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## Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

CITY POOL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT—Grigg House parlors. This afternoon's game is between James and Dunham, this evening Horsman and Barrows. b

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—WEDNESDAY, Oct. 7, Lincoln J. Carter's newest play, "The Heart of Chicago," monster scenic production. See the great fire scene; the burning of Chicago; the beautiful reproduction of the World's Fair Court of Honor; the great Masonic Temple Roof Garden scene; the greatest railroad event ever produced. The perfect panorama of Chicago's South Side. Detroit Tribune—"The greatest production of a great melodrama ever given in Detroit." Prices 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 29c

BOSTON QUINTETTE CLUB.
MUSIC HALL, OCT 9.
TICKETS 25 AND 50 CENTS.
Plan at Morphy's Jewelry Store. 30k

$3,000,000 IS WHAT IT COST to build the Paris of the American Line. Paris sails for Southampton from New York, Wednesday, Oct. 7. Tickets on application to FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—CLASSES as follows: Gentlemen Mondays; ladies Tuesdays, 8 p.m.; ladies and children Saturdays, 3 p.m. Circulars on application. Special reduction to former pupils. Orchestra for balls, etc. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

## Religious Services.

REVIVAL SERVICES WILL BEGIN IN the Centennial Methodist Church, Wednesday, 7th, 8 p.m. Rev. J. McD. Kerr, of Toronto, assisting for eleven days. 29u zx

## Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

FOREST CITY CAMP NO. 1 CANADIAN Order Woodmen meets tomorrow (Thursday) evening, in Duffield Block. Visitors welcome. THOS. HOGG, Con. Com.; CHAS. DOE, Clerk. b

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY—THE USUAL quarterly meeting on Thursday evening, 8th. All members requested to attend. G. W. SAYERS, President; R. CADWALLADER, Secretary. b

THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY ANNUAL meeting will be held in the City Hall, on Friday, Oct. 9, 5 p.m. b

I. O. O. F.—THIRD DEGREE—DOMINION Lodge, No. 48, this (Wednesday) evening. A full attendance requested. R. G. DARBY, N.G.; THOS. D. HASTINGS, R.S. b

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 223, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block. b

ST. GEORGE'S 42, A. F. and A. M., G. R C., meets tonight (Wednesday), 7th inst., at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Visitors welcome. JOHN BLANCH, W.M.; A. ELLIS, secretary. b

A SERVICE OF PRAISE WILL BE HELD in St. James' Church, London South, on Wednesday evening, Oct. 7, at 8 o'clock. All welcome. Collection. 30u

## Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT —Apply Mrs. J. A. CRODEN, 281 Hill street. 29c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply 346 St. James street. 28k

WANTED—A GOOD COOK; REFERENCES required. Apply to MRS. JOHN LABATT, 572 Queen's avenue. 23tf

GENERAL SERVANTS—HOUSEMAIDS, nurse girls, housekeepers and girls for all kinds of work on hand at Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street. 'Phone 1121.

WANTED—25 GENERALS, ALSO dining-room girls, chamber maids, kitchen girls and cooks. ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

## Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

AGENTS—WANTED—$20 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

## Female Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED LADY stenographer and typewriter accustomed to Smith Premier; for large manufacturing establishment; must be rapid and accurate; none but first-class need apply. Address "Manufacturer," Advertiser office. 30c

FIRST-CLASS MANTLEMAKERS WANTED. Apply to SMALLMAN & INGRAM. 29c

LADY TYPEWRITER WANTED—MUST understand stenography, bookkeeping and general office work; state salary, references, etc. Address "Typewriter," Advertiser office. 29c

## Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—ON DUNDAS STREET—SNAKE bracelet. Kindly return to this office. b

## Agents Wanted.

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SALESMEN WANTED IN EVERY DISTRICT to handle reliable goods; samples free; salary and expenses paid from start for full time; permanent employment; for particulars write LUKE BROS. Co., Montreal. xt

WANTED—LADY AGENTS EVERYWHERE to canvass for Magnetic American Health Corsets to measure; best on earth; profits good. MADAME STEVENS, manager, 100 Bleury street, Montreal. 29i bw

DO YOU FIND TIMES HARD?—IT'S because you handle the wrong article. Try our fast reliable sellers and you will find things different. Five new books, prices from 50c to $1 75. Don't fool away time, but get hold of something you can sell in every house. If you are making $5 per day, don't waste time writing, just remember though, we are headquarters for "hard times" books. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto.

