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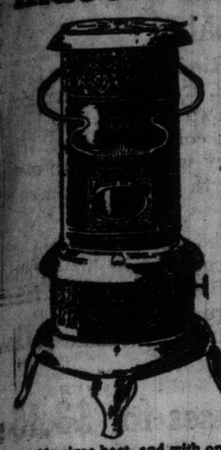

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GOLD FOUND ON G.T.P. WEST OF EDMONTON

New Fields Will Be of Great Importance to Operation of the Railway.

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—That there is coal of good quality along the line of the G. T. P. west of Edmonton, is one of the most important results of the work of the field staff of the geological survey, who have now nearly all returned to Ottawa. The scene of the finds is over 200 miles west of Edmonton. One deposit is at a place known as Jasper Park, and the other is situated near Brule Lake.

There is very little coal between the latest finds and the western coast, and to the east there are no deposits, except for what is known as "domestic coal," which is unfit for use in engines. At present the railway pays about $10 per ton for its fuel, whereas it should not cost more than about $2, should local deposits be utilized. Of these by far the largest is what is known as the Brazeau field, which the G. T. P. will probably tap with a spur line.

Another Automobile Fatality.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 14.—W. H. Sharpe of Trenton, N.J., automobile driver and owner, who was to drive car No. 1 in the grand prize race, died to-day of injuries received during practice on Thursday. Sharpe was injured internally, and altho it was at first thought he would recover, complications arose which resulted in his death.

FLEW FROM BATTLESHIP

Aviator Ely Does the Trick From the Deck of U.S. Cruiser Birmingham.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 14.—Eugene Ely, flying in the Curtiss biplane Hudson Flier, to-day made the first successful aeroplane flight on record from the deck of a vessel.

From a point in the lower Chesapeake Bay, presumed to be about 30 miles from the Norfolk navyyard, his objective point, Ely this afternoon sailed from the deck of the United States scout cruiser Birmingham, landing 15 minutes later at Willoughby Spit, a narrow strip of land running out of the mainland on the south side of Hampton Roads, just opposite Old Point Comfort, and about eight miles from Norfolk.

FEET FROZEN AND MIND DERANGED.

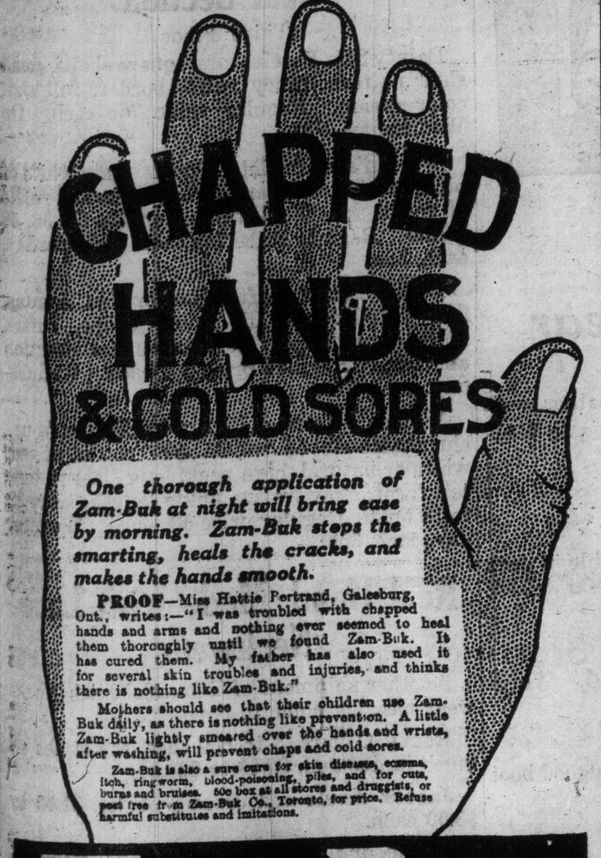
PORT ARTHUR, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Mary Regnon, a young woman, was found sheltered under some underbrush on the shore of Thunder Bay, wet to the skin, with her feet so badly frozen that they may have to be amputated, and her mind deranged. She is 30 years of age and come here from Montreal some time ago, and, after treatment for general debility at the hospital, was engaged there as a domestic, disappearing a couple of days before being found.

Chauffeur Was Reckless.

Robert Morrison, chauffeur of the motor cab which got caught between two street cars in Bloor-street, resulting in its being badly wrecked, while Morrison and two lady passengers had a very narrow escape, was yesterday fined $10 and costs by Magistrate Denison, on a charge of reckless driving.

