

## Our 2 p.m.

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

**DIED.**  
**WHITING**—On Sept. 10, 1896, at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. John Ashton, Oxford, Mrs. Jane Whitting, widow of the late John Whitting, Esq., Bandon, county Cork, Ireland, in her 98th year.  
Funeral on Saturday will leave the house at 1:45 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Bandon, Ireland, at 2 o'clock; services at 2:30.  
**BERRY**—On Sept. 9, Mary, the beloved wife of William J. T. Berry.  
Funeral from her late residence, High Street, South London, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock; services at 2:30.

## Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE—THE WILBUR**  
Tonight, "The Pirates of the Caribbean," "Dorothy," Saturday night, "Grand Duchess," Monday, "Bohemian Girl," Tuesday, "The Merry Widow," Wednesday, "Olivette," Wednesday night, "Mariana," Saturday matinee prices—Children, 15c; adults, 25c. Night prices—First two rows circle, 81c; balance lower floor, 75c; balcony, 50c; gallery, 25c. Seats now on sale.

**BASINBALL—TECUMSEH PARK—BENE**  
FIT game, Saturday, Sept. 12, Alerts vs. Arlington. Admission 25c, boys 10c, ladies free.

**STEAMER THAMES LEAVES DUNDAS**  
dock 1:30, 3:30, 7:30, 9:00; leaves Springfield 11:15, 2:30, 5:00, 8:15, 10:30; stops Warrimoo, Woodville and Warrimoo. Bicycles and baby carriages free. Piano and rocking chairs. Fare, 5c.

**PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY**  
Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess Avenue. Fall term will open Sept. 25.

**19TH SEPTEMBER IS THE DATE OF**  
selling of Mongolian, Allan Line, for Liverpool. Best attention given to obtain good berths for my passengers. Cabin, second cabin or steerage. FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

**PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—RE**  
OPENS Monday, Sept. 21. Gentlemen Mondays, ladies Tuesdays 8 p.m.; ladies and children Saturdays, 3 p.m. Visitors welcome after Sept. 1 for applications. DAYTON & McORMICK.

## Meetings.

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

**KING SOLOMON'S LODGE—NO. 378, A.**  
R. and A. M., O. R. C., London, West, meets tonight at 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. R. G. GALT, W. M.; W. M. NICHOLLS, secretary.

**O. E. CHELSEA LODGE MEETS THIS**  
(Friday) evening, visiting brothers welcome. GEO. TAMBLYN, president.

## Male Help Wanted.

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

**WANTED—MAN TO HELP AT PAIR**  
grounds. Apply 182 Simcoe street on Friday between 4 and 6 p.m.

**WANTED—MEN TO SELL GOODS.**  
Good sellers. 80 Dundas street. 7c

**WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN**  
think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your idea. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1.00 price offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

**AGENTS—WANTED—\$20 PER WEEK.**  
Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 226 Dundas street.

## Female Help Wanted.

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**JUNIOR LADY CASHIER WANTED AT**  
once. Apply in own handwriting, Box 61, London Advertiser.

**DRESSMAKERS—FIRST-CLASS WAIST**  
and skirt makers and apprentices. BAYLEY'S, 174 and 174 Dundas street. 8c

**WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR FANCY**  
department with some experience; also good trimmer for millinery department, and apprentices. Apply to SPITAL & Co., 122 Dundas street.

**WANTED—APPRENTICE FOR THE**  
millinery. Apply WHISKARD'S, 230 Dundas street, London, Ont. 7c

**WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALES-**  
LADY. Apply in own handwriting, Box 61, WHISKARD'S, 230 Dundas street, London, Ont. 7c

## Domestics Wanted.

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**A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED**  
at 320 Dundas street. 8c

**WANTED—HOUSEMAID—REFER-**  
ENCES required. Apply Mrs. NIVEN, 423 Colborne street. 8c

**WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SER-**  
VANT in a family of three. Apply at 103 Byron avenue, London South. 8c

**WANTED—25 GENERALS, all**  
kitchen girls and cooks. ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence office, 65 Dundas street. Phone 381.

**DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—**  
Responsible help always on hand; also waiting good generals, cooks, and girls for country; 181 Richmond street; phone 1121.

## Patent Barristers.

FETHERSTONHAUGH & CO.—PATENT

advisors, solicitors, Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto, Branch office, Montreal. Patents obtained in Canada, etc.

