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Unity of the Empire.

The Empire Review contains a very thoughtful article on "Helps and Hindrances in the Matter of Unity of the British Empire," from the pen of the Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice of Canada. Sentiment, vague and indefinite as it may have been in the colonies a quarter of a century ago, is at present strongly in favor of imperial unity.

The constitution of England is well suited to territorial expansion, and many of the large additions that have been made to the Empire possess forms of government similar in principle to that of the mother country. British institutions served as models for the colonies. The same disposition to participate in the government which rules them characterizes all who dwell under the aegis of the Union Jack in distant parts of the world.

Contrasting ancient with modern states in the matter of territorial acquisition, the writer makes an important observation. In early times the extension of empire was largely a matter of conquest. Subjugation was the rule, and in many instances the more influential portion of the inhabitants were sent into exile. The city states of the Greeks and Romans were entirely different from modern political organizations. Rome, for instance, was a city state possessing exclusive power and influence, and independence, so far as the adjacent territory was concerned. Emigrants from such cities went abroad, and founded new colonies wholly independent of the mother state. One great cause of the downfall of ancient nationalities was their exclusiveness, their lack of unity.

From the charters granted by the sovereigns of England to earlier adventurers, it would seem that these discoverers expected to find wealthy states, whose inhabitants might be put under the yoke and their wealth confiscated. Notwithstanding the discoveries of English navigators near the end of the fifteenth century, it was not until one hundred years later that efforts were made to establish British colonies on the North American continent. The first great impetus to colonization then was the desire to escape the jurisdiction of the Established Church, and to establish communities where there would be an air of religious freedom. Then followed, in England, that struggle between the crown and the parliament, which only served as a stimulus to emigration.

"This struggle between the crown and parliament gradually led the English people to accept the doctrine of the omnipotence of parliament, a doctrine well designed to place parliamentary supremacy at home upon a secure basis, but hardly to give settlers in Britain's dependencies the same security for their liberties as those remaining at home possessed. Englishmen who went to America claimed the rights of the crown as much of the law and constitution of the parent state as was suited to their interests and their circumstances; and among these common law rights they claimed that of representation in their own local parliament, and the right to be taxed only by the body in which they were represented. But the doctrine of the omnipotence of parliament, well suited as it undoubtedly was to maintain the rights of parliament against the pretensions of the crown, in England, where the English population was represented, gave no corresponding security to the rights of those who had gone out to the colonies, so that, in theory at least, the constitution, as interpreted by parliament after the English revolution, gave to British colonies no inherent right, and no constitutional security for their liberty. This doctrine left no legal barrier by which those liberties were protected."

The colonists maintained from the first that they were possessed of complete powers for local self-government. While claiming such powers for themselves, they admitted that the parliament of the mother country should possess the right of dealing with international relations, but repudiated any attempt of the imperial parliament to override the local legislature of a province in matters pertaining exclusively to local affairs. This principle so strenuously upheld by the colonies is now recognized. "The crown," says the writer, "where no power has been conferred by imperial statute, has no general power to legislate in a colony by settlement without the aid and advice of a representative assembly. It has no more right to tax the inhabitants of such a colony than it has to tax the inhabitants of the United Kingdom."

It seems a reasonable contention that colonies by settlement have, under the common law of England, an inherent, though subordinate right of self-government. The King is the head of their local executive government. He is an essential part of their

legislative assembly. It is essential to a proper understanding of the powers of self-government in the dependencies to rightly appreciate the consequences which flow from the doctrine that the powers of the legislative assemblies are not delegated, and that the King is an integral part of their legislature.

In a conquered colony the right of granting or withholding representative institutions rests with the crown; the case is otherwise in a colony formed by settlement, in which case the inhabitants have a right to be governed by English law. Nor can such a settlement colony be taxed by the crown as a conquered colony may be. "It is," says Mr. Mills, "but the principles of the constitution applied to a settlement of Englishmen, within certain dominions of the crown outside of England."

The writer, in his article, refers to the relation of Britain to the colonies prior to the American revolution. The British colonies in America had extended their territory until it embraced the whole region from Hudson Bay to the Gulf of Mexico. The capture of Quebec was the coping stone in the territorial acquisition. Both the colonies and the mother country had become elated over the result. But it seemed that this period of great imperial unity had to be also one of great peril. The colonists and the mother country entertained very diverse views on the subject of constitutional powers of the imperial parliament, and of the constitutional rights of colonists. The British Government claimed the right to levy taxes, and to legislate for the colonies without restriction. The colonies would not stand it. An attempt was made to exercise an arbitrary jurisdiction over them, with the result that half a continent was lost to the mother country.

The safeguard to imperial unity, we see, then, lay in the extension of the rights to the colonies which Britain herself exercises in the matter of self-government; the danger will arise from any attempt to curtail those rights. The Minister of Justice concludes with the following paragraph:

"Again, there is abroad in the Empire a strong feeling in favor of permanent unity. And I earnestly hope that the growth of this feeling may not be hindered or delayed by undertaking to determine at the outset an imperial constitution instead of permitting it to grow up, by slow degrees, in the way the public exigencies may point out. Enduring political constitutions are the outcome of the national life acting upon the affairs of state as they arise, and we must be content to give them free play, and await patiently the result. And so an imperial constitution may arise in the course of years as strong, as flexible, as that under which, at the present time, the United Kingdom is governed."

