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CANADA'S NATURAL GAS.

Report of the U. S Geological Survey Gives Interesting Figures.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The United States Geological Survey has completed its annual report upon the production of natural gas, in the course of which some interesting figures are given concerning the industry in Canada. The report says:—

"The two fields that furnish nearly all the natural gas are the Essex and Welland fields; the former is near the western end of Lake Erie, and the latter near the eastern extremity. There are about 34 wells producing in the Essex field, and about 106 in the Welland. More gas was furnished in 1897 than in 1896, the product in the latter year being valued at $308,448, as against $276,710 in the former. The largest markets for the gas are Detroit, Mich., and Buffalo, N. Y. There is some production in the neighborhood of Petrolea and Oil Springs, Lambton and Kent counties. In 1897, 140 wells were operated, with 297 miles of pipe, employing 84 men, whose wages aggregated $43,338."

A PECULIAR CASE.

He Saw His Son the Moment He Met Death.

"Father, I Slipped Down a Precipice and am Dead, Quite Dead."

Rome, Sept. 2.—A young man named Livio Cibrario, belonging to one of the most ancient families of Turin, while attempting to climb the peak of Rocciamelone, in the Maritime Alps, lost his way, and on the following morning a search party found his body, terribly crushed and bruised, at the bottom of a deep crevasse.

Count Cibrario, the unfortunate young man's father, who was at Turin and knew nothing of his son's expedition to the Rocciamelone, on the night of the accident aroused the rest of the family, announcing with tears that Livio was dead. He had seen him distinctly, he said, blood flowing from his battered head, and had heard these words spoken in a voice of terrible anguish:—

"Father, I slipped down a precipice and broke my head, and I am dead, quite dead."

The other members of the family tried in vain to persuade the poor count that the ghastly vision was nothing but a nightmare, and the bereaved father continued in a state of anxiety bordering upon distraction till the morning, when the official confirmation of the terrible accident reached him.

This case of telepathy, or whatever name may be given to similar phenomena, is considered all the more remarkable, as Count Cibrario is a very quiet, matter-of-fact person, and has never suffered from disorders of the nervous system or dabbled in spiritualism.

A FUTILE CONFERENCE.

Glass-Blowers of the United States and Canada Refused an Increase.

Indianapolis, Sept. 5.—The conference between the wage committee of the Union Glass-Blowers of the United States and Canada and the wage committee of the Flint Bottlemakers came to an abrupt ending yesterday afternoon by the firm declaration of the bottle-makers that they would grant no increase in wages.

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A ONE-SIDED GAME

The Chathams put up Very Poor Ball at St. Thomas.

Played Listlessly—The Saints Won Just as They Pleased.

Special to The Planet.

St. Thomas, Sept. 6.—Chatham played a rotten game of ball at Atlantic Park on Saturday and St. Thomas hadn't the least difficulty in winning. McCann was on the slab for the Babes, and besides being very wild was hit so freely that he retired in favor of Morrissey in the middle of the sixth. The visitors played a listless game and most of the spectators left the grounds before the game was half over. Robb pitched a fine game for St. Thomas. The score:

ST. THOMAS	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Sheehan, ss	5	2	1	5	3	0
Tibald, 3b	2	1	1	0	1	1
Kern, cf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Sullivan, c	4	0	1	7	0	1
Lyons, rf & cf	5	3	3	1	0	0
Martin, lf	5	2	1	3	0	0
Busse, 1b	4	2	2	9	0	0
Pears, cf & 3b	4	1	1	0	2	1
Nugent, 2b	4	3	3	1	2	0
Robb, p	2	1	0	0	2	1
Total	39	15	15	27	11	4

CHATHAM	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Gallagher, cf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Morrisey, ss & p	3	1	0	6	1	1
Snyder, 3b	2	0	0	2	3	0
Jones, lf	4	0	0	3	0	1
McCann, p & ss	4	0	1	0	3	0
Phelps, 1b & c	4	0	1	10	2	1
Miles, 2b	3	0	0	2	5	0
VanGiesen, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Reid, c & 1b	4	0	1	3	0	1
Total	33	1	4	27	15	4

St. Thomas—0 2 3 0 3 6 0 1 0—15
Chatham...—0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0— 1

Two bas hits—Busse 2, Pears, Nugent. Three base hits—Kern. Stolen bases—Gallagher, Morrisey, Sullivan, Lyons 2, Pears, Nugent 2. Double plays—Robb to Nugent to Busse. Bases on balls—by Robb: Morrisey, Snyder 2, Miles; by McCann: Sullivan, Lyons, Martin, Pears, Robb, Morrisey, Robb. Hit by pitcher—by McCann: Sheehan, Busse, Nugent, Robb. Struck out—by Robb: Jones 2, Phelps 2, VanGiesen 2; by Morrisey—Martin. Passed balls—Reid. Sacrifice hit—Sullivan. Innings pitched—by McCann 6; by Morrisey 3. Hits—off McCann 11; off Morrisey 4. Time of game—1.40. Umpire—England.