## Dental Cards.

DR. GEORGE C. DAVIS, DENTIST—

Graduate R. C. D. S., Toronto, 1879, graduate Philadelphia Dental College, 1882. Specialties: Preservation of natural teeth; crown, porcelain and bridge work. 170 Dundas street, London, Ont. Telephone 75.

L. McDONALD, DENTIST,

Office, 152 1/2 Dundas street, London. Telephone 702.

DR. J. H. SWANN—DENTIST—OFFICE

207 Dundas street. Telephone 1,131.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS

426 Dundas street, next Edy Bros. over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 622.

J. ELIOTT HOLMES, L.D.S., ROOM 3,

Dufferin Block, Dundas and Clarence streets. Phone 57.

## Agents Wanted.

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**AGENTS WANTED—STEADY AND**  
profitable employment. Inclose stamp for particulars. Box 4, Strathroy 8c

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## Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.  
**FOR SALE—FINE NEW BRICK HOUSE**  
all modern improvements; will rent if not sold by the 15th inst. Two fine new cottages; fitted up complete with all modern improvements. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

**S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ES-**  
TATE AGENTS. Houses, Investments, Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

## Houses, Etc., To Let.

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**TO LET—TWO BRICK COTTAGES ON**  
Bathurst street, near William; good repair; rent \$5. Apply 281 Dufferin avenue. 7c

**TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK—503 ENG-**  
LISH street, one and a half blocks from street cars; modern conveniences. Apply 45 English. 7c

**TO LET—131 MAPLE STREET—TWO-**  
STORY BRICK; modern conveniences; third street north of postoffice. JAS. GILLEN, 101 Dundas street. 10c

**HOUSE TO LET—EIGHT ROOMS—**  
Mantel, bath, furnace, gas, finished in hardwood. Rent \$15 per month. No. 24 Edward street. 7c

**TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE TO RENT—**  
173 Kent street, south side, near Richmond; immediate possession. Apply to E. McArthur, Dundas street west. 7c

**HOUSE TO LET—428 PARK AVENUE—**  
5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; city and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREMBLE, 25 Dundas street. 7c

**BRICK COTTAGE—173 LICHFIELD**  
street—7 rooms, soft water and city water; next door, or 292 Central avenue, J. M. LOGAN. 5c

## Lost and Found.

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**LOST ON DUNDAS OR ELIZABETH**  
streets or Lorne avenue, lady's gold brooch. Finder amply rewarded by bringing same to Mr. Dundas street. 7c

**LOST—BLUE BELTON BITCH PUP-**  
Answers to name "Lassie." Finder rewarded by returning to 22 Peter street. R. W. BENNETT. 7c

## Articles For Sale.

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**NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS AND**  
organs. Special bargain. Call on the Fair. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street. H. W. BURNETT, manager.

**SET DOUBLE CARRIAGE, SINGLE**  
buggy, express, of red leather, with saddles; best used. J. DARCH & Sons, 379 Talbot street. 7c

**IRON AND LEAD PIPE, STEAM AND**  
water fittings of all kinds. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. 7c

**HORSE FOR SALE CHEAP—GEO.**  
J. BAYLEY, Paper Box Factory, 80 Dundas street. 7c

**FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER**  
automatic "Brown" engine built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co. Ltd., Crimond, England, stroke 21 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one automatic engine of 200 first class, for engine in daily operation and can be seen at The Advertiser office, London, Ont. 6c

**APPLE BARRIS—FOR SALE—APPLY**  
J. D. SAINSBURY, London. 7c

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

**LADY BICYCLE—RUN ONLY 50**  
miles. In perfect condition. Price \$45. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 388 Richmond street. 7c

**FOR SALE—TWO BARBERS' CHAIRS,**  
dressing case, dressing case, mirrors, etc.; cheap. Apply at 609 Dundas street. 7c

**JIG SAW—ONE MELODEON—FOR**  
sale cheap at the Ark. 7c

## Musical Instruction.

MRS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO

and organ. 359 Queen's avenue Tuesday Residence 323 King street. 7c

**H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST DUNDAS**  
Center Methodist Church. Pupils received notice organ, harmony and composition. 464 Dufferin avenue. 7c

## Educational.

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

**MISS SMITH WILL RESUME HER**  
classes at 359 Queen's avenue Tuesday Sept. 15. Special classes in French, German, literature, mathematics, rhetoric and composition. 7c

**BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR**  
young ladies and children. Classes resumed on Tuesday, Sept. 8. Mrs. THOS. EVANS, 353 Princess avenue. 8c

**YOUNG LADY WOULD TAKE A NUM-**  
BER of pupils in French; terms reasonable. 625 Colborne. 8c

## Money to Loan.

SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLE

SEX, farm property at 5 and 44 per cent and on city property at 4 and 6 per cent. WEEKES & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 98 Dundas street, London. 7c

## HEADQUARTERS 7th

Fusiliers, London, Sept. 11, 1896—Regimental orders by Captain, Col. Lindsay, commanding. No. 1.—The regiment will parade at the drill shed on Sunday, 9th inst., at 10 a.m., for division service. Order of dress, review order. By order H. A. KINGSMITH, Captain, Adjutant Seventh Battalion Fusiliers. 9c

## TAKE THE FAST

PASSENGER LINE . . . .

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL

TO BOSTON, NEW YORK, WASHINGTON

And the West

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, SAN FRANCISCO

For all information call at the city office, 335 Richmond street. Phone 245.

JOHN PAUL, City Agent.

O. W. RUGGLES, JOHN G. LAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agent. Can. Pass. Agent.

## After Hamid's Head

## The Question of Deposing the Sultan Discussed.

Launch of the Largest Vessel in the World at Belfast.

Demands of British Dock Laborers Formally Announced.

Cyclone in Paris—A Franco-Turkish Treaty—The Philippine Revolt.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

NOT FOR GERMANY.

Forward March of the British Forces Unopposed.

North Staffordshire Men in the Van—The Derivishes Retreating.

Cairo, Sept. 11.—Dispatches just received from the front say that the North Staffordshire Regiment, numbering about 900 men, arrived at Kosh camp, the southernmost fortified post on the Nile, yesterday, and will be pushed forward to Absarrah today.

The third brigade has reached Absarrah safely, and the main body of cavalry is arriving there.

The cavalry scouts report the Derivishes still in view south of Duglo; but the enemy retreats at the slightest sign of a forward movement. The Anglo-Egyptian scouts, feeling the way for the advance guard, are steadily pushing on to Kasbar, fourteen miles further south, which will be the next place occupied. The troops, black and white, are full of enthusiasm and anxious for a brush with the enemy. The weather is hot in the extreme, but the soldiers are benefitting from being on the move. All the troops taking part in the expedition are well equipped, and the force of cavalry, hitherto held by a small force of cavalry, is being fortified and added to the string of depots connecting the expedition with Wady-Halfa, the real base of supplies.

The intelligence department reports that the Derivishes gathering in force south of Dongola. Clashes between the Derivishes and the Anglo-Egyptian scouts are expected at any moment. Thus, the advance of the British expedition up the Nile is now in full swing after months of struggling with terrific heat and cholera, during which the work of railroad building and the forwarding of supplies has been going on incessantly by the troops under the direction of British officers, a number of the having already given up their lives as a sacrifice to the task undertaken.

The operations began in March last, when troops were hurried up the Nile to Wady Halfa, the southernmost post, although the railroad ran to Sarra, about 40 miles south from the Nile. Since then the advance of the railroad, a desert campaign line, has been extended to Akasheh, 50 miles from the latter place, to Kosh, and thence to Absarrah, about 75 miles.

The first seven days of the campaign over four thousand men in every way fully equipped were moved southward, in spite of the great difficulties of transportation, and now some fifteen thousand men, not including natives employed in the transport service, are moving south with a flotilla of about 15 steam-wheel gunboats, some of them towing over 200 other boats and barges loaded with supplies, ammunition, etc. This fleet will keep up constant communication with the headquarters at Wady Halfa, and in a word, the advance of the army is operating. At every station between Absarrah and Wady Halfa, hospitals for the care of the wounded and sick have been established, and in a word, the advance of the army is operating. At every station between Absarrah and Wady Halfa, hospitals for the care of the wounded and sick have been established, and in a word, the advance of the army is operating.

SPANISH REPORTS.

Manilla, Philippine Islands, Sept. 11.—Advices from the front report a battle near Pampanga, on the Island of Luzon. The official story says the rebels were defeated with a loss of 30 killed and many wounded. The Government forces is placed at 8 killed and 22 wounded.

A dispatch from Madrid says a band of 30 Republicans, with rifles, made a demonstration at Pedralla, in the Province of Valencia, but were quickly suppressed by the troops, before whom the rioters fled. Republican agitation also occurred in other towns.

