

EXECUTORS' SALE

Of the estate of the late Mrs. Mary Pring. Solid brick cottage and lot, 60x100, No. 506 Dufferin street, situated on a 2 1/2 acre lot. GEO. A. HATCH, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

George A. Hatch, auctioneer, will offer for sale a 1 1/2-story solid brick house and lot, being No. 1088 Francis street, containing parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 4 closets, gas, hard and soft water, lot 25x132. Sale, Thursday, Sept. 2, at 4 p.m., on premises, Mr. Scott, proprietor.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF FLOUR MILL PROPERTY

In order to close the estate of the late George B. West, the executors will offer for sale by public auction, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of August, at 2 p.m., the valuable property known as the Delaware Flour Mill, situated on the Delaware River, in Delaware County, Middlesex, comprising five acres of land, on which is erected a brick mill, two stories high, on a stone foundation. Also a comfortable dwelling, with good stabling and sheds attached. Mill is driven by water power, is in a good farming and dairying district, and doing a good business. Apply to G. D. GLENN, Delaware, or ALEX. HARVEY, London, Ont.

AUCTION SALE

Choice furniture, 870 Wellington street, Monday, Aug. 28, at 10 o'clock sharp. Piano, parlor, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen furniture, in oak, tables, rockers, rugs, stoves, chairs, dressers, iron beds, mattresses and springs, bedding, etc. Terms cash. Joseph Brown, auctioneer, 87 Carling street.

AUCTION SALE—VALUABLE FURNITURE

14 Dundas street, Wednesday, Sept. 1, at 10 o'clock. Contents 2-story house, parlor, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen, including sideboard, extension table, chairs, carpets, secretary, bookcase, linoleum, gas stove, rockers, couch, mattresses and springs, etc. Terms cash. JOSEPH BROWN, Auctioneer, 87 Carling street.

MEDICAL CARDS.

DR. WEEKS WILL RESUME PRACTICE, Saturday, Aug. 28.

J. B. CAMPBELL, M.A., M.D.—SPECIALTY, diseases stomach, Hours, 2-4, 7-8, and appointment.

DR. NORMAN R. HENDERSON, CORNER Park and Dufferin avenues. Eye, ear, nose and throat.

DR. GEORGE McNEIL, NORTHWEST corner Dundas and Waterloo streets. Telephone 218.

DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONDON—Specialty, diseases of women. Gynecology. Will return Oct. 14.

DR. HUGHES, 23 QUEEN'S AVENUE. Telephone 538. Hours, 11-3, 7-8.

J. J. MASON, B.A., M.D., CORNER Dundas and Colborne streets, surgery, including diseases of women.

D. HUTCHESON HOGG, M.D., C.M.—Surgical diseases. Corner York and Talbot streets.

T. OVENS, M.D., L.R.C.P., LONDON, oculist and aurist, Office days, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 225 Queen's avenue.

HADLEY WILLIAMS, F.R.C.P. (ENG.)—Specialty, surgical diseases. 439 Park avenue.

DR. E. PARDEE BUCKE, 207 QUEEN'S AVENUE—Eye, ear, nose and throat.

DR. ALICE JAMIESON, REMOVED TO 369 Queen's avenue. Phone 1233 for appointments.

DR. SEPTIMUS THOMSON, 443 PARK AVENUE, corner Queen—Eye, ear, nose, throat.

DR. McLELLAN, EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT—Hours, 10 to 4, 6 to 7:30. Sundays by appointment only. 564 Richmond.

DR. JOHN D. WILSON—OFFICE AND residence, 290 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women and children.

F. L. BURDON, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND B.S. (Edinburgh)—Special attention diseases of women, children. Office and residence, 461 Waterloo street. Phone 253.

DR. ECCLLES HAS RETURNED AND resumed practice. Specialty, diseases of women. Hours, 10 till 2.

DR. JAMES D. WILSON—OFFICE REMOVED TO 134 Carling street. Specialty, diseases of digestive organs.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND M.R.C.S. (England)—257 King. Phone 839.

DR. FINGEL—OFFICE, 216 QUEEN'S AVENUE. Hours, 10 till 2. Special treatment diseases of women a specialty.

DR. G. L. CLARK (RETURNED FROM Europe)—Eye, ear, nose and throat. 473 King street.