Letters to the Editor.

Every daily paper throughout the land receives numbers of letters for publication. Many of the writers prefer that their compositions should appear under noms de plume. Whether this is owing to characteristic modesty or the desire to shelve responsibility, it would be hardly fair to judge. The following incident is related of a person who had a grievance to air against a fellow-man. The discontented one went to the editor of a certain daily newspaper, and outlined his plans of attack. Upon reading the letter, the editor handed it to his correspondent for his signature. But the visitor objected to signing his name; he wished the newspaper to shoulder the onus of the attack!

A certain number of "Letters to the Editor" are of this nature. Such people thoughtlessly presume that a newspaper has no honor to maintain. They forget, or evidently do not realize, that the modern newspaper is a large, complex, impersonal in a sense so far as individuals connected with it are concerned, but possessing a distinct personality as well as a public policy. It expresses opinions, endeavors to instruct, and to act as a wise counselor, according to the best light it has. In this respect it takes on the nature of a person, and is amenable to all the privileges and duties of a private citizen.

It is, we maintain, however, perfectly legitimate for the public to write on any conceivable topic, subject, of course, to the approval of the editor, provided the writer sign his name, thereby holding himself responsible for the views he wishes to see in print.

There is a certain halo about a good name which we blame no man for protecting. We have long since noticed the tendency for young authors to shelter their own name under some sobriquet. They launch their literary ventures on the vast sea of uncertainty, and in case of a disaster escape with slight injuries to their reputation. The same tendency is discerned among the large amount of correspondence sent for publication in the daily press, but as such correspondence is only occasional we see little reason why the writers should be so solicitous in refraining from personal indorsement. There is a difference of journalistic opinion and usage as to admitting letters over fictitious titles; and no doubt there are cases and subjects in which it matters little one way or the other; but it seems clear that it is derogatory to the dignity of the press that it should be allowed to become a screen behind which one man can personally assail another without responsibility for his assertions.

Aggressive Liberalism.

[Ontario Tory.] New Ontario is being rapidly developed, and there are not wanting signs that a progressive element of the Liberal party is oiling the wheels of the old chariot and showing it how to move. The rising generation in Ontario will prefer an aggressive Liberalism to a stagnant Conservatism. The Conservative party must rest on its oars no longer.

Floriculture.

The florist branch of the Canadian Horticultural Association, which has recently met in convention in this city, suggests once more the importance of surrounding home life with flowers. To the London Horticultural Society much credit is due for the general floral improvement in many of the homes of our city. There is always something ennobling and refining in the contemplation of flowers, appealing as they do, not only to the sense of smell by their fragrance, and to the sight by their delicately tinted foliage, but to a still higher sense; for not the poet said that to the sensitive soul "the meaneast flower that grows can bring thoughts that do often lie too deep for tears." A flower is the nearest approximation to perfection that we have: "to paint the lily, or to throw perfume on the violet would be wasteful and ridiculous excess."

Flowers or something analogous have been chosen as emblems by the more important nations of the world. France has selected the lily, England the rose, Ireland the shamrock, Scotland the thistle, and Canada the maple leaf. A story is related of members of the three branches of the United Kingdom each extolling his national emblem; the rose and the shamrock had received due credit from their devotees, when in turn the Scotchman attempted to put in a word for his national emblem. "Your rose," said he, "is beautiful; the shamrock is certainly fine; but I'll defy any one of you to sit on the thistle."

There is a deep significance in the use of the flower or plant as a national emblem. Such an emblem arouses feelings in the human breast akin to the sentiment that forms a halo around our flag. We should let this token of natural purity be also a sign of national purity. It is gratifying to note that in many schools, flowers are to be seen, and it is hoped that the tendency to surround children with such influences will continue. As much in this direction can be done in the schools as in the homes.

The person who fosters a love for plants and flowers is performing a real service. In the words of Whittier: "Give fools their gold and knaves their power. Let fortune's bubbles rise and fall; Who sows a field or trains a flower, Or plants a tree, is more than all."

Lawson's Maxims.

[W. M. Thompson, in Ainslie's.] Here are some business maxims that have guided Mr. Thomas W. Lawson to success:

Be true to your best instincts. Be thorough. Never let anything pass you in your business that you do not understand. Trace every effect back to its cause. Otherwise you are not fully equipped to carry on business.

Work with enthusiasm and with all your powers. Do only one thing at a time, and feel that thing is the most important thing in the world while doing it.

In dealing with a man look him straight in the eye. Then you are at your best. If your enemy strikes at you and hurts you, don't let him see that he has hurt you. Ridicule him and strike when your time comes.

Apply logic to all business propositions. If they will not stand the test of logic, reject them.

ROBBERS GOT BIG BOOTY!

Looted Smelter Works of \$340,000 in Gold Bullion.

