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MIXING "BRUSHED" WHEAT

"SCOURED" WHEAT A MISNOMER SAYS CONTROLLER WOOD.

Prof. Robertson's Advances on Prince Edward Island Cheese—Mayjor-General Herbert's Valedictory to the Canadian Forces—A Number of Lee-Metford Rifles Ordered—Christian Brothers Temporarily Retained.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 20.—The attention of the Controller of Inland Revenue was directed by your correspondent to-day to the recently published interview with Mr. Watts, secretary of the Dominion Millers' Association on the vexed qustion of mixing of wheat. According to a statement which Mr. Wood made to your correspondent the facts of the case are simply as follows: The regulations as they now exist are, with the exception of an amendment in the wording of the classification, "requiring that all Manitiba grades shall be composed wholly of wheat grown in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories," exactly the same as they have been since 1888. One of the provisions of the Order-in-Council of the 8th of August, 1888 was, "No grain which has been subjected to treatment by use of lime or sulphur shall be graded higher thtan No. 3." That provision still stands. Much of the misunderstanding now prevailing has arisen from the use of the term "scoured wheat," for wheat which is simply mechanically brushed, that is, freed from smut by brushing. A few balls of smut in a car load of grain will, if broken while being elevated into any of the country elevators, contaminate many hundred bushels of grain with which they are brought into contact, and in that way degrade the whole. The quality of the grain so contaminated remains what it was before, a good sample of No. 1 hard, but when it reaches Port William the inspector there rejects it and sends it on to Port Arthur elevator as "No. 1 rejected." When cleaned by a purely mechanical process, it is practically as good as ever.

"Is this grain," Mr. Wood reasonably asks, "to be degraded on account of an accident in transit?" The department has from the first been desirous of keeping the grades well up and is still anxious to do so, but in aiming to do that it has been found that while going much further in that direction than Duluth (Canada's great competitor), what was proposed did not satisfy the grain exchange of Montreal, which passed a resolution, urging the Government to exclude brushed wheat, not only from Manitoba No. 1, but from all sound grades. In view of the great difference of opinion, even among millers and dealers, it was decided to amend the regulations for the present, only so far as it was necessary for jurisdiction of Standards Board, which is about to meet in Winnipeg, and that the question of exclusion of brushed wheat should be fully discussed before that Board, with a view that all interests should be laid before the Government and an order subsequently passed to give effect to these views.

General Herbert's Valedictory.

General Herbert's valedictory to the Canadian forces will be published in the Canada Gazette Saturday. The general says that before relinquishing his command he desires to thank those who for a period of nearly five years have given him loyal support and cooperation in his effort to render the forces an efficient and powerful factor for the defence of the empire. During this period Gen. Herbert has been encouraged by seeing Canada assume her share of the burden necessary to secure the inviolability of her Pacific coast and by exceptional efforts made by militia units allotted for the defence of Halifax and Esquimalt, in order to fit themselves for the duties they would have performed in time of emergency. The late General Officer commanding observed with pleasure a general awakening throughout the militia of a spirit of emulation for practical efficiency, together with a considerable development in rifle shooting. He expresses appreciation of the excellent material in the rural militia, and commends the sobriety, order and soldier-like behavior of the different camps of exercise. He extends his thanks to the officers and men of the permanent force and urges them to continue to present to the active militia a high standard of military efficiency. Gen. Herbert closes by conveying his best wishes to all ranks, coupled with the hope that he will be remembered by them with feelings of esteem and respect akin to those which he will always bear towards those Canadian comrades and fellow-subects whom he has the honor to command.

Col. Gascoigne, the new Commandant of the Canadian militia(will arrive here on Monday) week. Immediately on his arrival he will be gazetted Major-General, as the Militia Act provides.

H. T. Fuller and A. P. Weston of Halifax, having passed required examination, their admission as cadets to Royal Military College has been approved.

