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GIRL WIFE PLEADS PITEOUSLY IN COURT FOR HER HUSBAND

John Bologna Arraigned on Charge of Abducting Lilian Roberts.

FATHER SEEMS INCLINED TO MELT

Asks That Young Fellow Be Given a Show, and Provides a Lawyer.

"Oh, let me go to my husband, let me go to my husband," called 15-year-old Lilian Roberts from the hallway outside the courtroom this morning, when John Bologna, the young Italian charged with abduction stood up to be arraigned.

The girl waved her hand at the youth in the prisoner's cage, and then, overcome, would have fallen in a faint had not a couple of women with her sustained her.

A little later she recovered. Young Bologna was cool and self-possessed throughout. He is distinctly a good-looking young fellow, approximately 20 or 21 years of age. He was very neatly dressed, and looked well cared for in every respect.

The young couple who ran away last week and got married, find themselves piling up about them on every side. Besides the charge of abduction, which has been preferred against Bologna, he has, it is stated, been served with papers by the Italian government demanding that he return to Italy and complete two years of military service, which it is compulsory in that country to serve.

The crown is also considering the matter of laying an information against his child life for perjury, she having, it is alleged, sworn that she was 18 years of age in order to get a marriage license.

The one ray of hope that presents itself is the attitude of the girl's parents. Mr. Samuel Roberts, of Regina street, stood among the spectators at the court this morning.

Lilian Roberts stood up in the cage, the charge was read over to him, and Magistrate Judd asked if he had a lawyer.

"No," said Bologna, quietly.

A Fair Show. "I want the young chap to have a fair show, right through," said Mr. Roberts from the crowd. "I will bail him if he continues on Page Eleven."

MAJ. BEATTIE REFUSES TO MEET MR. McEVY ON SAME PLATFORM

Conservative Candidate Is Now on Record on the Matter—The Correspondence Between Mr. McEvoy and Mr. Beattie

The following correspondence will speak for itself. Relative to the proposed holding of joint meetings for both Liberal and Conservative candidates in this city, Mr. J. M. McEvoy addressed the first letter to Major Beattie.

London, Aug. 30, 1911.

Major Beattie, Conservative Candidate.

Dear Sir: I have seen your remarks in the press concerning joint meetings to be addressed by you and myself. In order to put the matter at rest I write you.

I have always approved of the opposing candidates discussing the issues face to face.

I propose that we hold at convenient points in the city, six meetings in this campaign to be addressed by yourself and myself. Let Major Beattie be chairman at three meetings and ex-Mayor Rumball be chairman at the other three.

You may open the debate for one hour at the first meeting. I will reply for an hour and a quarter, and you close the debate for a quarter of an hour. At the next meeting, we will reverse the order, and I will open the debate in an address of one hour, and you will reply for an hour and a quarter, and I will have a quarter of an hour to close the debate.

If this is agreeable to you, kindly have your secretary arrange the details with the secretary of the Liberal Association, Dr. George Fraser, Yours,

J. M. McEVY.

The letter received from Major Beattie in reply is as follows:

Mr. J. M. McEvoy, City.

Dear Sir:—Replying to your letter of yesterday would say I have already spoken upon the subject of reciprocity. My opinions are fully set forth in Hansard, and were liberally treated in the press of this city.

I have not had the pleasure of hearing what you have to say upon the subject in reply to my remarks already made. Yours truly,

THOMAS BEATTIE.

Mr. McEvoy was seen by The Advertiser in regard to the correspondence. "It is a mistake," he said, "to say that I issued any challenge to anybody to meet me on the platform, and I am not going around with a chip on my shoulder."

"So far as I was concerned, I thought that there was to be nothing more about it. But Major Beattie and his newspaper supporter having continued to discuss the matter, and declining to let it drop, I addressed myself directly to the Conservative candidate. He is now on record as positively refusing to meet me."

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THE WEATHER. TOMORROW WARMER.

LONDON, ONTARIO, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1911.

—TWELVE PAGES.

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BOURASSA ATTACKS MOTHER COUNTRY

He Says She Can't Get English Workers for Navy and Looks to Canada.

SOLD US AN "OLD SHOE"

Compares England to a Poor Farmer For Whom a Subscription Was Taken Up—Some Mean Words.

"Such a man then is Bourassa, brilliant, cool, courageous, attacking evil wherever he sees it, a Nationalist standing for a strong and vigorous Canada,"—London Free Press, Aug. 30, 1911.

Mr. Bourassa spoke in the county of Nicolet on Tuesday of this week in support of the Nationalist-Conservative candidate, Mr. Paul Lamarche. In the course of his attack on the navy he said (according to his own paper Le Devoir):

"And now, remember that vessels do not last for ever. The Niobe, which has just sunk, and which costs us \$1,075,000, was built fifteen years ago. And let us observe, by the way, it is England who has sold us this old shoe. If England needs ships, how is it that she sells them to us? It is like the case of a poor farmer for whom his neighbors should make a collection in order to buy him a horse, and who, when the collection is made, should go to the collectors and say: 'I have myself a horse to sell you. No, what England needs is men. ENGLISH WORKMEN WILL NO LONGER ENLIST AND ENGLAND IS OBLIGED TO TURN HER EYES TOWARDS THE COLONIES. It is true, and I have always said so, that the navy law does not make service compulsory at present. But if we buy vessels, it is to fill them, is it not? Well, if today, to find the crew of two little vessels it is necessary to offer a premium for each sailor engaged, as for every wolf's head, what will be necessary, when we have ten, fifteen or twenty ships? It is today that we must reject the law.'"

DO THE TEACHERS WORK IN CLIQUES?

Inspector Edwards Made This Charge at Board of Education Meeting.

SIMCOE ST. SCHOOL CITED

Complaint About Boy Scouts Being Out Too Late at Night.

At a meeting of the board of education yesterday afternoon Inspector Edwards told of the alleged dissensions amongst the teachers at Simcoe street school, which he claims results in great detriment to the teaching. He stated to be heard that a clique of teachers had existed there and that they pulled together.

He also said that he had spoken to the teachers about the matter and that conditions were now much improved.

Dr. Tensdall and Chairman Weekes claimed that they had heard of the matter, and Mr. Weekes suggested that if there are any teachers who still behave this way they be transferred to other schools, and then if they do not mend their ways be summarily dismissed.

Boy Scouts. Trustee Tensdall brought up the matter of the Boy Scouts being Continued on Page Ten.

MUNICIPAL SOLONS TALK UTILITIES

Operate Them to Return Fair Interest, Says Alderman Richter.

A LIVELY DISCUSSION

Debaters Go So Far Afield Mayor Beattie Was Obligated to Change Subject.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Sept. 1.—At the meeting of the Ontario Municipal Association this morning there was a lively discussion on the question of whether utilities should be run at a profit for the benefit of the ratepayers, or whether any profits should be applied so as to reduce the charges to the consumers. There was a sharp difference of opinion, and the debaters were going so far afield for arguments when Mayor Beattie of London, who was presiding, decided that the subject had better be changed.

J. W. Sharp, provincial auditor, delivered a paper on his work, and in the discussion that followed City Treasurer Bunnell, of Brantford, argued strongly for the creation of a municipal portfolio with a cabinet minister at the head, who should be able to furnish equitable rates for public utilities.

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Unscrupulous Attempts to Humbug The Workingmen of London

By Representing That the Reciprocity Agreement Means Free Trade in Manufactured Products—The London Free Press' Brazen Misrepresentations—Falsifying the Lumber Schedules.

A double line of humbugging is persistently kept up by a section of the anti-reciprocity press. The workingmen of the cities are told in effect that the agreement provides for free trade in manufactures as well as in natural products; the farmers on the other hand are told that they will be ruined by foreign competition in natural products. There is an organized attempt to endeavor to make the pact out to be what it is not.

One of the worst offenders in these tactics is the London Free Press. The other day it published an article on farm implement industries, claiming that they would be practically unprotected and consequently ruined to the advantage of American trusts and American workmen. But the facts of the case are that (1) the reduction of duties is slight; (2) the Conservative party itself in the House of Commons has been clamoring for a heavy reduction of those duties, some of them asking for a reduction of 50 per cent, on the present tariff; (3) the Liberal Government has been all along the defender of the implement industry against rude, sudden and ill-considered attacks; (4) the industry is not at all alarmed at the action contemplated in the agreement, but is expanding, setting up new plants and even branching into the United States.

Only last Friday came another unscrupulous misrepresentation on the part of the Free Press. It gave its readers to understand that the American lumber was imported "ready for use" in St. Martin's Church, South London, thus depriving London woodworkers of employment.

To begin with, the lumber was really rough lumber, and was planned in a mill in this city. Rough lumber is duty-free, has always been free, and will continue to be so under the pact; Georgia pine is one of the raw materials of Canada's wood-working industries, and no party would dare tax it.

Our contemporary went further and declared that the pact would put dressed lumber on the free list, which is entirely false, while it also failed to mention that the Americans make an average 60 per cent reduction from their duties on Canadian dressed lumber entering the United States. This will, of course, stimulate our manufacture and export of dressed lumber. The reduction, it will be remembered, was bitterly fought by the American lumber trust. Here is the Free Press's false statement of last Friday, a statement not yet withdrawn in full. It says under the heading "MILLS OF THE UNITED STATES OUTBID MILLS OF THIS CITY":

"WHEN RECIPROCITY COMES INTO EFFECT, THE DUTY OF 22½ PER CENT ON DRESSED LUMBER COMES OFF.

"RECIPROCITY MAKES DRESSED LUMBER FROM THE UNITED STATES FREE.

"RECIPROCITY STRIKES AT THE LONDON WORKINGMEN'S EMPLOYMENT."

After two or three days' hammering, the Free Press confessed that dressed lumber would remain dutiable, at from 50 cents to \$1 50 per thousand feet, according to the amount of labor expended upon it. But instead of acknowledging its error, it went on to say that this scale of duties was "equivalent" to putting dressed lumber on the free list. It proceeded to publish an utterly misleading and incorrect table of the reciprocity duties on lumber. For a moment, The Advertiser, which had its information from Hansard, was disposed to give the Free Press the benefit of any doubt, but a closer examination confirms our first reading of the schedules. Following is a transcript of the reciprocity lumber schedules (Schedule "C") as printed in Hansard, page 2548:

	Maximum Canadian Tariff.	U. S. Tariff.	Rate now Proposed for U. S.	Reduction by U. S.
Sawn boards, planks, deals and other lumber, planed or finished on one side, planed or finished on two sides, planed or finished on three sides, planed or finished on four sides, planed or finished on one side and tongued and grooved, or planed or finished on two sides and tongued and grooved on four sides.	Free	\$1 75	.50	\$1 25
Sawn boards, planed or finished on one side and tongued and grooved, or planed or finished on two sides and tongued and grooved on four sides.	25 p.c.	\$1 75	.75	\$1 25
Sawn boards, planed or finished on one side and tongued and grooved, or planed or finished on two sides and tongued and grooved on four sides.	25 p.c.	\$2 37½	\$1 12½	\$1 25
Sawn boards, planed or finished on one side and tongued and grooved, or planed or finished on two sides and tongued and grooved on four sides.	25 p.c.	\$2 75	\$1 50	\$1 25

There is not a word here about reducing the duties on American dressed lumber entering Canada. In his speech in the House of Commons on Jan. 26th last, explaining the provisions of the agreement, Hon. Mr. Fielding divided them into four schedules. The first (a) contains the list of articles which are to be free in both countries, the second (b) contains the list of those on which both countries agree on an equal and reduced tariff, "C" IS A SMALL LIST OF ARTICLES ON WHICH THE UNITED STATES, BUT NOT CANADA MAKES REDUCTIONS, which are balanced by another short list, (d), of articles on which Canada, but not the United States, comes down a little.

The dressed lumber items, as above cited, come in Schedule "C." CANADA MAKES NO REDUCTION ON ANY OF THESE ITEMS.

Will the Free Press be honest enough to make a correction?

MOROCCAN CRISIS LOOKS UGLY

ANGLOPHOBIA IN GERMAN CAPITAL

Visit of British Officers to French Fortresses Arouses Resentment of Teutons—Germany Expected to Back Down.

(Canada Press.) London, Sept. 1.—A fair amount of war insurance was offered yesterday, and with the market becoming restricted the rates advanced further on the risk of war breaking out between certain European powers within two months. Some risks were accepted at 8 per cent and in some cases 10 per cent was quoted.

A Morocco mass meeting was held in Berlin last night, and all accounts indicate that the gathering resolved itself into a violent demonstration against England. There has been no similar public outburst of Anglophobia in Germany since the days of the Boer war.

References to France were couched in terms of friendship and were greeted with something approaching enthusiasm.