Dug a Tunnel From 'Frisco Bay Through Loose Sand, Stole at Night and Got Away.

San Francisco, Aug. 7.—About \$340,000 worth of gold bullion was stolen from the Selby Smelting Works at Vallejo during the night. Access to the strong room, where the bullion was stored, was secured through a tunnel which the thieves had bored from the edge of San Francisco Bay to the building, some distance from the water's edge.

It is supposed that the thieves took their plunder away by boat. The Selby smelter is the largest on the Pacific coast, and is situated on a steep hill. The tunnel was dug through loose sand, and the robbers secured a princely sum, the loss of which was not discovered until after the works resumed operations today.

THIEVES FORGOT A BAR OF GOLD.

A. J. Ralston, president of the company, says the thieves excavated a long tunnel from a point near the railroad tunnel and under the strong room connected with the works, and secured bars of bullion aggregating in value over \$250,000.

They transported the gold to a boat in waiting near the company's wharf, but in their hurry to get away left one bar on the beach.

The robbers took the unusual precaution of strewing their tracks with red pepper, presumably to prevent bloodhounds from taking up the trail. Each bar of bullion was numbered, and a description is now in the hands of the detectives. The robbers cannot dispose of the plunder without having it remelted and mixed with other metals. They may bury the gold or sink it in the bay, awaiting a convenient time for its removal.

At the Selby works the gold is kept in a steel-lined strong room. The robbers tunneled until they got directly under the room, and then cut through the floor. The tunnel was a skillfully constructed work which it must have taken many days to complete.

Once in the strong room, the thieves had only to help themselves. The tunnel that the robbers excavated was about three feet in diameter,

and gave them plenty of room in which to work. It is supposed that the dirt from the tunnel was taken out at night and dropped in the bay. First reports stated that the tunnel was two or three hundred feet long, but according to the late advices, it is only about ten feet in length.

One of the officials of the Selby smelting works said: "We find that the plotters were aided by some one thoroughly familiar with the system employed at the works, and one fully informed as to the construction of the vault. Last night one of the watchmen employed about the premises heard noises inside the vault, and informed his fellows that the devil or ghosts were inside the vault. They laughed at him, and made no investigation, and thus the robbers were left unmolested at their work."

THREE KILLED; SEVEN INJURED

By Unexpected Explosion of a Blast in a Rock Cutting.

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Winnipeg, Aug. 7.—Reports from Port Arthur say that three men were killed and seven injured by the unexpected explosion of a blast in a rock cutting on the Canadian Northern construction near Sturgeon Falls.

CHILD SCALDED TO DEATH. Richmond Hill, Ont., Aug. 7.—The 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bovar, near Richmond Hill, was scalded to death by falling in a pail of hot water. Her mother was washing and the pail of hot water was standing on the floor. Mrs. Bovar removed the clothing from the child immediately, but could do nothing to save its life. The child died before a doctor arrived.

CHILD DROWNED. Orangeville, Ont., Aug. 7.—Caledon Lake, a resort about three miles from this town, was the scene of a distressing fatality last evening. Little Nora Orillig, a 3-year-old daughter of H. H. Orillig, manager of the Bank of Hamilton, at Niagara Falls, was playing about one of the boat houses with some other children, and her nurse placed her. The little one was found lying in the water in front of the boat house, life being extinct. It is supposed she fell in while playing on the landing in front of the boat house.

KILLED HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW. Montreal, Aug. 7.—A murder is reported from Morin's Flat, near St. Sauveur, Terrebonne county. On Sunday last a farmer named Elies got into an altercation with his brother-in-law, a man named O'Flaherty. Words led to blows, and it is alleged that O'Flaherty pulled a revolver on Elies, who succumbed shortly afterwards to his injuries. Coroner Minigault was notified and went to the place and will hold an inquest.

TRAIN WRECKING ATTEMPTED.

Smith's Falls, Ont., Aug. 7.—What appears to have been an attempt at train wrecking was made here yesterday morning about 1 o'clock. The Montreal express was coming in, preceded by an engine running at high speed, when just as the latter had reached the edge of the town an explosion occurred, raising up the front of the light engine, tearing off one of the drive wheels, but otherwise doing very little damage. A short time ago several pieces of iron were placed on the track near the same place. The air is full of rumors, but no one has yet been discovered who committed these outrages.

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Current News.

Sir Adolphe Caron has completely recovered from the effects of his long illness.

Whitefish are more plentiful in the Georgian Bay this year than they have been for 15 years.

A Sydney dispatch states that 27,000 competitive designs have been received for the federal flag.

R. S. Wardell, Hamilton, has been added to the staff of the inland revenue department in Windsor.

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House of Lords, it is generally believed that no further attempt will be made to pass it, either this session or the next.

Officials of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at San Francisco, assert that the work of unloading is progressing unimpeded by the strike of the allied unions in the City Front Federation.

Thos. White, a Hamilton tinsmith, employed by the Herbert Jones Company, fell 25 feet to the ground from the roof of a house on Monday. His spine was injured, and his recovery is doubtful.

