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TODAY'S MARKETS

Toronto Stock Marke	t.
TORONTO, S	ept. 17.
Ask.	Off.
Montreal Ask.	255
Pntario	126
roronto 940	236
Merchants	156
Commerce	151
Imperial	216
Dominion 233	232
Standard200	
Hamilton	195
Hamilton. British America	137
Western Assurance	104
Consumant' Clare	118
Consumers' Gas	215
Montreal Gas	189
Morthwest Land Company, pref. 50	48
Canada Pacific Ry, Stock 87%	87
General Electric	168
London Electric	115
Commercial Cable 179	170
Cable Coup. Bonds	
Cable Mes. Bonds	
Dominion Telegraph	123
Dell Telephone Company 175	17:
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Quebec Bank	N
Union Bank	091.
Bank of Commerce	
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Montreal Cotton Co	135
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Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te-umseh House, for The Advertiser. Saturday's

Close. 43 ¼ 43 % 26 ¼ 26 % 68 % 69 % 69 ¼ 70 % 52 53 ¼ 122 ½ 133 ½ 49¼ 50¼ 128 129¼ 33 33¾ 50½ 50½ Leather 68%
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English Markets

Wheat—Spot steady: No. 1 Cal., 6s ad to 6s 5%d; No. 1 nerthern spring, 6s 4%d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 1%d; futures, steady; Sopt., 6s 21/ad: Dec., 6s 41/4 d. Corn-Spot firm; American mixed, new, 4s 4½4; do. old. nominal: futures, quiet; Oct., 48 3½d; Nov., 48 3½d; Dec., 48 2½d.

Peas—Canadian. 5s 10 hd. Beef—Fxtra India mess, dull, 72s 6d; prime ness, steady, 663 3d. Pork—Prime mess, fine western, steady, 72s

Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 8s. Lard—American refined, in pairs, firm, 37s 9d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 36s. Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 44s.

Hams—Short cut. 13 to 16 lbs, dull, 44s.

Bacon—Cumberland out. 28 to 30 lbs. steady,

44s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 47s; long
clear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, firm, 43s;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm,
42s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm,
42s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 32s.

Tallow—Prime city, steady, 24s 9d; Australian
in London, steady, 25s 9d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Nov.-April,
steady, 30s 3d.

Cheese—American finest white, 52s 6d;

Cheese—American finest white, 52s 6d; do, colored, firm, 53s 6d. Butter—United States finest, 94s; do good,

Hops-At London (Pacific coast), steady, £25s

Hops—At London (Pacinic coast), steady, \$2.58 to £3.58.

Linseed oil—348.9d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 238.

Rosin—Common, steady, 48.9d.

Petroleum—63/d.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool for the last week were: From Atlantic ports, 99,200 quarters; from other ports, 2,000. The imports of corn into Liverpool from Atlantic ports of the last week were 67,400 quarters. orts for the last week were 67,400 quarters.

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, Sept. 17.—Wheat—Quiet; holders are asking 66c for old and new red and white west, and buyers quote 651/2c; goose wheat is quoted at 65c to 66c, east and west; spring, 67c east; Manitoba firmer, at 90c to 91c for No. 1 hard at Toronto and west, 84c to 84/2c affoat at Fort William, 94c grinding in transit, and 88c at Goderich and Midland. Flour-Steady, at \$2 65 asked for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags west, and \$260 bid; Manitoba with carrying an unlawful weapon in flour is steady, at \$4.25 for cars of the shape of a loaded cane. The cane strong bakers, and \$4.50 for patents, was confiscated, and the prisoner albags included, at Toronto. Millfeed-Steady; cars of shorts are quoted at \$14, and bran at \$12 west. Steady, at 38c for No. 3 extra, and 40c tective Egelton and P. C. Monaghan for No. 2, middle freights. Steady, at 49c west. Corn-Market steady, at 41½c for Canada yellow west; No. 3 American is quoted at 49c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; mixed, 23c, and white at 23½c west. Peas—Steady, 69c west. Butter-Easier; more offer-ing; choice dairy rolls at 19c to 20c, and pails at 18c to 19c; inferior butter is \$5 or twenty days. steady, at 14c to 16c; creamery easier, at 23c for prints and 22c for packages.