A Globe Fabrication Denied

A flat denial is given by Hon. Mr. Ouimet, acting Minister of Agriculture, to The Globe's story, made on the authority of R. G. Murphy, at a meeting of the Brockville cheese Board a few days ago, that Dairy Commissioner Robertson had obtained an advance of $40,000 on Prince Edward Island cheese, "which had a peculiar flavor, and which was simply 'another name for stink.'" The facts of the case are simple. On the recommendation of the Mister of Agriculture in 1893 Parliament passed a vote of $36,000 to enable the Dairy Commissioner to promote the dairying interests by advances for making cheese and butter within the provinces, the proceeds of sales or products from such advances to be placed to the credit of the consolidated revenue fund. This vote has been repeated every session since, with the exception of last session,when it was increased to $40,000. With this vote the Dairy Commissioner, with the consent and concurrence of the Minister of Agriculture, commenced a series of dairy schools, having for their object to stimulate and promote the dairy interests in Canada. The result was an almost phenomenal success. These object lessons were commenced in Ontario to promote winter butter making. Prof. Robertson at first met some objections, but they were soon overcome, and soon as farmers saw the practical results obtained the scheme spread like wildfire. Thereupon the Commissioner moved further east. He is this year operating in the Maritime Provinces and Prince Edward Island. This will probably be the last year of his operations on the Island, for the reason that as the movement is well started it will run itself hereafter, as in Ontario. In fact, what the Dairy Commissioner does is to provide skilled instructors and make advances to farmers for milk they supply in those parts of the Dominion where he operated. The cheese is manufactured by most approved appliances and then the Dairy Commissioner completes the transaction of selling by putting the product on the market. It has been understood and agreed from thebeginning, that Prof. Robertson might use his vote over and over again, with the single requirement that the whole sum be deposited to the credit of the Receiver-General at the end of the fiscal year. At the present time there is cheese valued at $52,000, and made in Prince Edward Island, under the control of the Dairy Commissioner in Montreal, and for which he has made advances for milk to farmers. He has not thought it well to sell this cheese at present ruling prices. He therefore, after reporting his action to the Department, and in order to keep his faith and meet demands of patrons for further advances for milk and to forward the manufacture of cheese, obtained an advance from a chartered bank of $40,000 on this $52,000 worth of cheese. It seems to be perfectly clear that he might sell his cheese and re-use the money, he might also partially sell the same reuse, on calculation of a better market later on. At any rate that is his discretion, under his responsibility to the Minister of Agriculture. As to the quality of the cheese on authority of the Commons Committee on Agriculture, it commands half a cent a pound above Ontario prices.

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Increase of Trade.

The trade returns for the past two months indicate a gratifying increase in the trade of the country. Exports are valued at $24,876,199, as against $22,559,419, or an increase of two millions and a quarter. The duty collected for the same period shows an increase of $318,000. Imports for the two months manifest a falling off of exactly two million dollars.

Militia Changes.

The following militia changes will appear in The Canada Gazette:

Governor-General's Body Guard—To be 2nd lieutenant provisionally, Frederick C. Denison, to complete establishment.

2nd Battalion, Queen's Own Rifles—To be lieutenant, 2nd Lieutenant Lester L. Palmer, vice Burnham, promoted.

10 Battalion, Royal Grenadiers—To be lieutenants, 2nd Lieutenants Alexis F. R. Martin, Henry R. O'Reilly, Donald C. Meyers, Samuel F. Sloane, Jas. T. Craig, James C. Mason and George H. C. Brooke.

That part of general order 18, dated the 11th May, permitting Lieut. William R. Pringle to resign his commission is amended by addition of following words after "commission," "and to retain rank of lieutenant on retirement."

48th Battalion, Highlanders—Provisional 2nd Lieutenant John V. Rainsbath retires. To be 2nd lieutenant provisionally, Norman W. Cosby.

No. 4, "Hamilton Field Battery," to be second lieutenant, provisionally: George S. Proctor, vice Duncan, promoted.

Lee-Metford Rifles Ordered

It is understood that Hon. Mr. Dickey has placed an order through the High Commissioner for 1500 rifles of the Lee-Metford pattern, the new arm with which the British regulars are now equipped, and 800 Lee-Metford carbines for Canadian cavalry.

Will Retain the Brothers.

The French committee of the Separate School Board met to-night to consider Brother Superior Flamien's letter withdrawing the Christian Brothers from the Ottawa schools. At first a motion was presented to accept the "resignations," but some of the more timid trustees objected and an amendment was adopted favoring further negotiations with Brother Flamien and retention of the services of the Brothers until the end of the year. A private letter was received from Hon. G. W. Ross by Trustee Seguin today assuring him of the hearty support in efforts to elevate the standard of the schools.

Thomas Monro, C.E.,engineer-in-chief of the Soulanges canal, has been appointed the Canadian Government's representative to the Deep Waterways Convention at Cleveland next week.