Bay Street Property Sale.

It is reported that the property, 148-154 Bay-street, owned by the Nasmith Co., Limited, has been sold to an English syndicate for $170,000. This property has a frontage of 84 feet on Bay-street and runs back 104 feet.



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Cobalt-- Kerr Lake Advances $1.30 Per Share in Two Days --Cobalt

Another Jump in Kerr Lake Stock Some Other Cobalts Higher

Big Advance in Leader Inspires Some Buying of Cheaper Issues—Hargrave and Wetlauffer Make Gains.

World Office,
Monday Evening, Nov. 14.

The continued strength in Kerr Lake shares was the outstanding feature of the mining exchanges to-day. This stock moved up a further 65 points over the high figures for Saturday of last week, making a net appreciation in value of $1.30 since Friday's close. New York buying was mainly responsible for the advance in this market, but there was no valid reason assigned in explanation of the movement in the American financial centre, and the general opinion was that insiders had something up their sleeves on which they were basing their operations in the security.

It was reported from Cobalt last week that the Kerr Lake were drifting again in high grade ore, and this was one explanation for the advance heard on the street. It was also stated that the Kerr Lake people had proved up the big Carson vein on the Crown Reserve for 300 feet on their own property, but neither of these reasons was taken very seriously by those who were looking for some foundation for the higher prices for the shares. The top figure reached to-day was $8.

Outside of Kerr Lake stock, the mining markets were pretty dull. The big advance in the leader served to inspire some buying of the cheaper issues, however, and several gains were recorded, tho these were generally small.

Hargrave and Wetlauffer were the only other stocks to display any outstanding buoyancy. The former shares sold up as high as 34 cents, in sympathy with the movement in Kerr Lake, which immediately adjoins the Hargrave property. Wetlauffer was 10 points higher at 96, and closed bid at that price. Other securities were comparatively unchanged.

LITTLE NIPISSING VEINS

Dominion Exchange Members Visit Property and See Recent Discoveries.

J. M. Wilson of J. M. Wilson & Co., and Messrs. Reed of Cannon & Reed, and Harvey Hall, all members of the Dominion Stock Exchange, were in Cobalt over the week-end and satisfied themselves of the truth of the recent finds of the Little Nipissing.

Mr. Wilson and his associates visited the mine and inspected the new vein discovered at the 285 foot level. They brought back with them a medium sample of this vein, and this should run 3000 and 4000 ounces to the ton. This vein could be traced for 300 feet at this level.

On the same level another vein has been discovered about four inches wide and this should prove even better than the other one inspected.

GREEN-MEEHAN LEASED

Now Reported That Buffalo Syndicate Will Work Property.

A lease has been taken on the Green-Meehan Consolidated property by some prominent Buffalo mining people for five years, under which the lessees are bound to do extensive work each year during the currency of the lease, consisting of at least 120 feet developing in sinking and drifting the first year, 200 second year, 225 third year, 250 fourth year, and 275 the fifth year, according to advices from Cobalt. Surface exploration work are to count under the lease. Active work will be commenced at once and must be continuously carried on during the term of the lease.

A project was under way to lease the Green-Meehan to an Ottawa syndicate a few months ago, but negotiations finally fell thru and the matter was dropped.

BONANZA ORE

20,000 Ounces a Day From 250 Foot Level at Wetlauffer.

Latest advices from the Wetlauffer mine, in South Lorrain, are to the effect that the development below the 250 foot level shows sensational ore, Mr. Julius Lewisohn, who has just looked over the mine, hurried back to New York, tho it was his intention in the first place to stay in Cobalt for some time and inspect the developments at Kerr Lake somewhat more closely.

For one week 20,000 ounces a day were mined and raised from the winze below the 250 foot level. The vein is sensational in size and values. The winze has now been put down for 30 feet, and for that distance it is all bonanza, running from a foot to a foot and a half wide, and all of 5000 ounce ore. It would thus take but four tons per day to make the 20,000 ounce that has been produced.

BEAVER MAKES GOOD STATEMENT.

A statement has been issued by the Beaver Consolidated Co., which shows the property to be in a good financial condition. It was stated that there was at the end of the month $30,000 cash on hand, $30,000 due from the smelter and one car worth $30,000 ready to ship.

PORCUPINE COMPANY FORMED.