DR. W. J. STEVENSON, 381 DUNDAS—Phone 519. Specialties, diseases of women and surgery. X-rays.

LEGAL CARDS.

GRAYDON & GRAYDON, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, 419 Talbot street, N. Parke Graydon; A. H. Marshall Graydon.

STUART & SCANDRETT, BARRISTERS, etc., 20 Dundas street, to loan. Alex. Stuart, K.C.; T. W. Scandrett.

GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS, BARRISTERS, etc., corner Richmond and Carling. Geo. G. Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper; George S. Gibbons.

NO NEWS GETS OUT OF HARRIMAN HOME

But Evidence Accumulates That Preparations Are Being Made for Operation.

Arden, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Evidence continued to accumulate today that preparations were under way at the mountain home of E. H. Harriman for some unusual event. Whether this event is a surgical operation or only a consultation of physicians, or whether the apparently significant happenings of the past twenty-four hours have no bearing at all upon the physical condition of the railroad magnate is something at this time that cannot be definitely ascertained by those outside the Harriman household. The most satisfactory first hand report on Mr. Harriman's state that has come thus far from anyone outside of that household, has been obtained from the Rev. J. H. Guinness, rector of the Episcopal Church at Chester, about eight miles from here. Mr. Guinness spent more than an hour with Mr. Harriman yesterday.

"When I drove over to Mr. Harriman's home," said the clergyman, "I feared that I should not be able to see him on account of the alarming reports of his condition, and on the contrary I found him looking much better than I expected. His handshake is firm and to me he looks better than when I last saw him. He is not at all ill, and I am sure that he will see anything during his visit that would confirm reports of preparations for an operation."

The weather today was a repetition of that which prevailed here during most of the week. The air is clear, with snap and sparkle. Physicians say that nowhere could Mr. Harriman have chosen a better spot for his rest.

On Wall Street.

New York, Aug. 28.—While the market opened under pressure there is not so much activity or excitement as has been apparent in recent days. The Harriman stocks were the centre of attack at the opening with a break of two points in short order in Union Pacific, and half as much in Southern Pacific, Colo. Fuel, American Car and Northern Pacific also dipped 11-2, and New York Central and Reading 1-2. U. S. Steel was firm in contrast to the general run of prices, and got up 1-2.

DETROIT MAN PRESIDENT

League of American Municipalities Closes Convention in Montreal.

Montreal, Aug. 28.—The League of American Municipalities closed its annual convention here yesterday afternoon by the election of officers. The chief interest centred in the election of president. Two names were submitted, those of Mr. David Reineck, mayor of Detroit, and Mr. Robert Madox, mayor of Atlanta, but the latter withdrew his name, and on the motion of Mr. Frank E. Doremus, Detroit, Mr. Reineck was unanimously elected. The other officers were: Hon. J. R. Crokin, mayor of Joliet, Ill., first vice-president; Ald. Leopold, Montreal, second vice-president; F. N. Hunk-houser, Omaha, third vice-president; Mayor O'Brien, Owensboro, Ky., fourth vice-president. The Hon. J. MacVictor, Des Moines, was re-elected secretary, while the trustees appointed were Ald. Jerome T. Connelton, of Newark, N. J.; Wm. J. Horsey, of Fort Adam, Okla.; I. D. Cooper, Baltimore; T. E. Knox, Derby, Ind.; and Mayor Grant O'Brien, of San Diego. On the second ballot St. Paul, Minn., was chosen as the meeting place next year.

A TORONTO GIRL DROWNED FROM CANOE

Toronto, Aug. 27.—Miss Bertha Petrie, 20 years old, daughter of H. W. Petrie, was drowned this evening in the bay while canoeing.

Miss Petrie had an engagement to meet her sister near the ferry docks, and while waiting took a paddle by herself. On returning the craft upset and the girl was drowned. The accident was witnessed by several, but she went down before help could reach her.

BUGGY WITH THREE HIT BY A TRAIN

A Man Killed and a Boy Injured in Accident at Streetsville.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—John Gaunt was killed, and Fred Swichington, a boy 15 years old, was injured, when a freight train struck a buggy at Streetsville Junction, at 3:30 this afternoon. A C. P. R. train struck a buggy in which three persons were riding, and a curve just outside the town. A man named Ward, the third member of the party, threw himself from the rig when he saw that a collision was about to take place, and escaped with a shaking up.