I. O. F. OFFICERS AT WHEATLEY.

On September 14th the High Chief Ranger, the High Vice-Chief Ranger, and a representative from the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters, will visit Wheatley. A monster demonstration will be held in Smith's Grove. Speeches, Addresses, etc., will be the order of the day. Good bands are being secured for the occasion.

ANOTHER ROBBERY

Chatham Won One Game From the Londons

While the Umpire took the Other Away From Them—The Scores.

(Special to The Planet.)

London, Sept. 5.—To-day, Chatham and London played two games of ball and Chatham succeeded in winning the morning game by one of the prettiest scenes of batting in one innings seen on the home grounds this season. The heavy downpour of rain all morning, made the grounds muddy and just before the game was called it rained heavily for a few moments. Sawdust was liberally used and wheelbarrows full of mud taken away from around the box and bases. It opened bright and continued clear as the game progressed. A double and single and base on balls filled the bases, and they remained that way when the side went out, in the first. In the second Crow was hit for seven of the cleanest singles possible, scoring five runs. After this Crow settled down and only four hits were made in the remaining seven innings. Jones got his home run in the fifth after two were out.

London could not touch Watkins and up to the fifth but three scattering singles were made. In the fifth Chatham got reckless and contributed four errors to the two singles made and allowed London three runs. Watkins struck out the side in this innings. London's last run was made by a base on balls and two singles in the sixth. Mears made the most phenomenal catch ever seen on the London grounds in the fifth. It was good for three bases and was taken in on the dead run with one hand.

LONDON	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Mears, lf	5	0	1	4	0	0
Mohler, 2b	4	1	3	3	1	0
Smink, 1b	5	1	1	3	1	1
Lohman, c	5	0	1	8	1	0
Keenan, 3b	3	0	1	4	3	0
Carey, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Ward, ss	4	0	0	4	3	2
Hagerman, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Crowe, p	4	1	2	0	2	0
Total	38	4	9	27	12	3

CHATHAM	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Gallagher, rf	5	1	1	2	0	1
Morrissey, ss	5	1	1	1	5	1
Snyder, 3b	5	0	2	2	2	1
Conklin, 1b	4	1	3	5	0	0
McCann, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Jones, lf	5	1	2	2	0	1
Miles, 2b	4	0	2	5	3	1
Reid, c	4	1	0	7	0	1
Watkins, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Total	39	6	13	27	11	6

London.....0 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0—4
Chatham.....0 5 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—6

Stolen base—Carey 2, Keenan, Lohman, McCann, Jones. Two base hits—Snyder. Home runs—Jones. Sacrifice hit—Conklin. Struck out—By Crow 6; by Watkins 7. Base on balls—Crow 3; Watkins 3. Double plays—Keenan to Mohler; Morrissey to Miles to Conklin 2. Left on bases—London 8, Chatham 8. Umpire—Geo. H. England. Time—2.05.

AFTERNOON GAME.

The afternoon was warm and the sun shone brightly although drifting clouds continued to pass over. The game was given to London in the eighth innings by Umpire England, by 9 to 0, making the second game forfeited by Chatham this season.

After two players had been retired in the eighth, Gallagher hit safely to center, Morrissey followed with another to the same territory. Snyder hit a fly to Carey, who muffed it, Gallagher, scoring. Then Conklin, who had being doing the best batting of the day for either team, placed another safe hit to Carey. Morrissey and Snyder made for the plate. The former crossed over and turned, probably to watch what success Snyder would have. Carey made a good throw home and the ball came to Lohman on the first bound. Lohman was on the right side of the plate and Snyder crossed over planting his foot before Lohman touched him with the ball. Then Morrissey got mixed up with the two and England called Snyder out, claiming the Chatham shortstop had obstructed Lohman. Snyder certainly crossed the rubber before Morrissey got mixed up with Lohman. England was severe on Chatham, and the score should have been tied.

London only got two hits off McElvaine up to the fifth, but in the sixth four singles, and two doubles, with a bad throw by McCann, scored six runs.