William Wainwright, of the Grand Trunk, and C. Drinkwater of the C.P.R., were here to-day.

Wiggins' Stormy Benevolence.

Prof. Wiggins being asked to-night about his storm prophecy for Saturday, said: I predicted this storm solely for benevolent purposes, to save life and property, but the press want the storm before it is due. The real cause of my recording this storm 13 years ago was that I feared a tidal wave on the west coast of South America and the east coast of North America Sept. 21, 1895, for this is the greatest planetary conjunction of my time.

Notes.

The total amount of Inland Revenue accrued last month was $651,382, an increase of five thousand dollars.

Stationary Engineers of Canada hold annual convention here next week.

The Parry Sound Railway Company will comence construction of its shops at Archville on the southern outskirts of the city in a few days.

Deposits in the Postoffice Savings Banks for August totalled $657,054 and withdrawals $512,910.

Sword's Saturday Specials.

We have opened to-day 10 dozen English Cambric Shirts, 2 collars and cuffs detached, just the thing for business wear; regular price $1.25 and $1.50, to-day 75c and $1. The balance of our French Cambric shirts $1.25, worth $1.75. Five hundred pairs English French and Canadian braces, including the celebrated Ambulance brace 25c a pair, regular 50c. See our window for new fall neckwear, underwear and hosiery. 55 King-street east, opposite Toronto-street.

Fall Races, new Hunt Club, this afternoon. First Race at 2 30 p.m Admission to Grand Stand and Betting Ring $1.

Stevenson Bros. Scotch Suitings sell swiftly. Sure savers of money. Yonge-street and Wilton-avenue.

Millinery Galore.

As we draw near to October month ladies will be looking out for something natty in headgear. No better place in Canada in which to purchase can be chosen than McKendry & Co. ,Yonge-street. This firm have made a great impression on the purchasing public by their grand opening, held on Wednesday and Thursday last.

Just give Silver Cream a trial on all your silverware. 25c.

Don't purchase your fall suit or overcoat until you see our leading lines at $16, $18 and $20, imported goods. S. Corrigan, the leader, 113 Yonge.

Fall Races, Woodbine, this afternoon. First Race at 2.30 p.m

Beautiful neat patterns in imported trowserings, an immense variety to choose from at $4, $4.50, $5. Not to be compared with anything in the market, worth 25 per cent. more. Order early. Perfect fit guaranteed. Satisfaction assured. S. Corrigan, 113 Yonge-street.

After a good square meal use Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum. Beware of fraudulent imitations.

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Ask your grocer for "Salada" Ceylon Tea

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The T. Eaton Co. use only Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines.

E. Sullivan of the Leader Cafe always has Sprudel on ice at 5c per glass or 10c with California Tokay.

UNIFICATION OF ITALY.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE ENTRY OF ITALIAN TROOPS INTO ROME.

The Populace Enthusiastic—Monument to Garibaldi Unveiled—Crispi Eulogizes Victor Emanuel and Warns the Clergy—Canadian Pontifical Zouaves Pass a Resolution of Protest in Montreal.

Rome, Sept. 20.—Buildings throughout the city are literally covered with decorations and the streets are crowded with people eager to witness he ceremonies of this, the principal day of the series of celebrations commemorative of the entry of the Italian troops into Rome. It is noticeable, however, that only the embassies of the United States and England display flags. All of the other embassies and legations abstain from any participation in the fetes, whatever. The Pope went last evening to St. Peter's, where he spent an hour in prayer. His Holiness will perform a similar act this evening and again to-morrow.

A Monument to Garibaldi.

The chief event of the day was the unveiling of a monument to the memory of Garibaldi on Janiculum Hill in the presence of 50,000 wildly enthusiastic persons, King Humbert and the royal family, all of the court dignitaries and Cabinet Ministers and numerous deputations of veteran Garibaldians. The latter, with banners and bands of music, occupied the places of honor.

Premier Crispi delivered an oration, eulogizing Victor Emanuel and Garibaldi as the saviors of Rome from foreign tyranny. If Christianity could conquer the world without the aid of arms, it was difficult to understand why the Vatican should desire a civil principality in which to exercise its functions.

Catholics Should be Grateful.

In no state, he declared, had the church so much liberty as in Italy, and Catholics ought to be grateful for this to those who had striven to unify Italy by making Rome its capital.

Signor Crispi concluded by saying that if, despite the advantages which the clergy enjoyed, they should violate the laws to disturb the country, their punishment would be prompt and inexorable.