The Ultimatum. New York, Sept. 1.—A London cable to the Times this morning says: "Ultimatum" is the term used in London to describe the character of the written instructions which the French contractor will tell Berlin, Guigo Camhon, carried from Paris, on his return to his post yesterday, to resume the negotiations on the Moroccan question.

The word has an ugly sound, and is use avoided by the newspapers this morning, but throughout yesterday, ever since the Echo de Paris published an article summarizing the draft of the instructions for M. Camhon, drawn up by the French cabinet, sent to an analyst shown here in so interpreting them. One paper, indeed, goes the length of speaking of "the ultimatum concessions that France can offer to Germany in exchange for definite guarantees with regard to Morocco."

There is no doubt that the expectation here that Germany will swallow the pill, just as there exists a certain amount of satisfaction at the thought that she will not find it to her liking.

Articles were published here yesterday showing the immense superiority of the British navy over that of Germany at the present moment and among English military men the opinion prevails that Germany would be unwilling to try issues with France just now, because of the superiority of the French field artillery and the alleged greater ability of the French general staff.

In the event of war, which is considered to be extremely unlikely, it is held that France's defensive positions are so strong that the German military operations would be rendered ineffective for at least such a period as would insure the destruction of the German fleet and naval operations that would more than counterbalance any eventual German successes on land. For these reasons the British view of the present critical situation is somewhat rose-colored.

German Resentment. German resentment at the part which England, rightly or wrongly, is supposed to be playing is growing apace, and the persistent French enmity of Great Britain toward Germany is the keynote of many Berlin newspaper articles. The Voss-Continued on Page Three.

DASTARDLY ATTEMPT MADE TO POISON POPE'S CHAPLAIN

Prominent Italian Prelate Falls to Floor in Convulsions After Partaking of Sacred Wine, and Incident Causes Panic.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Sept. 1.—A cable from Rome to the world says: Reports reached the Vatican today of an attempt made yesterday to murder the Pope's chaplain, a priest named M. Agnelli, in Catania, Sicily, while he was celebrating mass in the cathedral at Agira. Police had been placed in the sacred wine.

The attempt recalls the days of the Borgias. The chalice and a part of the wine have been sent to an analyst. Some wine still remained in the small vessel from which it had been poured into the chalice during the celebration. This, together with the chalice, was taken charge of by the authorities.

CONTRACTOR DODD SPEAKS OF GEORGIA PINE INCIDENT

Absurd to Try to Make Political Capital Out of Fact That Lumber Is Being Used in St. Martin's Church—Comes In Free of Duty Now.

"I told the Free Press man who came to me that it was an absurd thing to try to make anti-reciprocity capital out of the fact that Georgia pine was being used in the new St. Martin's Church in South London," said J. G. Dodd, the contractor to an Advertiser reporter this morning.

I do not see that they made any point by publishing the article," continued Mr. Dodd. "The fact is, as any contractor will tell you, Georgia pine has been imported into Canada for twenty years free of duty. It is specified in many contracts, such as the John Gair very warehouse, and when it is ordered it is because it is known to be a stronger pine than our Canadian pine. In all these twenty years I have never heard a man in the lumber business complain that it had any harmful influence on the business. And as it still comes in free, the man who wants to have it in his house cannot be said to suffer."

"In almost every house there is some Georgia pine used in finishing verandahs or for doors or window-sills. Its heavy grain makes it popular for varnishing."

Mr. Dodd explained that the lumber comes into Canada rough sawn and was dressed here, and it is believed he will recover. His first words on regaining consciousness were that there had been poison in the chalice. Some wine still remained in the small vessel from which it had been poured into the chalice during the celebration. This, together with the chalice, was taken charge of by the authorities.

Mr. Gilles Speaks. D. H. Gilles, head of the firm of D. H. Gilles & Co., which does a large hardware business in this district, stated this morning that reciprocity would be of wide benefit in his business.

"We have been doing a large business with the Americans as it is," said Mr. Gilles, "but, with the duty off, we shall have a direct gain. We now buy hardware from the farmers within an area of 25 miles, and we shall have to extend that area as the demand increases."

"Have you any fear of American competition?" was asked.

"Not in the least," was the answer.

MAYOR BEATTIE MADE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Result of Elections at the Convention of Municipalities.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Sept. 1.—At the convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities today the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Controller F. S. Spence, Toronto; vice-president, first, Mayor Beattie, London; second, Mayor Guest, St. Thomas; third, W. A. Clark, clerk of York County; fourth, W. Law, county clerk of Huron; fifth, W. H. Schmalz, mayor of Berlin.

Executive committee—the mayors of Toronto, Hamilton and Owen Sound; City Solicitor Doherty, St. Thomas; City Solicitor Johnson, Toronto; Clerk Kent, of Hamilton; Reeve S. F. Glass, London Township; City Treasurer Bunnell, of Brantford; Alderman Richter, London; E. A. Huggill, secretary of the rural section, and Alderman Stroud, of Ottawa.

There was a short discussion as to the date of the next meeting, some of the members being of the opinion that it should not be held during the Exhibition in order that they might be enabled to obtain a reasonable chance of getting food and lodging while in the city.

THE WEATHER. TOMORROW—WARMER. FORECASTS. Toronto, Sept. 1—8 a.m., westerly winds; fine and warm today and on Saturday.

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OTTAWA DOG-HERO

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Saves Lives of Six, but Perishes in Fire.

[Canadian Press.]
Ottawa, Aug. 30.—The lives of six people were saved by a dog in a fire early this morning, which destroyed the residence of Alex. McDougall, near the Ottawa Golf Club. The barking of the animal, a Boston bulldog, awakened the family just in time to get out of the building in safety, though almost suffocated by smoke. The faithful dog, however, lost its life, no trace of it having been found after the fire. The residence was one of the finest country homes around the capital. The loss is about \$25,000.

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The 24th annual athletic sports will be held at the Hospital for the Insane tomorrow afternoon. There are 24 events on the programme.

A Delegate.

Ex-Judge A. W. Savary, of the first Canadian Parliament for the County of Digby, Nova Scotia, will be in London next week as a delegate to the Church of England Synod from the Diocese of Nova Scotia.

Carter-Beaudon.

A very quiet wedding was celebrated in St. Paul's Cathedral, the contracting parties being Mr. Robert Carter, of Victoria, B. C., and Miss Annie Brandon, of this city. Mr. Carter is an old London boy, being born in this city, but went several years ago to the continent.

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If You Visit Toronto.

Visitors to Toronto at exhibition time ought not to fail to take a trip to Scarborough Beach Park, the great amusement resort at the east end of the city.

Scarborough Beach has had the most prosperous season in its history this summer, and visitors who have seen it before will be struck by the many improvements.

The Scarborough Inn is generally considered to be one of the very best restaurants in the city, and during exhibition time particularly so. The hotel is situated on the water front, and the view of the city and harbor is of the very best.

The vaudeville entertainment is of the same class as that put on at the exhibition; the permanent houses of amusement surpass anything else in Canada; the park itself is one of the prettiest on the continent.

A visit to Toronto would not be complete without a ride down to the Beach, which is in about the same relative position to the east of the city as Exhibition Place is to the west end. Going from one park to another, you see practically all there is to see of the south part of the Queen City.

FIREMEN INJURED.

Chicago, Ill., August 31.—Fighting flames which swept through a four-story building in the downtown district today, ten firemen were slightly injured by an explosion of chemicals and before the fire was extinguished \$100,000 worth of property was burned. The greatest loss was suffered by the Wagner Medical Company, a manufacturer of beer pumps, and the principal occupants of the building.

SNOW AT SCRANTON.

Scranton, Pa., August 31.—There was a slight flurry of snow hereabout midnight. It melted as quickly as it struck the pavements. The temperature at midnight was 48 degrees.

AVIATOR INJURED.

Freeport, Ill., August 31.—Fred Heegle, 26 years old, an amateur aviator of Chicago, was probably fatally injured, and a number of spectators were hurt yesterday when Heegle's biplane fell fifty feet during an exhibition of flying. The exhibition was for the benefit of Mrs. Daniel Krenner, whose husband was killed a short time ago while trying for pilot's license in Chicago. None of the spectators were seriously injured.

NEW FALL STYLES IN MEN'S CLOTHING

Semi-ready Store Is the Place to See the Very Latest.

SOME POINTS OF INTEREST

Captain Haygarth Invites Men of London and District To Visit His Store.

Today marked the Fall Fashion opening of the well-known Semi-ready store, the popularity and reputation of which is so rapidly increasing under the management of Captain T. L. Haygarth. A crowd of delighted and enthusiastic visitors all day thronged the bright, cheerful store, the interior of which has been somewhat altered and improved by the Captain.

All were unimpaired in their expressions of appreciation of the quality and new styles of Semi-ready Clothing for the fall season. Since arriving in London three weeks ago, Captain Haygarth has succeeded admirably in rearranging his store, and in giving it that personal touch or atmosphere which makes one store in an old-fashioned place.

The Semi-ready is peculiarly attractive, it carries an air of difference, of exclusive originality which other stores cannot imitate.

The New Styles.

The new styles for this season, as exhibited at the Semi-ready store, are easily among the best that have ever been shown in London. As Captain Haygarth says, the Semi-ready is a new store, with new ideas, new styles and new weaves of the very latest designs.

One of the very latest and newest styles is characterized by rolling lapels with soft, yielding and natural effects, natural shoulders, precise roundness of coat corners, vest high cut and trousers slim. It is one of the latest of the styles shown at the Coronation, and which have been borrowed from the English tailors and newly introduced on this side of the Atlantic. In brief it is marked by the pleasing "English effect," which bids fair to become extremely popular in this city.

Another new creation in men's clothing is the round corner business suit with the square effect. It is made either with longer lapels and two-button, or shorter lapels and four-button, and promises to become a favorite style with businessmen.

A Store For Fine Quality.

But what strikes the visitor to the Semi-ready store with the most force is the amount of delight and surprise in the wealth and fine quality of the English cloth which Captain Haygarth exhibits in fine cloth. Speaking conservatively, it is doubtful if they have ever been equaled either in quality, design or variety in this city.

Economy with the most expert craftsmanship in Semi-ready tailoring and the Semi-ready system is accepted today by everybody as the ultimate in the tailoring of men's clothes.

A Hearty Welcome.

Captain Haygarth says: "I cannot say in appreciation of a reception of the welcome I have received from the people of London. I re-opened the new Semi-ready store a few weeks ago, and have received the very best of good wishes and patronage. Today is my fall opening, and I am more than delighted, in fact, I am enthusiastic over the display. It will give everyone that has seen it."

"Nothing contributes more to my satisfaction than a well-made suit of clothes. I am actually seeing you, when you look yourself over in the mirror, and you realize that at last your hopes for the highest perfection in men's clothes have been realized. The Semi-ready Tailor Shop has been a long time in the making, and this season's designs and patterns, every style is a winner."

"Tell your friends if they are interested in seeing something different and distinctive. It will give me pleasure to show them around. If they don't want to see anything in particular just now, tell them to come in anyway and hear the music."

Excursions to Western Canada.

The Grand Trunk Railway System announces that on Tuesdays, June 13 and 27, July 11 and 25, Aug. 8 and 22, Sept. 5 and 19, and Oct. 3 and 17, Excursions will be run from all stations in Ontario and Quebec to Western Canada, via Chicago and Duluth, or via Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis, at reduced round-trip fares.

The well-known double track line of the Grand Trunk from the east to Chicago appeals to the traveler, and with the superior train service that is offered by this line, including the famous "International Limited," from Montreal daily at 9 a.m., and which is the finest and fastest train in Canada, and the States of Michigan, Wisconsin and Indiana. In addition to this, a choice of seven lines between Chicago and St. Paul and Minneapolis is offered.

Owing to the great number of Canadians who reside in Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, and other cities en route, there is no doubt that the Grand Trunk will find many patrons who will take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded them for a brief visit at the stations with their friends.

Canadian citizens are exempt from so-called immigration examination, and there is no detention at any point.

Baggage is carried through the United States in bond without requiring any special attention on the part of the passenger. Inspection is not necessary at any of the points at the border.

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In addition to the above routes, the sale of tickets is also authorized via Sarnia, and the Northern Navigation Company's magnificent steamers across Lake Huron and Lake Superior.

For further particulars apply to any agent of the Grand Trunk Railway System, or write to Mr. J. Quinlan, district passenger agent, Bonaventure station, Montreal; Mr. A. B. Duff, district passenger agent, Union station, Toronto; or Mr. R. E. Ruse, C. P. and T. A., London.

MIGHTY OVATION FOR SIR WILFRID

Ten Thousand Cheer Premier at Halifax Meeting.