Foreman, a new left hander pitched his fifth game. Two bad errors in the fourth gave Chatham four runs. Conklin opened this innings with a triple. A base on balls, and single by Jones and double by Miles gave Chatham their two runs in the fifth. This was Chatham's last appearance in London this season.

Scores:—

LONDON	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Mears, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Mohler, 2b	4	2	2	4	2	0
Smink, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Laroque, 1b	4	1	3	6	0	1
Keenan, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Carey, cf	3	1	1	0	1	2
Lohman, c	2	1	0	10	1	0
Wards, ss	4	1	1	0	1	1
Foreman, p	3	1	0	0	1	0
Total	31	9	9	*23	7	4

CHATHAM	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Gallagher, rf & cf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Morressey, ss	4	1	1	3	3	0
Snyder, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Conklin, 1b	5	1	3	8	0	1
McCann cf & p	2	2	0	3	1	1
Jones, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Miles, 2b	4	0	2	4	3	0
Reid, c	3	0	1	2	1	0
McIlvaine, p & rf	4	1	1	0	1	0
Total	33	8	10	*23	10	2

*Two out in 8th when Chatham objected to a decision. Game given to London 9 to 0.

Smink out for obstructing a fielder.

London.....0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0—9
Chatham.....0 0 0 4 2 0 0 2—8

Stolen bases—Carey 2, Smink, Lohman, Foreman. Two basehits—Laroque, Smink, Miles, Three base hit—Conklin. Sacrific hits—Meara, Lohman, Morrisey. Struck out—by Foreman 6; by McIlvaine 1. Base on balls—by Foreman 5; McIlvaine 2; McCann 1. Hit by pitcher—by Foreman 1; McCann 2. Left on bases—London 4, Chatham 7. Hits off McIlvaine 8; off McCann 1. Innings pitched—McIlvain, 6; off McCann 2. Passed ball—Lohman. Umpire—Geo. H. England. Time 2.15.

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Ottawa Sept. 5.—It is understood that the capital case of William J. Hammond, awaiting execution in Barrie jail on Sept. 15, for the murder of his wife, Kate Tough, at Gravenhurst, has been before the Council. It is probable that the law will be allowed to take its course, as the atrocity of the crime and the evidence of the man's guilt led to the conclusion that it is not a case calling for executive clemency. Hammond, who was a young medical student, married the girl secretly, got her to insure her life for $5,000 and then poisoned her.

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WALLACEBURG.

Sept. 6.—Jno Wolliver and family, of Detroit, are visiting at Philip Wolliver's, East Branch.

Mrs. W. D. McRae, and sons, Milton and Roy, spent Sunday at Grande Point, Harsen's Island.

The steam yacht Lindsay McRae, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in port Saturday.

Milton McRae, son and wife, of Cincinnati, Ohio, called on W. D. McRae Saturday.

Wm. Duggan, Chas. Branton, and Robert Steer, of Detroit, spent Sunday in town.

C. J. Johnson spent Sunday at Port Lambton.

Mrs. J. W. Pike, who has been spending the last week at Bellevue, returned home Saturday night.

C. McDougall, J. Beattie and T. Stewart paid Marine City a visit yesterday.

FALL FAIRS.

Chatham, Sept. 27, 28 and 29.
Ridgetown, Oct. 5th, 6th 7th.
Toronto, Aug. 29 to Sept. 10.
Moraviantown, Oct. 17 to 20.
Dresden, Oct. 12 and 13.
Rodney, Oct. 10 and 11.
Highgate, Oct. 14 to 15.
Raleigh, Oct. 3 and 4.
London, Sept. 8 to 17.
Merlin, Oct. 3 and 4.
Chatham, Dover and Wallaceburg, at Wallaceburg, Sept. 29 and 30.
Bothwell, Bothwell.
Alvinston, Alvinston.
Florence, Florence.
Blenheim, Blenheim.
East Elgin Farmers', St. Thomas, Sept. 20 to 22.
Romney, Wheatley.
Thamesville, Thamesville, Oct. 3, 4.
Wallaceburg, Wallaceburg, Sept. 27, 28.
Moravian Indian Fair — Oct. 17th to 20th inclusive.

When secretaries send in dates, the missing figures will be inserted.

Fair secretaries sending their dates to this office may have them inserted in the above column.

A picnic in connection with S. S. No. 15, Harwich, will be held on Thursday, Sept. 8th, in Sloan's Grove, 5th Con., Harwich. Taylor & Latham's String Band and a Highland piper from St. Thomas will furnish music. Dancing and games will be the order of the afternoon. Judge Houston will occupy the chair, James Liddy, chairman; W. D. Tuck, secretary of committee.

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