## Veterinary Surgeons.

J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

J. H. WILSON & SON—OFFICE 203½ KING street, London; residence, 346 Richmond street. Telephone.

## Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

"RED CROSS" DOUBLE-HEATER stove—McClary—Good as new. 15 Marley Place, South London. 31u

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrants SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. x

FOR SALE—SINGER BICYCLE—IN GOOD repair; big snap; $15 cash. Apply 637 Dufferin avenue. 29c

STOVES—A LARGE NUMBER OF baseburners and cookstoves for sale. Porter Auction Mart, 97 Carling street. 27bu

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine is in daily operation and can be seen at The Advertiser office, London, Ont. 6tf-31f

7 GOOD RANGES FOR SALE AT THE Ark, Market Square.

FOR SALE — BALANCE OF SUMMER goods, fly nets and dusters, at cost. J. DARCH & SONS, 377 and 379 Talbot street.

APPLE BARRELS—663-671 BATHURST street, east end. C. W. SMITH. 11ba-eod

FOR SALE CHEAP — TWO DOUBLE roughcast cottages, corner Dufferin avenue and Elizabeth street. Apply LEWIS CLARK, 358 Rectory street.

RALEIGH BICYCLE, IN GOOD ORDER, only $20; also Singer bicycle, a big bargain, at $15. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 388 Richmond street.

APPLE BARRELS FOR SALE—APPLY J. D. SAUNBY, London.

PIANOS—NORDHEIMER'S AGENCY AT Anderson's Book Store, 183 Dundas street, representing Steinway, Chickering, Haines, and the celebrated Nordheimer Pianos. Orders for musical merchandise and sheet music promptly attended to.

9 SECOND-HAND ORGANS BY RELIABLE makers; prices ranging from $10 upwards. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street. H. W. BURNETT, manager.

## Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET — TWO NEW DWELLING houses, all modern conveniences, including plumbing and heating. Apply 253 Talbot street. 13tf eod

TO RENT—TWO LARGE ROOMS IN the Ontario Loan and Debenture Company Building, Market Lane. Heated free. WM. F. BULLEN, Manager. 10tf tzx

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET AT 436½ Richmond street. 30n

COTTAGES TO LET—94 AND 98 CARTWRIGHT street, six rooms each. Apply 102 Cartwright. 30c

TO LET—PRETTY COTTAGE, CORNER St. James and Waterloo. Apply next door. 28n

COTTAGE TO LET—488 ELIZABETH ST., opposite Dufferin avenue; 10 rooms, in good repair; soft and city water, good stable, large lot. Apply on premises. 27n

CELLAR—LARGE CELLAR—125x40 FEET —To rent, or part of same. No better in city. H. PORTER & Co., 97 Carling street. 27bu

TO RENT—A FIRST-CLASS NEW BRICK house, No. 244 Hyman street, hot water heating, every modern convenience. Apply 240 Hyman street. 22tf

TO LET—246 PICCADILLY STREET—NINE rooms; seven doors east of Richmond. Apply 148 Fullarton street. 16tf

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE TO RENT—173 Kent street, south side, near Richmond; immediate possession. Apply to E. MEREDITH, Dundas street west. 6tf

HOUSE TO LET—428 PARK AVENUE—5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; city and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREHLCOCK, 235 Dundas street. 34tf

## Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE OR RENT—TWO-STORY brick house, 242 King street, hot water heating, gas, city and soft water. Apply to WM. GURD & Co., 185 Dundas street. 30c

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A CORNER grocery; cheap. 925 Colborne street. 30n

FOR SALE—FINE TWO-STORY NEW brick house at a bargain. Four acres near city limits; good house, stable, etc.; ornamental and fruit trees. A few good houses to let. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

S. CHADWICK & SON — REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

## Educational.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and professional examinations; 808 Waterloo street. 20tf

## Wanted.

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FOUR YOUNG GENTLEMEN DESIRE rooms and board. Private family preferred. Apply stating terms, "L," Advertiser. 31u

WANTED—GOOD DOUBLE OR SINGLE brick house, within half hour's walk of postoffice, in exchange for three frame cottages, situated on Cartwright street, rent for $25 per month; will pay difference in price. Reply by letter only, stating location and terms. E. H. B., Advertiser Office. 30k yxwt

## Jewelers.

REMOVAL—J. T. WESTLAND, JEWELER and engraver, removed to 340 Richmond street, next to Grigg House.