Parade With 1000 Flags

A procession of great length marched this evening to the open space about Porta Pia. A thousand flags were carried by the paraders. At the head of the procession marched numerous delegates from the Provincial Commons. Next came pupils of the military schools and delegations from the Italian colonies broad. These were followed by various bodies of Freemasons after which came a long line of military, political and workingmen's societies. The whole procession made a magnificent and imposing spectacle.

As the paraders passed the Austrian Embassy they were greeted with hooting by the men in line, which was caused by the fact that the Embassy, like the Embassies of France and Russia, displayed no flag in honor of the occasion.

King Humbert has conferred the decoration of the Order of the Annunciata upon Gen. Cadorna, who commanded the troops who marched into Rome on Sept. 20, 1870. This evening a gala dinner was given at the Quirinal.

"LEO XIII. POPE AND KING."

Canadian Pontifical Zouaves Consecrate Their New Chapel in Montreal.

Montreal, Sept. 20.—A requiem service was celebrated this morning in the Roman Catholic Cathedral for the souls of the Canadian Pontifical Zouaves who fought for the defence of Pius IX. from 1861 to 1870. The Rev. Canon Archambault officiated, with Abbes Charest and Dauth as deacon and sub-deacon respectively. Archbishop Fabre occupied a stall among the canons. After the sermon, all the Zouaves gathered in the chapel just erected by them and there held an act of consecration to the Sacred Heart.

An adjournment then took place to the grand parlor in the Archbishop's Palace, where a resolution of protest was read. The resolution set forth that the Canadian ex-Papal Zouaves in general meeting assembled lodged a solemn protest against the sacrilegious spoliation of the Pope's domain by the Italian troops in 1870. By inaugurating their reunion on this occasion the Canadian Zouaves wished to show that neither time nor distance could make the Catholic world forget that it is the duty of every son of the Church to recognize and support the inalienable rights of papacy. In speaking on the motion, Chevalier Pendergast remarked that, in 1870, they were weak in numbers only. However, thank heaven, their sons were now numerous, and if occasion required it, he trusted that those sons would do what they had been unable to do themselves. Before parting let them now all unite in a hearty "hurrah for Leo XIII., Pope and King." The cry was given with enthusiasm, and the meeting then dispersed.

Italians in Washington Jubilate.

Washington, Sept. 20.—The Italians of Washington to-day celebrated the anniversary of the unification of their country. The celebration began with a street parade and was conducted by the local society. Baron De Fava, the Italian ambassador, received the society, about 400 strong, at his residence on Connecticut-avenue, and gave them a luncheon. Patriotic speeches were made and a message to King Humbert congratulating him on the unity of the Italian states, was sent by the society through Baron De Fava. A banquet, presided over by Baron De Fava, formed the concluding feature of the celebration.

100 Young Men Wanted.

Manager Sheppard advertises in another column for 100 strong young men for the stage during the Irving engagement next week at the Grand Opera House. Applicants to be at the stage door at 11 o'clock, to-day.

What They Drink.

Since the citizens became aware that the mains were filled with sewage-bearing water of the Bay there has been a steady demand for East Kent Ale that has taxed to the utmost the capacity of the wholesale agency.

The reason for the preference given this brand is not far to seek. The springs which supply the East Kent brewery are renowned as the best in Canada, while the ale and porter placed on the market under the name "East Kent" are guaranteed perfectly pure, and as such are vouched for by analysts and physicians of the highest standing. The people are quick to appreciate a really good article, and that is why East Kent Ale has been such a marvelous success. All the best dealers.

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HIGHWAY ROBBERY AT PETROLEA

A Syrian Pedlar Choked, Kicked and Robbed by Three Men—Two of the Assailants Arrested.

Petrolea, Ont., Sept. 20.—Michael Peter, a Syrian who peddles small wares around this county, reported to Chief Jackson that three men took his satchel by force and helped themselves to some of his goods about two miles from town, and one of the three choked and kicked him.

Two men answering to the description were arested by the Chief and Officer Ferguson some miles from town this afternoon and locked up. Their names are Abraham Robertson and Alex. Turney. The officers are after the other one.

BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.

He Had Borrowed the Guns to Shoot Ground Hogs.