GARMENT CUTTING.

DESIGNING LADIES' GARMENTS is acquired by the intelligent application of foundation lines. Our graduates give satisfaction as custom or wholesale cutters. 24 Dundas street.

SURVEYORS.

F. W. FARNCOMB, CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers.

HELP WANTED.

EXPERIENCED PANT, KNICKER and overall makers; highest wages paid, constant employment. Taylor-Anderson-Routhgate, Limited, Seaford, Ont.

INSURANCE.

THE ARCHIBALD McPHERSON INSURANCE AGENCY

F. M. MILLMAN, Fire, Accident and Plate Glass. 105 Masonic Temple.

SHELLEY REMANDED FOR LATER HEARING

A Charge of Criminal Negligence May Be Made Against Him.

Simcoe, Aug. 28.—Emery Shelley still lies in Simcoe jail with the charge hanging over him of having murdered Michael Hall, the old half-blind farmer who was shot as he was entering his house on Aug. 15. The boy—for he is only fifteen—was brought before Magistrate Murphy at Silver Hill yesterday.

Crown Attorney T. R. Slaight immediately applied for a remand for a week on the ground that the crown required further time to obtain evidence. The request was granted without opposition. Mr. W. E. Kelly, K.C., who has been retained for the defence, not being at Simcoe, it is understood that while the crown has no intention of proceeding with the charge, it is felt by the attorney-general's department that Shelley was responsible for Hall's death, and he will be proceeded against upon a charge of criminal negligence.

When Shelley next comes before the magistrate a big fight will be made by Mr. Kelly for his release. Counsel for the defence maintains that the proceedings throughout have been irregular from the laying of the information on to the warrant issued by the magistrate. The information was sworn to by Sidney Armstrong, a justice of the peace, who had no personal knowledge of the occurrence, but said the information at the suggestion of the coroner. In the event of Shelley being committed he will have to remain in jail until October before the case is heard.

UNCLE SAM DEFINES RETALIATORY TARIFF

What U. S. Will Do If Canadian Provinces Forbid Exportation of Pulp Wood.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Several rulings on the administration of the retaliatory provisions of the Payne tariff law directed at the woodpulp and print paper industry of Canada were issued by the treasury department yesterday.

One of the provisions prescribes that if any province forbids the exportation of pulpwood for use in the manufacture of woodpulp and print paper an additional duty of one-tenth of one cent a pound should be levied on print paper valued at 2 cents per pound, or less which comes from that province, and that a duty of one-twelfth of a cent per pound should be assessed on mechanically ground pulpwood coming from such a province, and which would otherwise be admitted free of duty, under the general provisions of the law. As the Province of Ontario prohibits the exportation of pulpwood cut on crown lands the higher rates will apply upon all print paper valued at 3 cents per pound, and mechanically ground pulpwood cut from crown lands in that province.

The additional duty of one-tenth of a cent a pound, together with a countervailing duty amounting to about 35 cents a ton, equivalent to the export duty of 25 cents imposed by the Province of Quebec upon pulpwood shall be added to the regular duty on print paper, which is made from pulpwood cut from the crown lands in that province. The province of instruction to the collectors of customs issued by Acting Secretary Reynolds, states that the countervailing duty shall be levied on a ton on the print paper. It takes approximately 1 1/4 cords of pulpwood to produce a ton of paper.

The duty of one-tenth of a cent per pound in addition to a countervailing duty of 25 cents a cord is placed on mechanically-ground pulpwood produced in Ontario, wood cut on crown land in Quebec. Chemical woodpulp, imported from the Province of Quebec, will be assessed with the additional countervailing duty equal to 25 cents per pound on the wood, the equivalent of a cord of wood being 1-400 pounds of chemical woodpulp or sulphite.

FENN'S LONG CAREER

Dead Novelist Wrote Over One Hundred Novels and Boys' Books.