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Wednesday Night's BUFFALO, Sept. 17 .- Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 85c; winter, No. 2 red, Big Meeting. 76c; No. 1 white, 75c on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 46c; No. 3 yellow, 45%c; No. 2 corn, 45%c on track. Oats—No.

American Markets

2 white, 26c to 261/4c; No. 3 white, 251/4c;

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 17.—Wheat—Cash, 78½c; Sept., 78½c; Oct., 79c; Dec., 81%c. Corn—Sept., 42c; Dec., 35c. Oats

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.-Noon.-Flour

-Receipts, 41,411 barrels; sales, 4,400

packages: state and western market

Minnesota patents, \$4 15 to \$5 40; win-

ter straights, \$3 50 to \$3 60; Minnesota bakers, \$2 85 to \$3 25; winter extras,

\$2 70 to \$3; winter patents, \$3 70 to \$4;

low grades, \$2 45 to \$2 65. Rye flour-

through disappointing English cables

but had a rapid recovery on strength of

continental advices and rumors of

more export buying; Sept., 80% to

81c; Oct., 80% c to 81%c; Dec., 82% c to

83%c; March, 85 7-16c to 86%c; May,

851/4c to 861/8c. Rye steady; state, 53c to

54c, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 western, 57%c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn—Receipts,

138,300 bushels; sales, 60,000 bushels;

option market was steady to firm in

sympathy with wheat; Sept., 474c; Dec., 41%c; May, 41%c. Oats-Receipts,

347,200 bu; option market was dull but steady; track white state, 251/2c to 33c;

track white western, 251/2c to 33c. But-

firm; state dairy, 151/2c to 20c; cream-

market firm; large white, 10%c to 11c;

firm; state and Pennsylvania, 18c to

20c; western, regular packing, at mark,

13c to 17c; western, loss off, 19c, Sugar

-Raw firm; fair refining, 41/4c; centri-

fugal, 96 test, 5c. Molasses sugar, 4c;

refined firm; crushed, \$6 55; powdered.

\$6 25; granulated, \$6 15. Coffee dull;

4 1-16c; country, 4½c to 4¾c. Lead dull; exchange price, \$4 37½; bullion

price, \$4. Wool dull; domestic fleece,

25c to 28c; Texas, 15c to 16c. Hops

quiet; state common to choice, 1899 crop,

coast, 1899 crop, 10e to 13e; old olds,

Chicago Exchange.
CHICAGO. Sept. 17.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
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Strong's Baking Powder

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Extracts

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Is What Tommy Russell Got for Steal-

ing a Bicycle-Case Against Colored

Cake . Walkers Dropped - Police

Thomas Russell, a youth with a bad

police court record, was found guilty

at the police court this morning of

having stolen a bicycle from Mr. Chas.

Bert Howard, charged with refusing

to move on when ordered to do so by

an officer, was found guilty and sen-

charged with using insulting language

to R. Coursey, was further adjourned

of destroying a valuable document, the property of George McNeil, was with-

assaulting W. H. Pring, and fined \$2.

two members of the colored cakewalk

troup that put on a show at the fair,

were charged with assaulting Robert

Sampson. No evidence was offered

against the prisoners, and they were

discharged. Davis was also charged

John A. Graham, one of the county

detective force, was arrested by De-

yesterday morning on a warrant,

is the complainant. The assault is al-

leged to have been committed on Sat-

urday evening. The case was adjourn-

Four drunks and a vagrant were dis-

charged, and two drunks were fined

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WATCH BARGAINS

ed for a week. Graham was bailed.

charging him with assault. His wife

The case of John R. Minhinnick,

The charge against Harry G. Harris,

Wm. Stevenson was found guilty of

Charles Davis and Wm. Oscar Davis,

years in the Penitentiary at Kingston.

IN THE CENTRAL

TWO YEARS

Court Doings.

tence suspended.

until tomorrow.

lowed to go.

in the market.

2c to 5c.

Corn—Sept.....

Pork-Sept

Oats-Sept.

Lard-Sept.

Ribs-Sept.

No. 7 Rio, 8%c. Tallow steady;

er-Receipts, 33,226 pakages; market

No. 2 mixed, 23%c on track.