On Monday last, James Birch, a farmer in the 6th concession of Whitchurch, North York, who has been melancholic for some time past, in consequence of trouble, was found on the road side, across a log upon which he appears to have been previously sitting, with a shot wound. The charge entered under his chin and went up into the brain. He left his home with a gun, borrowed from a neighbor, ostensibly to shoot ground hogs. An inquest was considered unnecessary as the indications all pointed to suicide.

We Guarantee to Feed a Baby.

Another case of triplets, on Sherbourne-street this time,and fit kin to a previous outbreak recorded in The World, reminds us of a medical pamphlet just issued, which declares that "a baby is whatever its parents make it." Every man who has to work for the support of a baby ought to be perfectly easy about its future. The consciousness that his willingness and ability to provide for it, may cease at any time should in no way bother him nor act as a clog upon his present efforts. But in order that his mind may be perfectly easy he should secure a financial guarantee that his family will be provided for if he fails to do so. If he lives he can continue to find them day by day their daily bread. If he dies, the guarantee will do it. You see what we are driving at, of course; the guarantee costs very little and is worth much; it is an unconditional policy in the Manufacturers' Life—unconditional as to habits of life or manner of death, and non-forfeitable from any cause whatever. Costing only a few cents a day, such a policy,so liberal in its conditions, and is issued at such a low rate, most effectually meets the desires of the anxious, allays the apprehensions of the fearful, consoles the feelings of the afflicted, and disarms the uncertainties of the future of half their terror. See one of our agents, Manufacturers Life Insurance Company, head office, 63 Yonge-street, corner Colborne, Toronto, Canada. 67

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Although physicians of the highest repute prescribe East Kent ale and porter in cases where a strengthgiving and appetizing agent is required, it must not be supposed that the "East Kent" means medicine. It means the best ale and the best porter—nothing more and nothing less.

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Delay Is Dangerous.

Life is uncertain, but death is sure; it thus behoves every man to attend matters of importance when in good health.

One of such matters is life insurance. The North American Life Assurance Company has the very best variety of plans of insurance to select from. Write them at their head office, 22 to 28 King-street West, Toronto, Ont., for full particulars. 246

Chicago and Return

On October 3rd, 4th and 5th ticket agents in Canada will sell round trip tickets to Chicago at the lowest rate ever made to the Windy City. Tickets must read via Detroit, Wabash Railway. All tickets are good to return up to October 21; solid through trains. Diagrams of sleepers now open. Full particulars from any R.R. agent or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto.

See the No. 9 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine with attachments. 249 Yonge-st.

Procrastination.

If the maxim, "Never put off till to-morrow what you can do to-day," was more strictly observed, especially in matters of importance, the individual, as well as the community in which he resides, would be benefited thereby.

Every man should attend to the important matter of life insurance. That strong and successful company, the North American Life, offers very attractive plans of insurance, calculated to meet the wants of all classes of insurers.

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Cook's Turkish Baths, 202 204 King west

Fast Time on the Wabash.

A great deal has been said about fast railroad trains in England and on the New York Central, but a western road has just been heard from, No. 1, Denver limited, on the Wabash made the run from Moberly to Kansas City last week, 129 miles, in 129 minutes. Considering that all trains has to take 10 minutes in crossing the Missouri River bridge at Kansas City, this shows that the Wabash is in the swim.

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You can get the genuine Tonka Tob for 10c per packoge. Do not pay same price for a cheap imitation. 135

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Ask for Dewar's Scotch whisky, as supplied to her Majesty, Queen Victoria. 246

WAS THIS MAN MURDERED?

WORKMEN UNEARTH A SKELETON IN HAMILTON.

Evidences of Foul Play, But as the Bones Had Been Buried Ten Years the Energetic Coroner Won't Act—Possibility of a Cigar Makers' Strike—Bricklayers Will Work Only Nine Hours.

Hamilton, Sept. 20.—While Contractor Faulknor was excavating for a cellar in a vacant lot north of 52 Magill-street, one of his men unearthed a human skeleton this morning and a fracture of the skull justified the supposition that someone had been murdered, and laid away quietly. When Alfred Green one of the workmen was about two feet below the surface, his pick struck something hard. He thought it was a stone. He dug the hard object out and found it was a human skull. Continuing to shovel away the sandy loam he found the other bones of the body, and putting them all together a human skeleton was formed. The bones were large and long, indicating the person had been big. Coroner White was notified and an examination showed that the murdered person was a man. The jaws were big and square. The skull was of ordinary size, the forehead being low, receding, while the back of the head was well developed. Over the left temple was a fracture, which had not been made recently, the only recent marks on the skull being a puncture on the back of it, made by the pick. The bones were dry, but well preserved; there was no vestige flesh about them, and from their condition the interment took place probably from six to ten years ago.