London, Aug. 28.—The death is announced here today of George Manville Fenn, the novelist. He was born at Westminster on June 3, 1831, and in 1855 he married Susanna, daughter of John Leake, by whom he had seven children. He was educated at private schools, and became in turn a private tutor, a newspaper proprietor, a writer of short articles for Chambers' Journal, and all the while he wrote and edited, editor and proprietor of Once a Week. His published works include: "Parson's Progress," "The King of the Ceremonies," "Double-Cunning," "Elfin's Children," "Alisa Grey," "The New Mistress," "High Play," 1898; "A Woman Worth Winning," 1898; "The Silver Salvagers," 1898; "The Vilest of the Vile," 1898; "The King of the Beach," 1899; "A Bag of Diamonds," 1899; "Uncle Bart," 1900; "Old Gold," "The Cankerworm," 1901; "A Meeting of the Greeks," "The Chinaman," and "The Kople Garrison," 1902; "Fitz, the Filibuster," "Walsh, the Wonder Worker," 1903; "Green Cat's Paw," "He Came to Pass," 1904; "The Curst Roost," 1904; "Blind Policy," 1905; "Aynsley's Case," 1906; and about a hundred other novels and boys' stories; also over a thousand short tales and magazine sketches. His recreations were travel, gardening and natural science.

Everybody Should Visit Canada's Greatest Exhibition.

On account of the Canadian National Exhibition, the Grand Trunk Railway System will issue return tickets at single fare to Toronto from all stations in Ontario, west of Cornwall and Ottawa, Aug. 28 to Sept. 11, inclusive. Good returning from Toronto on or before Sept. 14, 1905.

Special low rate excursions will be given from all points on certain dates, giving patrons of the Grand Trunk an opportunity of visiting Toronto at very small cost.

Don't fail to call on nearest Grand Trunk agent for full particulars. 541 MINDAR'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

THE OPENING UP OF NINE LANDS

Six Ontario Government Survey Parties Are Now at Work.

Toronto, Aug. 28.—The mining operations throughout Northern Ontario have been responsible for the rapid survey and opening up of the various districts concerned. Few have any knowledge of what has been already accomplished in measuring the new land, making and prospecting conditions which would otherwise lead to confusion and acrimony, and devising ways and means to meet the ever-unexpected conditions.

The complaints of prospectors that in various portions of the Gowanda and Montreal River mining divisions no adequate claim surveys were in existence have been met by an explanation from the department of lands, forests and mines. "It is only within the past three years," said Mr. J. F. Whitson, of the survey branch, when interviewed, "that silver has been discovered in the Gowanda district or west of the Montreal River. On the first report of silver found the Government took steps to divide the district into blocks or townships, six miles square, planting posts on the lines at every mile so as to enable prospectors to tie on their claims. During the last three years no less than 500 miles of base and meridian lines have been run in that section, and this season the Government has been committing the field outlinings townships."

"No less than 600 miles of line will run this season," continued Mr. Whitson, "in fact, all of the silver area extending from the Montreal River west for nearly seventy-five miles will be blocked out into townships, and the expense of the work will be met by the Government from \$55 to \$75 per mile."

"With posts planted on the outlinings of townships at every mile, prospectors find very little difficulty in locating their claims. As a matter of fact, silver area falls within the Temagami forest reserve it was not considered advisable to divide the sections into lots and concessions, as the likelihood in the future of these ever being any settlement in this district, as the land is not suitable for that purpose."

"A mining claim consists of only forty acres, and it would cost an enormous amount to sub-divide large districts into small blocks, many of which would never prove to be valuable for mines or minerals."

WATCHING CHOLERA

Plague Said to Have Put in Appearance at Belgian Port.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Surgeon-General Wyman, of the public health and marine hospital service, last night cabled Assistant Surgeon Robt. A. C. Wollenburg, stationed at Naples, to proceed at once to Rotterdam, where cholera has been reported to have appeared. Consul Listoe in seeing that the treasury department regulations regarding vessels sailing for the United States are carried out. The great precautions are to be taken to prevent the introduction of the disease into the United States. That the Dutch ship which is reported to have appeared first in the New York World.

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As was the custom of the country, he was married early in life, and had two children, a daughter and son, the young man in question. About a year after the birth of his son, Mr. Linder with nine young companions formed a compact to come to this country to bet their heads against the odds that they would not be in favor of the project, and refused to aid him, but the mother rather sympathized with the ambition, and assisted him with her own means. Mr. Linder finally landed at New York with one penny in his pocket. Since then he climbed gradually upward, spending eighteen years in London as a cigar maker, till now he is the proprietor of a tidy little hostelry, with a more than local reputation for the excellence of its table.