-Sept., 22½c; Dec., 23½c.

Citizens generally should avail them DETROIT, Sept. 17.—Wheat—No. 1 selves of the opportunity of hearing white, cash, 75%c; No. 2 red, cash, two of Canada's distinguished states-77%c; Sept., 77%c; Oct., 78%c; Dec., 81c. men. Sir Bichard Cartwright and Han men, Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon George W. Ross, speak at the London Opera House on Wednesday evening next. There will also be a number of other prominent speakers in attendance, including W. S. Calvert, M.P., was firm and held a shade higher; and M. K. Cowan, of Essex. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock sharp, and those who wish to secure good seats will do well to be on hand early. Firm; fair to good, \$3 to \$3 25; choice to fancy, \$3 30 to \$3 60. Wheat-Re-Dr. Macdonald, M. P. for East Huron, ceipts, 58,275 bushels; sales, 2,650,000 bushels; option market opened easy

-Miss Lucinda Wray, of 874 Dundas street, who has been seriously ill, is

-The regular meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held tomorrow afternoon. -Mr. William Gammage, of this city.

is officiating as judge of horticultural products at Strathroy fair today. -Miss Elsie Deacon, Stanley street, has gone on an extended trip to visit friends and relatives in Buffalo and

ery, 16½c to 2½c; June cream-ery, 18½c to 2½; factory, 14c to 16½c; -A sitting of the high court of justice was held this morning before day. small white, 10%c to 10%c; large colored, 10%c to 11c; small colored, 11c. Eggs — Receipts, 10,520 pkgs; market Chancellor Boyd. The three cases down for hearing were all adjourned till Thursday.

-A pleasant evening was spent at avenue, Friday night, in honor of Miss of Port Huron.

-The Children's Aid Society gratecollection taken at the annual service of the I. O. F. -The Western District Rifle Associa-

tion will meet here on Thursday next, when arrangements for the annual 10c to 13c; old olds, 2c to 5c; Pacific matches will be completed. The prizes amount to nearly \$800.

ture in the Salvation Army Citadel on Thursday evening, Sept. 20.

-Mr. Robert Porter, who for the past year has been in B. A. Mitchell's drug store here, left on Saturday to enter the employ of Archdale, Wilson & Co., wholesale druggists, Hamilton.

Misses Bell and Veleda, of Columbus, Ohio, left Friday evening for New York, Boston and Old Point Comfort, Va. -Six detectives in plain clothes were stationed on the G. T. R. station platform during the fair. Not a single case of pocket-picking was reported, and there were no mishaps in the handling of the big crowds.

-Among other at this morning's meeting of the Ministerial Association, the following officers for the year were appointed: President, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson; vice-president, Rev. Dr. Smith; secretary, Rev. C. Oakley; press corre-

spondent, Rev. George Gilmore. -The South Middlesex Liberals are rapidly getting into line for the next Dominion elections. A meeting of all Liberals of No. 6 ward interested will be held at the Liberal Club room, 154 Bruce street, South London, tomorrow night, to consider what action shall be taken at the convention at Delaware on the 28th inst.

-At a meeting of No. 1 committee, tract for printing be awarded to H. P. Heal, and for advertising to the evening Free Press, with the Echo to be used as a second medium when required. The street railway extension on South street and request of the Wigle tobacco factory were laid over.

-Special ordination services are to laide street Baptist Church in connection with the departure of Dr. Arthur Woodburne for the mission field in India. A number of ministers will be present on the occasion. In the evening the proceedings will take the form of a farewell meeting, which is expected to be one of unusual interest. The public are cordially invited to attend.