## Business Cards.

BICYCLES REPAIRED, LAWN MOWERS sharpened; general jobbing. M. HUTCHINSON, 663 Dundas street east.

FINE MERCHANT TAILORING—GENTS own cloth made up at lowest prices. E. L. FORTNER, 202½ Dundas street.

FOR FRESH CUT FLOWERS, FLORAL designs, go to Kensington Park Conservatory, London West. Everything at wholesale price. A. R. MURDOCK, proprietor. Telephone 215. Leave orders at Mountjoy's.

GEO. ROUGHLEY—FELT AND GRAVEL roofer; repairing a specialty; estimates on application. 290 South street, London. Telephone 888.

A. T. CORP—PAINTING, GLAZING paper hanging and house decorating 143 Oxford street. Telephone 758.

## Electro-Turkish Baths.

LONDON SANITARIUM—329 DUNDAS street, J. G. Wilson, graduate of Philadelphia College Electropathy and Hygiene. Nervous and other diseases treated by natural agents and without medicines. x

## Artists.

MRS. LAURA DOUGLAS HAS REMOVED to 159 Albert street. Pupils received in oil and pastel painting.

IN THE MATTER OF E. FRENCH—Will be sold by public auction by Mr. J. W. Jones at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Thursday, the 8th day of October, at 2:30 p.m., the stocks of E. French, as follows:

First, 236 Dundas street:
Stock, candy and fruit.....$112 14
Shop furniture.....108 00
$220 14

Second, 182 Dundas street:
Stock, candy and fruit.....$311 78
Shop furniture.....597 95
Two horses, wagons and harness.....170 00
$1,079 73

Terms—One-quarter down, balance 2, 4 and 6 months, approved security, interest at 7 per cent. Stock lists at 182 Dundas street. C. B. ARMSTRONG, Trustee; GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, Trustee's Solicitors. 28c tzx

## Assignee's Sale of Lumber.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC auction, at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Thursday, Oct. 8, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of W. Howie, London, consisting of:
Lumber, shingles, posts, laths, etc.....$3,059 33
Chattels.....310 00
Total.....$3,369 33

Terms—One-third cash, balance in two and four months, secured, with interest at 7 per cent. per annum. Inventory can be seen upon premises.

Also at same time and place that valuable property upon the southwest corner of Princess and Maitland street, on which are situated one detached and two semi-detached houses. These are large and commodious residences, with modern improvements and conveniences, and can be inspected at any time by intending purchasers.

Terms of sale will be made easy, and further particulars can be had upon application to PARKE & PURDOM. ALF. ROBINSON, Assignee's Solicitors, Assignee. 25k eod

## BY AUCTION

**Building Material—Saturday, Oct. 10, at 4:30 p.m.**

THERE WILL BE SOLD ON THE grounds late Hellmuth Boys' College, St. James street, a quantity of building material in lots to suit purchasers, comprising first-class long joisting in lumber, scantling, square timber, window and door frames, sash with glass, free stone sills for doors and windows, and a lot of other useful material for building. Terms spot cash.
30u xv J. W. JONES, auctioneer.

# Executor's Sale

## Real Estate and Household Furniture, etc.

J. W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED by the executors of the late John Holden, to sell by auction on the premises,

**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21,**

that choice two-story brick residence, No. 242 Talbot street, containing nine rooms, in good repair, with building lot adjoining; immediate possession; and the household effects, etc. Time of sale, household effects, 10:30 a.m., and the property at 12 noon. Conditions of sale, for household effects, terms cash; terms on property made known at time of sale, or on application to FRASER & FRASER, solicitors. J. W. JONES, auctioneer. 31c-Oct. 7-17-20

## Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF BARTHOLOMEW Swales, of the township of North Dorchester, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman. Notice is hereby given that the above named Bartholomew Swales has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects in trust, for the benefit of his creditors, under the provisions of Chapter 124, Revised Statutes of Ontario and amending Acts. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened and will be held at John Charles' Hotel, at the village of Belmont, in said county, on Wednesday, the 14th day of October, 1896 at 2 p.m., for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors of the estate are required to file their claims, certified by affidavit, with my solicitor, W. E. Stevens Aylmer, Ont., on or before the 16th day of November next, after which date I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to claims of which I shall then have received notice, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim shall not then have been filed. JOHN W. WOOLEY, assignee: W. E. STEVENS, solicitor for assignee, Aylmer, Ont. Dated at Aylmer the 6th day of October, 1896. 31uxt