ROUTES HIS INTERRUPTERS

Hundreds of Nova Scotia Conservatives With the Liberals on the Trade Issue.

Halifax, Aug. 30.—Canada's Prime Minister won from Nova Scotia tonight one of the most remarkable demonstrations of his career. At the close of his thrilling speech over ten thousand enthusiastic people rose and wildly acclaimed him. Again and again the wave of cheering was taken up at the far end of the great Arena in which the meeting was held, and rolled forward over the mass of humanity.

For over an hour Sir Wilfrid swayed the vast audience with his eloquence. The strains of an arduous campaign seem to have no effect on him. The voices of other campaigners are worn and gone. His rings are worn and gone. His rings are worn and gone. His rings are worn and gone.

Yesterday he was up for the voyage for Digby by 6 o'clock in the morning. He endured the stormy trip and spoke at no less than seven meetings during the balance of the day, the last a gathering of three thousand people at Hants at 1 o'clock this morning. It was nearly 3 o'clock before Halifax was reached, where another reception was awaiting him, and an hour later he retired. Notwithstanding, six hours later he was holding a public reception with Premier Murray at the Provincial Parliament buildings, while in the afternoon he attended the opening of the Halifax Fair.

Routes Interrupters.

Sir Wilfrid's speech sparked with rare good humor. He had been speaking only for a few moments when he mentioned the name of Mr. Borden. This was the signal for a well-organized Conservative cortege of two hundred in the elevated seats to the left of the platform, who broke into cheers for their leader. They were an indignant demonstration from the giant gathering at the intersection, but the Prime Minister stepped to the front of the platform and waited for silence. Then, turning to the little group, he addressed them smilingly. "That," he told them, "was a good cheer, but it was not as good as you gave to Blackadar and Maclean. I am an old bird at campaigning, and I know the chaff. I was told that there was a little game organized to get a cheer for the leader of the Opposition and he sent over the wires to Toronto. I said, 'Do not interfere. I do not object at all for cheering for the leader of the Opposition. I am only sorry for him, to think that this will be the last change he will have to get. But I wondered to hear you cheer the statement that Mr. Borden had changed his views. (Laughter.) And yet I should not have wondered. Can you who are cheering tell me anything upon which Mr. Borden has not changed his views? (Renewed laughter and applause.)"

Where is the so-called 'Halifax platform'? It is gone as the snow of last winter. Two weeks ago another platform took its place, but it was stillborn, and has not been heard of since. (Renewed laughter.) Can any of you tell me what happened the projected Tory convention, which was to have been held at Ottawa? (Silence, followed by renewed laughter.) I thought not, but I can tell you. It never took place, because it was found impossible to reconcile the diverse elements of the party. (Cheers.)

"I am not in the secrets of the Conservative party, and its present leaders as to why they turned their backs on the policy of their former leaders. But I do not think it was the manufacturers. The manufacturers can have no quarrel with the reciprocity agreement. It does not affect their products, and will help them by making their customers more prosperous. It will be a boon to them as well as to the farmers and the fishermen. (Cheers.)"

"Borden and Bourassa. (Laughter.) 'Unless I am greatly misinformed,' continued Sir Wilfrid, 'the reason for the present campaign was the consummation of an unholy alliance between the Quebec

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GIRL WIFE PLEADS PITEOUSLY IN COURT FOR HER HUSBAND

John Bologna Arraigned
on Charge of Abduct-
ing Lilian Roberts.

FATHER SEEMS
INCLINED TO MELT

Asks That Young Fellow Be
Given a Show, and Pro-
vides a Lawyer.

"Oh, let me go to my husband, let me go to my husband," called 15-year-old Lilian Roberts from the hallway outside the courtroom this morning, when John Bologna, the young Italian charged with abduction stood up to be arraigned.

The girl waved her hand at the youth in the prisoner's cage, and then everyone would have fallen in a faint had not a couple of women with her sustained her.

A little later she recovered. Young Bologna was cool and self-possessed throughout. He is distinctly a good-looking young fellow, apparently about 20 or 21 years of age. He was very neatly dressed, and looked well cared for in every respect.

The young couple, who ran away last week and got married, find themselves piling up about them on every side. Bologna's charge of abduction, which he has been preferred against Bologna, he has, it is stated, been served with papers by the Italian government demanding that he return to Italy and complete two years of military service, which it is compulsory in that country to serve.

The crown is also considering the matter of laying an information against his child life for perjury, she having, it is alleged, sworn that she was 18 years of age in order to get a marriage license.

The one ray of hope that presents itself is the attitude of the girl's parents. Mr. Samuel Roberts, of Regina street, stood among the spectators at the court this morning.

When Bologna stood up in the cage, the charge was read over to him, and Magistrate Judd asked if he had a lawyer.

"No," said Bologna, quietly.

A Fair Show.
"I want the young fellow to have a fair show right through," said Mr. Roberts from the crowd. "I will bail him if he continues on Page Eleven."

MAJ. BEATTIE REFUSES TO MEET MR. M'EVROY ON SAME PLATFORM

Conservative Candidate Is Now on Record on the Matter—The
Correspondence Between Mr. McEvoy
and Mr. Beattie

The following correspondence will speak for itself. Relative to the proposed holding of joint meetings for both Liberal and Conservative candidates in this city, Mr. J. M. McEvoy addressed the first letter to Major Beattie.

London, Aug. 30, 1911.
Major Beattie,
Conservative Candidate,
London.

Dear Sir,—I have seen your remarks in the press concerning joint meetings to be addressed by you and myself. In order to put the matter at rest, I write you.

I have always approved of the opposing candidates discussing the issues face to face.

I propose that we hold at convenient points in the city, six meetings in this campaign to be addressed by yourself and myself. Let Major Beattie be chairman at three meetings and ex-Mayor Rumball be chairman at the other three.

You may open the debate for one hour at the first meeting. I will reply for an hour and a quarter, and you close the debate for a quarter of an hour. At the next meeting, we will reverse the order, and I will open the debate in an address of one hour, and you will reply for an hour and a quarter, and I will have a quarter of an hour to close the debate.

If this is agreeable to you, kindly have your secretary arrange the details with the secretary of the Liberal Association, Dr. George Fraser, Yours, etc., J. M. M'EVROY.

The letter received from Major Beattie in reply is as follows:
Mr. J. M. McEvoy,
City.

Dear Sir,—Replying to your letter of yesterday, would say I have already spoken upon the subject of reciprocity. My opinions are fully set forth in Hansard and were liberally treated in the press of this city.

I have not had the pleasure of hearing that you have to say upon the subject in reply to my remarks already made. Yours truly,
THOMAS BEATTIE.

Mr. McEvoy was seen by The Advertiser in regard to the correspondence. It is a mistake," he said, "to say that I issued any challenge to anybody to meet me on the platform, and I am not going around with a chip on my shoulder. I was asked by a reporter if I would be averse to holding a joint meeting with the Conservative candidate, and I replied that I would do so gladly. Major Beattie was also interviewed by the reporter and declared that he was not in favor of holding a joint meeting.

RECIPROCITY AND SAWMILL INDUSTRY

American Market a Good Thing
for It—How London Will
Be Affected.

The London Free Press attempts to use a statement made by George H. Beiton, lumber merchant, to show that the workmen employed in the business of this city will gain as a result of reciprocity.

To The Advertiser this morning Mr. Beiton explained that the Free Press would give the impression that London was a city in which there were many sawmills where lumber was prepared for the market. As a matter of fact, there is not a sawmill in London which attempts to handle more than the local trade.

Reciprocity, according to Mr. Beiton, will be of immense benefit to the sawmills close to the water, because the American market will be within easy reach. But London has no sawmills, because it is an inland city, and its workmen have not everything to lose by the adoption of reciprocity.

But there will be a direct benefit to the workmen of London. To a large extent the competition in the local planing mills will be relieved, because the product of mills along the border that have been in competition with them will be diverted to the American market.

It would be as sound an argument to say that the steel rail makers of London would not benefit by reciprocity when there are no steel rail makers in London, as to state that the sawmills of London would not benefit when there are no sawmills, but only mills which supply the local trade in London.

EASTERN MAN LIKELY TO SUCCEED WHYTE

Bosworth and McNichol Slated
for C. P. R. Vice-Presi-
dency at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.—Who will succeed Sir William Whyte as vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will be discussed at great length among the railway officials of the city for the past few days. Sir William's retirement from the office of vice-president was announced by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy.

Major Beattie, who is a persistent rumor about the position, but there is a considerable authority back of it that an eastern man will be brought out to fill the place. In the case, the question narrows down to two men, Mr. M. Beiton, of Montreal, and both operating men. It is also rumored that the man who will take this position will be the next president of the Canadian Pacific.

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BOURASSA ATTACKS MOTHER COUNTRY

He Says She Can't Get English
Workers for Navy and
Looks to Canada.

SOLD US AN "OLD SHOE"

Compares England to a Poor Farmer
For Whom a Subscription Was
Taken Up—Some Mean
Words.

"Such a man then as Bourassa, brilliant, cool, courageous, attacking evil wherever he sees it, a Nationalist standing for a strong and vigorous Canada,"—London Free Press, Aug. 30, 1911.

Mr. Bourassa spoke in the county of Nicolet on Tuesday of this week in support of the Nationalist-Conservative candidate, Mr. Paul Lamarche. In the course of his attack on the navy he said (according to his own paper Le Devoir):

"And now, remember that vessels do not last for ever. The Niobe, which has just sunk, and which costs us \$1,075,000, was built fifteen years ago. And let us observe, by the way, it is England who has sold us this old shoe. If England needs ships, how is it that she sells them to us? It is like the case of a poor farmer for whom his neighbors should make a collection in order to buy him a horse, and who, when the collection is made, should go to the collectors and say: 'I have myself a horse to sell you! What what England needs is men. ENGLISH WORKMEN WILL NO LONGER ENLIST AND ENGLAND IS OBLIGED TO TURN HER EYES TOWARDS THE COLONIES. It is true, and I have always said so, that the navy law does not make service compulsory at present. But if we buy vessels, it is to fill them, is it not? Well, if today, to find the crew of two little vessels it is necessary to offer a premium for each sailor engaged, as for every wolf's head, what will be necessary, when we have ten, fifteen or twenty ships? It is today that we must reject the law.'"

Our contemporary went further and declared that the pact would put dressed lumber on the free list, which is entirely false, while it also failed to mention that the Americans make an average 60 per cent reduction from their duties on Canadian dressed lumber entering the United States. This will, of course, stimulate our manufacture and export of dressed lumber. The reduction, it will be remembered, was bitterly fought by the American lumber trust. Here is the Free Press's false statement of last Friday, a statement not yet withdrawn in full. It says under the heading "MILLS OF THE UNITED STATES OUTBID MILLS OF THIS CITY":

"WHEN RECIPROCITY COMES INTO EFFECT, THE DUTY OF 22½ PER CENT ON DRESSED LUMBER COMES OFF.

"RECIPROCITY MAKES DRESSED LUMBER FROM THE UNITED STATES FREE.

"RECIPROCITY STRIKES AT THE LONDON WORKINGMEN'S EMPLOYMENT."

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Unscrupulous Attempts to Humbug The Workingmen of London

By Representing That the Reciprocity Agreement
Means Free Trade in Manufactured Products

—The London Free Press' Brazen Mis-
representations—Falsifying the
Lumber Schedules.

A double line of humbugging is persistently kept up by a section of the anti-reciprocity press. The workingmen of the cities are told in effect that the agreement provides for free trade in manufactures as well as in natural products; the farmers on the other hand are told that they will be ruined by foreign competition in natural products. There is an organized attempt to endeavor to make the pact out to be what it is not.

One of the worst offenders in these tactics is the London Free Press. The other day it published an article on farm implement industries, claiming that they would be practically unprotected and consequently ruined to the advantage of American trusts and American workmen. But the facts of the case are that (1) the reduction of duties is slight; (2) the Conservative party itself in the House of Commons has been clamoring for a heavy reduction of those duties, some of them asking for a reduction of 50 per cent, on the present tariff; (3) the Liberal Government has been all along the defender of the implement industry against rude, sudden and ill-considered attacks; (4) the industry is not at all alarmed at the action contemplated in the agreement, but is expanding, setting up new plants and even branching into the United States.

Only last Friday came another unscrupulous misrepresentation on the part of the Free Press. It gave its readers to understand that the American lumber was imported "ready for use" in St. Martin's Church, South London, thus depriving London woodworkers of employment.

To begin with, the lumber was really rough lumber, and was planed in a mill in this city. Rough lumber is duty-free, has always been free, and will continue to be so under the pact; Georgia pine is one of the raw materials of Canada's wood-working industries, and no party would dare tax it.