-A Russian gypsy fortune-teller giving the name of Mary Amdum was arrested at noon today charged with the theft of a box of ointment from a Richmond street north drug store. She E. Barnard, and sentenced to two had \$610 in silver in her possession, years in the Penitentiary at Kingston. and she objected vigorously to the police authorities taking care of it for her. She was placed in the cells, where she loudly bewailed the loss of

-A quiet wedding took place on Saturday evening, at 941 Queen's avenue, when Annie Jessie, daughter of Thos. McQueeney, was united to Fred S. Tulett. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Wilson, of King Street Presbyterian Church, under the Union The bride was charmingly at-Jack. tired in navy blue broadcloth and was assisted by her sister Mary and Miss Annie Tulett, sister of the groom, while the groom was supported by Mr. Arthur Markham. The presents were numerous and costly. After the usual congratulations the company sat down to a dainty midday breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Tulett will take up their residence in Hamilton, carrying with the shape of a loaded cane. The cane them the best wishes of a large number of friends in London and surround-

ing district. -The Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Belleville, will reopen on Wednesday, Sept. 19, and parents and friends are requested to be governed accordingly. The running of trains on the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways are convenient for the pupils and their friends coming to the institution on the day of opening. Present arrangements are such that all pupils on the line of the Grand Trunk, east and west, if sent on by early trains, may be in Belleville before six o'clock in the afternoon. Following is the time arrangements affecting the western district: An officer of the institution will have a special car on train leaving Windsor at 6:50 a.m.; Chatham, 8:12 a.m.; Thamesville, 8:36 a.m.; Bothwell, 8:47 a.m.; Newbury, 8:55 a.m.; Glencoe, 9:05 a.m.; London, 10:25 a.m.; Ingersoll, 11 a.m.; Wood-stock, 11:15 a.m.; Paris, 11:41 a.m. Pupils from Petrolia will take the 8:30 a.m. train; Strathroy, 9:35 a.m., so as to connect with the train leaving London at 10:25 a.m.

Steamship Arrivals. Sept. 17. At From
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Memnon... Father Point Briefel

RECOVERING

The Waterworks Again in Oper ation.

Some of the Streets Lighted and Many Cleared of the Debris-Mortality Estimates at 8,000 Souls.

Galveston, Texas, Sept.17.-Now that waterworks are running, some of the streets lighted, many others nearly cleared of debris, and telegraphic communication with the outside world re-established, the people of Galveston are anxiously looking forward to the re-establishment of railroad communication. The officials in charge of the on Thursday.

EIGHT THOUSAND DEIAD. State Health Officer Blunt left here yesterday for Austin, where he will tricts the tie-up was practically com-report to the governor concerning conditions in Galveston. It is said that this statement will estimate the mortality at eight thousand souls.

CLARA BARTON AT THE FRONT. Miss Clara Barton, of the Red Cross Society, arrived at Texas City last be largely through sympathy. night with a hospital corps and supplies. She will reach Galveston to-

The steady stream of refugees from Galveston is kept up. There is not a departing train from across the bay, the home of Miss Finley, 639 Princess | which is not packed to its platforms. There will be refugees leaving for a Finley's guest, Miss Annie Woodward, week to come. No sadder sight could be imagined than the picture presented bira boatload of refugees when theropes fully acknowledge the receipt of \$6 50, are cast off, and the craft swings out being the part of the balance of the into the bay, and away from the storm-swept city. There is not a face that is not turned toward the ruin. There is not an eye that is not mois-

tened by tears. PLENTY OF WORK. There is plenty of work on hand for ten times the force of laborers at pres--Ensign Hoddinott, of the Salvation Army, the traveling special of this province, will give an illustrated lechalf miles of frontage on the beach and bay.

MANY TO BE RELIEVED There is a great deal of trouble in properly distributing supplies, the rush at the depots being as great today as at any time since they were opened. In line before the relief stations were wo--Miss Dorothy Taylor, contralto, ac- men of evident refinement. They were companied by her mother and sisters, | jammed in between negroes and the poorer classes of whites. There are numerous cases of insanity in Galveston as a result of the ter-

DEATH OF JAMES FAIRBAIRN

rible bereavements sustained by the

The Popular Member of the Firm of Mallock & Fairbairn, Succumbs After a Lengthy Illness.