DOCKERS' DEMANDS.

London, Sept. 11.—A mammoth strike is on the tapis. Dockers held an enthusiastic meeting in support of the International Federation of Ship, Dock and River Workers and endorsed the decision of the federation's council to send on Sept. 11, to 5,000 of the em-mand for a uniform port rate of 8d an hour and a shilling for overtime for grain porters, sailors' rates to rise to 10d an hour, and a shilling for overtime. The employers have refused the demand to make a reasonably prompt reply, and if the reply is unfavorable a strike will follow.

MAKONI'S EXECUTION.

London, Sept. 11.—A dispatch from Cape Town says that Major Watts, who had Makoni, a Matabele chief, summarily executed, has been arrested, pending an inquiry into the circumstances of the affair. Makoni was one of the chiefs of the Matabele whose men a short while ago looted a store at Marandellas. He had previously engaged the British troops under the command of Capt. Alderson, and had been routed. He claimed, however, that he had been taken unaware, and did not consider that he had been fairly beaten. He therefore sent a challenge to Capt. Alderson to come out and fight him again. It was probably in this second encounter that he was taken prisoner.

BANK OF ENGLAND DISCOUNTS.

London, Sept. 10.—The Evening Standard this afternoon says that the unexpected raising of the bank rate from 2 to 2 1/2 per cent foreshadows

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England, as is evidenced by the fact that a large meeting to denounce the massacres in Anatolia and Crete, and to call upon the powers to put an end to the misgovernment of the Sultan was held in Berlin, and further meetings with the same object will soon be held in other places in Germany, and probably Paris.

An Athens dispatch says: In consequence of the receipt of a peremptory British note, the Sultan of Turkey has issued an irade ordering that the expulsion of Armenians from Constantinople be stopped.

Mr. Gladstone was requested to address a mass meeting to be held at Liverpool for the purpose of condemning the Sultan of Turkey for permitting the massacre of Armenians. In reply Mr. Gladstone says: "My opinions of the great assassin and of the disgrace the Europeans powers have allowed him to bring upon them are well known to my countrymen, but I do not think that benefit would accrue from my taking part in meetings, however valuable, and even obligatory, such meetings may be for those still engaged in the active duties of public life."

On to Dongola!

A Great Rush!

Unprecedented Flood of Exhibits for the Western Fair.

Grand Stand Arrangements for Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

more space in the Main and Carriage Buildings Wanted—The Judging Started.

"There's no use talking, we'll have to have an annex to the main building next year," said a Western Fair director this morning. "We have had to refuse scores of exhibits or almost throw them out. Never saw such a rush in all my Fair experience," and he mopped the perspiration from his brow, and prepared to tackle a would-be exhibitor, who was approaching with a dark red fluid in his optic.

As it is in the main building, so it is in all the others. In the transportation building, for instance, scores of carriages are actually crowded out for want of space, despite the enormous increase in accommodation of the new building. The agricultural hall is already filled, and the display in this season of plenty, is unusually grand. The Indians have a large section of the hall for their unique exhibit. In the horticultural hall the air is fragrant with thousands of floral beauties. As might be expected this year, when nature has been so lavish, the fruit shown is magnificent in quantity and quality.

The Fair directors are having anything but a lovely time. They are besieged on all sides by importunate exhibitors, wanting this and that privilege, making this or that complaint, and unbosoming themselves of all kinds of wrath. The chairman of the main building committee, Mr. Geo. Taylor, has had a stormy time of it. The weight of this office fell on the broad shoulders of George M. Reid in years past, and this is Mr. Taylor's first term. He is bearing up as best he can against the attacking host of exhibitors. There never was such a rush of them before, and it takes all a man's patience and tact to handle them, when there are half a dozen exhibitors, wanting this and that privilege, making this or that complaint, and unbosoming themselves of all kinds of wrath. The chairman of the main building committee, Mr. Geo. Taylor, has had a stormy time of it. The weight of this office fell on the broad shoulders of George M. Reid in years past, and this is Mr. Taylor's first term. 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**BASEBALL.**

**PRINTERS VS. HOBBS.**  
The Printers and Hobbs baseball clubs will play on Erie Plains tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock, when the following players will face each other:

**PRINTERS. POSITIONS. HOBBS.**  
Wootton.....Right field.....Roughley  
".....Catcher.....Covey  
Howell.....First base.....Stratton  
Ferguson.....Third base.....Pentman  
Porter.....Shortstop.....P. Healey  
Gorman.....Second base.....F. Healey  
Vogel.....Left field.....Sholer  
McKay.....Center field.....McAlroy

**EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES—THURSDAY.**

At Buffalo.....R. H. E.  
Toronto.....2 2 5  
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Batteries—Horton and Borje; Wadsworth and Ughart. Umpire—Swartwood.