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY of Toronto; capital $2,000,000.
Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland; assets $10,000,000.
London and Lancashire Assurance Company of London, England.
Canada Accident Assurance Company of Montreal.
JOHN STEPHENSON, Agent,
Office, Huron and Erie Loan Building xt

# Sale of Burnt Pine

A quantity of standing pine timber upon unsold and unlicensed lands of the Crown, lying south and west of Biscotasing Station, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, estimated as follows:

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| Block 1 | 4,000,000 | feet B. M. |
| " 2 | 15,000,000 | " |
| " 3 | 12,000,000 | " |
| " 4 | 14,000,000 | " |
| " 5 | 16,000,000 | " |
| Total | 61,000,000 | " |

having been damaged by fire during the past summer, the undersigned hereby calls for tenders for the right to cut the damaged timber.

Tenders will be received up to and including the 20th day of October next, and may be for any block or for the whole, and must state the amount per thousand feet cubic if made into square or waney board timber, and per thousand feet board measure, if made into sawlogs, which the parties making tender are willing to pay for the burnt timber, in addition to the Crown dues of $25 per thousand feet, cubic for timber, and $1 25 per thousand feet, B M for logs. Parties are at liberty to make, and the same will be considered, an alternative tender of a lump sum as bonus for the timber on each block, in addition to the Crown dues as above stated.

The above figures represent only the Department's estimate, and intending purchasers must satisfy themselves as to quantities and all other particulars. The Department does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

For conditions, maps of the territory, and further particulars, application should be made to the Crown Lands Department.

Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Burnt Timber," and addressed to the Hon. Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Mr. A. W. Belding, Forest Ranger under the Department, will be at Biscotasing Station on and after the 23th of September to give information to parties desirous of examining this timber.

J. M. GIBSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.
Department of Crown Lands,
(Woods and Forests Branch),
Toronto, September 15th 1896. 19k x

# G. T. R. Affairs.

## Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson Pays a Tribute to Mr. Hays.

## Settlement of the Venezuelan Matter Still Distant.

## The French Press Enthusiastic in Its Welcome to the Czar.

**Du Maurier, the Artist and Author, Seriously Ill.**

DU MAURIER VERY ILL.

London, Oct. 6.—The condition of George Du Maurier, the artist and author, who has been seriously ill with lung and heart trouble for more than a week, is extremely critical.

RUSSIA, JAPAN, COREA.

London, Oct. 7.—A dispatch to the Daily News, from Vienna, says that the Russian Minister at Seoul has been instructed to inform the King of Corea that Russia has no idea of concluding a treaty with Japan for a joint protectorate of his kingdom; but that Russia considers Corea as an appendage of Siberia, and that the Corean question is closed. This information, says the Daily News' dispatch, was communicated to Lord Salisbury during the Czar's visit to England.

TURKISH WAYS.

London, Oct. 7.—A dispatch from Constantinople says that Mr. Missir, who is British vice-consul at Dedegatch, and also French postmaster there, recently successfully resisted an attempt made by the customs officers to open the mail bags consigned to his care. While resisting the attempt to seize the bags he was struck in the face by a soldier. The dispatch adds that the international commission, appointed by the Sultan to inquire into the recent massacres is composed of an Austrian, German, French and two English pashas, who are connected with the Turkish service. They met at the Yildiz Kiosk on Sept. 30, where they were asked to sign a ready-made report. The German and French members were indignant at this action, and refused to sign the report. The others lacked courage to resent the request. All the members of the committee are now collecting evidence.

THE CZAR'S WELCOME TO FRANCE.

Paris, Oct. 7.—The French press are unanimous in enthusiastically welcoming the Czar and Czarina to France. The Socialist papers declare that the visit of the Czar has no political significance, but the other journals dwell upon its international importance, several papers adding that the patriotic joy which Frenchmen rightly exhibit does not make them forget the lost provinces.

Le Petit Parisian publishes a special dispatch from Cherbourg which says that the Czar, in his speech at the banquet, was somewhat carried away in his assurances of Russia's friendship for France. The official version of the speech, the dispatch says, was modified before it was handed to the press.

The French press has subscribed to a gift to the Czar. It is understood that the gift will be Detaille's painting of the Rev. I. W. Challons.

