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London, Thursday, Oct. 15, 1896.

The Grand Trunk Meeting.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson had not much difficulty in passing the report of the Grand Trunk Railway, of which he is president, at the half-yearly meeting yesterday. It was not easy for fault-finding shareholders to get groundwork for objection, as Sir Charles answered in advance the various points which have been raised against the new management. They were principally minor matters of detail, upon which there could be differences of opinion, though the real arbiters, who could speak with authority, were the general manager and his assistants, who recommended them. These gentlemen are on the spot. They are expert railway men, and know their business. Mr. Hays, the new general manager, whose policy has practically been indorsed unanimously by the shareholders, has proved himself to be one of the best managers on the continent. He has never failed in anything that he has undertaken, and there cannot be a doubt that it is his intention to so manage the G. T. R. as to produce the best possible results.

There have been changes in subordinates, and new men have been brought in. Some are former Canadians, who had risen to prominent rank in United States railway service. A number are expert natives of the United States. But General Manager Hays, though himself a native of the United States, like the head of the C. P. R., has no prejudices in favor of one nationality over another. What he has striven to accomplish, and his president and shareholders back him in his policy, is to get the best working aggregation of assistants together that can be had for the money. In this he has followed the example set by the United States railway managers, who have again and again come to Canada for bright young men, and advanced them to places of prominence and power, as their talents merited

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, indeed, reminded the shareholders, as we in Canada well know, that the Grand Trunk is to no inconsiderable extent a United States railway, and is dependent upon the prosperity of that country for not a little of its traffic. We here, who are so much affected by the prosperity or depression in the business of the great pioneer international line, will rejoice when the political turmoil in the United States is over, and when trade resumes those normal progressive conditions which will aid in restoring prosperity to the G. T. R. When times are good on the railways, we are certain that their customers are faring well also.

It turns out that the Ottawa census, which has so swelled the population of the capital, was taken just before the defeat of the Tupper Government, when the city was crowded with office-seekers.

Developing the Industries.

George White & Sons, city, are building an extension to their factory.

The Bennet Manufacturing Company, city, are making a large addition to their factory. The company recently sent a large consignment of its famous school seats to South Africa. It is constantly shipping its manufactures to Great Britain.

The McClary Company, city, find an increasing sale for their wares in the mining districts of the Rocky Mountains and Northern British Columbia.

At Ridgetown, Mr. Cawkthorpe will rebuild his rolling mills, recently destroyed by fire.

A company, with $1,000,000 capital, is being formed at Ottawa to operate a cotton mill in that city. Electricity may be extensively used.

Heard & Co., St. Thomas, have built an addition to their carriage woodwork factory, and put in additional machinery.

A new barrel and keg manufactory is to be built in Windsor.

Stories About Stanley.

The cable correspondents sent a dispatch to the effect that the famous traveler Stanley is gradually turning black through having negro blood transmitted to his veins as a protection against the deadly malaria while traveling on the dark continent. This is probably a new adaptation of the story about the explorer which some time ago found extensive currency. It was then given out as a fact that Stanley owed his surviving, when others connected with him in his African explorations had died, to the transfusion of blood five or six times while he was in Africa from the veins of natives into his arm. Partly for amusement, and partly to ascertain what the story originated in, the New York Advocate sent him the clipping. It appears to have been a ceremony adopted to make his life safe by keeping the peace with the natives. This is his reply:

"2 Richmond Terrace, Whitehall, London, Sept. 10.

"Dear Sir,—The paragraph relating to blood brotherhood which you sent me is too absurd to be taken seriously. There is no transfusion of the blood into the veins during the ceremony. The wound made is just deep enough to allow a drop of blood to be drawn, which, when applied over the arms of the new made brothers, barely suffices to stain a spot the size of a nickel. We owe a great deal of nonsense to the paragraphist; his business is mainly to amuse housemaids and infants. With best regards, yours faithfully, HENRY M. STANLEY."

There is probably about as little foundation for this new story about Stanley as there was for the yarn he has now so neatly explained away. If any person with a white skin thinks he can make it black by an infusion of negro blood, let him try the experiment.

When the Mackenzie Government was defeated in 1878, there were, according to the Times, four boot and shoe factories in Hamilton. Now there are none. One moved to Toronto, and the other three collapsed under the pernicious influences of the "N. P."

A Menace to Health.