The death of Mr. James Fairbairn, of the firm of Malloch & Fairbairn. which occurred at St. Joseph's hospital on Saturday, has caused general and sincere regret throughout the city. Few men in London had a larger circle of friends, among whom his genial goodfellowship and warmheartenness held Saturday night, it was decided to made him very popular. Mr. Ftirbairn recommend to the council that the con- had resided all his lifetime in this city, where he was born 44 years ago. He was an expert machinist, and for many years before entering into the partnership that was broken by his death, he worked with the Stevens, Turner & Burns Company. During the extremely hot weather that prevailed during the time of the Old Boys' visit, Mr. be held tomorrow afternoon in Ade- Fairbairn suffered from a sunstroke. subsequently developed into spinal meningitis, and the best medical skill was unable to bring about his recovery. He leaves a widow and small family, who will have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in their sad

FASHION SWAYS

The Novel and Beautiful Effects Shown at Mrs. McLeod's.

A place much sought by the ladies to open negotiations at once. of London today, both for its luxurious appointments and the creations of enticing beauty shown there, was Mrs. McLeod's elegant millinery establishment on Dundas street. Perfect taste was displayed in giving the most attractive surroundings possible to the dainty samples of headgear that Mrs. McLeod recently brought from New York. The impress of Paris is upon all the fashions this year, and more particularly so in millinery, where the prevailing shades are maple, seal and Roi, Persee, Universelle, Champ de Mars and Exposition. The popular styles are the Gainsborough, Director, ing the place had previously fled. The Centennial Napoleon and Pompadour. Chinchilla, jeweled net and cut steel ornaments are used with exquisite effect in a hat of this latter style that was conspicuously beautiful. Another of the swellest patterns was a Centennial toque, in light castors and Champ de Mars blue, with large pom-pon effects in the same shade and rhinestone ornaments. A creation in black, of the Versailles pattern, was decidedly fetching with its double-rimmed effects. and plume of Cleopatra shade. Of all that was shown at this morning's opening, nothing elicited so many involuntary exclamations of surprised admiration as the fruit and chinchilla set, made entirely of plisse velour chinchilla and velvet. It was extremely beautiful. Everyone, however, cannot wear these very desirable affairs, and to these the full stock of the latest New York ready-to-wears will be very tempting.

Dr. I. Zacharie died today (Monday) in London, England. Dr. Issachar Zacharie was for almost a quarter of a century a fashionable chiropodist in New York, who attended the most notable beaux and belles of the day.

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100,000 MINERS

Have Stopped Working in Pennsylvania,

And 15,000 More Are Expected to Quit Tomorrow-Summary of the Situation.

Philadelphia, Sept. 17.-Reports from the anthracite coal fields of this state indicate that the tie-up caused by the strike for higher wages of more than 140,000 mine workers is at least as complete as the leaders of the United Mine Workers of America, the organization back of the strike, have asserted it would be. Companies and individuals owning mines who had claimed that their workings would operate as usual, reckoned apparently without accurate knowledge of the attitude of their men. work believe that they will be able to were moving today with as high as Some operations in the Hazelton region run trains into Galveston Union depot 80 per cent of the men at work, nevertheless the greatest number of men in the district were idle. In the Scranton and Wilkesbarre dis-

> As was expected, the Schuylkill region, with Pottsville for a central point, was at work with very few defections. These men have not the same grievances that prevail in other districts, and if they go on strike it will

President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, who has established headquarters at Hazelton, and is personally directing the strike, estimates that over 100,000 men struck, and that 15.000 more will join them tomorrow. Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 17.-The reports that come from Shenandoah, Ashland, Girardville, Mahanoy City, Tamaqua, Tremont and Minersville indicate that the collieries in this vicinity are at work with a full complement of hands. The Lehigh Company's collieries are at work as well.

Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 17.-The collieries operated by the Mineral Union, Philadelphia, and Reading Coal and Iron Companies, and by individual operators in the suburbs of this place, and employing between 9,500 and 10,000 men and boys, were completely tied up this morning by the mine workers going on strike.

In the Mount Carmel and Locust Gap districts it is as yet impossible to give the exact number of men on strike, but the leaders said 75 per cent of the men in the above districts had not reported for work. The operators had no figures to give out.

PRESIDENT MITCHELL'S FIG-URES. Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 17.-Mr. Mitchell

gave the following statement to the Associated Press: "The information in our possession this morning indicates that over 100,-000 men are idle throughout the entire anthracite region, and at least 15,000 additional workmen will refrain from

working tomorrow morning. "There are several thousand men who entered the mines this morning who entered the mines this morning newspapers and amongst the opposi-for the purpose of properly timbering tion workers there is much speculation their working-places and obtaining their tools. I feel entirely satisfied that the remaining men employed in and about the mines will join with the strikers in their contest for wages and humane conditions of em-

STARTED AND STOPPED.