A few years ago this locality, which is close to Vinegar Hill, was a resort for cock fighters and all that class of people, who held high carnival every night. It is supposed the man was knocked and laid away in this quiet little spot. The lot was, till a few years ago, owned by Miss Jane Jones, De Grassi-street, Toronto, who resided at No. 52 Magill, having inherited the property from her father, the late Thomas Furlong. No inquest will be held and the bones will be intered.

Bricklayers and Masons.

A meeting of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union was held last evening and it was decided that the rule, requiring members to work nine hours a day only, should be carried out, and accordingly, at 6 o'clock, all the bricklayers and stonemasons employed on the T., H. & B. tunnel quit work, refusing to continue till 6o'clock, as formerly. There is little danger, however, that the outcome of this will be serious, as Contractor Stewart is willing to accede to the demands of the union, and will obviate the necessity of requiring them to work ten hours a day as soon as there is working accommodation for more bricklayers. His contract, which is a big one, has to be completed this year, and owing to the delay caused by the hard pan, he is anxious to have the work proceed as rapidly as possible.

May End in a Strike.

There are prospects of trouble between George E. Tuckett & Son and their cigarmakers over prices. Some time ago several cigarmakers met representatives of the local Cigarmakers' Union and endeavored to induce them to establish a uniform scale of prices among the union throughout the Dominion for the manufacturers were laboring under the disadvantage of having to pay their union men a higher scale than is paid in Toronto, Montreal and Quebec. The local union took no action in the matter, and this morning the following propositions were made to the Tuckett & Son's employes:

"We are willing to pay you the present Toronto bill of prices, and an advance over this bill of one to two dollars per thousand for certain hand work jobs. We understand the Toronto bill of prices is the highest outside of Hamilton.

"Once we will pay you the present Hamilton prices, less one dollar all round, with the exception of our six-inch cigar, for which we consider $15 per thousand is sufficient.

"Our company has always considered the interests of its employes, and I assure you nothing would afford us greater pleasure than to be able to continue the present scale of prices and develop our business, but the present conditions of the cigar business will not permit of it. We are willing to submit the matter to arbitration, you to choose one arbitrator, we to choose another, and the two arbitrators, if they cannot agree, to choose a third in the person of one of the Judges of the County Courts. We submit the above for your answer in writing one week from to-day."

Diverting Binkley Hill Road.

At a meeting of the County Council to-day it was decided to grant $500 towards the diversion of the Binkley Hill road, which is crossed by the T., H. & B. Railway. The north portion of the road will be closed up, and the railway company will contribute a certain amount of money, providing it will be alolwed to fill in the present bridge crossing.

Notes

R. McKay, acting for the T., H. & B Company; S. C. Mewburn, acting for George Fitzgerald, and Judge Snider as independent arbitrator, heard evidence this morning in an arbitration case of Fitzgerald v. T., H. & B. Company. The company offered $1000 for a piece of property which Fitzgerald valued at $2000, and was assessed for $1240. Decision has not yet been given.

Charles Blaicher, employed on the T., H. & B. in Saltfleet, has begun an action for $2000 damages for alleged slander against Mrs. William Nash of Saltfleet for calling him a thief and a rogue.

This morning Robert Young was sent to the Central Prison for six months for asaulting Fred Camilo.

The "Slater" $3 Shoe is made black or tan—six shapes—all sizes—many widths.

Every citizen is loud in the praise of the St. Leon Mineral Water Co., who are very generously allowing a 20 per cent. discount off their famous St. Leon Water, while the break in the conduit lasts. Head office 101 1-2 Kingstreet west. Tel. 1321. 36

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Ask your grocer for "Salada" Ceylon Tea

The best—Eaton's Owen Sound Ale.

"I AM NOT ABLE TO DO MY WORK."

The Reason Given to His Son by T. H Pratt of Toronto For Taking His Own Life.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 20.—There is more pathos than reproach attached to the story of the suicide of Thomas H. Pratt of 103 Sussex-avenue, Toronto, at Carberry on Wednesday. He came to make an independent living by working in the havest fields, but finding his strength unequal to the task, took his life rather than be a burden to his family. The motive for his act is explained in the following letter to his son, T. G. Pratt, Otterburne, Man.:

My Dear Tom,—My strength has failed me and I am not able to do my work, so have to leave it. I have no intention of being a burden to either you or the girls. You must do your best for your mother and the children now that I am taken from you. I trust that God will help and preserve you. I hope that your health may not fail in this country as mine has. I remain, your loving father.