The machinists, blacksmiths and boiler-makers, who have been on strike at the Ashley shops of the Central Railroad of New Jersey since May 25, returned to work Monday. The union was not recognized.

The Ontario Government have refused to accept the suggestion of the Toronto city council that the statue of Queen Victoria should be placed in Queen's Park, in rear of the statue of Sir John A. Macdonald.

A batch of counterfeit one-dollar bills is circulating in Toronto and vicinity. The engraving is well done, but the paper is cheap, the crispness of the genuine being noticeably absent. The coloring is poorly done.

Mayor Prefontaine, of Montreal, is taking steps towards getting the city council to make a special appropriation for the purpose of presenting the Duchess of Cornwall and York with a jewel when she visits the city with his highness in September.

Edward Branscombe, the leading tenor of Westminster Abbey choir, has arranged to bring out to Canada a party of ten singers, of whom six are adults and three are boys, to give a series of concerts in the principal cities of Canada. The party will leave England on the 15th inst.

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R. H. McConnell, St. Thomas, on Monday received a telegram from Mrs. McConnell, stating that her mother, Mrs. Bernard Heyd, age 82 years, died suddenly in Brantford that afternoon. Her husband died about twelve years ago. She leaves six children.

The little son of Wm. Neal, of Northwood, Ont., on Sunday wandered over to the G. T. R. Railway yesterday morning and, after playing around for a while, fell asleep near the track. He was struck by the cow-catcher of a passing train and was probably fatally hurt.

A Great Increasing Army. composed of men and women that spend heart and soul in the vain effort to overcome inertia by vigor, to make good red blood that will build up the system, to have strong nerves, you must eat more, digest more, assimilate more. How can it be done? By using Ferrozone. It invigorates, strengthens, possesses medicinal health-giving powers. Get Ferrozone. It invigorates, strengthens, possesses medicinal health-giving powers. Get Ferrozone. It invigorates, strengthens, possesses medicinal health-giving powers. Get Ferrozone.

George Sall, of St. Josephburg, Assa., has been arrested, charged with attempting to poison Paul Wagner.

ITS POWER GROWS WITH AGE.—How many medicines loudly blazoned as panaceas for all human ills have come and gone since Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was first put upon the market? Yet it remains, doing more good to humanity than many a preparation more highly vaunted, and extending its virtues wider and wider in a larger circle every year. It is the medicine of the masses.

CROP CONDITIONS

In the United States Have Been Improved by Rain.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—The weather bureau's weekly report of crop conditions states: "With more moderate temperatures and good rains over a large part of the drought area, the weather conditions of this week, ending Aug. 5, were the most favorable to agricultural interests in the states of the central valleys that have prevailed since the latter part of June. In the states of the Missouri valley the severe and protracted drought has been very largely relieved, but to the eastward of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio River, only partial relief has been afforded by insufficient showers, the drought conditions in the upper Ohio valley being more serious than at any previous time this season. The east gulf and portions of the South Atlantic States and Texas also need rain. In the Middle Atlantic States and New England and throughout the Pacific coast districts the week has proved generally favorable. In the great corn states, late corn and fortunately a much larger proportion than usual of this year's crop was planted late, has experienced a general, and in some cases, a decided improvement, but the early corn has been practically ruined."

If you are losing appetite, lying awake nights, take Hood's Sarsaparilla—it's just the tonic you need.

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William Ross, Saratoga, Ont., took Hood's Sarsaparilla to make his blood pure. His appetite was gone, and his nerves were so unstrung he could not rest nor sleep. He had tried many remedies without benefit when Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and he began its use. Three bottles of this medicine entirely cured him.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Promotes to cure and keeps the promise. Accept no substitute, but get Hood's today.

THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Wednesday, Aug. 6.
Wheat, white, per bu. 65c to 67c
Wheat, red, per bu. 65c to 67c
Oats, per bu. 32c to 33c
Peas, per bu. 54c to 55c
Corn, per bu. 44c to 45c
Barley, per bu. 42c to 43c
Beans, per bu. \$1.15 to \$1.40

Old wheat has sold at \$1.10 to \$1.12 all week. Receipts were light and the demand good. New wheat brought \$1.05 to \$1.06. None of the lots offered were in very good condition, being either damp, thin or dirty.
Oats were steady and unchanged, at \$7c to \$10c. Supply limited and just about equal to the demand.
Very little of any other kind of grain offered.
Corn sold at 55c to 56c.
Peas brought 55c.
Beans and lentils show no change in price. Supply and demand steady.
Hay unchanged, at \$7 to \$7.50.

... FLOUR ...

Who is an expert test biscuit maker? The "Puritan Flour" has just sent me a sample.
Reader, let us send you some.