Our contemporary went further and declared that the pact would put dressed lumber on the free list, which is entirely false, while it also failed to mention that the Americans make an average 60 per cent reduction from their duties on Canadian dressed lumber entering the United States. This will, of course, stimulate our manufacture and export of dressed lumber. The reduction, it will be remembered, was bitterly fought by the American lumber trust. Here is the Free Press's false statement of last Friday, a statement not yet withdrawn in full. It says under the heading "MILLS OF THE UNITED STATES OUTBID MILLS OF THIS CITY":

"WHEN RECIPROCITY COMES INTO EFFECT, THE DUTY OF 22½ PER CENT ON DRESSED LUMBER COMES OFF.

"RECIPROCITY MAKES DRESSED LUMBER FROM THE UNITED STATES FREE.

"RECIPROCITY STRIKES AT THE LONDON WORKINGMEN'S EMPLOYMENT."

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LONDON, FRIDAY, SEPT. 1.
AN UTTERRANCE BY SIR JOHN
MACDONALD THAT REBUKES
HIS POLITICAL HEIRS.
One of the most notable speeches
ever made by Sir John Macdonald was
that in which he occupied four and
one-half hours in defence of his own
and the Government's course in rela-
tion to the Washington treaty. It is
which certain rights were given to
the American fishermen and a mea-
sure of reciprocity provided for.
The attitude of his Government to
the question of trade relations with
the United States was to a great ex-
tent practically the attitude of the
Laurier Government at the present
time.
Some extracts from the speech are
reproduced as follows:
The reciprocity treaty with the
United States, which was signed in
1894, in which latter year it expired.
Great exertions were made by the
Government of Canada, and a great
desire was expressed by the Parlia-
ment and people of Canada for a
renewal of the treaty. It was felt
to have worked very beneficially for
Canada. It was felt that we were
also to the advantage of the United
States, and there was a desire and
feeling that those growing interests
which had been constantly develop-
ing and increasing themselves dur-
ing the existence of the treaty
would be greatly aided if it were
renewed and continued. It was a
member of the Government at that
time, with some of my honorable
friends who are still my colleagues;
and we took every step in our power,
we spared no effort, we left no
stone unturned, in order to gain
that object. The House will remem-
ber that for the purpose of either
effecting the renewal of the treaty,
or, if we could not obtain that,
arriving at the same object by
means of concurrent legislation, my
honorable friend, the member for
Sherbrooke (Hon. Sir A. T. Galt),
at that time finance minister, and
the present Lieutenant-Governor of
Ontario, went to Washington on the
half of the Government of Canada.
"The very basis of this treaty (the
Washington) is reciprocity (hear,
hear). To be sure, it does not go
so far and embrace so many articles
as the treaty of 1854. I am sorry
for it. I fought hard that it should
be so; but the terms of this treaty
are terms of reciprocity, and the
very first clause ought to be suffi-
cient evidence that that point, for
it declares that Canadians shall
have the same right to fish in
American waters that Americans
will have under the treaty fish in
Canadian waters. True, it may be
said that our fisheries are more
valuable than theirs, but that does
not affect the principle. The prin-
ciple is this—that we were trying
to make a reciprocity arrangement,
and going as far in the direction of
reciprocity as possible, endeavoring
to carry out a reciprocity law, al-
though not a reciprocity treaty in
form. The principle is the same in
each case, and as regards the treaty
that has been negotiated, it is not
confined to reciprocity in fish."
"My honorable friend says 'Hear,
hear', but I will tell him that the
only lever for the obtaining of recipro-
city is the sole control of our
canals."
The real substantial means to
obtain reciprocal trade with the
United States is in the canals.
"Reject the treaty," the Washing-
ton, and you do not get reciprocity."

In these and other passages of Sir
John's speech, he keeps hammering
on the subject of reciprocal trade as the
great need of Canada, and the need
that everybody realized and desired
to satisfy. The speech also contains
a strikingly faithful prophecy of the
recently developed peace agreement
between England and the United
States, which was given in the fol-
lowing form:
"I believe that this treaty is an
epoch in the history of civilization;
that it will set an example to the
wide world that must be followed;
and with the growth of this great
Anglo-Saxon family, and with the
development of that mighty nation
to the south of us, I believe that the
principle of arbitration will be ad-
vocated and adopted as the sole
principle of the settlement of dif-
ferences between the English-
speaking peoples, and that it will
have a moral influence in the world,
and although it may be opposed to
the antecedents and other nations,
that great moral principle which
has now been established among
the Anglo-Saxon family, will spread
itself over all the civilized world."

**NEW HAMPSHIRE FARM-
ERS OPPOSED.**
Mr. Patee, master of New
Hampshire State Grange (page
85 senate committee report):
"Independent of everything
else, I am very sure that I
speak for the whole farm
people of the State of New
Hampshire, in and out of our
organization, in saying that
they are opposed to these
things."

**NEW YORK DAIRYMEN
ALARMED.**
Mr. F. N. Godfrey, master of
the New York State Grange,
representing an organization of
nearly 100,000 farmers, states
page 99 senate committee re-
port:
"The dairy interests in New
York feel very serious about
this proposition. They were
coming to think that there
was something and would be
some money in the dairy
business, but with the
throwing open of the markets
of our state to the dairymen
of Canada, the allowing of
them to put their butter and
cheese upon our market on
the same basis that we are
doing is unjust and unfair.
They are able to produce
these goods in Canada cheap-
er than we can in New
York."

**TRADES UNIONISTS "INTER-
LOCKED."**
Tariffs must not be introduced, oh
no. But will Mr. Borden and his
band say to the Canadian members
of the trades unions, "You must
continue to 'interlock' your interests
as workmen with those of Ameri-
can workmen?" There would seem
to be a much more vital "entangling"
of Canadian and American interests
in the trades unions than in a rec-
iprocity pact which can be terminated
at any time on a moment's notice by
either party. But our anti-reciprocity
agitators have no charge of disloyal-
ty to make against the unions. They
do not see these unions leading to
annexation and brand the Canadians
who belong to them as deficient in
patriotism.
Canadian members help to elect of-
ficials of management who largely
own allegiance to the Stars and
Stripes. They pay their dues into a
treasury managed under those colors
and draw benefits from it when in
need. Kept informed of labor condi-
tions throughout the continent, they
move hither and thither where there
is work to be done. Who charges to
unions and their Canadian members
with a conspiracy of "continental-
ism?"
It is the same way with capital as
with labor. Great commercial con-
cerns straddle the boundary line, and
who says them nay? There are great
insurance companies, banking cor-
porations, publishing firms, binding to-
gether the economic and intellectual
interests of the continent, the inter-
ests of Great Britain and the United
States, the interests of France and
Germany for that matter, or of Rus-
sia and Japan. Economic ties, both
of labor and of capital, tend not to
bind this country politically to that,
but rather scores of countries into
the coming federation of the world.
Reciprocity will help the cause of
Anglo-American friendship and eventu-
ally a universal system of co-opera-
tion, arbitration and peace, the very
ideal of trades unionism.

**SENATOR NELSON'S DIRE
PROPHECY.**
Hon. Knute Nelson, United
States senator from the State
of Minnesota, (page 715, senate
committee's report) says:
"If the Canadian Govern-
ment were to seek a scheme
to increase and hasten the
settlement and build up that
country more rapidly than it
has been, no scheme could
be invented that would be
more conducive to that end
than this scheme, which has
been inaugurated by the
President. It will prove stag-
nation and ruin to our farm-
ers."

WALKING ON EGG-SHELLS.
The population of Mississippi Coun-
ty, where Mr. Borden was speaking
on Wednesday, is about half English
and half French. The Conservative
candidate and his leader had, there-
fore, to walk on egg-shells in dealing
with the naval question. On the real
issue of reciprocity they spoke out in
opposition to rural opinion and to all
the traditions of themselves and the
Bible. "The only feature of it," said
Mr. Borden's meeting from one of
Mr. Bourassa's was, therefore, a differ-
ence of emphasis: where Bourassa
skates quickly over the thin line of
reciprocity and does all his fine per-
formance on the navy question, Bor-
den did things the other way about.
The Conservative candidate, Dr.
Pickel, said this much, that if elected
he would vote to repeal the navy
act. Wild horses will not be able to
draw from Dr. Pickel or from his
leader a statement whether he will or
will not vote for anything to help the
mother country.
Practically they are appealing, like
any Nationalists, to the Anglophobe
tendency supposed to actuate some of
the habitants in Mississippi and at the
same time seeking not to offend the
English Conservatives by a positive
pronouncement against any form of
aid to the mother country.

**HAWKING THE BRITISH BIRTH-
RIGHT.**
When Mr. Hawkes, alias Borne,
rang his bell it was found that about
150 had assembled. The number of
British newcomers in London out-
side the Auditorium, was of course
indefinitely greater. They preferred to
stay at home or spend the evening
more pleasantly and profitably than
in being told that they were a class
apart, and ought to consent to be
rounded up and rounded. The ma-
jority of those who went to hear Mr.

Hawkes were apparently prompted by
a skeptical curiosity. It was a chilly
and unresponsive audience. Truth to
tell, there was nothing in Mr. Hawkes'
oratory to warm up his hearers.
Though clever with his pen, he has
not the platform gift. Reason and
argument were as much wanting as
eloquence. Let no one put a label on
you, he cried, and invited them to
step up and have themselves tattooed
with a "B. R."

Mr. Hawkes' address was all love
and no reason. His big heart throbb-
ed out to every innocent newcomer
that he could take in. He loves them
so that if the law only allowed it he
would get their proxies or mark their
ballots for them on election day.
Never not, he said, had any British-
born literature been issued without a
name put to it. But who is John
V. Borne? Mr. Hawkes complained
that some of the Liberal press did not
seem to have read the literature which
they denounced. Anyone reading the
"Appeal to the British-Born" would
think its author a mere wind-bag, if
he did not know him to have some
real ability. What strikes a reader
is the nothingness of that "Appeal."
It is easy to read, like a railroad
map, but it is hard to see how any
real free Briton, used to argument in
his politics, can be influenced by it to
vote against reciprocity.

Altogether it was a puerile per-
formance that the gallant 150 turned
out to see. But Mr. Hawkes is trying
to earn his salary and make the best
of a poor job.
"UNCLE JOE" SEES BLUE
RUIN.
"Notwithstanding all this the
Democratic party, with their
enormous majority in the
House, will pass this mis-called
reciprocity bill, which will re-
sult in prosperity for our Cana-
dian neighbors and bank-
ruptcy for those engaged in
agriculture in the United
States."—Hon. Joseph Cannon,
ex-speaker of the United
States House of Representa-
tives.

**EXPLAIN YOURSELF, MR. WAL-
LACE.**
On page 12 of the London Free
Press of Thursday, Aug. 31, Mr. J. G.
Wallace, of Woodstock, Conservative
candidate in North Oxford, is reported
as "knocking" his own town in this
manner:
"United States concerns such as
the International Harvester Com-
pany employ an immense number of
men in Canada. With this part
pending there is no movement to
establish branches in Canada."
"In our own city we had last
year a great many inquiries. This
year we cannot do a thing. Only
today I was talking to the man who
was secretary of the industrial com-
mission last year, and he had sev-
eral letters on the subject, saying
that he was looking for a site in Cana-
da now, we are not going into anything
till we see what becomes of recipro-
city."

On page two of the same issue ap-
pears a dispatch from Woodstock
headed as follows:
"Woodstock Vexed by House
Famine—Workmen Attracted by
New Factories Wait Weeks For
Houses Without Avail."
The dispatch goes on to say:
"Woodstock is suffering from a
house famine. Workmen who have
been attracted to Woodstock by
the building of new factories have
been waiting for houses for weeks,
and, although some are going up,
the supply is nothing like equal to
the demand. Woodstock is sadly in
need of houses, renting for from \$7
to \$12 a month for the workmen.
One real estate man declared that
he had no less than 50 applications
for houses of this description within
the past few weeks, but was able
to supply but very few houses.
The matter will likely be considered
by the board of trade at its next
meeting and ways and means de-
vised for relieving the situation."

A vote for Beattie is a vote for
Bourassa.
A vote for Beattie is a vote against
the British preference.
A vote for Beattie is a vote to do
nothing for the naval defence of the
Empire.
The farmer is asked to vote against
his own pocket for what? Simply to
put another group in office.
At any rate the Free Press is about
as correct on the lumber schedule as
on any other phase of the reciprocity
agreement.
The Toronto packing firm which
makes an average profit of 50 per cent.
per annum by cheap hogs and deer
pork and bacon is against reciprocity.
Mr. Beattie boasts of his love for
the British flag and he follows a
leader who is too cowardly to say
a definite word as to the defence of
the Empire.
The porcupine patriot Hawkes pro-
fesses to have been a British Liberal.
If that is so he must have been fight-
ing for free food in England. Here he
is fighting for food taxes. But, of
course, he is paid well for it.
The London Free Press says in a
headline that Arthur Hawkes ad-
dressed a "crowded house." Further
down in the same article it says the
house was "fairly well filled," which
means there were vacant seats. As a
matter of fact there were not more
than 150 people in the audience. They

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A final clean-up in Men's Suits before we start showing the new fall goods. Remember all of these will make splendid fall and winter suits.