(Signed) T. H. PRATT.

It Has Gone.

Visitors at the late Toronto Exhibition will, without doubt, remember the magnificent and much-admired exhibit of pianos as exhibited by Messrs. Whaley, Royce & Co. of this city, one of which was so handsome in every detail that it is still talked of, and the warerooms of this enterprising firm at 158 Yonge-st., have been flooded daily since the Exhibition with visitors, to see the piano with the silk plush case, cream enameled and gold panels, with gold trimmings, until a few days ago when the firm sold it to Mrs. Shaw of Bay View Hotel, Newmarket track.

COMING EVENTS AND SHADOWS.

Gratifying Premonitions Were Given Yesterday of What Saturday Will Be.

The opening day of Dineens' hat show for the fall season more than realized expectations. It was a great success in every respect. The display was better than ever before, the weather was glorious, the throngs of visitors enthusiastic and the number of purchases of autumn hats greater than in any one previous day this year. The hat rooms were filled from the opening till the closing hour.

Yesterday was a foretaste of what to-day will be. The bargains, for such they reallly are, will be noised abroad. The prices are lower and the quality higher than ever before. One fact the public should be seized of—the styles shown at Dineens' cannot be seen elsewhere. This noted firm is sole agent in Canada for most of the hats now being shown.

Now, a word to the ladies. Dineens' yesterday received another shipment of fine fur neck-scarves from Paris, the first consignment of which was so rapidly bought up. The prices of the second shipment willl be the same as of the first, although the quality of the scarves rank higher. Here are prices which are unapproacable: Water mink, $1.50; real mink, $2.50, $3.50 and $5. Ladies are advised to call early for choice of these goods, manufacturers prices for which have advanced and no more can be offered at the same price after to-day. The children must not be omitted. There are plenty of novelties for them in hats and caps. In fact, the wants of no class are omitted in the King and Yonge-street hat opening. Complete in every respect, the show reflects great credit on the firm and the public get their reward too.

The price is stamped on the sole of every "Slater" shoe.

Guiltless of Intent.

St. Therese, Sept. 20.—The jury in the case of the girl, Cadieux, who was shot by her companion a few days ago, returned a verdict of accidental death, imputing no blame to Laroche.

Grand Sport at Fall Races of the New Hunt Club this afternoon. First Race. 2.30 p.m.

The centre of attraction for elegant fall and winter suitings, overcoatings and trowserings at bottom prices is Corrigan's, corner of Yonge and Adelaide-street. Note the address.

Ocean Steerage Rates Going Up.

Secure your tickets at the low rate at once, before the advance. Cheap rates to South Afric a. A. S. Sharp, 82 Yonge-street, four doors north of King. Tel. 500. 123456

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BIRTHS.

REED—At Ottawa, on Tuesday, 17th September, 1895, the wife of Hayter Reed of a son.

MARRIAGES.

SMITH—DELANO-OSBORNE—On Wednesday, 18th Sept., at the Memorial Church, Sutton, by the Rev. J. Nesbitt, Eustace Alexander Smith of Park Farm, Weston, to Maude, eldest daughter of Jas. Delano-Osborne, Esq., late of the Royal Horse Artillery.

THOMPSON—WISSLER—At St. John's Church, Elora, on Sept. 18, by the Rev. Thomas Smith, rector, Fannie Mary, only daughter of John R. Wissler, Esq., Salem, Ont., to the Rev. Hedley V. Thompson, rector of Newmarket, third son of Capt. Thompson of Meaford, Ont.

DEATHS.

LEVER—At the residence of Mr. Benjamin McDonald, Richmond Hill, on Thursday, Sept. 19, Charlotte Lever, aged 77 years.

M'MASTER—At the residence of Mrs. Craig, Brampton, on Wednesday, the 18th inst., Miss Ann McMaster, sister of the late Senator McMaster, aged 97 years.

CASSIN—On the morning of the 10th Sept., Rev. Father Cassin, aged 45 years.

REID—At his late residence, Brisbane, Sept. 19, Rev. H. Reid, in the 77th year of his age.