Many people in the city complain of sore throats and colds in the head. Are they sure that that have correctly diagnosed their complaint? A leading physician informs us that the sore throats and alleged colds are caused by the breathing of smoke-laden air, caused by the wholesale burning of fallen leaves and rubbish in city backyards.

This is an annual complaint, which causes severe illness to many. It should be avoided. The worst use to which fallen leaves can be put is to burn them. Fallen leaves should be dug into the ground, and used to fatten the soil. They are the best manure that can be used.

—Of all the men, women and children in Great Britain, every seventh person is a depositor in the postoffice savings bank. And yet we have had a class of politicians in Canada who have represented the British people as starving because of their policy of trade freedom.

The Scorcher to be Scorched.

The scorcher does not find much encouragement in Missouri. When he is tempted to indulge in his foolhardy racing on the public thoroughfares, he is confronted with a law containing this provision:

'If any person shall be maimed,' wounded, or disfigured, or receive great bodily harm, or his life be endangered by the act, procurement or culpable negligence of another, in cases and under circumstances which would constitute murder or manslaughter if death had ensued, the person by whose act, procurement or negligence such injury or danger of life shall be occasioned shall, in cases not otherwise provided for, be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not exceeding five years, or in the county jail not less than six months, or by both a fine not less than $100 and imprisonment in the county jail not less than three months, or by a fine not less than $100."

It can readily be seen that any wheelman who is tempted to run amuck in that State will think twice before he indulges in lightning speed to the great danger of his fellows.

THE MINISTER'S COMPLIMENT.
Tid-Bits.

One Sunday, as a certain Scottish minister was returning homeward, he was accosted by an old woman, who said:

"Oh, sir, well do I like the day when you preach."

The minister was aware that he was not very popular, and answered:

"My good woman, I am glad to hear it. There are too few like you. And why do you like it when I preach?"

"Oh, sir," she replied, "when you preach I always get a good seat."

PRACTICAL EDUCATION.
Toronto Globe.

The Minister of Education is credited with the desire to make the educational system of Ontario more suitable for the requirements of the province. If he succeeds in the development of a school course that will turn the thoughts of our boys to the better culture of the soil, to the development of our mines, and to the utilization of the resources of nature in the production of material wealth, he will have performed a service of incalculable value. The statistics regarding graduates of Toronto University, who have, within four years, secured positions in American universities, are startling in the extreme. The present system of education is apparently responsible for a great part of the exodus of our youth. If 81 graduates of the Toronto University have in four years been absorbed by American universities, how many have found place in private life across the border and have been lost to Canada? Surely we can, in the development of our marvelous natural resources, find as profitable and as desirable occupations for the flower of our young men as are to be found in the overcrowded ranks of the professions in the United States? It is, of course, flattering to Canada, that her sons can, by superior intellectual gifts and educational attainments rise so high in the United States. The gain is to the individual a material one, however, while to Canada it is but an empty honor, bringing with it no wealth, but national impoverishment. We are doing more for our rural population than England is, and the Agricultural College, School of Mines, and similar institutions are of great benefit. But why not bend the twig when it is smaller, and put a little more of agriculture and mineralogy and mechanics into the elementary school course?

A MOUNTAIN MICA MINE.
Edmonton Bulletin.

Geo. Wilkins and W. Oliver arrived in town at about 1 o'clock today from their mica mine in the mountains. Their trip was marked by considerable rough weather, and they were detained eighteen days at the grand forks of the Fraser, where the water was a rushing torrent during that time. One of their horses was drowned in the Fraser. They reached their mine safely, and found everything as they had left it the previous year. They did considerable preliminary work and staked out their claim and put everything into proper shape for working and developing the mine next year. They brought some samples of the mica in with them. Their mine is situated ten thousand feet above sea level, where there is perpetual snow in shaded places, and is somewhat difficult to approach. The trip home took nineteen days, amid beautiful weather.

POISON IN THE PEARS.

Attempted Murder of an Actress in New York.

New York, Oct. 15.—When Letta Meredith, leading lady in Carr's theater, reached her dressing-room, she found a pretty box made of sea shells on her bureau. Inside were several large golden Bartlett pears. The name of the donor was not on the card. A messenger boy had left the package without a word. Miss Meredith bit into one of the pears. Instantly her throat burned as if a flash of flame had rushed down. She fainted.

A doctor brought her around after a while. He found each one of the pears had been poisoned.

BABY THIEVES.