A. M. Hamilton & Son,
Phone 602, 373 Talbot Street.

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 6.—Baled hay—New hay is fairly plentiful and car lots are quoted steady, at \$8 to \$8.50 per ton, on track. Old hay is scarce and unchanged, at \$5.50 to \$6.00 per ton for car lots on the track here. Baled straw quoted steady, at \$2.50 per ton for car lots on the track at Toronto.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Weakness in corn and a weaker export situation weakened wheat today, and September closed 1/2c to 3/4c lower. Corn closed 1/2c down, and oats 3/4c depressed. Provisions at the close showed a decline of 1c and 1/2c to 2c. Exporters reported 25 loads to the seaboard cleared, and 25 to 30 to the coast, with primary receipts were 25,000 bu., compared with 25,000 to 30,000 bu. Local receipts were 50,000 to 60,000 bu. Contract grain. Northwest receipts were 137 cars, against 140 cars last week. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 240 cars; corn, 55 cars; oats, 135 cars; hogs, 15,000 head; cattle, 10,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—No. 2, Aug. 69c; Sept. 70c; Dec. 71c; No. 3, Aug. 68c; Sept. 69c; Dec. 70c; No. 4, Aug. 67c; Sept. 68c; Dec. 69c; No. 5, Aug. 66c; Sept. 67c; Dec. 68c; No. 6, Aug. 65c; Sept. 66c; Dec. 67c; No. 7, Aug. 64c; Sept. 65c; Dec. 66c; No. 8, Aug. 63c; Sept. 64c; Dec. 65c; No. 9, Aug. 62c; Sept. 63c; Dec. 64c; No. 10, Aug. 61c; Sept. 62c; Dec. 63c; No. 11, Aug. 60c; Sept. 61c; Dec. 62c; No. 12, Aug. 59c; Sept. 60c; Dec. 61c; No. 13, Aug. 58c; Sept. 59c; Dec. 60c; No. 14, Aug. 57c; Sept. 58c; Dec. 59c; No. 15, Aug. 56c; Sept. 57c; Dec. 58c; No. 16, Aug. 55c; Sept. 56c; Dec. 57c; No. 17, Aug. 54c; Sept. 55c; Dec. 56c; No. 18, Aug. 53c; Sept. 54c; Dec. 55c; No. 19, Aug. 52c; Sept. 53c; Dec. 54c; No. 20, Aug. 51c; Sept. 52c; Dec. 53c; No. 21, Aug. 50c; Sept. 51c; Dec. 52c; No. 22, Aug. 49c; Sept. 50c; Dec. 51c; No. 23, Aug. 48c; Sept. 49c; Dec. 50c; No. 24, Aug. 47c; Sept. 48c; Dec. 49c; No. 25, Aug. 46c; Sept. 47c; Dec. 48c; No. 26, Aug. 45c; Sept. 46c; Dec. 47c; No. 27, Aug. 44c; Sept. 45c; Dec. 46c; No. 28, Aug. 43c; Sept. 44c; Dec. 45c; No. 29, Aug. 42c; Sept. 43c; Dec. 44c; No. 30, Aug. 41c; Sept. 42c; Dec. 43c; No. 31, Aug. 40c; Sept. 41c; Dec. 42c; No. 32, Aug. 39c; Sept. 40c; Dec. 41c; No. 33, Aug. 38c; Sept. 39c; Dec. 40c; No. 34, Aug. 37c; Sept. 38c; Dec. 39c; No. 35, Aug. 36c; Sept. 37c; Dec. 38c; No. 36, Aug. 35c; Sept. 36c; Dec. 37c; No. 37, Aug. 34c; Sept. 35c; Dec. 36c; No. 38, Aug. 33c; Sept. 34c; Dec. 35c; No. 39, Aug. 32c; Sept. 33c; Dec. 34c; No. 40, Aug. 31c; Sept. 32c; Dec. 33c; No. 41, Aug. 30c; Sept. 31c; Dec. 32c; No. 42, Aug. 29c; Sept. 30c; Dec. 31c; No. 43, Aug. 28c; Sept. 29c; Dec. 30c; No. 44, Aug. 27c; Sept. 28c; Dec. 29c; No. 45, Aug. 26c; Sept. 27c; Dec. 28c; No. 46, Aug. 25c; Sept. 26c; Dec. 27c; No. 47, Aug. 24c; Sept. 25c; Dec. 26c; No. 48, Aug. 23c; Sept. 24c; Dec. 25c; No. 49, Aug. 22c; Sept. 23c; Dec. 24c; No. 50, Aug. 21c; Sept. 22c; Dec. 23c; No. 51, Aug. 20c; Sept. 21c; Dec. 22c; No. 52, Aug. 19c; Sept. 20c; Dec. 21c; No. 53, Aug. 18c; Sept. 19c; Dec. 20c; No. 54, Aug. 17c; Sept. 18c; Dec. 19c; No. 55, Aug. 16c; Sept. 17c; Dec. 18c; No. 56, Aug. 15c; Sept. 16c; Dec. 17c; No. 57, Aug. 14c; Sept. 15c; Dec. 16c; No. 58, Aug. 13c; Sept. 14c; Dec. 15c; No. 59, Aug. 12c; Sept. 13c; Dec. 14c; No. 60, Aug. 11c; Sept. 12c; Dec. 13c; No. 61, Aug. 10c; Sept. 11c; Dec. 12c; No. 62, Aug. 9c; Sept. 10c; Dec. 11c; No. 63, Aug. 8c; Sept. 9c; Dec. 10c; No. 64, Aug. 7c; Sept. 8c; Dec. 9c; No. 65, Aug. 6c; Sept. 7c; Dec. 8c; No. 66, Aug. 5c; Sept. 6c; Dec. 7c; No. 67, Aug. 4c; Sept. 5c; Dec. 6c; No. 68, Aug. 3c; Sept. 4c; Dec. 5c; No. 69, Aug. 2c; Sept. 3c; Dec. 4c; No. 70, Aug. 1c; Sept. 2c; Dec. 3c; No. 71, Aug. 0c; Sept. 1c; Dec. 2c; No. 72, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 1c; No. 73, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 74, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 75, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 76, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 77, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 78, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 79, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 80, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 81, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 82, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 83, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 84, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 85, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 86, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 87, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 88, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 89, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 90, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 91, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 92, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 93, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 94, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 95, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 96, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 97, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 98, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 99, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c; No. 100, Aug. 0c; Sept. 0c; Dec. 0c.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 6.—Oil closed at \$1.25.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 7.—Oil opened at \$1.25.
OIL CITY, Pa., Aug. 6.—Credit balances, \$1.25; certificates, no bid.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Aug. 7.—No change in the price of beans. Quotations: Oct. \$1.35; Nov. \$1.30; Dec. \$1.25; Jan. \$1.20; Feb. \$1.15; Mar. \$1.10; Apr. \$1.05; May \$1.00; June \$0.95; July \$0.90; Aug. \$0.85; Sept. \$0.80; Oct. \$0.75; Nov. \$0.70; Dec. \$0.65; Jan. \$0.60; Feb. \$0.55; Mar. \$0.50; Apr. \$0.45; May \$0.40; June \$0.35; July \$0.30; Aug. \$0.25; Sept. \$0.20; Oct. \$0.15; Nov. \$0.10; Dec. \$0.05; Jan. \$0.00; Feb. \$0.05; Mar. \$0.10; Apr. \$0.15; May \$0.20; June \$0.25; July \$0.30; Aug. \$0.35; Sept. \$0.40; Oct. \$0.45; Nov. \$0.50; Dec. \$0.55; Jan. \$0.60; Feb. \$0.65; Mar. \$0.70; Apr. \$0.75; May \$0.80; June \$0.85; July \$0.90; Aug. \$0.95; Sept. \$1.00; Oct. \$1.05; Nov. \$1.10; Dec. \$1.15; Jan. \$1.20; Feb. \$1.25; Mar. \$1.30; Apr. \$1.35; May \$1.40; June \$1.45; July \$1.50; Aug. \$1.55; Sept. \$1.60; Oct. \$1.65; Nov. \$1.70; Dec. \$1.75; Jan. \$1.80; Feb. \$1.85; Mar. \$1.90; Apr. \$1.95; May \$2.00; June \$2.05; July \$2.10; Aug. \$2.15; Sept. \$2.20; Oct. \$2.25; Nov. \$2.30; Dec. \$2.35; Jan. \$2.40; 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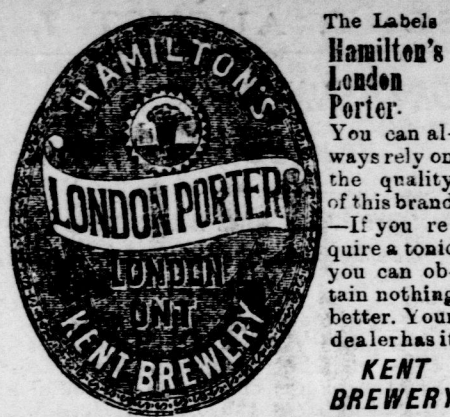
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120 Dundas St.**THE PHARMACISTS**Semi-Annual Meeting of the Ontario Coun-
cil—Election of Officers—New
Members.The semi-annual meeting of the On-
tario Council of Pharmacy was opened
yesterday, with Mr. W. A. Karn, presi-
dent, of Woodstock, in the chair. The
scrutiny of the election to the fol-
lowing returned by acclamation: No.
1 district, Henry Waters, Ottawa;
No. 2, E. W. Case, Pictou; No. 4, G. E.
Gibbard, Toronto; No. 5, John Har-
grave, Toronto; No. 6, G. A. Hunter,
Sault Ste. Marie; No. 7, H. Turner,
Orangeville; No. 8, R. A. Harrison,
Dunville; No. 10, W. A. Karn, Wood-
stock; No. 11, J. P. Roberts, Parkhill;
No. 13, W. B. Graham, Ridgeway. By
election on vote: No. 3, J. H. H. Judd,
Bowmanville; No. 8, T. Sweet, St.
Catharines; No. 12, J. M. Hargreaves,
Paisley.The following officers were elected:
President, J. P. Roberts, Parkhill;
vice-president, H. Turner, Orangeville;
registrars, J. T. Lewis, Tor-
onto, reappointed; auditors, J. H. Mac-
kenzie and James Watt, Toronto;
scrutineers, T. W. Platt and G. A.
Bingham, Toronto.The following committee was elected
to strike the standing committees:
Messrs. Waters, Karn, Graham,
Sweet, Gibbard, J. M. Hargreaves
and John Hargreaves. The meeting
adjourned till 10 o'clock this morning.**FLORISTS' OUTING
AT SPRINGBANK.**Delegates of the Canadian Horticultural
Society Are Entertained by Members
of the London Society.Yesterday the president and directors
of the London Horticultural Society en-
tertained the delegates attending the
Canadian Horticultural convention. The
forenoon was spent in a trolley ride
through the city in a special Springbank
car, which was profusely decorated with
flowers and maple bows. At 11 o'clock
the party proceeded to Springbank, a
partook of luncheon at the pavilion.
There, surrounded by the green hills and
favoring airs of London's favorite re-
sort, the place seemed happily chosen
for an outing, especially by florists,
whose duties bring them so closely in
contact with the beautiful in nature.After the dinner was over, Mr. R. W.
Rennie, secretary of the London Horti-
cultural Society, acted as toast-master.