ST. THOMAS COMPLAINS

Registers Protest Against Location of Transformer Station.

The St. Thomas city council yesterday appointed a deputation to wait on the Ontario Power Commission, and to protest against the location of a transformer station half a mile from the city limits, necessitating an additional outlay of \$4,000 for a distribution plant. They will also ask that the city should get credit for the sale of power to the Southwestern Power Company, and that they should be liable for 600 horse-power instead of 1,200, as claimed by the commission, when the city failed to sign the agreement to this effect, prior to July 19. As a matter of fact, the city did not receive a copy of the agreement till a few days ago.

JOHN EPLETT DEAD.

Victoria Harbor, Ont., Aug. 28.—John Albert Eplett, who had conducted a successful butcher business in Victoria, B.C., for many years, and who had been closely connected with the public life of the town and township as school trustee, councillor, reeve and magistrate, died yesterday, aged 44 years.

TO REBUILD WORKS.

Orillia, Aug. 28.—The Tudhope Carriage Company, whose manufactory was completely wiped out by fire last Saturday, are to continue in business. The town council has offered to subsidize a bylaw authorizing a twenty-year loan of \$50,000 without interest, and a fixed assessment of \$24,000 for ten years. A largely-attended meeting of ratepayers, held in the opera house tonight, indorsed the proposition made to the Tudhope Carriage Company. Following the unanimous and standing vote amidst cheers, Mr. J. B. Tudhope, the president, announced the acceptance of the offer and stated that the work of rebuilding would commence at once. About \$75,000 will be expended upon the buildings, and the plant and equipment will be modernized to the capacity of the manufactory greater than before the fire. Reeve Ketter occupied the chair at the mass meeting.

BERESFORD MOVES.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 28.—Lord Charles Beresford, who arrived on the Atlantic Virginia, at midnight last night, remained on board until this morning. After breakfast he left the steamer at 6 o'clock, and drove to the Grand Trunk Hotel, accompanied by Capt. Melville, an old Irish friend, who came down from Toronto to meet him, and left for Toronto at 9 o'clock in a special car attached to the Grand Trunk International Limited.

GOOD DRUGS AND A GOOD DRUG STORE

Our Chief Aim

It is our chief aim to satisfy our customers. Everything we purchase is bought to please those whom we hope to serve, and we buy as low as we can, that our patrons may have not only the advantages of quality, but quality at lowest prices.

Strong's Drug Store

184 DUNDAS ST., London, Ont. Graduate pharmacists only fill prescriptions here.

INDOOR GARDEN PARTY WAS A HUGE SUCCESS

Unique Event at the Southern Congregational Church on Thursday Night.

An indoor "garden party" was held on Thursday, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Southern Congregational Church. The basement was a beautiful representation of a garden, there being a large profusion of trees, shrubs and flowers, which were tastefully arranged; also arches of evergreens and pretty verandah. A very enjoyable time was spent by a large number, tea, coffee, and cakes were served by the ladies. Also ice cream and candy were for sale, the latter being home-made by the ladies of the church, and sold by the children, the ice cream stall being presided over by the young ladies of the congregation.

A good programme was ably rendered by the following ladies and gentlemen: The P. M. Marquette, the pastor; Rev. W. H. A. Claris; solo, Mr. Read; recitation, Miss Gould; solo, Mr. Cooper; song, Miss Sinda; recitation, Miss Constable; song (Scottish), Mrs. Grosvenor; solo, Miss Flanagan; song, Mr. Read.

Great credit is due to all the performers, and also to all those who helped to make the "garden" so delightful, the whole affair affording a most enjoyable evening.

LOCAL FALL TRADE TO OPEN EARLY

London reports to Bradstreet's say the indications are that fall trade will open early. Retailers are still doing some business in summer lines, but fall goods are being shown. Travellers out are sending in excellent orders, and the sorting trade is likely to be good during the coming season. Boot and shoe factories are busy. General collections are fair.

NATHANIEL LINDER

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25 years, and now only a very faint foreign accent remains to mark the fact that he is not a Canadian born. The story of his life as far as the public has a right to know it, is very simple, and it is a tale that appeared first in the New York World.

