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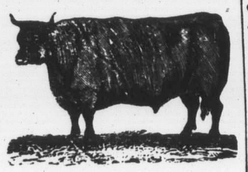

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Surrender of Arms by the Swat Tribesmen.

Two Thousand Guns and One Thousand Swords Turned In to the British Authorities—The European Admirals Have Decided to Raise the Cretan Blockade—Mark Lane Express Reviews the Crop Situation and Finds There Will be a Heavy Deficiency.

Simla, Sept. 6.—The Swatis, up to the present, have surrendered 2000 guns, 1000 swords and 70 breech-loading rifles.

A few days after the Durbar at Cabul, when the Ameer of Afghanistan repudiated the complicity of his officials in the uprising of the tribesmen on the Indian frontier, the British agent addressed a letter to him, asking for a specific answer to the strong rumors that natives from Lughman were joining the Haddah Mullah, and that supplies were being sent from Lapura to the gathering of the followers of the Haddah Mullah.

The Ameer immediately replied in an autograph letter, reminding the British agent of his public repudiation of the complicity of his officials, adding that though the Mullah's disciples helped the fanatical priests secretly, they could not do so openly, for fear of the Ameer. The latter also informed the agent that the Afghan officials at Nuigrahar had been instructed to secretly watch the suspected disciples of the Mullah in Afghanistan, and he asserted that the Governor of Lughman recently attacked and dispersed 500 men, who had been collected by the Mullah's disciples, and who were about to join the Mullah. The Governor, the Ameer asserted, had arrested 40 of these men.

Shinwaris Are Scattered.

London, Sept. 7.—The Times' Simla correspondent says that in addition to dispersing the Lughmanis, who had been collected by the Mullah's disciples, and were about to join the Mullah, the Ameer's troops also scattered a body of Shinwaris, who had assembled near Peshbalak, intending to enter and hold the Khyber Pass for the Afridis.

The Ameer, the correspondent says, is plainly determined to keep the tribesmen in check, and measures will be taken by his orders that will cripple the Mullah's power and probably prevent further risings.

Carl Will Enter the Navy.

Berlin, Sept. 6.—The Hamburgische correspondent states that Emperor William, in a Cabinet order issued in August, again enjoined the generals in command to exhort their officers to lead a simple life.

The Lokal Anzeiger's Copenhagen correspondent says that Prince Charles of Denmark, who, a year ago, married Princess Maud, the youngest of the Prince of Wales' three daughters, yielding to his wife's wishes, have at last decided to enter the British navy and to take up his residence in England.

Von Hahnke Was Drowned.

London, Sept. 7.—The Daily Chronicle denies the rumors recently put in circulation to the effect that Lieut. Von Hahnke, who accompanied Emperor William on his yachting trip along the coast of Norway this summer, committed suicide after a scene with the Emperor. The Chronicle says the true story is that Lieut. Von Hahnke, who was accompanied by a brother officer, accidently ran into the River Grondulsely on his bicycle, while trying to avoid a collision with a shying pony. The river is a raging torrent, from which escape is impossible. When his companion came upon the scene all trace of Lieut. Von Hahnke had disappeared except his cap.

The Crop Situation.

London, Sept. 6.—The Mark Lane Express, reviewing the crop situation today, says:

The weather has been adverse to the completion of the harvest and the quantity of grain still out is considerable.

The French wheat crop is estimated at 31,000,000 quarters by the chief writers of the Paris press. Correspondents of English business firms state that the crop will amount to from 33,000,000 to 36,000,000 quarters.

The Austro-Hungarian crop is stated to be 17,000,000 quarters. If this is true, it adds greatly to the gravity of the situation.

The American crop is reckoned by careful judges to be 68,000,000 quarters or 11,000,000 quarters improvement to offset a decline of 9,000,000 quarters in Russia and 6,000,000 to 10,000,000 quarters in France.

All the figures point, therefore, to a deficiency in the world's supply of 14,000,000 quarters. Should the demand be actually as large as this, the stores of old wheat will be used up and a crisis of great seriousness will only be prevented by generally good prospects for the spring of 1898. We are not, however, entitled to argue that such prospects will be more than the average.

To Raise the Cretan Blockade.