The programme was as follows:
"The King," "Our Country," coupled
with the name of Very Rev. Dean Innes,
Bishop of the North, by Mr. Ste-
venson, Toronto; "The London Horti-
cultural Society," responded to by Messrs.
Balkwill and Hamilton; "Canadian Horti-
cultural Society," responded to by Mr.
Dunlop, of Toronto; Messrs. Ivey, of
Brampton, and Johnston, of Kingston.
Song, by W. J. Lawrence, senior soloist
of Central Methodist Church, Toronto.
East, "Our Obedience," replied to by Rev.
Canon Dene, Messrs. Martin and Rob-
inson; "Our City," by Mr. Fred Darch, and
Mr. W. Gammon; "The Ladies," by Mr.
Simmons, of Toronto. At the close all
drank to the health of the chairman, Mr.
R. W. Rennie.The best of good feeling prevailed, and
a very favorable impression of our city
and of the hospitality of the London
Horticultural Society was expressed
by many of the visitors. Hope-
ful references were made to the progress
of horticulture in Canada. Great progress
had been made within the last few years,
and there was a marked tendency
towards this aesthetic means of improving
the home.**DARNING HIS SOCKS
COST \$1.75 A PAIR**Chicagoan Mails Them to Mother in Father-
land and Had to Pay Duty.Chicago, Aug. 7.—It cost a stout Ger-
man resident of Chicago \$1 to have four
pairs of socks darned. He visited his
aged mother in Germany a few months
ago, and she presented him with a half-
dozen pairs of socks she herself had
knit. When he returned to the United
States he paid no duty on them.
When four pairs were in need of re-
pairs he packed them up and mailed them
to his mother. They were darned and re-
turned by parcel post. When they had
been opened in the customs office a duty
of \$1.75 a pair was assessed, and paid
under protest.**SUICIDE OF A SERENADER.**
New York, Aug. 7.—John Hall, a pro-
fessional singer, cut his throat last
night under the window of the young
woman he had asked to be his wife, and
who had rejected his suit. He had gone
to the young woman's house to serenade
her, but she ordered him away. He walk-
ed a few steps, sang a bar of the song
"Because I Love You," and then slashed
his throat with a razor. He will prob-
ably die.**207 Dundas St.**We are now located in our new prem-
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Phone 394, 235 Dundas St. (cor. Waterloo).**Meteorological.**Toronto, Aug. 6—8 p.m.—Fresh easterly
winds have prevailed today on
Lakes Erie and Ontario, accompanied
by cloudy, cold weather, but inland it
has been fine and warm. Elsewhere
in Canada fine weather has prevailed
generally. Very fine weather is in-
dicated for the Territories and Mani-
toba. Minimum and maximum tem-
peratures: Victoria, 54—73; Kamloops,
52—84; Calgary, 46—64; Qu'Appelle, 54
—64; Winnipeg, 52—82; Port Arthur, 54
—75; Toronto, 67—72; Ottawa, 54—75;
Montreal, 56—78; Quebec, 48—73; Hal-
ifax, 60—76.Local temperatures, Tuesday—High-
est, 80; lowest, 52.
Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at
5:12 a.m., and sets at 7:34 p.m. The
moon rises at 11:35 p.m., and sets at
1:57 p.m.**The CANADA
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GARMENTS
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EXCELLENCE****A LOCAL BUDGET.**—Miss Mountjoy, in the crush of
people coming home Monday lost her
gold watch at the landing at Spring-
bank.—Archie Mountjoy, from Saginaw,
who is living with his parents on Wat-
son street, reported the loss of \$95 at
Springbank yesterday.—Mr. Jesse Welford, of East Lon-
don, placed his wife's pocketbook for
safekeeping in his hip pocket, from
which he thinks it worked out on the
way to the park. It contained \$8.—The Dominion Express Company
has issued a reduced schedule of rates
on money orders, viz.: On orders of
\$5 and under, 3 cents; over \$5 and not
over \$10, 6 cents; over \$10 and not over
\$30, 10 cents; over \$30 and not over
\$50, 15 cents.—The harvest edition issued by the
Winnipeg Free Press Saturday was a
splendid production, and contained a
great fund of information about the
possibilities of the Northwest and the
growing crops. The Free Press is a
good newspaper, and has attained
metropolitan size, growing like the
great country in which it is published.—Mr. Frank A. Arnold, of Green-
castle, Ind., editor and proprietor of
the GreenCastle Star-Press, is among
the Old Boys visiting London. He
finds London improving with every
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HOT WEATHER FOOD.The selection of food for hot weather
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avoid an excess of fats, cut down the