At Rochester.....2 7 5  
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Batteries—Magner and Zahner; Herndon and Boyd. Umpire—Gaffney.

At Scranton.....15 13 0  
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Batteries—Brown and Berger; Hodson and Coogan. Umpire—Curry.

At Wilkes-Barre.....7 14 4  
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Batteries—Lackey and Diggins; Killen and Leahy. Umpire—Keefe.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—THURSDAY.**

At New York.....R. H. E.  
Boston.....3 10 3  
New York.....12 17 0

Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Meekin and Wilson. Umpire—Campbell and Henderson.

At Baltimore.....5 12 6  
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Batteries—Payne, Stein and Grim; Pond and Robinson. Umpire—Hurst.

At Pittsburgh.....2 8 3  
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Batteries—Friend and Donohue; Hawley and Merritt. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Cleveland.....2 11 2  
Cleveland.....2 11 2

Batteries—Brettenstein and Murphy; Wallace and Zimmer. Umpire—Emslie.

At Louisville.....2 9 4  
Louisville.....2 9 4

Batteries—Dwyer and Vaughn; Herman and Dexter. Umpire—Shret and Miller.

At Washington.....6 7 0  
Washington.....6 7 0

Batteries—Taylor and Grady; McJames, Gorman and McGuire. Umpire—Lynch.

**PLAYS.**

Guelph and Hamilton are to play a twelve-game series beginning in Guelph today, the second game to be played in Hamilton tomorrow.

A game was played on the London

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**West grounds between the London West Stars and Thistles, of East London, resulting in favor of the Stars, 26 to 14. The Stars would like to play the Hobbs Hardware baseball team.**

The Alerts and Arlingtons will play a benefit game on Tecumseh Park on Saturday afternoon. This will be the last game of ball of the season by the Alerts team, as the several players who reside elsewhere will leave for their homes immediately after. The players will also compete for prizes in running, throwing, etc. Snyder will attempt to throw the ball 135 yards.

**THE TURF.**

**LAST DAY AT BLENHEIM.**

Blenheim, Ont., Sept. 11.—The closing day of the races of the Blenheim Driving Club was fine and warm, and the track fast. The attendance was large and the sport of a most interesting character. Summary:

Mixed race, 2:40 pace, 2:37 trotters, purse \$150:

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**TRIGGER AT GALT.**

Galt, Ont., Sept. 11.—Yesterday closed the Ontario Rod and Gun tournament. Wayner, Heeseler, won the individual championship and Sleeman cup, with Stewart a good second, being only two birds behind.

**POOL.**

The first half of the pool match between J. Horgan of New York and E. Haight, Port Huron, was played last night at the Grigg House billiard parlors. The game was very interesting, and the attendance was large. Haight played widely in the first part, and broke the balls so as to give Horgan a chance to score big numbers, but in the latter part he showed himself to be a pool player of merit. Many of Haight's shots were of a most difficult character, and were loudly applauded, while Horgan picked off the easy ones and played safe.

Both players are not to be classed by any means as amateurs, and Haight surprised all present by his rapid strides towards the 100-point finish in the last few racks. The following is the score by racks:

Horgan—8, 14, 9, 14, 14, 1, 9, 10, 5, 15, 6, 11, 5, 3, 11, 12, 0, 2, 10; total, deducting scratches 145.

Haight—7, 1, 6, 1, 1, 14, 6, 5, 10, 0, 9, 6, 4, 14, 10, 14, 4, 14, 15, 13, 5; total, deducting scratches 145.

Referee—Herbert Barrows.

The game will be finished tonight. The winner gets a purse of \$50 and one-half of the admission fees.

**Western Ontario.**

**A Houghton Township Boy Born With Three Eyes.**

Transfers of Farms—Pioneers Passing Away—Business Embarrassments.

The rate of taxation in Chatham this year will be over 21 mills.

Five Wallaceburg hotelkeepers have been charged with selling liquor after hours.

The Colored Baptist Association has been holding a convention at Amherstburg.