Burr E. Cartwright, president of the Timiskaming Mines of Cobalt, and one of the large operators in the Porcupine district, has organized the Pearl Lake Gold Mines, a company with a capital of $2,500,000, to take over the four Cartwright properties at Pearl Lake, in the Porcupine district. Preliminary prospecting on these properties has already opened up between 50 and 60 veins, 12 of which show gold on the surface.

In the southwest corner of claim No. 13710, a series of veins have been uncovered which Mr. Cartwright believes to be an extension of the main vein system on the Timmins properties. A number of these veins show free gold in spectacular quantities.

Rebellion at An End.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Nov. 14.—The rebellion came to an end to-day with the unconditional surrender of the rebels, who gave up their arms, and trust to the magnanimity of the government in the matter of their punishment.

SILVER MARKET

Little Imminent Risk From Lock-up of Silver Stocks.

A retrospect of the movements of prices during the month of October reveals substantial improvement with very little setback up to the close of the third week; from thence the prices eased off with a loss of a third of the highest gain. The averages of both cash and two months are a penny above those of the preceding month. We have already pointed out that it is over two years since such high records have been reached. The effect of the balance of trade on the China exchange, and the roseate prospects in India, are responsible for these better prices, and thus made the speculative accumulations an easier burden to carry.

In the present favorable circumstances the market pursues a normal course, as if no huge stocks of silver were in existence, and so long as the market sees little imminent risk of this lock-up being suddenly unloaded, the daily price moves tranquilly in response to the laws of supply and demand. The director of agriculture in India has issued a final forecast of the jute crop, which he estimates at about 3 per cent. less in bales than that of last year, but inasmuch as the price of jute has risen more than £4 per ton, the value of the crop on this estimate will exceed that of last year by 25 per cent. This illustrates how prosperous affairs are in India, for, combined with bumper harvests in the other crops, the price in this case converts a reduced crop into a handsome increment. The stock of silver in India has increased by 2200 bars, and in China by 4 1-2 lacs of sycee and 670 bars since last week. An exceptionally large shipment, amounting to £105,000, has been made from San Francisco to Hongkong.

SILVER EXPORTS FROM LONDON.

The London circular of Pixley & Abell, dated Nov. 3, reports the exports of silver from London to the Orient from Jan. 1 to Nov. 3, and for the whole of 1909, as follows:

	1910.	1909.	All 1909.
To India	£5,982,500	£3,282,400	£6,673,600
To China	1,143,500	1,555,200	1,960,000
To the Straits.		92,800	114,600

The circular says: In China business has been dull and exchanges are a little lower. The no buying orders have come from Shanghai, there has been no pressure to sell, and, owing to the moderate offerings, this market closes with a quiet but steady tone. The stock of sycee in Shanghai is still increasing and is now about £400,000 below that at the corresponding date last year. India has been a small buyer and seems able to absorb the daily offerings which are moderate. The Bombay quotation seems to be maintained by further purchases by the Indian group of speculators. We hear of a shipment of £100,000 from San Francisco to China.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

Cobalt Stocks:	Sell.	Buy.
Amalgamated	2	1¼
Bailey	7¼	6¾
Beaver Consolidated	20¼	20
Big Six	..	...
Black Mines Con. Ltd	5	1
Buffalo	2.00	1.95
Chambers - Ferland	18	17¾
City of Cobalt	22	21
Cobalt Central	8	7
Cobalt Lake	14¼	14¼
Coniagas	4.60	4.40
Crown Reserve	2.85	4.78
Foster	10	8
Gifford	4	3½
Great Northern	2	1½
Green - Meehan	3	2½
Hargraves	33½	32½
Hudson Bay	100	95
Kerr Lake	8.00	7.90
La Rose	4.85	4.80
Little Nipissing	22¼	22
McKinley-Dar.-Savage	1.16	1.15
Nancy Helen	4	2
Nipissing	11.00	10.62½
Nova Scotia	26	23
Ophir	20	22
Otisse	1¾	1¾
Peterson Lake	20½	20
Right of Way	21½	20
Rochester	11	10¾
Silver Bar	5	1
Silver Leaf	6	5½
Silver Queen	6	5½
Timiskaming	87	86¾
Trethewey	1.25	1.22
Watts	4	...
Wetlauffer	97	96