Canea, Isle of Crete, Sept. 6.—The admirals in command of the fleets of the powers in Cretan waters have decided to raise the blockade of this island on Friday next, Sept. 10, the cause necessitating a blockade having disappeared and the insurgents having accepted an autonomous form of Government. Therefore the admirals have requested the Governor to disarm everybody except the regular troops. Admiral Canevaro, the Italian officer, who has been in command, by virtue of seniority, of the foreign fleet, has not been recalled with the Italian warships. Admiral Canevaro has left Crete on leave of absence, on board the Italian warship Sicilia, leaving the Italian squadron in charge of the Italian officer who is next to him in rank. The Russian admiral has also left Canea and the British admiral will sail from here shortly on leave of absence.

Herr Krupp Has Sense.

London, Sept. 6.—A special despatch from Berlin says that Herr Krupp, the ironmaster, has withdrawn his offer of £25,000 to equip the next expedition of Dr. Peters to Africa owing to the sentence recently passed upon the doctor.

Pirates Want $3000.

Tangier, Morocco, Sept. 6.—The pirates belonging to the Rocoza Kabyles, who about the middle of last month boarded and sacked the Italian barque Fiducia of the Riff coast, taking as prisoners her captain, boatswain and one seaman, and who about two weeks later seized and plundered the Portuguese barque Rosita Faro and carried off the captain of the vessel and four of her crew, have agreed to release their prisoners in exchange for the Riffians who were captured by the Spanish steamer Sevilla and upon the payment of a ransom of $3000.

Russian Minister Blames England.

London, Sept. 7.—The correspondent of The Times in Constantinople says that, owing to the note of Count Muravieff, the Russian Foreign Minister, implying that England was responsible for the incalculable evils from which Greece and Turkey are suffering through the delay in the conclusion of peace between the two countries, Lord Salisbury has submitted fresh proposals, namely, the constitution of the international commission representing the six powers, under whose control Greece shall place the revenues guaranteeing their interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity can to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks.

Prospect of a Settlement.

Vienna, Sept. 6.—The Politische Correspondenz announces that Greece has abandoned her opposition to the demands of Germany regarding the control of Greek finances, and, therefore, there is a possibility that Lord Salisbury's latest proposals will lead to a settlement of the Graeco-Turkish troubles.

Petroleum Syndicate in Russia.

London, Sept. 7.—The Standard publishes a despatch from Baku, saying that a new Russian syndicate, composed of 12 large petroleum firms, will, it is expected, be formed in 1898 and on a 10-years basis. The syndicate will control an immense capital and will be represented in the great markets. It will have tank boats and reservoirs in order to compete with American oil, and with the new Russian Groseny Field Wells, which are largely exploited by foreign firms, and seriously threaten the Baku trade.

A SENSATION IN ENGLAND

Over Expected Revelations in Connection With the Private Institutions for the Keep of the Alleged Insane.

London, Sept. 6.—Mr. George W. E. Russell, cousin of the present Duke of Bedford, and Under Secretary of State for the Home Department in the Rosebery Administration, has inaugurated a movement calling for the abolition of the private mad houses, and has announced his intention of asking Parliament to take steps in that direction as soon as ever it re-assembles. He declares that he had while in office exceptional facilities for studying the interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity can to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks. He declares that he had while in office exceptional facilities for studying the interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity can to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks. Russell, cousin of the present Duke of Bedford, and Under Secretary of State for the Home Department in the Rosebery Administration, has inaugurated a movement calling for the abolition of the private mad houses, and has announced his intention of asking Parliament to take steps in that direction as soon as ever it re-assembles. He declares that he had while in office exceptional facilities for studying the interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity can to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks. Russell, cousin of the present Duke of Bedford, and Under Secretary of State for the Home Department in the Rosebery Administration, has inaugurated a movement calling for the abolition of the private mad houses, and has announced his intention of asking Parliament to take steps in that direction as soon as ever it re-assembles. He declares that he had while in office exceptional facilities for studying the interest to the holders of old bonds and the indemnity can to be followed by the prompt evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks.

LOOK INTO THIS, MR. HARDY.