NEPTUNE NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS.

Paris, Oct. 7.—The Czar and Czarina are now the guests of France. They crossed the Channel yesterday in a passage of six hours of horrible discomfort. The waves ran mountains high, heavy seas were shipped the whole way, and sea-sickness reigned below, and their Majesties were the sickest of all. The imperial yachts are floating palaces, and are astonishingly luxurious, but they are only good for Baltic waters. In a wild channel southwester they pitch and labor, and are so unwieldy as to try the seamanship of the crew to the utmost. A gloomier picture could not be imagined than the imperial yacht, rolling and pitching near the entrance of the Cherbourg breakwater. As she ran in, a rainbow spanned the dark sky, framing the arsenal, the ports of the town, and the fortress, and crowned by the heights behind. It was taken as a good augury by the august couple, and by the Presidential party awaiting them on the Jetty.

THE VENEZUELA DISPUTE.

London, Oct. 7.—Information has been furnished that no communications have passed between Great Britain and the United States upon the subject of arbitration in over a month. Important developments in connection with Venezuela, however, will probably occur within the month of October. A settlement of the Venezuela dispute is by no means imminent, and it is not true, as has been alleged, that Great Britain is making concessions to Venezuela. Much depends upon Mr. Chamberlain, who sailed from New York for England on Sept. 30, though his desires in the matter are subject to the approval of Lord Salisbury. The latter, the Foreign Office officials say, is hopeful that the arbitration question will soon be solved, but he is at present very much occupied with the Eastern question.

The United States Venezuelan commission will meet on Saturday in Washington. The commissioners are well pleased with the treatment accorded them by the British Government. It is thought their final report will be made in December.

## THE CZAR AND HIS WIFE

**Closely Scanned by the Inquisitive French—A Brave Woman.**

Paris, Oct. 7.—The Czar and Czarina were as closely scanned as politeness permitted. She had fearfully suffered from sea sickness, and was too tired to attend the banquet in the evening; but she was not to be deterred from going round the French squadron, though she had to go out to the roads, where the sea was running high. The Czar was apprehensive of the effect on her health, but she insisted quietly. In this and in many other traits she is truly Queen Victoria's granddaughter. The Czar is below the middle height and thin and slender, but less frail than expected, and is really of a manly air. He has just body enough to work a highly developed nervous system. He is sure to improve with age. He is methodic, painstaking, conscientious, knows his own mind, and will not let M. Faure draw him.

## G. T. R. AFFAIRS.

**President Wilson's Semi-Annual Report—Comparison With a Year Ago.**

London, Oct. 7.—The report of Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, was issued yesterday, and will be submitted for ratification to the semi-annual meeting of shareholders to be held in this city a week hence.

The gross receipts for the year are shown to have been £1,707,539, and the working expenses £1,218,244.

The net revenue charges for the period are shown as £574,812 19s. 11d., to which add £86,720 19s. 11d., amounts advanced to the Chicago and Grand Trunk, and the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee roads, and the total is £661,533 19s. 10d.

The net revenue deficiency is £82,062 3s. 9d., making the net traffic and other receipts combined £579,471 16s. 1d.

The passenger traffic shows a decrease of 59,497 passengers, as compared with 1895, the decrease in receipts being £1,537.

A decrease is shown in the receipts for mail carrying of £575, and an increase for the express parcel carrying of £5,355. Altogether the increase in the receipts of passenger trains is £3,243.

The freight and live stock traffic shows an increase of 150,075 tons, as compared with the same period in 1895, the average receipts per ton being £57 1s. 4d., and in 1895 £56 3s. 4d.

The Chicago and Grand Trunk shows an improvement of £20,000, and the Detroit and Grand Haven a deficiency of £32,054.

The working expenses amounted to 71 2-5 per cent. of the gross receipts, as compared with 70 4-5 in 1895. The cost of repairs increased £7,189. The half year's net charge to the capital account was £32,316, the chief item of which was £12,199 for the union station at Toronto.

The president pays a high tribute to General Manager Hayes for the zeal and energy displayed by him since undertaking the position.

With the exception of the Financial Times, all other commercial and financial journals comment favorably on the report.