SCOTT—At his parents' residence, "Idlewylde," Listowel, on Sabbath, Sept. 15, his 19th birthday, John Waldron, second and dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott.

JOYCE—Frank Sutton Joyce, of typhoid fever, aged 17 years 3 months.

Funeral at 4 p.m. Saturday, 21st, from 47 Ontario-street.

MUTTON—On Sept. 20, at the residence of his parents, 35 Spruce-street, Allyn, the dearly beloved son of John and Olivia Mutton, aged 13 months.

Funeral notice hereafter. Rochester papers please copy.

REDDAN—On Friday, Sept. 20, at 52 Jarvis-street, William, infant son of William J. and Johanna Reddan.

Are you footsore? Wear the "Slater Shoe.

Marble and Granite

Robert Powell, 336 Yonge-street, is giving up business and disposing of his large stock, marble and granite monuments, etc., at cost. Rare bargains are offered those looking for monuments, etc. Telephone 1627. 246

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IS LEROY A BIGAMIST?

THE SAD STORY OF A PORK PACKER'S DAUGHTER.

Induced to Marry a Man Who It is Alleged Already Had a Wife and Left With Him For Montana—Wife No. 1 is Still Living in the City.

That section of the city in the vicinity of King and Ontario-streets has been stirred up for the last two or three weeks over an occurrence of a somewhat sensational character. The tongue of gossip has been busy with the name of a young girl who has until recently been much respected in that locality. It is now apparent that she was more sinned against than sinning and that her innocence was taken advantage of by a smooth-tongued scoundrel of double her age. Katie Steinle, for that is her name, was a pretty young girl of 17, rosy cheeked and remarkably well developed for her age. She lived with her parents in their comfortable home at 8 Ontario-street, her father being a pork-packer and conducting a flourishing business in a warehouse at the rear of their residence. He and his good wife are of German extraction, and came here from Cincinnati some years before Katie was born.

The Niagara Falls' Trip.

On Aug. 17 last Katie took a trip to Niagara Falls, but nothing was thought of that as the family sometimes took a trip across the lake. Some time after she returned, however, she startled the family by telling them that she was married. This was laughed off, however, and passed for a joke, as no husband was apparent. Nothing further could be gotten out of the girl, who confided, however, her story to a younger sister and to a friend, Mary Detlor, who lives at 258 King east. The latter she took up to her room one day and said: "Mary, you'd be surprised, wouldn't you?" "I'm surprised at what?" was the natural rejoinder. "To hear that I was married," continued Katie. She then took out her marriage license and showed it to her friend, who noticed that it was dated at Niagara Falls, N.Y., and that the bridegroom's name was John Leroy.

The next incident in the story was the disappearance on Sept. 2 of Katie and the receipt by her mother of a letter telling her that she had gone with her husband, John Leroy. Immediately after this it began to be rumored around that everything was not right, and that Leroy was already married. Upon hearing this the grief-stricken mother paid a visit to John Leroy's mother, who lives with her married daughter, Mrs. W. A. Milne, at 46 Grove-avenue, Parkdale. These are most estimable people and highly connected, and "Jack" Leroy's conduct caused them a great deal of worry and grief. The old lady, however, could not be convinced that her son had done such a thing, and when seen by Mrs. Steinle indignantly detailed that "her Jack" had ever been married.

The First Wife.

Mrs. John Leroy, No. 1, is however an established fact, and "Jack" has been living with her for a number of years on Walton-street, and later in a very nice suite of apartments over the Kensington Dairy, 453 1-2 Yonge-street. She furnished indisputable proof of her marriage to a gentleman friend who informed The World that he would be ready to swear in a court of law that she had shown him a bona-fide marriage certificate with John Leroy. The latter gentleman was a man of 35 and wife No. 1 an attractive looking woman of 35, with fair hair. He was a man who fraternized largely with the sporting fraternity, at the same time dressing extremely well and presuting a genteel appearance. He made his living by traveling through the province and selling cheap jewelry from house to house.

He has three brothers, Dan, George and Frank, and the whole party left the city together, taking with them little Katie Steinle. They took with them about $300 worth of the cheap jewelry. They were seen at Owen Scund and this tallies with a letter received by the girl's mother from her at Winnipeg, they having gone by boat from the latter place. The United States customs authorities have been notified, and it looks as if warm times were ahead for Mr. John Leroy.

Wife No. 1 he left penniless at 453 1-2 Yonge-street, and after the bailiff had been satisfied, through kind friends she moved l