Pinkerton Men Have Been Imported to Fort Erie to Do Police Duty During the Race Meeting.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 6.—The Fort Erie Jockey Club have imported a gang of Pinkerton men to do police duty in their full police uniforms at the Fort Erie, Ont., race track, during their fall meet, which commenced there to-day. There are plenty of good, efficient men in the County of Welland who could act as specials under the supervision of the Niagara frontier officers, and did so during the spring meet of the Jockey Club, but the excuse is given that these men would not accept of the arduous duties of keeping the army of thugs that visit the meetings in line, and protect the visitors for $2 per day. This excuse is looked upon as a subterfuge to give Americans employment in Canada, the club being principally controlled by American capital. The club certainly cannot import American Pinkerton men to do police duty for less than $2.75 per day, which the Canadians ask. The Canadians along the frontier are loud in their denunciation of the action of the Jockey Club, and the Canadian authorities are placed in a ridiculous position, having American police officers making arrests and bringing prisoners before Canadian magistrates for trial, and certainly there will be trouble if American citizens are sworn in as Canadian specials. No doubt the Ontario Government will take action to prevent any such work.

YELLOW FEVER IN THE SOUTH.

Strict Quarantine Has Been Arranged Against Biloxi and Ocean Springs.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 6.—President Oliphant of the Louisana Board of Health sent a telegram to that board here at 10 o'clock to-day, confirming the report that the physicians at Ocean Springs had declared that the prevailing sickness was undoubtedly yellow fever. The doctors of three states came to this conclusion after holding an autopsy on the body of a person who died yesterday.

The State Board of Health has decided to enforce a rigid quarantine against Biloxi and Ocean Springs. Quarantine will also be enforced against the other watering places on the Gulf Coast until President Oliphant returns and more light is obtained on the situation. Guards are to be put on the trains and at the stations all baggage is to be fumigated, and every possible precaution is to be taken to keep the disease out of the city. The Louisville and Nashville trains have been ordered not to stop at either Biloxi or Ocean Springs. The houses of all people who have returned to New Orleans in the past two days are to be thoroughly fumigated.

To Prevent a Spread.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—State Health Officer Swearingen this morning issued ironclad quarantine against Ocean Springs, Miss., and all other points now affected or likely to be affected by yellow fever. It will go into immediate effect and last indefinitely.

Labor Day at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Labor Day was celebrated here by a grand parade in the morning and sports in Elm Park in the afternoon. Jake Gaudaur defeated Dan Murphy in a single scull race, one mile, Murphy getting six lengths of a handicap. Gaudaur won by three lengths.

Portage la Prairie won the Provincial cricket championship, defeating Winnipeg by 195 to 168.

Gold at Michipicoten, Ont.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 1.—Later developments tend to substantiate all that has been reported concerning the richness of the recent gold find at Michipicoten, and there is no end of excitement here in consequence. The tug Annie Clarke returned from the new gold fields last evening with Mackie, one of the owners of the first location. Mr. Mackie brought down with him 30 oz. of gold, valued at about $700. This gold was extracted from surface quartz.

Czar and Sultan Pledged.

London, Sept. 6.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Standard says he is credibly informed that the Sultan has been in direct communication with the Czar, and that the correspondence has resulted in the making of mutual arrangements by which the Sultan agrees never to use his influence against Russia in Central Asia, and the Czar pledged himself to uphold Turkish rights in Europe.

NOTHING VERY SERIOUS

Just an Ordinary Frontier Uprising in India.

Authorities Believe the Problem Will Remain About as It Is—The Mad Mullah Said to Be a First-Class Mesmerist—Put One of His Chiefs Asleep and Got a Vision Interpreted.

New York, Sept. 5.—The London correspondent of The Sun says, regarding the troubles in India:

Although the situation on the Indian frontier is unimproved and a heavy campaign is inevitable, nothing has transpired to indicate that there are complications beyond a general frontier uprising. India itself remains remarkably quiet. If there exists any secret intention of revolt when all the available forces have been sent north no sign of it has been vouchsafed. The Ameer also is still lying low. The authorities, both at home and in India, seem to consider the problem to be strictly confined to the present obvious features.

Curious stories are coming about the fanatical methods which have been employed to drive the tribes to revolt. The so-called Mad Mullah has been the chief inciter of rebellion. This is a sample:

Some days before the attack on Malaland, the Mad Mullah at Brana, the principal town in Lower Swat, put one of the chiefs into a trance and asked him what he saw. The man replied: "I see the hills around crowded with true believers and the hosts of heaven with them. Down below are Sahibs, some dead on the ground, others being followed and slain by Mohammed's followers. In the distance the Topkhanas are coming, but soon they flee, and all the infidels are killed or dying."