Henry Mawlam, Euphemia, has sold his 50 acres on con. 15 to Robert Patterson, Dawn, for \$2,000.

The creditors of Kerby Bros., Windsor, have accepted a settlement at something like 70 cents on the dollar.

The Wm. Pickering farm, about one mile east of Blenheim on the Talbot road, has been purchased by Mrs. Richard Owens. The price was \$2,400 for 50 acres.

One of the pioneer residents of Kent, John Waddick, who for a great number of years has resided in Raleigh, died on Tuesday after a long illness, at the age of 70 years.

The Wallaceburg fire brigade ran an excursion to Sarnia by bicycle last night. The citizens did not patronize it, and the firemen felt \$14 behind. In disgust all the members have sent in their resignations.

By the new County Councils Act the warden of the county is required to call a meeting of the council on or before the 1st of January, and to nominate officers in each of the divisions, to receive nominations for county councillors. After this year the county council shall have the power of naming the officers.

At the last regular meeting of Oxford Lodge, No. 77, I. O. O. F., in Jervessall, Bro. J. H. Mackin, presented with a veteran's jewel, signifying that he had been a member for the past 25 years. E. Waterhouse read the address, while the presentation was made by J. H. Acker.

Business embarrassments are announced as follows: Boushall & Peters, general store, Blenheim, in financial difficulties; E. Gobel, merchant tailor, Berlin, has assigned; J. Taylor, hotel, Watford, is asking an extension of time; L. Mastin, general store, Kincardine, has assigned to J. M. Stewart; Isaac Hunt, grocer, Southampton, has assigned to N. A. Ray.

The Tilsonburg Observer gives an account of an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of Houghton township, who was born about 14 months ago with three eyes, the extra one being situated in the spine, at the waist line. It is provided with an eyelid and eyebrow exactly like the other two in its head. The eye was bandaged to prevent injury, as it was sensitive to ordinary eyes. Recently the child fell and hurt the eye, which then came out.

Mrs. Euphemia, Graham, relict of the late Mr. Donald Graham, Dumfries, is dead. The deceased was born in Argyllshire, Scotland, in 1813, and came to Canada with her husband in 1841 and settled on lot 13, south of where now stands the flourishing village of Dundas. She leaves four sons and three daughters: John D., Duncan and Daniel, Dunwich; Angus C. and Mrs. Kerr, Dutton; Mrs. J. McCormick, Southwold; Mrs. Malcolm Patterson, Ekfrid.

A serious accident occurred at the street crossing of the C. P. R. at Chatham Monday afternoon. John Bellair, a Dover farmer, was crossing the track, when his wagon was struck by the incoming express. The wagon was badly wrecked, and Bellair was thrown violently out, but fortunately clear of the rails. Bellair was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital. A careful examination there showed that he had sustained a broken collarbone, and a broken rib, besides severe and painful cuts and bruises about the head and face.

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**THE MOONEY CASE.**

Verdict for \$2,700 Against the Canada Southern Railway.

Windsor, Sept. 11.—The case of Mooney vs. the Canada Southern Railway Company was tried at Sandwich before Judge Robertson. Mooney was driving out to the Essex County Fair last October, and when crossing the railway track in the town of Sandwich his rig was struck by a railway train and demolished, and his two sons and the hired man killed. He entered suit for \$15,000. He was awarded \$2,700 for the death of his eldest son, \$900 for the second, \$4,500 for personal injuries, and \$102 for damages to his rig.

**A LIE.**

Warsaw, Ind., Sept. 11.—The report sent out from here that a tally-ho had gone over an embankment, killing six people and maiming several others, was a cruel fake, perpetrated, it is alleged, by a fellow named A. E. Moon.

**DEATH OF A VETERAN ACTOR.**

New York, Sept. 11.—James Lewis, the well-known veteran actor, died suddenly yesterday at West Hampton, L. I. For nearly twenty years he has been a member of Augustin Daly's Company, and with Mrs. Gilbert, with whom his name



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Silk Tassel Fringe, 10c, 15c and 25c yard.  
Linen Fringe, worth 12½c, for 7c yard.  
Fancy Ball Fringe, worth 10c, for 5c yard.  
Fancy Stamped Table Covers at 25c each.  
Stamped Pillow Shams, fine, only 25c pair.