—Morning Sales.—

Bailey—100 at 7.
Beaver—500 at 20, 500 at 20, 500 at 20½, 1000 at 20½, 500 at 20, 500 at 20, 1000 at 20, 84 at 20, 66 at 20, 500 at 20.
Chambers - Ferland—100 at 17½.
Cobalt Lake—1000 at 14⅝.
Coniagas—100 at 4.50.
Gifford—100 at 5.
Green - Meehan—200 at 2½.
Hargraves—300 at 31, 1000 at 31¼.
Kerr Lake—100 at 7.85, 100 at 7.55, 100 at 7.60, 25 at 7.75, 100 at 7.80, 100 at 7.80, 100 at 7.85, 50 at 8.00, 125 at 7.85, 60 at 8.00.
La Rose—100 at 4.81, 100 at 4.81.
McKin.-Dar.-Savage—500 at 1.11, 500 at 1.11, 500 at 1.12.
Little Nipissing—500 at 22, 1000 at 21⅝, 500 at 21½, 1000 at 21½, 250 at 21¾, 1000 at 21⅝, 1000 at 21⅝.
Nipissing—100 at 10.87.
Rochester—1000 at 11¼, 1000 at 11, 500 at 11⅛, 600 at 11¼.
Timiskaming—500 at 86, 200 at 86, 2000 at 86, 1000 at 86, 500 at 86, 500 at 86, 100 at 86, 1500 at 86, 500 at 86¼, 500 at 86½, 1000 at 86½, 500 at 86½.
Wetlauffer—1100 at 90½, 100 at 91, 500 at 91½, 4000 at 91¾, 500 at 91.

—Unlisted Stocks.—

Gould Con.—1000 at 3⅝, 1000 at 3⅝, 1000 at 3¾, 1000 at 3¾.
Union Pacific Cobalt—1000 at 1⅝.

—Afternoon Sales—

Beaver—500 at 20, 500 at 20.
Chambers - Ferland—200 at 17½.
Gifford—500 at 4, 500 at 4, 1000 at 3¾, 500 at 3¾, 500 at 4.
Green - Meehan—1000 at 2½, B 60 days, 5000 at 2¾, 5000 at 2¾.
Hargraves—250 at 32¾, 500 at 34, 400 at 33.
Kerr Lake—100 at 7.95.
Little Nipissing—1000 at 21¾, 500 at 21¾, 500 at 21⅞, 500 at 22, 500 at 22, 250 at 22, 500 at 22, 1000 at 22.
Otisse—1500 at 1⅞, 500 at 1⅞.
Rochester—1000 at 11, 500 at 11, 500 at 10¾, 2000 at 10¾.
Timiskaming—500 at 87, 1000 at 87, 500 at 87, 100 at 87.
Wetlauffer—500 at 94, 500 at 94, 200 at 95, 1000 at 95, 500 at 95, 500 at 95, 500 at 95, 100 at 95, 500 at 96.
Total sales, 72,720 shares.

Toronto Exchange Curb.

—Morning Sales—

Green - Meehan—1000 at 2¾.
Am. Cobalt—1000 at 1.
Little Nipissing—2000, 200 at 22.
Wetlauffer—500 at 90, 500 at 92, 100 at 87.
Kerr Lake—100 at 780, 100 at 800, 50 at 760.
Coniagas—200 at 448.
Rochester—500 at 11½, 1000, 500 at 11.
Shawinigan—10 at 109.

—Afternoon Sales—

Pacific Burt—5, 12 at 39¾.
Pacific Burt pref.—3 at 94.

PRICE OF SILVER.

Bar silver in London, 25 13-16d oz.
Bar silver in New York, 55⅞c oz.
Mexican dollars, 47c

Rochester—2000 at 11, 5000, 2000, 3000 at 12 (60 days), 2000 at 10½.
Timiskaming—100 at 88, 400 at 87.

Dominion Exchange.

—Morning Sales—

Amalgamated—1000 at 2½.
Green-Meehan—1000 at 2½.
Kerr Lake—100, 50 at 755, 25 at 760, 100 at 780.
Little Nipissing—500 at 22, 500 at 22, 500 at 21⅞, 1000 at 21¾, 2000, 1000, 500 at 21¾, 1000 at 21¾, 1000 at 21¾.
Rochester—1000, 500 at 11½.

—Afternoon Sales—

Great Northern—500 at 5.
Green-Meehan—1000 at 2½.
Kerr Lake—100 at 795, 50, 25, 50, 50 at 797, 50 at 795, 50, 25 at 800.
Little Nipissing—1000 at 21¾, 1500, 500 at 21¾, 1000 at 22, 1000 at 22½, 1000 at 22.
Nipissing—25 at 10.85.