The Mad Mullah is a mesmerist of no mean order. The tribesmen follow him as a prophet. In order that they should not doubt the efficacy of the pink rice which he gave his followers to insure invulnerability, he explained that the wound which he had received in the hand he got by clutching a bayonet in an attack.

ENGLAND IS MENACED,

And Not Germany, by the Franco-Russian Alliance.

New York, Sept. 5.—A special despatch to The Tribune says: The French gala day in honor of the return of President Faure has been followed by a running commentary on the dual alliance by the press of every European capital. This discussion brings out the essential fact that the diplomatic prestige of France has been greatly increased, since all the world is talking about the alliance and wondering what will be the ultimate trend of events. There is a temporary revival of the bitterness between Germany and France, but no sane observer believes that the alliance, which must be purely defensive, will lead to a campaign for the recovery of Alsace-Lorraine, with co-operation from Russia.

Better-informed opinion points to Russian support of France in Egypt and Asia rather than on the Rhine. The French demand for the English evacuation of Egypt, which has always been supported by Russia, will be re-affirmed with new emphasis, and the two allies will be strongly disposed to support each other in the far East. In dealing with China and enlarging their spheres of action in that quarter, the dual alliance, while defensive, menaces English, rather than German, interests, although the London press is slow to admit the plain inferences of the situation.

ALLISON COMMITTED.

The Boy Must Stand Trial on the Charge of Murder.

Galt, Sept. 4.—The magistrate's hearing in the Orr murder case was resumed at 10.30 o'clock this morning before Police Magistrate Turnbull. Crown Attorney Bowlby and the prisoner's counsel were promptly on hand. The usual number of spectators and a considerable gathering of newspaper representatives were present. Only two witnesses were called by the crown, who simply gave evidence corroboratory of that taken at the coroner's inquest. When the crown attorney announced all evidence in, the prisoner's counsel addressed the magistrate claiming that the crown had not produced sufficient evidence to commit the prisoner for trial, to which his worship replied that his power in the case was limited; that had the charge been for a crime of lesser magnitude he would be inclined to discharge the prisoner owing to the weakness of the crown evidence, but as it was a very serious charge he had to find that there was sufficient evidence to commit the prisoner for trial at a court of competent jurisdiction. He accordingly committed Allison to stand his trial at the Fall Assizes, which opens at Berlin on November 25. The prisoner was apparently unmoved by the magistrate's decision, and was taken back to the lockup. Allison was taken to Berlin Jail this afternoon.

Crop Yield in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Reports issued by the Manitoba-Northwestern and Northern Pacific Railways to-day show wheat cutting to be practically over. The following reports of yields are given: Westbourne, wheat, 20 to 22 bushels per acre; Gladstone, wheat 18, oats 45, barley 25; Arden, wheat 18, oats 45; Neepawa, wheat 30, Minnesota wheat 15, oats 30; Rapid City, wheat 20, oats 30; Newdale, wheat 30 to 40, oats 55; Strathclair, wheat 18, oats 50; Shoal Lake, wheat 25, oats 50; Birtle, wheat 18, oats 50; Yorkton, wheat 24; Portage la Prairie, wheat, 20; Roland, wheat 18; Miami, wheat 20. All reports give the sample as No. 1 hard.

Fire in Montreal.

Montreal, Sept. 5.—(Special.) — Quite an extensive fire took place yesterday in the north part of the city, and before the firemen could master the flames the residents, composed of eighteen families, from No. 840 to 860 Sanguinet-street, were turned out of doors. The houses the loss of their furniture will tell exceed $20,000. The families burnt out, however, are mostly poor people, and the loss of their furniture will tell heavily upon them. A pile of telegraph poles also took fire, and the Carmelite nuns were apprehensive for a while for the safety of their new monastery.

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WHEAT A LITTLE HIGHER.

The Chicago Market Closed Firm at 96 1-8 Cents.

Toronto, Sept. 6.

Chicago wheat opened at 94½c and closed at 96⅛c.

The New York stock market opened irregular. Sugar 154, Tobacco 95½, Burlington 86½, Rock Island 92¾, St. Paul 98½, Northwest 126⅝, Louisville 63½, Western Union 95½, Southern pref. 30⅝, Manhattan 106⅝, Missouri Pacific 39.