Chicago Police Capture Some Remarkable Crooks.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Two unique criminals are under arrest here. They are Agnes Meyer, 10, and her brother, Charley, 7. Their mother is a prisoner with them. A storm of recent complaints have told the same story. Mrs. Meyer on entering a house would engage the elderly people in conversation while her children did the stealing. As their mother, with the air and appearance of a thrifty woman of affairs, entered a house, ostensibly to buy it or rent a room for a brother, the children would slip in with her and begin to play in the rooms. Then the youngsters would pull out bureau drawers and take anything they could get their hands on in the way of jewelry and money.

They are bright, interesting little things, and were dressed in elegant taste. Agnes looked like a doll in the police station, where her dainty gown, fine shoes and hosiery were utterly unlike the garments worn by the waifs that misfortune throws into the custody of the police. Charley was dressed in a Lord Fauntleroy velvet suit, and looked the child of some family of wealth.

SARNIA IS GRATEFUL.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 15.—The Port Huron firemen went to the assistance of Sarnia, when it was threatened with total destruction last spring. The Sarnia Council has presented them with a solid silver water service. Mayor Morrison made the presentation and Mayor Boynton responded.

TO BOYCOTT THE COAL COMBINE.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 15.—An organized and general effort is being made among the business men of Yankton, South Dakota, to boycott the hard coal combine throughout the Northwest, by inducing as many consumers as possible to substitute corn for fuel.

SIMCOE FAIR.

Simcoe, Ont., Oct. 15.—The second day of the Norfolk Union Fair closed with the lightest attendance that the society has had for years. All classes are well filled in every department. The fruit and root exhibit is undoubtedly the finest ever shown in the country, while there is considerable falling off in the dairy products, cheese being very light. The carriage exhibit never was larger nor of better quality. The poultry entries were so numerous that the poultry house was unable to accommodate all the exhibits. The fine arts department falls below the average, except in crayon work, which is excellent. The horse ring made the best showing the fair has ever had.

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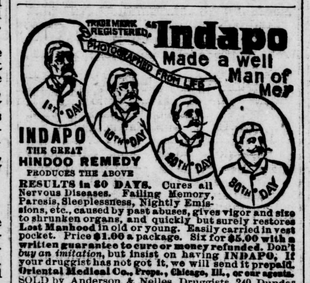

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Oct. 16, 1896.

Bargain Day

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ON GROUND FLOOR.