\$18 and \$20 Suits For \$14.95

Handsome brown overcheck and gray worsteds, made in the newest three-button sack styles, broad shoulders and medium length lapels. A lot of high-class suits for men and young men, that were \$18 and \$20, have now taken the final drop in price to make a quick sale be- fore the new goods are opened up. Choice.... **\$14.95**

\$12.50 and \$13.50 Suits For \$8.95

Progress Brand Suits, made of nobly patterned tweeds and worsteds, all sizes from 36 to 44; good for **\$8.95** wear the year round. Choice..... **\$8.95**

Are Your Boys Ready For School?

AT \$2.25 and \$2.95 we have special values in Boys' School Suits, bloomer knicker styles at both prices, or straight knickers if you wish. See these bargains Saturday.

The celebrated "Progress" Suits for boys at \$5.00 and higher. A watch free with suits at \$5.00 and over

New Fall Underwear

We announce the arrival of complete stocks of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Underwear for fall and winter. The cool days of September will call for heavier underwear, so please remember that large new stocks are waiting for you to make your selection.

At 75c Ladies' Fine Wool Vests weight for fall and winter, **75c** each.

At 50c Ladies' Vests and Draw- ers, ribbed (union) wool, cream or gray color, **50c** each.

At 25c Ladies' Vests and Draw- ers, ribbed cotton, with fleece finish, gray or cream, **25c** each.

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French Paillette Silks (40 inches wide) are distinctly favored for fall wear. Rightly so, for there is no silk makes up quite so pretty or is as appropriate for both street and evening gowns. Every new and wanted light and dark color, including white and black; rich, lustrous finish, drapes beautifully and will not crush or wrinkle. **\$1.50** Per yard.....

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were counted carefully by an Advertiser reporter.

The Conservative orator who said on Mr. Borden's platform that he "would have no truck nor trade with the Yankees" could not have told the truth. Wouldn't he like a California orange now and then? Does he object to "Yankee" tourists coming to Canada? Would he never take a trip to New York himself? Perhaps he meant that it was all right for him to deal with the "Yankees," but he wouldn't let Canadian farmers do anything so dangerous to their inno- cence.

The Victoria Colonist contends that reciprocity will lower the cost of living, and, therefore, depress wages. It says:
"The Colonist has said, and it re- peats that as an increase in the cost of living always compels an in- crease in wages, of which there is abundant evidence here in Victoria, so also it is one of the fundamental principles in economics that as the cost of living is reduced, the rate of wages falls."
The Colonist's political economy is 100 years old. It is still befogged by "the iron law of wages." Wages went up in England when the food taxes were taken off, and they have been going up ever since, while the cost of living has been going down.

WE KNOW IT.
[Chicago Tribune.]
We hope the Canadians will take our word for it that Champ Clark is not the whole United States.
BAD ENOUGH AS IT IS.
[Boston Transcript.]
Jack—Would you like to live your life over again?
Tom—And owe twice as much as I do now? No, sir.

CORRECTING AN ERROR.
[Baltimore Examiner.]
The local Conservatives have been re- corded that Mr. Lloyd Harris made the statement that 90 per cent of the Lib- eral members of the House of Commons were opposed to reciprocity when it was Ontario. Especially valuable in the first introduced. Mr. Harris never made manner in which he is showing that

any such statement. What he did say was that he believed that if they had been consulted before negotiations took place, 90 per cent of the Liberal members would have opposed them. When the word came down it was so unexpectedly favorable that only three Liberal mem- bers opposed it, while at least one Con- servative member, Mr. Heron of McLeod, is in the field today as a pro-reciprocity man.

THE GROUND OF THEIR LOVE.
[Sacred Heart Review.]
"Let us have peace," said the white invader. "Can you not see that the white strangers love the redmen?"
"Ah, yes," replied the intelligent In- dian, "they love the very ground we walk upon."

HIS NICKNAME.
[Exchange.]
"I hope they don't give my little boy any naughty nicknames at school?"
"Yes, ma; they call me 'Cornus.'"
"How dreadful! And why do they call you that?"
"Cause in our class, you know, I'm always at the foot."

CRUEL.
[Mount Forest Confederate.]
The Galt Reporter is afraid that reciprocity will lead to annexation. Yet the present editor of the Reporter once annexed himself to the United States for a number of years. Sentiment wouldn't prevent his doing so again, if circumstances were favor- able.

BILLY'S GOOD WORK.
[Ontario Free Press.]
"Billy King," as they call the Min- ister of Labor in North Waterloo, is doing splendid work for the party in Ontario. Especially valuable in the first introduced. Mr. Harris never made manner in which he is showing that

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a matter of course, for the information about the events of the day— even the hour—in which they are living. That sets interest attached to the information—to the news contained in the ads.

THE THREE BOLTERS.
[Kingston Whig.]
Three Liberals opposed reciprocity in the last Parliament. Mr. Sifton and Mr. Harris are not candidates, and Mr. Ger- man has repented and will support the trade agreement if it is approved by the people.

TURN ABOUT FAIR PLAY.
[Toronto Globe.]
Give the farmer and the consumer their turn. The Big Interests have had theirs.

NOT VERY EDIFYING.
[Buffalo Courier.]
The ultra literary column to demon- strate their peculiar views of the mar- riage relation.

PERHAPS.
[Ottawa Free Press.]
Perhaps the real reason why they are so scared of annexation in Toronto Tory circles is that July 4 is too near July 12 to properly celebrate both days.

TACTFUL.
[Sydney Bulletin.]
Pedestrian—'Allo! 'ad a smash?
Cynical Cyclist (spitting out another tooth)—No! Oh, no! Merely rest- ing!

SAVED HIS PIGEONS.
[London Opinion.]
"Hullo, wot's in the basket, 'Arry?"
"Oming pigeons."
"Don't yer ever lose 'em?"
"No, I croases mine with a talkin' parrot, so that if they loses their way they can ask!"

THE SOLUTION.
[Philadelphia Telegraph.]
Stoop who can't in her rig compress- ing
Fearful the awful weight!
Hence we figure her shoes in dress- ing
She always laces first.

THE EVENING PAPER.
[Toronto News.]
The evening newspaper meets the mood of the majority of people. It does not lecture and moralize; it en- tertains and informs; its information is new—not a day old—and that is its chief force and charm. That is what makes some people turn to it as

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WILTSE GOES TO HOSPITAL TYPHOID FEVER IS FEARED

Young Californian Has Been Ill for Some Days and His Con- dition Is Causing Much Anxiety to the Management of the London Team.

Pitcher Earl Wiltse, one of the latest additions to the London team pitching staff, was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, and it is stated that his condition is serious. Wiltse has been ill for the past week, and it was thought that he was improving. Yesterday he became worse, however, and it was deemed advisable to remove him to the hospital. Typhoid fever is feared. Wiltse will likely be used in to-day's game or one of the games in to-morrow's double-header. He has all the symptoms of a promising young twirler, and the local management are confident that he will make good.

WATER SUPPLY AT PORT WAS ABSOLUTELY PURE

But London Man Says Board of Health Should Look After the Port.

Mr. John Graham, a member of the board of health, and who has been living at Port Stanley every summer for many years, declares that something should be done to improve the conditions prevailing at the Port. He declares that some places are very insanitary.

"There is no doubt that something should be done," he stated today. "Every year at least one thousand citizens of this city spend the summer in Port Stanley. The health of this number of residents of London is a matter of concern to us, particularly to those who are on the board of health. As a board we have no jurisdiction over that town, as the matter is entirely in the hands of the board of health there. However, the local board should exercise a supervision over the place, and see to it that everything is as it should be. If the Port, under board will not properly manage this department, the provincial board should be asked to do so. There are about 300 Londoners living there each summer. For my own personal satisfaction I took a sample of the water from the well used by us there and had it analyzed by Dr. Amyot, of Toronto. The report received was that the water was absolutely pure, just as good as our Springbank water. We thus protected ourselves, and it is my own opinion that water from the wells there should be taken, say once a month during the season, to insure that it was free from disease germs. That is a matter for the board of health, not for private citizens. I do not say that all the wells at Port are as good as the one we use, but I can speak for the purity of the water supply furnished us personally there."

Music and Drama

Praised By Montreal.
The coronation pictures, at the Grand Theatre, were praised yesterday by the Montreal papers. The criticism is as follows: "The next best thing to seeing the coronation itself is to see it reproduced in the cinematograph. Last night this really wonderful invention was shown in Montreal for the first time in the Princess Theatre under the management of Mr. George S. McLeish, and called forth admiring comments and unstinted applause from an audience which was enthusiastic from start to finish. It was quite evident, not only from the large attendance, but from the way the waiting people crowded themselves before the first picture was shown, that they expected something unusual. There was a buzz of excited whisperings, followed by a sudden half-awed hush as the opening film came on that must have represented very nicely the expectant attitude of the spectators on the coronation stands in London, who saw the real thing. Only one adjective could adequately describe the finest of the views—they were superb."

LAST BAND CONCERT OF THE SEASON

Tonight a Programme Will Be Given in Victoria Park.
By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. A. Campbell and the officers, the Seventh Regiment band will play the last concert of the season in Victoria Park this evening from 8 to 10.
"O Canada" and the "Mistletoe." "Spokane March," "A Bunch of Roses," "Overture—'Festival,'" "Lentner Selection—'Merrill,'" "Waltzes—'The Chocolate Soldier,'" "Strauss Intermezzo—'On the Rhapsody,'" "Song—'The Killarney and You,'" "I Love the Name of Mary," "Two-Step—'Throw Your Arms Around Me Mary,'" "The Rose Tree," "The Turkish Descriptive Piece—'The Pasha's Guard,'" "Rohmer and Thurban Overture—'Havah's Happy Hiss,'" "The British Grenadiers," and "God Save the King."
Albert W. Slater, Conductor.
*Repeated from last programme by request.

BUILDING PERMITS SHOW INCREASE

A Jump of \$94,517 Over Same Period of a Year Ago.
According to the official figures issued by City Architect Nutter, the returns for the month of August show that there were 94 permits issued for a total value of \$94,517, as compared with \$40,739 in August, 1910.
This brings the total for the eight months of the year up to \$825,388, an increase of \$94,517 over last year.
The outlook is very favorable, and it should have an excellent increase over last year," said City Architect Nutter.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.
Columbia, at New York, from Montreal.
Empress of Ireland, at Liverpool, from Quebec.
Empress of India, at London, from Montreal.
Mongolian, at Glasgow, from Philadelphia.

Renke is slowly recovering from the injury to his knee, received in the Hamilton game here, but it is not likely he will be able to play until next week. McWhirter is going good at present, and Collins, the local boy, is being held in readiness, so that it is not likely that the team will meet with any trouble in the catching department.
Bierbauer's hand is coming along nicely, and it is expected that he will be back in the game before the end of next week. Looney won the suit of clothes for the highest batting average during the month, he having an average of .425.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC STORY MADE OF WHOLE CLOTH

A Windsor Paper Publishes a Sensational Article Which Does an Injustice to London.

The Windsor Record of Thursday states that in the city of London there are now more than 39 cases of typhoid fever.
This statement is absolutely denied by the authorities.
In Victoria Hospital at the present time there are only three typhoid patients.
All have only a touch of the fever and are doing well.
In St. Joseph's Hospital there are two cases, one who came in from Toronto, and another who was taken ill after being at Port Stanley.
The authorities state that they have not had a dozen cases altogether this summer.
Dr. Hutchinson also emphatically denies that there is a typhoid fever epidemic in the city.
"There are five cases in the hospitals now," he informed The Advertiser. "The infection in these cases did not come from the water in this city. One case, which proved fatal, came from Toronto, and the others were not caused by infection in London."
"Every month this year I have sent samples of city water to Toronto for analysis, and in every instance the water has been found absolutely free from disease germs. There is no fever in London of any account."

PARENTS ARE BLAMED FOR JUVENILE CRIME

Inspector Sanders Says Number of Cases Reported Is To Be Deplored.