# The Strike Over.

## C. P. R. Authorities Make a Proposal to the Operators.

## The Men Accept and Resume Work at Once.

**All the Strikers Not Guilty of Violence to be Reinstated.**

Montreal, Oct. 7.—At the general offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway the impression among all classes of the railway employes appears to be that the strike of the telegraphers is almost at an end. It is admitted that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and other railway organizations may succeed in obtaining a few concessions for the men who have gone out, but that the strikers will obtain all they ask is not probably. Neither is there a likelihood of a general sympathetic strike among the employes in other branches of the service.

The men, however, are not losing any hope, and state that they have every confidence in the reports of their representatives along the line, and the steadfastness of their brethren who are out. The west is solidly with them, they argue, and the strike is very perceptibly on. They do not announce that any of the other organizations will join them, but are sure that they will see that they receive what is right and proper, and save the strike from being futile.

There arrived in the city yesterday Messrs. G. P. Pike, Fort William, representing the Order of Railway Conductors; S. Kennedy, Winnipeg, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; A. W. Sawyer, Winnipeg, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, and S. Young, Winnipeg, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, who trust to effect a settlement with the company. With them was also Mr. F. M. Pierson, the assistant grand chief of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

Mr. Pierson is more than satisfied with the outlook. "We are stronger than ever," he said. "Despite the reports to the contrary, there has not been a freight train moved out of the North Bay yards since the strike commenced. The public sympathy is strongly with the men, and feeling is so high among the citizens generally that fourteen of the men who went to replace strikers between Ottawa and North Bay were every one of them compelled to take the next train back again. Our reports from the west and the far east all tell the tale of assurance of victory on the part of the men."

Mr. C. R. Hosmer, the general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway's telegraph, yesterday received about 50 applications for positions from telegraphers in the Middle and Western States.

AT OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—On the surface—locally, at least, the strike situation seems to be unchanged. Passenger trains are arriving as usual—some considerably late, some only a few hours late, but on the whole making fair time. Little, if any, freight is moving. The strikers seem more sanguine of the ultimate outcome than at any time since the strike was declared.

AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—The throng about the Union station are going about as if nothing had happened, and apparently the telegraphers' strike is ended.

Trains on the Ontario and Quebec division of the road are running practically on time, both east and west. Many of the men on this division, the company state, have gone back to work, and the positions of those who have not returned have been filled. The agent at Weston and two operators at Orangeville asked to be taken back yesterday, and they were given their old positions. In Toronto and suburbs ten men, including three dispatchers, went out, and so far none of them have asked to go back to work.

AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Oct. 7.—The strikers represented by Assistant Chief Dolphin, are looking for settlement after consultation between the company's head officials at Montreal. The strikers say they have induced a number of operators to come out at different points along the line. Shippers are talking of entering a claim against the company. The latter claim to be able now to move freight freely.

A late Montreal dispatch says: Mr. Pierson is now of the opinion that the strike will be settled within 24 hours.

It is given out that the reason the C. P. R. Company does not fill all the strikers' places at once is due to President Van Horne's sympathy. He wishes the strikers who can be taken back to regain their places.

THE STRIKE ENDED.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—The operators' strike on the Canadian Pacific Railway is over.

The strikers, with the exception of those who have committed acts of violence, are to be reinstated.

The exact terms of the settlement are not known.

At 3 o'cock this a.m. the C. P. R. made the following proposition to their striking employes, which was accepted by them:

"All employes now engaged in a strike on the Canadian Pacific Railway may report at once to their respective superintendents, who will reinstate them without prejudice to the positions they occupied before the strike took place, except such as have been guilty of such grave misconduct as to cause general superintendents to refuse to accept them."

The men all resumed work this morning.

WORLD'S W. C. T. U.

Portland, Me., Oct. 7.—Miss Agnes Black, secretary of the World's W. C. T. U., announces that the next convention of the World's W. C. T. U. will be held in Canada in October, 1897. It has not been decided whether to hold the convention in Toronto or Montreal.

**Steamship Arrivals.**

| Oct. 6 | At | From |
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| Ottoman | Liverpool | Montreal |
| Sardinian | Liverpool | Montreal |
| Parkmore | Liverpool | Montreal |
| Amsterdam | New York | Rotterdam |
| Munchen | Bremen | New York |
| Aurania | Queenstown | New York |
| St. Paul | Southampton | New York |

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

As ships meet at sea, a moment together, when words of greeting must be spoken, and then away into the deep, so men meet in this world; and I think we should cross no man's path without hailing him, and, if he needs, giving him supplies.

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