1st—1 Lot Heavy Skirts, nice warm goods for the winter, worth 75c, Bargain Day price 50c.
2nd—8 pieces Cloth Dress Goods, worth 12½c yard, Friday for 9c.
3rd—6 pieces All-Wool Scotch Plaids, worth 50c yard, Friday for 25c.
4th—7 pieces 46-inch Scotch Tweed Dress Goods, all wool, nice range of shades, worth 50c, Friday for 35c.
5th—8 pieces Fancy Check Dress Goods, new patterns, worth 35c, Friday for 25c.
6th—10 pieces 46-inch Columbia Suitings, all colors, a great snap for Friday, only 25c.
7th—7 pieces Black Crepons, novelty goods, worth 75c, 95c and $1 per yard, Bargain Day price 50c.
8th—6 pieces only, All-Wool Wrapper Flannel, "German Goods," flowered, worth 50c, Friday 25c.
9th—6 pieces Black Novelty Dress Goods, worth 75c per yard, Friday for 50c.
10th—6 pieces Colored Silk Velvet, worth 75c, Bargain Day for 50c.
11th—Unbleached Twill Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 18c, for 15c.
12th—White Moleton Blankets, large size, worth 90c, Friday for 75c.
13th—Unbleached Table Damask, 58 inches wide, worth 35c, for 27c
14th—Fine All-Wool Blankets, very large size, worth $4 50, for $3 25.
15th—Fine All-Wool Tweed, for boys' wear, worth 75c, Friday for 50c.
16th—Bleached Twill Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 25c, Friday for 20c
17th—1 piece Feather Ticking, worth 10c, Friday for 6½c.
18th—6 only Fine Damask Table Cloths, 2½ yards wide, and from 3½ to 5 yards long, worth $5 to $8 50, your choice for $4.
19th—Table Napkins, Bleached Damask, worth $1 25, Friday for $1 05.
20th—White Quilts, heavy, full size, worth $1 25, for $1 10.
21st—Colored Art Quilts, fine goods, full size, worth $2 50, for $1 50.
22nd—27-inch Gray Flannel, plain or twill, worth 20c, for 16c.
23rd—Large Size Huck Towels, all linen, colored borders, worth 15c, Friday for 12½c.
24th—Comforters, large fine coverings, filled with the best white batting, worth $1 75, Friday $1 49.
25th—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Hose, double soles, heels and toes, worth 40c, Friday 27c.
26th—Ladies' All-Wool, Ribbed Cashmere Hose, double soles, heels and toes, worth 50c, Bargain Day 36c.
27th—Children's All-Wool Hose, double heels and toes, worth 20c, for 15c.
28th—Ladies' Black Italian Silk Hose, double soles, heels and toes, worth 50c, for 35c.
29th—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Gloves, colored, worth 15c, for 10c.
30th—Fancy Tortoise Hair Pins, white metal tops, worth 12½c, for 5c.
31st—Colored Silk Windsor Ties, worth 30c, for 20c.
32nd—Children's Fancy Tam o' Shanters, worth 15c, for 8c.
33rd—Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Vests, full fashioned, worth 30c, Friday 21c.
34th—Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, silk, embroidery trimmed, worth 85c, for 63c.
35th—Ladies' All-Wool Ribbed Vests, full fashioned, worth 85c, Friday 65c.
36th—Children's Fancy Flannelette Night Dresses, worth 65c, Bargain Day for 50c.
37th—Men's Gray Flannel, Top Shirts, worth 50c, Friday for 20c.
38th—Men's Heavy All-Wool Knit Top Shirts, worth $1, Friday 75c.
39th—Men's Heavy Oxford Shirts, collars detached, worth 65c for 45c.
40th—Men's Black Sateen Shirts, fast colors, worth 65c, Friday 39c.
41st—Men's Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c, Friday 30c.
42nd—Men's All-Silk Knot Ties, worth 25c, Bargain Day 4 for 25c.
43rd—Men's Heavy All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, worth $1, Friday 69c.
44th—Men's Heavy Working Braces, leather ends, worth 25c, for 15c.
45th—Men's and Boys' Heavy Peak Caps, worth 25c to 50c, for 10c.
46th—Men's Heavy All-Wool Socks, worth 25c, Friday 3 pair for 50c.
47th—One Table Ladies' Heavy Winter Coats, rough and plain cloths, all styles, worth $5 to $10, for $1 50.

ON FIRST FLOOR.

48th—Men's Good-to-Wear Tweed Overcoats, worth $5, for $2 50.
49th—Men's Black, Blue and Gray Tailor-Made Overcoats, worth $15, for $11 75.
50th—Men's Storm King Frieze Ulsters, worth $6, Friday $4 50.
51st—Men's Colored Worsted and Brown Paris Cord Suits, worth $12 50, for $9 50.
52nd—Men's All-Wool D. B. Tweed Suits, worth $8 50, for $6.
53rd—Men's Black Worsted Suits, Stripe Pants, worth $12 50, for $9 75.
54th—Men's Silk Lined Blue and Fawn Fall Overcoats, worth $12, for $8 50.
55th—Men's Good All-Wool Tweed Pants, worth $2 50, Bargain Day $1 75.
56th—Boys' D. B. Heavy Tweed Knicker Suits, worth $4 75, Friday $3 95.
57th—Odd lines Boys' 2-piece Fine Tweed Suits, worth $3 50, for $2 39.
58th—Boys' Heavy Tweed Cape Overcoats, worth $2 50, for $1 88.
59th—Boys' Heavy Nap and Serge Pea Jackets, worth $2 25, for $1 60.
60th—Boys' Serge Knicker Pants, worth 50c, Friday 29c.
61st—Two only Novelty Tweed Suits, Jacket and Skirt, worth $10, for $7 50.
62nd—One Matalassie Cape, quilted lining, feather trimmed, wide sweep, worth $20, for $12.
63rd—Ladies' Three-quarter Coats, Black and Colors, large sleeves, pleated skirts, deep rolling collars, worth $14, for $6 50.
64th—Ladies' Golf Capes, Light and Dark Colors, worth $6, for $4 50.
65th—Ladies' Nobby Short Jackets in Tweeds and Plain Cloths, the new sleeve, pleated skirt, box fronts, worth $4 50, for $3 50.
66th—Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, new and nobby, worth $3, for $2; worth $2, Friday for $1 50.
67th—Ladies' Jackets, the greatest value yet, rough and plain cloths, latest styles, Friday for $5.

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