Apparently another wave of juvenile crime has broken loose in the city, as nearly every day there have been cases of a more or less serious character in the juvenile court.
"I never in all my experience know of so many cases in such a short time, as there have been the last few weeks," said Inspector Sanders to The Advertiser this afternoon. "The parents of the children are certainly to blame for what is happening, and something must be done to stop it."
In the juvenile court today six small boys appeared on a charge of having broken into a Michigan Central freight car in the siding here and stolen a quantity of bottles of olives.
Detectives Down and Heenan went out Thursday and rounded up the culprits. They were found to be lads who the police say have figured in a number of other cases. Three of them will in all probability be sent to the Industrial School, as they have been warned repeatedly. The case was laid over until next week.

ENGINEER ASKS THAT QUESTION BE SETTLED

Wells on the Gerry Flats Are Still Out of Commission.

The wells on the Gerry flats have been disconnected, as was announced in The Advertiser some days ago. Today Superintendent Glaubitz wrote to Hon. Adam Beck, informing him of this fact, and asking him to take such steps as were necessary to insure a speedy settlement of this somewhat vexatious question. It is certain that nothing whatever will be done until the return of City Solicitor Meredith, who is at the present time at the University of Toronto.

LOCAL ITEMS

Boost in Customs.
The customs returns for August were \$1,350 42 greater than in the same month in 1910. The returns for last month totalled \$92,561 05, as against \$91,210 63 last year.

Aviation Sports.
The annual sports at the asylum are being held this afternoon. As is usually the case a very large number of citizens are present, and are thoroughly enjoying the excellent programme of events provided by the committee in charge.

Board of Health.
There will be a meeting of the board of health this evening. Among the matters of importance to be dealt with are the condition of Carling's Creek and of the Heights at Port Stanley. There is considerable routine business also to be disposed of.

Struck by Auto.
John Nicholl, of 376 Biltmore street, is in Victoria Hospital with a number of cuts and bruises received last evening when while riding a bicycle on Dundas street he collided with an automobile belonging to Mr. Tony Timmann. Nicholl was knocked down, but escaped very serious injuries.

Woman Discharged.
Mrs. Margaret Wise, the Port Huron woman who was taken to Victoria Hospital yesterday in an unconscious condition from an overdose of morphine, was discharged yesterday afternoon. It is understood that the authorities are looking into the matter with a view of having the woman deported as an undesirable.

Conditions at Cochrane.
I ordered the water commissioners to disconnect the two wells on this property, and charge all the expense to them. I ordered the water commissioners to disconnect the two wells in any respect, and the wells' system will continue to provide plenty of water for the citizens.

It is not known at the city hall when Mr. Meredith will be home, but it is expected that he will arrive some time during this week or the week after. What proceedings will be taken to gain possession of the property is not known. The next session of the Legislature to this fact, and asking him to take such steps as were necessary to insure a speedy settlement of this somewhat vexatious question. It is certain that nothing whatever will be done until the return of City Solicitor Meredith, who is at the present time at the University of Toronto.

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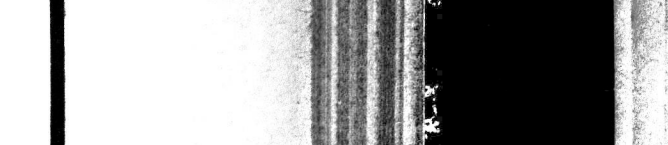
Said To Be Dissatisfied With Local Administration— Board's Action Cre- ates Discussion.

The statement made at the board of education yesterday that the teachers of the public schools, or at least in certain of them, were forming cliques, is creating considerable discussion. From rumors in circulation now it is possible that something further will be heard of the matter.
In conversation with some of the teachers, it was stated that when they might be for 10 or were hinted at being formed, did not exist as a fact, but were the expression merely of legitimate dissatisfaction with local educational administration.
None of them cared to go on record in connection with the matter, although it is possible that something may be done later.

INGERSOLL YOUTH STOLE A BEEHIVE

Brave Act Cost Them Forty-five Dollars Lars Between Them.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ingersoll, Sept. 1.—Two young men by the name of Todd and Bracken, of Strathroy, a schoolmate of the bride, played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. H. Hayden, M. A. After congratulations all sat down to the bountiful supper, and good cheer gave zest to the occasion. Judging by the large



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EAST LONDON NEWS

Arthur-Welch
A Very Pretty Wedding on Dufferin Avenue Thursday Evening.
A very pretty wedding on Thursday evening was that of Miss Frances H. Welch and Mr. Charles W. Arthur, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Welch, 580 Dufferin avenue. The bride, daintily attired in pale blue tulle, had hearing of grace and composure. She was led to the altar by her father, and carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations. The bridesmaid was Miss Milla Welch, sister of the bride, and the best man was Mr. John Thompson. Miss Pearl Witton, of Strathroy, a schoolmate of the bride, played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. H. Hayden, M. A. After congratulations all sat down to the bountiful supper, and good cheer gave zest to the occasion. Judging by the large

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THREE HURONS WILL GO LIBERAL

Conservative Candidate in East
Riding Turns Somersault.

A TELL-TALE MEETING

He Was for Reciprocity in Decem-
ber—Mr. Hyslop Will Redeem
Riding.

[By Our Own Man.]

Brussels, Aug. 31.—In almost every riding in Western Ontario, not only are many of the most prominent Conservative farmers outspoken in favor of reciprocity, but the Conservative candidate also is trying to face both ways at the same time. Needless to say such an attempt involves a contortion that presents to the electors a much-twisted candidate on a platform, the planks of which do not match and which sag at both ends.

Find that a candidate has been close to the farmers, and somewhere in his recent past you will find him committed to reciprocity in natural products. From the experience of an Adviser reporter in seven ridings, that may be set down as a political axiom that fits the present situation.

Mr. Bowman's Predicament.
James Bowman is the Conservative aspirant in East Huron. He is a farmer, and at the present time he is open to reciprocity. Recent experiences led The Adviser to believe that he had been ever sold on anything to show his friendliness to the present proposed agreement. Most assuredly, no reason why he shouldn't have. He is a farmer, and all farmers in their heart of hearts, have wanted reciprocity in natural products since the first group meetings and their deputations have put their attitude on record.

Mr. Bowman's change of heart came since December. It was in that month that the farmers of East Huron met at Brussels, and decided that they would give their support to the member of parliament that was to ask for wider markets and reciprocity in natural products of the Government.

You Were There, Mr. Bowman.
The farmers who patronized at Brussels were enthusiastic at the prospect, and everyone present declared himself in favor of the proposition. You were among them, weren't you, Mr. Bowman? You wanted reciprocity in natural products at that meeting, didn't you, Mr. Bowman? You're in the field now because you were offered the nomination, and because you were told to oppose reciprocity, weren't you, Mr. Bowman?

Archibald Hyslop, ex-M. P. P. E. of the Liberal candidate, and is certain of his stand on reciprocity to a greater degree than Mr. Bowman can show. He is certain of his consistent opposition to reciprocity.

Both of the candidates are Presbyterians, and both are elders in the same church at Brussels. The campaign finds two fellow-laborers, two farmers and two original reciprocity men in the field, and the decision the farmers are likely to give is not hard to ascertain.

Not only has Mr. Bowman his December position to argue away, but he is being strongly supported at his meetings by Dr. Thomas Chisholm, the last Conservative member in the House, and another erstwhile reciprocity man. Dr. Chisholm, happily for the farmers of East Huron, is no record in House in favor of reciprocity in natural products.

Farmers Will Not Turn a Somersault, Too.
Both Dr. Chisholm and Mr. Bowman have honestly reversed their attitudes since the contest was announced, but it is doubtful whether the farmers of East Huron will have found it incumbent to take the command to turn about from either of these gentlemen.

Mr. Hyslop, who ran against Dr. Chisholm in the last contest, and was defeated by less than one hundred votes, is confident that he and the issue will mean another Liberal seat from Ontario. Dr. Chisholm was a strong opponent, but Mr. Bowman's claim has no such strength in this campaign.

That the three Hurons will be Liberal in the prediction that is made in every corner of all ridings.

THESE RIDINGS WANT RECIPROCITY

Benefits of Agreement Plain
to Everyone in South
Huron.

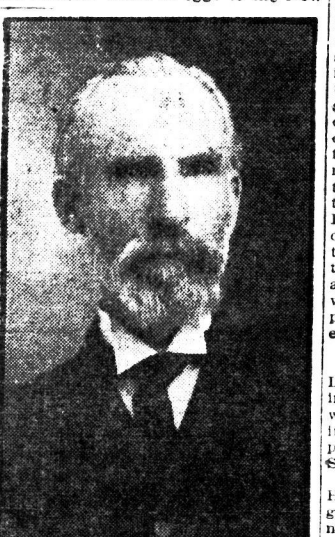
LIBERAL VICTORY SURE

Men of Both Parties Agreed That
Common Sense Demands Mr.
McLean's Re-election.

[By Our Own Man.]

Seaside, Aug. 31.—I brought five prime cattle to Seaside for shipment this morning," said William Devereux, of Tacksmith, to The Adviser today. "The Toronto market was offering about \$8. On the Buffalo market my cattle would have brought \$7.35. That's my answer and the answer of my neighbor, Grit and Tory alike, to your question about reciprocity. The farmers of South Huron may be divided at times on political questions, but this is business, and we are not fools."

"Before the Americans shut Canadian eggs out of their market, I shipped 1800,000 dozen of eggs to the New



M. V. McLEAN,
Liberal Candidate for Riding of South
Huron.

York dealers in one year," said D. D. Wilson, for years one of the largest dealers in eggs in Canada. "I made \$18,000 clear, above living expenses, in that year, and the farmers who sold the eggs to me made a proportionate gain. Then I tried to market money. The great distance and the competition with Danish eggs were too great, and I lost money. With reciprocity I can start back into the business, or I can sell the plant I have in this town at a good figure."

"The American market will afford the best prices that were ever paid for Ontario horses," declared George Turnbull, one of the most extensive shippers of horses in Ontario. "The Toronto commission and salesman say reciprocity won't be a good thing. Well, it won't be for the Toronto men. They have had control of things for so long that they hate to lose it, but I'll sell all the good horses the farmers can offer in New York State and the other big cities at a substantial price. Each of the three men quoted above can sell the plant I have in this town at a good figure."

These are summarizing extracts from a few of the interviews an Adviser representative had with men in South Huron who are in a line of business that the acceptance of reciprocity will benefit. Two of them, Messrs. Wilson and Turnbull, have had past experience with the American market, selling eggs and horses at a greater profit than they have since been able to secure in the English or Canadian markets.

Each of the three men quoted above had criticisms to make of the Toronto market. Mr. Devereux merely compared it to the Buffalo market, to the great advantage of the latter. Mr. Wilson stated that the commission men at Toronto who handled eggs charged ten per cent for handling,

while at New York and other American egg centres only five per cent was charged by the commission men. Mr. Turnbull says in effect, that the Toronto dealer presents a restricted market to the Canadian farmer, and that he can do about as he likes. "Though a farmer sells a horse to New York for \$300 and soon to make a profit, later on he passes the duty, he has the custom's valuator to contend with, and it was upon the valuation placed upon the horse by this official upon which the duty was paid.

Situation in the West.
Mr. Wilson thinks that reciprocity comes at a time when it is needed for the horse buyer. He believes that the West will supply its own horses within a few years and that the dealers closest to the eastern market will make the money. His claim is that they do not raise horses of the high quality of Canadian horses in the Eastern States, and prophesies that Canadian animals will command a high price at centres within easy shipping distance.

Mr. Wilson says that at certain seasons of the year eggs from the Southern States will retort for the consumer in Canada. During February and March there will be fresh eggs shipped in from the southern markets. The eggs from the United States side will come at a time when there are few fresh eggs in Canada.

The farmers of South Huron are of quite as high an order of intelligence as those in the other two ridings, and that they will greatly increase the majority of Mr. McLean's riding's last representative in the House of Commons, is looked upon as a reasonable deduction. The party appeal is largely the platform of the opposition, represented by J. J. Merrett, a storekeeper at Zurich. The issue is often left in the background, and a cry to defeat Laurier is raised. In the face of the manifold advantages to the riding, the progressive farmer has little time for attacks on the administration. Conservatives figure that the Liberal Government, in respect to reciprocity, is seizing an advantage that the calendar offered. They conceive that had the United States made such advantageous offers to the country while the Conservatives were in power, the party would have accepted the situation eagerly.

Instrument of Opportunity.
One view expressed was that the Liberal Government was merely an instrument of opportunity, and that it was not particularly to Laurier's credit that he had happened to be in power at a time when the United States "had to come to us."