#### Lace Curtains

**September Bargains.**  
We make September the money-saving month of the year. We've told time and again how we were able to sell certain lines of Curtains for less money than the wholesale price. Today we call your attention to three lines of Curtains at

**50c, 75c, \$1 Pair.**

Not odds and ends, but regular goods of the identical sorts and styles that sold higher until now. Call and see them.

#### We Fit Little Folks

In the following lines of goods to keep little folks warm and comfortable: Woolen Underwear, Wool Mitts, Wool Jackets, Wool Veils, Wool Booties, Wool Hose, Wool Hoods.

#### The Frugal

Person always watches the cents, the dollars are credited with taking care of themselves. They do it at Whiskard's—their purchasing power is greater now than ever before, as the following prices will show:

Ladies' Linen Aprons, 25c each.  
Ladies' Fine Lawn Aprons, 2 for 25c.  
Ladies' Fine Lawn Aprons, lace trimmed, 20c each.  
Cushion Covers, back and front, 15c each.  
Shopping Bags, 15c, 20c, 25c each.  
Wide Art Muslin, bordered, worth 10c, for 7c.  
Towelings, check and plain, 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c yard.

#### IF

You have not given us a trial we believe it will be to your interest to do so. We are now selling

Plain Pillow Cotton at 10c yard.  
Circular Pillow Cotton at 15c yard.  
17 yards of 32-inch Flannelette for \$1.  
Fine Leather Belts, 5c each.

#### RELIGION IN SCHOOLS.

##### Episcopalians Discuss One Point in Premier Greenway's Agreement.

Winnipeg, Sept. 11.—The result of the discussion in the Episcopal Synod shows that the leading men of the church are almost unanimously in favor of adopting a half-hour proposal for religious exercises in the schools, regarding this as sufficient for a great deal of good work. As this is one of the points in the proposed agreement between Mr. Laurier and Premier Greenway, the decision of the Episcopalians to endorse it, has important bearings.

It has been decided that the Synod shall meet regularly every sixth year. A motion that the permanent meeting place be Toronto was lost.

#### MADE STRONG AGAIN.

##### For the Sake of Others a Grateful Woman Praised Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Napanee, Sept. 7.—The wife of Mr. Wm. Crabbe, a well known and highly respected farmer living near Chambers Postoffice, not far from this place, has for a long time been an acute sufferer from kidney disease and weakness peculiar to her sex. Some time ago, despairing of cure, as a last resort, she procured a single box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. She now says that every woman who suffers as she has suffered should know that the experienced relief from the first few doses, and that the second box was all that was required to make her as strong and well as ever before in her life.

**SLEEPLESSNESS** is due to nervous excitement. The delicately constituted, the financial, the business man, and those whose occupation necessitates great mental strain or worry, all suffer less or more from it. Sleep is the great restorer of a worried brain, and to get sleep cleanse the stomach from all impurities with a few doses of Parmenter's Vegetable Pills, gelatinous, containing no mercury, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction or the money will be refunded.

## Lively Times.

### Mr. Lister Stirred Up Parliament Yesterday.

### War of Words Between Him and Sir Charles Tupper.

### Offensive Partisanship Clearly Proved Against Employees.

### RAILWAY MEN INTERVIEW.

Ottawa, Sept. 11.—A large deputation of railway men waited on the Government yesterday to urge it to give its support to movements affecting their interests. They asked for a prohibition tax against Chinese, for the alien law against the United States, and that a representative of the labor class be in the Senate. They nominated Edward Williams, of Hamilton, official arbitrator for the Ontario Government, for the Senate to represent their class.

In reply, Mr. Laurier did not commit himself on the Chinese question. He promised an alien labor law if the United States did not modify its legislation. Regarding the Senate proposal he promised consideration, and added that the fact that the gentleman proposed was a Liberal did not at all injure his chance. Williams said: "I have not much love for the Senate, but as long as it exists, if I should be forced into it, my interest would be that of the workmen of the country."

### LIVELY TIMES.

The debates committee resumed yesterday. The case against the French translators, Messrs. Vanasse, McLeod, Lesalle and Bouchard, were taken up. The last named denied having taken part in the elections, but under examination admitted that he had made a stump speech in Ottawa commending Mr. Laurier's attitude on the school question, and the Liberal fiscal policy. He denied contributing to the columns of Le Spectateur.

Mr. Monet conducted the examination in regard to Mr. McLeod. It was proved that in letters written by him to the Trifolium during last session, from the very room where he was employed as a servant of the House, he characterized Mr. Laurier's attitude in the chamber on the school question with the words, "Cowardice and Treachery," and called him "Leader of the traitors."