butter ration and indulge more freely
in fruits and food easy of digestion.
One meal per day is sufficient
during hot weather.An ideal breakfast food is Grape-
Nuts, treated with a little cream
(which, by the way, supplies the ne-
cessary fat in a very digestible form),
a cup of Postum Cereal Food Cuffee,
hot, or if cold, it should have a little
lemon juice squeezed in; then some
fruit, either cooked or raw; also per-
haps two slices of entire wheat bread
with a very thin spread of butter. A
breakfast of this sort is perfectly
adapted to the wants of the system
that one goes through the heat of the
day in comfort as compared with the
sweaty, disagreeable condition of
improperly fed. Once put in practice
the plan will never be abandoned dur-
ing the hot days, for the difference in
one's personal comfort is too great to
be easily forgotten.**BOOKS.**300 Copyright Novels on the counter:
"The Crisis," "Quincy Savers Adams,"
"Cinderella," "Helmet of Navarre," "A
Master Craft," "More Cargoes," etc.
New stock of 100 Novels to hand.
Cloth-bound Books from 10c up.
Note Paper and Paperettes in all colors
and sizes.The Dainty Note, with Envelopes to
match, is dainty.**ANDERSON'S.**visit. He left London in 1857, but liv-
ed in this city for two or three years
during the sixties. He is enjoying his
visit very much.—Mrs. W. J. Ashplant will be at
home (23 Becher street) to her friends
on the afternoon of Thursday and
Friday this week.—Mrs. M. E. Griffith-Curnow, form-
erly of Queen's Avenue Methodist
Church, London, sang in the Hanson
Place Methodist Church, of Brooklyn,
N. Y., Aug. 4. Her solo, "Praise to
Thy Soul," was rendered with good
effect. She is engaged as contralto
soloist for the month of August.—Mr. Charles H. German, of W. W.
Wilkinson's, leaves tonight for Lon-
don to take charge of the wholesale
dress goods department of Robinson
& Little. Mr. German has been with
W. W. Wilkinson for the past seven
years, and the fact that he is now
promoted to so excellent a position
speaks well not only for his own per-
sonal worth as a salesman, but also
for the establishment that has fitted
him for so signal an advancement.
Mr. German is one of our best known
and best liked young business men in
Galt and we feel very sorry to lose
him. —Galt Reformer, Aug. 5.**DEATH OF ROBERT MEIKLE.**Robert Meikle, for many years por-
ter at the City Hotel, died at his late
residence, 2875 Dundas street, aged
51 years, on Monday. He was a native
of Scotland. A wife and one son sur-
vive him.**CLEVELANDERS WILL GIVE BAND
CONCERT.**Tonight the Cleveland band will give
a concert in Victoria Park, under the
auspices of the Irish Benevolent So-
ciety, who will take up a collection.
To this nobody will object, as the
money will be devoted to making the
picnic a greater success than before.**DEATH OF MRS. HIGMAN.**After a lengthy illness Mrs. Higman,
wife of Fred Higman, Mill street, died
Monday. Mrs. Higman was a daugh-
ter of Charles Gledhill, of Victor street,
and had been married only about a
year, and the husband and family will
have extended to them in their severe
affliction the sincere sympathy of a
large number of friends.**THEY HURRIED.**Miss Mabel Denley, of London, Ont.,
stepped off the west-bound train this
morning, says a Rat Portage dispatch
of Aug. 6, and was met at the plat-
form by Mr. Arthur Symonds, of Win-
nipeg. They hurried to the ladies'
waiting-room, where Rev. J. H. Mor-
gan, with witnesses, was waiting, and
soon the couple were made man and
wife. Mr. Symonds did not waste
any time on a wedding break-
fast, but boarded the west-bound train
for their future home in Winnipeg.**CAHILL—GOULDING.**There was a pretty home wedding
at 354 Waterloo street yesterday,
when Miss Lettie, daughter of R. R.
Goulding, was married to John W.
Cahill, of the Free Press composing-
room. Rev. J. W. Holmes performed
the ceremony. The bride was assisted
by her sister Gertie, and
little Miss Helen Simpson, a
cousin of the bride, acted as maid of
honor. The groom was assisted by
Gov. E. J. Jarvis. After a wedding
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put them on sale Thursday again
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cial price, 25c.Patent Leather Belts as high
as 75c.Pulley Belts, Taffeta Silk and
Satin. Featherbone Belts. All
the late novelties are here.**Ribbon Remnants**Satin and Silk, all good
colors, 1/4-yard lengths, regu-
lar 12c, for 5c.1/4-yard lengths, regular
7c, for 2c.**SOAP ITEMS.**