A number of Conservatives in South Huron regret that their party has gone on record against reciprocity in natural products. They claim that without this grave error Borden might have appealed successfully to the electors at the next general election. Now he has set his forces against an opportunity to benefit directly at least ten per cent of the people of the country. Mr. McLean is confident of victory. He wants no man who does not realize the benefits of the agreement to be a member of the House of Commons. A number of Conservatives in South Huron regret that their party has gone on record against reciprocity in natural products. They claim that without this grave error Borden might have appealed successfully to the electors at the next general election. Now he has set his forces against an opportunity to benefit directly at least ten per cent of the people of the country. Mr. McLean is confident of victory. He wants no man who does not realize the benefits of the agreement to be a member of the House of Commons.

BOURASSA'S MAN WAVES TRICOLOR

Wild Words by Hon. Jean
Prevost, Ally of Borden.

DENOUNCES THE BRITISH

Folds His Arms About the Flag of
France When Bitterly Attacking
the Premier.

St. Jerome, Que., Aug. 31.—"This is the flag going down on the 21st of September," said Hon. Jean Prevost today in St. Jerome, as he waved aloft the tri-color of France. Then folding his arms about the flag, he said: "The red is for Prevost, still a Rouge; the white is for the Conservative ally, and the white for our beloved leader, Henri Bourassa."

Then, leaning far over the railing to be near the audience, he denounced the navy, England and everything but the French-Canadian and the flag, of which he was also waving. Wearing a photograph of Bourassa, he appeared as the representative of the Nationalist leader, and in language untempered by bitterness, denounced Laurier, the navy and British "reaction." "We will never be ready to give our families to be used as targets for the children of the English," he declared, amid applause. "The training ships we possess are where our children will learn to shoot, and later serve as targets for the cannon of Germany or Japan or China."

A Bitter Attack.
Equally bitter was the attack made by Mr. A. Fauteux, Conservative Nationalist nominee in Two Mountains. In his address on behalf of Mr. Nantel he declared that the "Liberal party was rotten and rotten." The real object of England in forcing a navy upon us was not to have the boats or the navy, but the blood of French-Canadians, and Dr. Desjardins, Liberal candidate, lied when he said anything else.

Speaking of Canada's obligations to England, he said: "The French in this town had once to fight for their rights against England," and then added: "We have developed our railways and our ports, but the latter serve for English ships. We pay twenty millions of interest every year to England for their investments here, and you may be sure that England has taken the best, as she always does. We are not going to fight England's battles, if she wins or if she loses, and will elect men whose ideas are not to please England."

The meeting was a joint affair, and it was expected that Mr. Henri Bourassa would be present but was prevented. However, his lieutenants, Prevost and Fauteux, did much credit as they used his language and expressed his ideals admirably.

For the Liberals, Messrs. Gauthier of Assumption and Dr. Desjardins of Terrebonne put up excellent arguments in favor of both the navy and reciprocity, but the traitorous language and flag-flying of Prevost and Fauteux so inflamed the audience that Mr. Gauthier had to appeal to the chair to get a hearing.

Dr. Desjardins gave an excellent hearing, because he spoke before either of his opponents. In his address he stated that Mr. Prevost had protected the French language and religion as well as our commerce. We were, therefore, in

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Shown in the City of London. Many of the BEST MAKERS' GARMENTS ON THE CONTINENT, including the well-known 20th Century Bench-Tailored Garments, will be shown exclusively by this store. Styles for the young will be of that authoritative "distinctiveness" that has always distinguished OUR DOWLER BENCH-TAILORED GARMENTS.

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THE MEN WHO HAVE BEEN PAYING THE LONG PRICE OF THE TAILOR find a pleasurable surprise here in our Dowler Bench-Tailored Clothes, with a saving of at least \$5.00 to \$8.00 on each Suit and Overcoat.

Hats! Hats! Hats and Caps!

There's a decided newness of style about our Fall Hats. We opened four shipments more this week. Two cases of latest American and English Caps are ready for the choosing.

SATURDAY SPECIAL.
THE "DUKE"—English quality and American block. Hat; rain does not affect it. \$1.48
THE "PRINCE"—Fine fur felt, in six distinct blocks. CAPS—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c. \$2.00 \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50.

Our Furnishing Department

100 dozen Fall Underwear Combinations and Two-Piece.

Penman's 75c Merino Shirts and Drawers, Saturday, all sizes, 34 to 44. 39c
15c Excelsa (not imitation) Handkerchiefs, firsts. 3c
50 dozen 50c Poplin Cord Silk Neckwear, all the new fall shades. Lots of them. 19c
48 pairs Dent's \$1.00 and \$1.25 Gloves, assorted shades of tan. 68c
Another shipment of popular \$5.00 Sweater Coats. \$4.00
15 dozen Men's \$1.00 Sweater Coats. 68c
A clean-up in Summer Shirts; \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 odd lines. 68c

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LONDON - ST. THOMAS

HOW RECIPROCITY AIDS FLAX INDUSTRY

Growers in Ontario Would Get
35 Cents Per Bushel More
Than at Present.

Dresden, Aug. 31.—Mr. Richard Burns, who is largely interested in the flax industry here, is enthusiastic over the prospect of reciprocity. He states that the best price quoted him on flax seed this year was that of the Dominion Linsseed Oil Company, of Baden, Ont., one of the largest concerns in Canada, which offered \$1.90 per bushel f. o. b. Baden. The same day he received a telegram from a Buffalo firm offering him \$2 per bushel f. o. b. Dresden.

Not only does the Buffalo firm offer him ten cents more a bushel than the Baden firm, says Mr. Burns, but they also pay the shipping and the duty, which is 25 cents per bushel. Were reciprocity, under which flax seed is free, in force today, Mr. Burns estimates that he would receive in the neighborhood of 35 cents more per bushel, plus the transportation charges, than he can secure in Canada.

The estimated crop of flaxseed in Kent County this year is 20,000 bushels, while the crop in the Canadian West is estimated at 6,000,000 bushels.

THE COST OF LIVING WOULD BE REDUCED

Reciprocity Means a Cut in
Prices for the Consumer.

Paris, Ont., Aug. 31.—Hon. William Patterson and Hon. Mackenzie King addressed a crowded meeting in the rink tonight. Hon. Mr. King devoted attention to the growing combine in food products, forcing down the price paid to the producer, while raising the cost to the consumer, instancing the excessive profits of 120 per cent of the Wm. Hyslop Company. He dealt technically with the hog question and the combine in the apple orchards, and convinced the workingmen present that reciprocity would materially reduce the cost of living.

Hon. Wm. Patterson was in fine fighting fettle and made an appeal that was received with hearty cheers, harkening back to the matter to him as he has been written. On the occasion of his speech, he read the notes of a paper which he had written, and which he read through his fingers the story of a paper which he had written, and which he read through his fingers the story of a paper which he had written.

BLIND SHORTHAND

Injured Man Invents Methods to
Write Without Eyes.
London, Aug. 31.—Maurice J. Myers, of Birmingham, the blind shorthand writer and typist, who by writing an embossed verbatim note of the proceedings at the recent international conference of the blind at Exeter, is himself largely responsible for the contrivance which made this feat possible.

Mr. Myers explaining that he did not become a shorthand writer because he was blind. He was already an expert stenographer when he became totally blind.



Londres

\$20 TO \$25 SUITS—A LAST CALL, SATURDAY, \$10.80.
We have 18 Odd Suits, all were over \$20. We'll put the lot out on Saturday at \$10.80. 35 Men's Work Suits, in one lot, at \$3.18.

BLUE WORSTED SERGE SUITS. ALL PURE WOOL. \$9.80—These were secured special for Saturday's trade.
IF YOU HAVE NEVER seen our Shop-Tailored Blue and Black Suits at \$15.00, take a look around the other stores at this price. Then you'll be prepared to criticize this line. We've taken the bit in our teeth and made this a bit better than you'll see at the price in Canada, in making, too, as in Cloth and Trimmings.

Boys' School Suit Sale

Tailor-Made Suits at \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8.50 to \$12. To introduce our better grades, we take the boys into a partnership of advertising, and present each purchaser with a standard guaranteed watch.

SUITS, \$1.98.
London's best \$3 School Suits Saturday and Sunday night. Special \$1.98
\$3.48.
LONDON'S BEST \$4.50 AND \$5.00 SUITS, two and three piece, plain and bloomer knickers. Bring the boys along. Come early.

BLOUSE AND RUSSIAN SUITS for the little chaps. \$3.68
American Sample Suits from \$5.00 to \$7.50
Boys' Caps, assorted, at 10c, 25c, 40c

We secured a special lot at a big sacrifice. London's best \$3.50 and \$4.75 Suits for \$2.40.
\$4.80.
London's best \$6 and \$6.50 Suits, bloomer and straight knickers, two and three piece. Over 100 Suits at this price. See you get yours.
75c Sweaters, boys'. 33c
Boys' Heavy Hercules Stockings. 15c
Boys' 85c and \$1 Strong Faced Knickers. 48c

OUR WORK GOODS DEPARTMENT.
A special man to attend to outfits for Labor Day parade, to which we pay special attention.

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ANOTHER HORSEMAN OUT FOR THE PACT

Mr. A. G. Bedford, Prominent
Conservative, Offers His
Support to Liberal
Candidate.

Chatham, Aug. 31.—Mr. A. G. Bedford, a prominent Conservative horseman, has written to Mr. A. B. McColl, Liberal candidate, offering his support. He writes: "I am in the horse business. Reciprocity would not only mean a large increase in profits, but it would do a much greater volume of business. I contemplate farming again and can easily see what a big benefit the farmers will derive."

BOY'S BODY FOUND.

Wiarion, Aug. 31.—The badly decomposed body of a boy was picked up by Capt. Fred Burke, of the harge S. W. Chamberlain, about 13 miles northeast of Cape Croker, and brought into port here last night. Dr. Fisher, the coroner, believes the body had been in the water nearly two weeks, and in that case the lad may have been one of the victims of the ill-fated tug Martin, of Midland, lost off Point au Baril on Monday, Aug. 21. Efforts are being made to have the body identified.

NEW YORK, AUG. 31.—

dog with a memory of a dog killed with a bullet in the head. Bloomfield, N. J., to animal hated.

Three weeks ago Henry Forbell seized because it had not looked it to the pound. The dog's owner, who was a license and paying, Forbell was past house yesterday. which had never plainly recognized sprang at the dog was knocked down seized the animal and held it to his feet. He and powerful, but he to the test. He hit hip pocket, but he grip of either hand for the weapon.

The St. Bernard was killed with a heavy blow at him again. Forbell and the dog fell. Forbell cut the St. Bernard's throat. The animal grew weak. Forbell cut the St. Bernard's throat. The animal grew weak. Forbell cut the St. Bernard's throat. The animal grew weak.

FIRE AT PARRY SOUND.

Parry Sound, Ont., Aug. 31.—The burning of a large store owned by John S. Beveridge, on James street, south of the main street, last night, resulted in the loss of eight of his best musical instruments, all the tools of the Government well as the whole of the Government uniforms. T. S. Fisher lost a number of his tools and a quantity of camp stool and equipment as well as the building.



There's great satisfaction in making beds and bedding of such fine quality as to win compliments like this:

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Waists For . . . \$2.98

Extraordinary purchase of Sample Silk Waists; a clearing line of manufacturer's samples. They come in Black and Colored Taffeta, also Black Net. There are no two alike. All this season's styles. Values up to \$5.50. Clearing price Saturday morning, each \$2.98

Hosiery Specials

Ladies' Black and Colored Lisle Hose; 25c value, in black, and 35c value in colors; sizes 8½ to 10 inch. Special Saturday, pair . . . 19c

Children's School Hose Special, 12½c Pair

20 dozen Ribbed Cotton Hose, fast black; sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Regular 20c pair. Saturday only, pair 12½c

Crash Towelling

Five pieces of Heavy Crash Towelling, 18 inches wide. Regular 10c. Saturday only 8½c a yard, or 12 yards for \$1.00

Centrepieces

One table of fine Centrepieces, comprising Tray Cloths and Dollies. Special, each . . . 25c

Lace Veils, Special 50c

New style Lace Veils, in navy, brown and black. Special, each 50c

Yard-Wide Paillette 89c

Just received a repeat shipment of this splendid quality Black Paillette, 36 inches wide. Saturday special 89c

Ladies' Umbrellas 59c

Three dozen Ladies' Umbrellas with fast black Austrian covers, paragon frame, natural and horn handles. Regular 90c value. Saturday 59c

Valenciennes Laces

Formerly sold at 3c a yard. Saturday . . . 1c

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WORK IN CLIQUES

Continued From Page One.

quired to be out on the streets so late at nights. Many complaints, he said, had been made by parents. "It hardly seems right," he said, "to have little chaps out until 11 o'clock at night, not one night a week, but often several."

Chairman Weekes said that he agreed with Dr. Teasdale, and had also heard of the matter. Things, however, are being arranged so that in future the Scouts will not be out late at night.

