "Recognition in Eternity," on the text Samuel II., xii., 23, "I shall go to him."

By command of the King and Queen this sermon was published in book form at 2s., through Messrs. Skeffington. It is the exclusive property of her majesty, who divides the entire profits between the Gordon Boys' Home and the British Home for Incurables at Streatham. No single sermon has ever had such a sale. Prefaced by a few touching words of her majesty's, over 62,000 copies have now been sold, and the sale still goes on steadily. As a result over £1,650 has been divided between the two charities named.

In the volume already mentioned Canon Fleming related, with her majesty's permission, an anecdote of her bereavement which shows how close and touching was the confidence she reposed in him. It was on the Sunday after the sermon on "Recognition in Eternity," had been preached:

"She said to me on that Sunday afternoon: 'Shortly before Eddy's death he was lying as if in a sleep. Suddenly he raised himself up from his pillow, and, looking round the room, said twice: 'Who's that calling me? Who's that calling me?' I said, 'It's Jesus calling you,' and I hope he heard me.'"

It was no ordinary man in whom the sorrowing royal mother could feel prompted to make such a tender and sacred confidence. But he was no less trusted and beloved by humbler friends.

One New Year's morning, when he came down to breakfast he found on the table a silver teapot, presented to him by the domestic servants of his congregation. Perhaps he thought more of that than of the illuminated address and check for £2,000 presented to him after twenty-five years' work at St. Michael's, when the late Duke of Westminster occupied the chair and H.R.H. the Princess Louise was among those present.

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