Estimated receipts of hogs in Chicago today 15,000; left over 3000. Market slow at yesterday's decline. Light $4.25 to $4.32½; mixed $3.95 to $4.40, heavy $3.80 to $4.30; rough, $3.80 to $3.90.

Cattle receipts 600; unchanged.

Sheep receipts 4600; prospects steady.

The New York Stock Exchange will be closed on Monday, Labor Day. Buying orders are expected to accumulate.

Standard Oil interests are believed to have bought 1000 St. Paul. Very positive statements that 5 per cent. extra will be declared next week. It is thought London is short of the stock.

A London special to The New York Daily Graphic says the English wheat shortage amounts to 3,000,000 quarters.

There was a fair amount of trading on the local Stock Exchange this morning. Standard Bank shares sold at 171⅝ and Dominion Bank at 246. Toronto Electric Light stock was wanted at 136¼. Western Assurance at 170 and British America at 128.

Argentine shipments of wheat to the United Kingdom are nil; to the Continent nil. Corn, to United Kingdom, none; to the Continent none.

Bradstreet gives the shipments of wheat and flour for the week as 6,268,247 bushels, against 5,149,652 last week and 3,369,863 last year; corn 3,185,064, against 2,682,452 last week and 2,637,526 last year.

LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Wheat—There was a good demand for export and for home millers. Ontario quoted at 83c to 85c. Manitoba wheat was firm at $1.01 to $1.02 for No. 1 hard, afloat Fort William; $1.09 for No. 1 hard, Goderich, and $1.07 for No. 2 hard there.

Flour—There was a fair inquiry for export, and some orders were placed. The market is firmer at $4.40 to $4.45 for cars of straight rollers in wood, west.

Millfeed—Unchanged at $11 for shorts an $7.50 for bran west.

Rye—Scarce, there being none offering, and buyers are quoting 1c to 2c higher, at 45c east and 43c west.

Corn—Firm, at 29c cif for yellow, west.

Oats—Steady at 21½c for mixed and 22½c for white, north and west.

Peas—Firm at 44c to 45c, north and west.

TORONTO STREET MARKET.

The receipts of grain from farmers' wagons were somewhat larger on Saturday, about 1400 bushels of wheat being delivered; 400 bushels of new white sold at 74c to 80c; 500 of new red at 83c; and 400 of goose at 73½c to 74½c. There were 400 bushels of oats which sold at 26c to 26½c, and 300 bushels of rye at 42c to 44c. Hay steady at $8 to $9 per ton for 25 loads. Straw $7 to $8 per ton for 3 loads. Potatoes plentiful at 40c to 45c per bag.

Wheat, old, white, bushel	$0 85	$0 90
" new, white, bushel	0 74	0 80
" goose, bushel	0 73	0 74½
" new, red, bushel	0 83	0 83
Rye, per bush	0 42	0 44
Barley, bushel	0 24	0 27
Peas, bushel	0 45	0 46
Oats, new, bushel	0 26	0 27
" old, bushel	0 27	0 29
New potatoes, per bag	0 45	0 55
Turnips, per bag	0 20	0 25
Beets, per bag	0 45	0 30
" per dozen bunches	0 05	0 06
Red carrots, per dozen	0 15	0 20
Corn, per dozen	0 04	0 06
Cabbage, per dozen	0 15	0 20
Onions, per bag	0 80	0 90
Hay, new, per ton	7 50	9 00
" baled, new, per ton	8 25	8 50
" old, per ton	8 00	8 50
Straw, loose, per ton	4 00	5 00
" sheaf, ton	7 00	7 50
" baled, car lots	5 00	5 25
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 50	7 50
" forequarters, cwt	3 00	4 50
Veal, carcase, cwt	6 50	7 50
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 50	6 50
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	7 35	7 50
" heavy, cwt	6 50	6 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50	3 50
Spring lambs, dressed, lb	0 07	0 08
Turkeys, per lb	0 09	0 10
Spring ducks, per pair	0 60	0 75
Spring chickens, per pair	0 40	0 60
Butter, lb. rolls	0 16	0 18
Eggs, new-laid, per doz	0 13	0 15
" case lots, dozen	0 11½	0 12½
Apples, per barrel	1 50	2 00

TORONTO FRUIT MARKET.