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As was the custom of the country, he was married early in life, and had two children, a daughter and son, the young man in question. About a year after the birth of his son, Mr. Linder with nine young companions formed a compact to come to this country to bet their heads against the odds that they would not be in favor of the project, and refused to aid him, but the mother rather sympathized with the ambition, and assisted him with her own means. Mr. Linder finally landed at New York with one penny in his pocket. Since then he climbed gradually upward, spending eighteen years in London as a cigar maker, till now he is the proprietor of a tidy little hostelry, with a more than local reputation for the excellence of its table.

All this time, according to the story, the unhappy son was quarrelling the globe search of his lost father, and visiting countries which his father states he has never seen. In reality, the boy was safely sheltered beneath his grandfather's roof, and in regular communication with his father.

Finally the daughter came to New York, and in 1894 Mr. Linder spent nearly a year with her in that city, where his brother was also living. At that time the boy August, or "Abe," as Mr. Linder said they used to call him, was still at the old home. Later the daughter was married, and August Linder came to New York and became a cashier, a position he still holds. Circumstances kept Mr. Linder from visiting his son, but it did not keep him from advising him of his whereabouts, and as a result, when the young man's holidays come this year he came to Doverchester to visit his father, and a very happy reunion took place, though one bereft of the romantic halo that the writer in the World sought to throw around it. Mr. Linder said that he would gladly have kept his son with him longer, but the young man had to return to work.

A number of years ago Mr. Linder's first wife died, and he married again, and is the proud father of two little boys of 6 and 9 years of age. Mr. Linder holds a very high reputation to the village, where he has resided for over a year, and all who know him unite with him in his apnoyance over this very unwarranted story.

LOOKS LIKE HOAX.

Hamilton, Aug. 28.—A letter was found floating in the lake this morning with a note in it signed "F. H. C." Writing that he drank the contents of the bottle, and was accompanied by a board from the Dundurn. The Dundurn touched at Toronto after leaving here today, and the report has been made of a missing passenger.

A DOLLAR IN THE BANK IS WORTH TWO IN THE HOUSE AND A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR MADE 1+1=2 THAT'S ARITHMETIC

SCHOOL DAYS

If you earn \$10,000 a year and spend \$11,000 you will fall behind. If you earn ten dollars a week and save part of it you will get ahead—and there is no other way to do so. Let your money grow.

We will pay you three per cent interest on the money you put in our bank and compound the interest every six months.

The BANK OF TORONTO

THREE OFFICES IN LONDON. Corner Richmond and King Streets. Corner Dundas and Adelaide Streets. Corner Richmond and John Streets.

THE P. M. LEASE

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Marquette, the L. and P. S. went into the latter's hands for \$10,000 a year and a percentage.

At the present time the sum that the city would never again obtain \$20,000 a year rental.

A Good Proposition. However, this sum will be easily realized from the road, perhaps, more. The P. M. Marquette will not, however, give much more than the sum named, claiming that the amount of business done on the road does not warrant an increase in the terms more than that amount.

Some of the aldermen are in favor of a larger sum of money, but are willing to take up the matter with the P. M. Marquette officials on the grounds of the present talk.

The Freight Rates. One of the important features of the discussion for an extension of the lease will be the freight rates in the agreement relating to the fare to Port Stanley, and the freight rates from the lake.

At the present time the summer rate to the Port is 30 cents, and that will not be changed.

The present freight rate is 50 cents a ton, and this point there will likely be some discussion.

Some suggest a 40-cent a ton rate, and it is possible that this may be adopted.

Develop Lake Traffic. A reasonable freight rate from the Port would tend to the development of lake traffic, and would give the manufacturers of London a lake outlet for their products.

At the expiration of the 20-year extension the Port would give the city, perhaps 100,000 people, and the company will reap large returns from the road during its tenure.

The rates proposed to receive much more attention than the actual amount of the revenue from the lease as a low freight rate is of vast importance to the citizens and manufacturers of the city.

ARVA. Aug. 28.—The hum of the threshing machine is heard in the land. The work is being done in this section by five different outfits. The straw being short, the season will be short.

Rev. Mr. McCamus, of St. Mary's, who is spending a portion of his holidays here, preached in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

Work on the new cement bridge is now progressing.

Judge Elliott held division court here on Wednesday.

Mr. Harry Turner has rented the farm of Mr. John Anderson, con. 8. Mr. Thomas McComb, of Masonville, has purchased a new George White