The Lehigh Valley Coal Company's colliery at Yorkton did not make an attempt to start work, and the operations at Upper Lehigh which begun work with a reduced force, were compelled to shut down at 10 o'clock, not enough men being on duty to keep the work going. The union men hope to have all the collierits tied up on the north side by tomorrow morning. ARBITRATION PROPOSED.

The proposition of Father Phillips, that Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, be called in by the United Mine Workers as arbitrator has not yet been officially laid before the miners' ro

TALK OF PEACE

But Fighting Goes On - A Hundre Boxers Killed.

PEACE COMMISSIONERS. Washington, Sept. 17 .- The Chinese minister has received a dispatch from Prince Ching, dated Pekin, Sept. 8, stating that he has been clothed with full authority, together with Li Hung Chang, to negotiate peace, and requesting Minister Wu to ask the secretary of state to instruct Mr. Conger

LI AT TIEN TSIN. London, Sept. 17.-A special dispatch from Shanghai says Li Hung Chang has arrived at Tien Tsin. The steaming distance between Shanghai and Taku is about 800 miles.

A HUNDRED BOXERS KILLED. Berlin, Sept. 17.—An official dispatch from Shanghai says a German naval battalion, accompanied by 40 Bengal Lancers, captured and burned the town of Liang on Sept. 11. A hundred Boxers were killed.

The Chinese regular troops occupy-Germen loss was one man killed and five men wounded.

PICTURES FROM SOUTH AFRICA. On Tuesday evening in the London Opera House, Mr. Frederick Hamilton, the "scooper" par excellence of war news during the campaign in Transvaal and South Africa, will lecture upon his experience with the first Canadian contingent. Mr. Hamilton not only talks, he tells-he intends to tell some things not hitherto revealed of the true inwardness of happenings out there, and he shows pictures taken in the thick of it, on South African battlefields, when our own were getting it hot. For instance, one picture shows a couple of Canadians in the trenches, firing, and between them a comrade who has just answered his last roll call—someone some of us know, per-haps—so that intense personal interest will be taken.

THEY ARE NOT VIOLENT IN AC-TION.—Some persons, when they wish to cleanse the stomach, resort to Epsom and other purgative salts. These are speedy in their action, but serve no permanent good. Their use produces insipient chills, and if persisted in they injure the stomach. Nor do they act upon the intestines in a beneficial way. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills answer all purposes in this respect, and have no

Constable Shephard, an old-timer on the Northwest Mounted Police force, having served since 1884, died suddenly



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Liberal Conventions Slated-Speculation as to the Date of General Elections.

LIBERAL CONVENTIONS. Sept. 18-North Renfrew, at Pem-

Sept. 18-East Elgin, at Aylmer. Sept. 18-West Elgin, at West Lorne. Sept. 19-North Leeds and Grenville,

at Merrickville. Sept. 20-Nipissing, at North Bay. Sept. 22-Kent, at Chatham. Sept. 24—West Bruce, at Kincardine. Sept. 24—East Grey, at Flesherton.

Sept. 27.-West Middlesex at Glen-Sept. 28-South Middlesex, at Dela-

Sept. 29-Lincoln and Niagara, at St. Catharines. THE GENERAL ELECTIONS. Ottawa, Sept. 27.-In the opposition as to the date of the Dominion general elections, and their friends at the capital are on the alert to learn at the earliest moment when instructions are given to the crown officers to prepare the writs. It may be of interest to the followers of Sir Charles Tupper to know that nothing has been done towards this end, and that even the selection of the returning officers has not been considered. It may be stated that the fact of a man being a sheriff or a registrar does not ex-officio make him a returning officer. The law remains as it has been in former years, that any reputable citizen may be appointed as returning officer, and the govern-ment will doubtless receive recommendations from each constituency when-

ever it may be advisable. The Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph opened with over 160 students. A Syracuse, N. Y., dispatch says the outlet of Onondaga Lake is covered with dead fish, killed in the recent

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