There was a large amount of fruit on the market and the demand fairly good. Prices ranged much the same as during the week. Apples sold at 15c to 25c, and $1.25 to $2 per barrel; peaches 20c to 50c, pears 15c to 30c, blueberries 80c, Lawton berries 3c to 4c per quart, tomatoes 10c to 20c, onions 10c to 20c, cucumbers 10c to 20c, musk melons 20c per basket and 50c to 75c per crate, crabapples 20c to 25c, grapes 3c to 5c per lb. and 25c to 30c per basket; plums, 15c to 35c.

HIDES AND WOOL.

The prices now being paid by leading Toronto dealers are:

Hides—No. 1, 8c to 8½c; hides, No. 2, 7c to 7½c; No. 3, 6c to 6½c.

Calfskins—8c to 10c.

Wool—Fleece, 10c to 20c.

Sheepskins—$1 to $1.25.

Tallow—Rendered, 2½c to 3½c.

Lambskins—50c to 65c.

BRITISH MARKETS.

London, Sept. 4—Cargoes off coast—Wheat, very inactive; corn, nothing doing. On passage—Wheat, buyers indifferent operators; corn, quiet but steady.

Liverpool—Sept. 4.—Cotton—Spot American middling, fair, 4½d; good middling, 4 9-32d; American middling, 4¼d; low middling, 4d; good ordinary, 3⅞d; ordinary, 3 11-16d.

Liverpool, Sept. 4.—Wheat closed quiet, 7s 7d, after 7s 6¾d and 7s 6½d; closed yesterday 7s 7d. Corn steady, 3s 6d; closed yesterday 3s 5¾d.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Sept	94⅞	94⅞	94⅛	94⅛
" —Dec.	94	96⅛	95⅛	95⅞
" —May	94⅝	94⅝	93⅝	94⅛
Corn—Sept	30⅞	30⅞	30⅛	30⅝
" —Dec.	32⅝	32⅝	32⅛	32⅝
" —May	35⅝	35⅞	35⅛	35⅝
Oats—Sept	19	19⅛	19	19⅛
" —Dec.	20⅝	20⅝	20⅛	20⅝
" —May	23⅛	23⅝	23⅛	23⅝
Pork—Sept	8 82			
" —Oct.	8 95	8 95	8 85	8 85
" —Dec.	9 02	9 02	8 92	8 92
Lard—Sept	4 72			
" —Oct.	4 82	4 82	4 75	4 75
" —Dec.	4 85	4 87	4 82	4 82
Ribs—Sept	5 67	4 67	4 65	4 65
" —Oct.	5 70	5 70	5 62	5 66
" —Dec.	5 06			

CHEESE MARKETS.

Canton, N.Y., Sept. 4.—Two thousand large cheese sold at 9¼c; 800 small at 9½c; 150 tubs of butter sold at 19c.

Ogdensburg, N.Y., Sept. 4.—Twenty lots, 1886 boxes cheese, offered; 9½c bid. No sales.

Iroquois, Sept. 4.—At the Cheese Board to-day 900 colored and 250 white were offered; 9½c was offered for colored and white, and about 600 sold on board. The farmers are seeming to hold out for bigger prices.

London, Ont., Sept. 4.—Twenty-five factories offered 5055 boxes August make. Sales: 365 at 9½c, 165 at 9⅝c, 670 at 9 7-16c; market fairly active.

Watertown, N.Y., Sept. 4.—Sales: 4000 at 9c to 9¼c, bulk at 9¼c.

Ward Killed Himself.

Chicago, Sept. 3.—Russell D. Ward, who created a sensation a short time ago by eloping with the wife of Millionaire John Bradbury of Los Angeles, Cal., committed suicide some time during the early morning by throwing himself from a Chicago Northwestern Railway train.

France and Russia.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The Minister of Commerce, M. Boucher, is quoted in an interview printed by The Gaulois to-day, [illegible] that the Governments of [illegible] Russia are anxious to make [illegible] soft compatible with their economic interests to develop commercial intercourse between the two countries.

Suffocated by Gas.

Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—(Special.)—Willie Spencer, 22 years old, working for Charles Andrews of Sydney, was lowered into a well to remove some boards and was suffocated by gas. Another man was lowered, but had to be pulled out before reaching Spencer. Spencer was got up several hours later with hooks, quite dead.

A boy named Willie Parker was drowned at Swan Lake on Saturday. He waded out to get a duck a chum had shot, and got beyond his depth.