New York Curb.

Chas. Head & Co. (R. R Bongard) report the following prices on the New York curb:

Argentum, closed 1½ to 2½. Bailey, 6½ to 9. Buffalo, 1⅞ to 2¼. Bay State Gas, ⅝ to ¾. Colonial Silver, 5-16. Cobalt Central, 8 to 8½, high 8, low 7½; 10,000. Foster, 7 to 13. Green-Meehan, 2 to 4. Hargraves, 31 to 35. Kerr Lake, 7⅞ to 8, high 8, low 7½; 15,000. King Edward, 7½ to 10; 1000 sold at 7½. La Rose, 4¾ to 4⅞, high 4 12-16, low 4¾; 800. McKinley, 1.11 to 1.15; 500 at 1.10. May Oil, 67 to 70. Nipissing, 10¾ to 10⅞, high 10⅞, low 10¾; 2000. Otisse, 1 to 3. Silver Queen, 4 to 10. Silver Leaf, 5 to 7. Trethewey, 1.20 to 1.30. Union Pacific, 1½ to 3. United Copper, 5½ to 6. Yukon Gold, 3¾ to 3⅞.

New York Cotton Market.

Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beaty), 14 West King street, reported the following prices:

Nov. 12.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	14.62	14.55	14.57	14.45	14.48
Jan.	14.53	14.48	14.48	14.33	14.38
March	14.71	14.66	14.66	14.52	14.54
May	14.88	14.80	14.80	14.63	14.67
July	14.81	14.72	14.72	14.60	14.64

Spot cotton closed quiet, 15 points lower. Middling uplands, 14.65; middling gulf, 14.90. Sales, 1100 bales.

Cotton Gossip.

Erickson Perkins & Co. had the following at the close:

Scattered liquidation, on rumors of a National Ginners' Association report of 8,800,000 or 9,100,000, following a lower opening, in response to the easier cables, brought about an easier market to-day, prices declining about $1 a bale, but little activity developed, and a slight recovery took place toward the close on moderate support and commission house buying. Some uneasiness is being felt regarding the approaching census report, showing cotton ginned up to Nov. 14, and lower prices are probable before the 21st, the date of its issuance. We look for a continuance of the traders' market, but prefer the short side on sharp bulges.

THE DOCTOR WAS SARCASTIC

Thaw Not Compelled to Associate With Intellectual Inferiors.

ALBANY, Nov. 14.—Attorney-General O'Malley filed in the court of appeals to-day affidavits in opposition to the appeal of Mrs. Mary C. Thaw in her application for the transfer of her son, Harry K. Thaw, who killed Stanford White, from Matteawan State Hospital to some other asylum within the state. Among the affidavits prepared by Deputy Attorney-General Franklin Kennedy, who is in charge of the case, is one by Dr. Amos T. Baker, the first assistant physician at Matteawan.

In support of his contention that Thaw's surroundings are conducive to health, Dr. Baker alleges that since Thaw was committed to Matteawan he has gained 37 pounds in weight, is permitted to play cards with congenial companions, to receive visitors, take outdoor exercise, read the best of literature, and is not compelled to associate with anyone who is not his equal intellectually and morally.

One of Mrs. Thaw's contentions is that her son is compelled to associate with patients who use vile language in his presence, and who often assault him. Dr. Baker says that these assertions are wholly unfounded, and that, on the contrary, the record of Thaw's past life, as brought out in the courts, would indicate that some of the patients might have good reason to object to associating with him.

HOTELS GOT REDUCTION

Assessment Lowered on Score of Depreciation Under Local Option.

GALT, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Reductions in assessment have been made to the owners of four hotels, who appealed against their ratings on the score of depreciation of the value under local option. They were: George Bernhart of the Iroquois, Card of the Imperial, Oliver Baker of the Grand and George Stephens of the New Royal, the last named house being closed up entirely. Reduction of assessment was ordered totaling $20,000 on buildings and $5000 on business tax.

CHARGED WITH INCENDIARISM.

HAGERSVILLE, Ont., Nov. 14.—As a result of the continued efforts of Crown Attorney Murphy and the Provincial Detective Department, Mrs. Fred Smelser, near Selkirk, and her son, Lloyd, aged 18, were to-day arrested and lodged in the county jail at Cayuga, charged with incendarism and intimidation in connection with the mysterious threats and anonymous letters received by Fred Smelser, from some mysterious source, and also with the burning of Smelser's barns in the early part of September.