Normal School W.-k.

Dr. Teasdale thought the present system of allowing the Normal School students to take the work in the en-

trance classes at Simcoe street and Grand avenue schools interfered very greatly with the work of the regular teachers, and had a bad effect on the classes. He thought that more schools ought to be included so that the teachers could go to them and not be so often at the two schools. In this way the effects on the senior class would not be so bad. It was decided to have Inspector Edwards consult with the principals of the Normal school and the board of school in regard to the matter.

Exhibits at the Fair.

A letter was read from Secretary Hunt, of the Western Fair, asking that the classes in manual training give exhibitions of their work in the main building at the Fair. He thought such an exhibition would be of great interest, and said the board will willingly provide a place in the main building.

The matter was left with Inspector Edwards to arrange.

Miss Eleanor Phoenix asked for a year's leave of absence on account of ill-health. Granted.

The resignation of Miss Lily Westland, of Victoria school, who is leaving on account of ill health, was also regretfully accepted.

Recommendations.

The following recommendations of Inspector Edwards also carried:

That Misses Eva Field, Zella Fawkes and Elsie McCallum be placed on the permanent staff.

That under the direction of No. 1 committee I be authorized to purchase the annual supply of pictures for the public schools.

That Miss Morris be transferred from Simcoe street to Wortley road, and Miss Fisher from Princess avenue to Simcoe street.

TO CURE KIDNAPPERS

New York State Makes the Punishment More Severe.

New York, Sept. 1.—Two new laws went into effect in New York State today, which the legislature expects will do much to curb the activities of kidnappers and Black Hand extortionists. The new laws extend the definition of extortion and double the penalties for the Black Hand letter writer and kidnapper.

One of the laws distinguishes between a kidnapper of a child where a parent is concerned, and where the kidnapper is other than a parent. If by a parent, the penalty is imprisonment for a maximum of ten years, but if by a person other than a parent imprisonment for a maximum of 20 years and a minimum of ten years. A person found guilty of extorting money under threats is hereafter punishable by imprisonment for not more than 20 years.

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"ROUTLEDGE AND RECIPROCITY" PROVING WINNING COMBINATION

Dorchester Audience, Irrespective of Party, in Sympathy With Move for the Larger Markets.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dorchester, Aug. 31.—"Routledge and reciprocity" make a popular combination in East Middlesex, and their popularity is nowhere more in evidence than in Dorchester. Last night the Liberal candidate, assisted by Mr. T. H. Purdom, K. C., and Mr. Jared Vining, spoke here, and he was greeted by a very large audience, all of whom were apparently much in sympathy with his platform. Many Conservatives are throwing party allegiance to the winds, being determined to vote for their own interests in this campaign. The cause is gaining ground continually. From every section of the riding come excellent reports, and there is every prospect that Dr. Routledge will win.

Mr. Jos. S. Rogers, sen., occupied the chair at the meeting last night. He was delighted to see so large an audience, and hoped that all would be convinced of the reasonableness of the Liberal appeal in this campaign and support it.

Not a Treaty.

Dr. Routledge was given a great reception when he arrived to speak. He was glad to be among his many old friends in Dorchester. They had always been good to him, and he hoped that in this contest they would do better than ever.

The speaker dealt particularly with the statement that the agreement was a treaty that could not be abrogated at will. This was not the case, as the people to the past clearly showed, but was merely a bargain that could be terminated at any time at the will of either party to it.

"Any time we find it is not in our interests, we can abrogate it," said Dr.

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Routledge. "It will do no harm to try it. I am firmly convinced that it will prove of inestimable benefit to Canada."

The horse industry would be greatly benefited by the pact. The markets of Boston, New York, Buffalo and other cities would take a large number of Canadian horses. Dr. Routledge quoted the opinions of such well-known horse-men as A. Yeager, Simcoe; Lot Edmonds, Blenheim; Art Bedford, Chatham, and others, who declared that although their politics were not Liberal as a rule, they were convinced of the benefit that reciprocity would do to Canada, and, therefore, would support it.

Benefits All Classes.

Mr. T. H. Purdom, K. C., made an excellent impression. He declared that the reciprocity agreement was certain to be of untold benefit to the farmers of Canada, and, as a result, beneficial to all classes. The argument was in accord with the peace movement inaugurated not long since by President Taft and King George, and it would do much to bring the great English-speaking nations to a better understanding and into closer relations.

The Last Chance.

Mr. Jared Vining pointed out that this was the last opportunity that the farmers would have to test reciprocity. If it were rejected now, not in the lifetime of any of his audience would the Government of the United States give Canada an opportunity to obtain it. He warned the farmers not to lose it, but to vote for the candidate that was in favor of the pact, regardless of party feelings.

The meeting closed with cheers for the King and the candidate.

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SECOND DEGREE MURDER IN GEIDEL CASE

The Verdict in Trial of Bell-Boy Who Killed Broker.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Sept. 1.—The jury in the case of Paul Geidel, the 17-year-old bell-boy, charged with the murder of William H. Jackson, in the Iroquois Hotel on July 26, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree today morning. The jury had been locked up all night.

By the verdict of the jury Geidel escapes the electric chair, but will be sentenced for a long term in either Sing Sing or Auburn Prison.

Motions were deferred by Judge Crane until next Tuesday, when sentence will probably be passed. A verdict of second degree murder provides for imprisonment for a minimum term of twenty years to a maximum of imprisonment for life.

When Geidel was brought into court to learn his fate he was pale. Tears welled into his eyes and rolled down his face when he heard the verdict and he clenched his hands in an effort to control himself. None of his relatives were in court. The young man had nothing to say after the verdict was pronounced, and he was quickly led away to the Tombs Prison.

CHICAGO SKYSCRAPERS ARE LEANING TOWERS

Half a Dozen Big Buildings Are Out of Plumb, and One Threatens To Topple.

New York, Sept. 1.—A Chicago dispatch says: "The discovery that the Unity building, a sixteen-story Dearborn structure, is three feet out of plumb at the skyline has set the city building inspectors investigating. They say every skyscraper in the city is leaning more or less. The twenty-one-story Masonic Temple is seriously out of plumb, while the Elsworth building and the Pullman building also are tilting to the right of Pisa. The owners of the Unity building have been ordered to straighten it up, as it threatens to topple."

The subway, constructed in swampy soil, is blamed for giving the skyscrapers a dangerous tilt. If it is not for the steel construction the city would order several vacated.

EXPLOSION AT MONTREAL
Great Excitement in Chinatown When Street Splits Open.

[Canada Press.]

Montreal, Sept. 1.—The explosion of a twelve-inch gas main in the heart of Montreal's Chinatown caused great excitement among the Oriental residents of Lagardere street east shortly before midnight last night.

The main had been leaking for some time, and it is thought a smoker's match caused the trouble. The street was torn open for some distance and a lot of great property damage resulted.

See the Echo for a further list of goods.

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Held Meeting Yesterday.
At a meeting of the shareholders of the Agricultural Loan and Savings Company, held yesterday afternoon, it was decided by a very large majority to accept the offer of amalgamation with the Ontario Loan and Debenture Company.

For some time the deal has been discussed by the shareholders, and although some opposition developed for a time, it was not very extensive, and yesterday the resolution favoring the amalgamation met with practically no opposition.

Next week the shareholders of the Ontario Loan will vote on the same proposition.

SOUTH DELAWARE.
Mr. and Mrs. John Parsons are attending the Toronto Exhibition.
R. West has returned to his home in Woodstock.

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Sacred Concerts.
There will be a meeting on Tuesday next to decide whether the sacred concert shall be continued in Victoria Park on Sunday. There is only \$12 in the treasury now, and the concert to be given on Sunday night will cost \$28, so that more funds are badly needed.

Flower Show Closes.
The August flower show of the Horticultural Society closed last night in the city hall. It was one of the most successful ever held by the society, and the flowers held their beauty and freshness remarkably well throughout the show. Two late exhibitors, Mrs. Beecher and Rev. J. C. Pilkey sent in some very fine plants yesterday afternoon, the former contributing Lilium Auratum, and the latter an exceptionally fine Colusa.

CORRESPONDENCE

Conditions at Port Stanley.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:
Have just made a visit to our lakeside summer resort, Port Stanley, and take this opportunity to corroborate the many just criticisms that have been made concerning the old Fraser Heights picnic grounds, and things in general in connection therewith, during the entire season.

The insanitary condition in which the hills and beach are kept is most disgraceful, and certainly a disgrace to the city. The result is that persons have been unable to obtain any water on the hill. There has been altogether too much leniency extended this season, and London has stood for disgraceful conditions at the Port too long already. Anyone can soon discover the evident meaning of such a state of affairs on the hill. It surely points, and to the success of certain amusements on the beach where the money comes to the owners the easiest, and it will force the parent with a family to have their picnic on the beach, and there their good estates will be flavored with various courses of sand and the unbearable odor of refuse which has been so conspicuous on the beach this season.

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A SMALL AUDIENCE HEARD MR. HAWKES
Meeting in the Auditorium Last Night Was Slimly Attended.

THE TEXT OF HIS SPEECH
Opposed Reciprocity, and Formed a Branch of His League Here.

Before an audience of perhaps 150 people, Mr. Arthur Hawkes, editor of the British News of Canada, and organizer of the so-called "The Canadian National League," denounced the reciprocity pact put on the platform of the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium last night. The meeting was presided over by Captain Booker.

After referring to the very small audience and making a passing reference to the criticisms which he has received through some of the Canadian newspapers, Mr. Hawkes opened his address by calling attention to the vastness and natural and scenic wealth of Canada, and then turned from Canada to the historic associations of the Old Land. The native-born of Canada, declared Mr. Hawkes, have reason to be proud of the land of their birth, but the British-born Canadian has reason, on the other hand, to be proud of the historic traditions and wealth of the British Isles.

Native Canadians had no right to speak slightly of the immigrant. Immigration, said the speaker, had made Canada.

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BEING KNOCKED AROUND FROM POST TO PILLAR
No. 2 Committee Want to Again Move Children's Aid Society.

Owing to the absence of Ald. Mitchell and Mayor Beattie, only a minority meeting of the board of works was held last evening, with Ald. Morgan acting chairman.
A property owner on Cabell street presented a petition asking that something be done to improve the condition of the roadway on that street, and the matter was left in the engineer's hands, and he was instructed to look into it for further information.

Mr. Thomas Knowles, of Weston street, informed the meeting that the residents of Weston street were anxiously awaiting the promised improvements on that street. He was told that the work would be rushed ahead as soon as possible.

Before the adjournment a tour of the upstairs rooms in the city hall was made in an effort to locate a suitable place for a committee room for No. 2 committee, whose rooms have been vacated by the Liberal party.

Nothing definite was done, but it was recommended that the present quarters of the Children's Aid Society be vacated by the Liberal party, so that No. 2 committee may use the vacated room. This was thought to be the best way out of the difficulty.

Those present at the meeting were Ald. Morgan, Ald. Saunders, Engineer Glauzith, Engineer Wright, Chief Alden, and Harry Barrett, acting secretary.

Music and Drama

"Madame Sherry."
There is little need of describing the witching beauty of the music of "Madame Sherry." When the production was presented to London theatregoers last season it made an instantaneous hit, and the memory of the music still lingers as a pleasant dream. Last night the theatre season was officially opened here with this sparkling play, and there was a capacity house.

That the audience were not only pleased but delighted, goes without saying. There was absolutely no room for criticism. There are few changes in the company since last season. Daisy Marie Flynn again heads the cast, and she gave as delightful a performance as the most critical could desire. She is simply irresistible in this role, and the audience could scarcely get enough of her. Marie is a dainty little body, and knows how to act and sing.

Oscar Piskman is new to this cast, but not new to the part of Theophilus Sherry. He is a tried comedian, and he had no difficulty in making a pronounced hit. He wobbled a bit on his lines, but this

can be forgiven because of the nervousness of the first night's performance. Flo Irwin as Catherine, the janitor's wife, is going to be the funniest thing in any Sherry show, when she works a little longer. She is new to the role, but she has seized the possibilities of it, and is bound to make the best of every opportunity. She is funny—every movement has a meaning quite its own with Flo. She has several new songs which were well sung, of course. There is no mistaking the popularity of this lady.

Lotta Kendall, a favorite in London, enacted the part of Peppita, the Spanish dancer. She put a great deal of energy and enthusiasm into her work, and made a tremendous hit. She was particularly good in the third act in the dance of danger with Philippe. It was an exceedingly clever bit of dancing.

The rest of the cast is good. Miss Lillian Tucker as Lulu, the dancing girl, was graceful and bright. William Cameron as Philippe, and Mortimer H. Welton as Sherry, were excellent.

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