Soldiers Told to Pray.

BERLIN, Nov. 14.—In addressing a large batch of recruits, who were being sworn in to do compulsory military duty in the various regiments to-day, Emperor William said:

"I wish my soldiers to say a daily prayer. I wish you to repeat the great prayer of our Saviour, beginning, 'Our Father Which art in Heaven.'"

Theft of Registered Mail.

SASKATOON, Nov. 14.—(Special.)—George Woodhouse, connected with the registered letter department of the local postoffice, was arrested this afternoon, on a charge of stealing registered mail. It is alleged he took two letters, one containing $270 and the other $157.

After Hunter With Bloodhounds.

MEILEN, Wis., Nov. 14.—Bloodhounds are leading a posse of armed woodsmen on the trail of an unidentified hunter who on Saturday shot and killed City Clerk Louis Oleson of Abbotsford, apparently under the impression that he was a deer.

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DECLARES RURAL ONTARIO SUFFERS FROM DECLINE

In 20 Years, Population Decreased 86,000—Gorden Waldron Says Tariff is Largely to Blame.

"A rural decrease of 86,000 in twenty years, after an exhausting drain during the previous thirty years; a rural birthrate scarcely exceeding the death rate, an urban increase of 450,000—that is a condition for which every consideration of patriotism and sound national life demands an immediate remedy," said Gordon Waldron, barrister and political economist, in addressing the Canadian Club yesterday on the depopulation and impoverishment of rural Ontario.

"It is, we say, Canada's growing time, Canada's century. We are, we boast, annexing the United States. Yet, painful as it is to disturb a pleasant delusion, it must be said that there is still an exodus so large that without a compensating immigration into the northwest, we could not possibly long survive," said Mr. Waldron. "On turning to the public reports, I find that notwithstanding all our confidence and buoyancy seventy thousand persons left Canada last year to make their homes in the United States. Wherever that exodus went from, I may venture to say in the presence of manufacturers unable to fill their orders from the west for lack of labor that it did not go from the cities and towns of Ontario. It was an exodus from the land—an exodus of farmers.

"But let me confine myself to rural Ontario. There, the evidence of depopulation and impoverishment is so plain that I am sure that you have all noted it. Unrepaired buildings and fences, neglected orchards, ill-cultivated land, land turned to pasture and in effect abandoned, the disappearance of the farm laborers and their dwellings, the fall in land values, and the very significant fact that farm production has not appreciably responded to an extended period of high prices."

Hhe quoted birthrate statistics to show that in rural districts the birthrate had fallen to 14 in the thousand and lower, while rural schools, which thirty years ago had 50 to 75 pupils, now had but a mere handful. To prove the movement of the population he gave figures to show that in 1872 the rural population of Perth was 31,000; it is now 20,000. In the same year the rural population of Norfolk was 25,000; it is now 19,000. In 1872 the rural population of Huron was 50,387; it is now 36,567, a loss of nearly 14,000. In '81 rural Middlesex numbered 53,000; it is now less than 40,000. And they had not gone to the cities

"What are the economic causes? The principal ones are protection and the exclusion of the farmers from the markets of the United States?" said Mr. Waldron.

"Relief is to be found in tariff reform, in admission to the markets of the United States and in a reduction of the federal expenditure.

"There is another remedy offered by our friends who call themselves imperialists. It is preference in the British markets. Of that I do not venture to speak, lest I lose my reputation for temperate and cautious speech. Suffice it to say that I regard the tariff reform movement in England as at heart a movement for agricultural protection, and I am convinced that agricultural protection once enthroned in England will prove itself quite as destructive to Ontario or Canadian agriculture as the industrial protection of the United States or Toronto."

SIGNALMAN GETS FOUR YEARS.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 14.—Frank Leland, the young signalman employed by the C. P. R., who derailed a passenger train near here on Sept. 10, killing Fireman Samson Patterson, was sentenced to four years in Stony Mountain by Chief Justice Howell at the assizes this morning. He had been convicted on Saturday of manslaughter.

An Array of Tragedies.

SASKATOON, Nov. 14.—A tragic chapter of events at Langham, about thirty miles northeast of here, is indicated in a report received by the Northwest Mounted Police, which states that four boys had been drowned, that a man also lost his life in the river, that the body of a young child had been found and also that a box containing human bones had been discovered.