One expression used by Mr. Bouchard was as follows: "Things have come to a pretty pass when a presumptuous blockhead like Mr. Brunet, the member for Richelieu, could annoy the House for five hours without knowing what he was saying."

When this was read there was a laugh, and Mr. Taylor, chief Conservative whip said: "Quite right, Mr. Brunet, who is a member of the committee, started forward and said: 'Did you say 'Quite right,' Taylor?'"

Mr. Taylor not answering, Mr. Brunet exclaimed hotly: "If you say that outside in the corridors I will see you there."

Mr. Taylor replied, with a very red face: "I want you to understand that I am Irish, and will meet you in the corridor or anywhere else."

This challenge having been given and accepted, Chairman Choquette called "Order!" and the evidence was resumed.

Mr. Lesalle's case was next taken up, and Mr. Monet proved that he was acting actively in the campaign work as a secretary of a Conservative association in Montreal. He was also in Vercheres and Chambly at the revision of the lists. He worked hand and glove with Mr. Emard.

The committee adjourned until Tuesday, when the verdict on all four cases will be considered.

### IN THE HOUSE.

When the House met yesterday, Mr. Laurier said: "The other day my attention was called to the portfolio of the Interior. I am not permitted at the present time to say definitely the exact date when that portfolio will be filled, but I may say that it is the intention of the Government to offer to some gentleman from the North-West, that there are good reasons of public interest why some further delay is desirable."

Sir Charles Tupper complained that the information was meagre.

### MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

Sir Charles then called attention to a statement in La Patrie to the effect that Mr. Chamberlain will not come to Canada because he knows Mr. Laurier will have nothing to do with his imperial schemes.

"I take it for granted," Sir Charles said, "this statement, made by this paper, is entirely unauthorized and does not in any respect reflect the views or opinions or statements of the honorable the First Minister."

Mr. Laurier—Hear, hear.  
Sir Charles—I took that for granted, but I felt that it was really important that there should be an emphatic contradiction to the communications in a paper of this kind (La Patrie), which professes to be one of the strong supporters of the Government of the day. Sir Charles said Mr. Chamberlain had proved an impartial statesman. His telegram to him, congratulating him on being made Premier was a purely personal one.

### THE USE OF THE LETTER.

Mr. Laurier, in reply, said La Patrie had never been, and is not now, the organ of the Liberal party. Sir Charles Tupper should have known that twelve months ago he (Mr. Laurier) had so declared over his own signature. "I am very sorry to hear," said the Premier, "that Mr. Chamberlain is not to visit Canada while he is on the continent of America. I had hoped that he would come. I hope he will come some day, sooner or later, and I hope sooner rather than later. It is not at all necessary

for me to say that in Mr. Chamberlain the Colonial Office has one of the ablest men that has been presiding over it for many and many a day, and the scheme which has been entertained, though perhaps not to be agreed upon in every particular, still the ideas which he has expressed in the Colonial Office for the development of the British Empire are ideas I have no hesitation in saying for which there must be strong commendation in all Canadian hearts. As to these I can see no objection." Mr. Laurier further said that if Mr. Chamberlain had been accused of meddling in the recent Canadian elections, Sir Charles Tupper was alone to blame, for he had caused to be published a private letter from the British Colonial Secretary, with the object of making believe that Mr. Chamberlain endorsed his party and policy.

### EMIGRATION TO BRAZIL.

Mr. Bergeron said the Brazil Government had been trying to get Canadians to emigrate to that country. He had been asked whether the Government had taken any precautions to protect Canadians in going there. Mr. Laurier replied that he was not aware that the attention of the Government had been called to the fact. What action the Government could take in the matter he could not see very plainly. Every Canadian was at liberty to go wherever he pleased, though it would be a very mistaken idea to be induced to go to Brazil for settlement. The Government had no better country than Brazil could be.

Mr. Wood and Mr. Charlton both thought an official warning against emigration to Brazil should be issued.

### NOTHING TO DO.

Mr. Davin brought up the case of the dismissal by the present Minister of Public Works of Mr. J. K. Lambert, fireman of the court house at Regina.

Mr. Tarte—The man's chief reported that he really had nothing to do. Wherever I find an official in that position I will dispense with him. (Applause.)

### TRADE AND COMMERCE.

When the estimates for the Department of Trade and Commerce were reached Mr. Foster took some amusement in reminding Sir Richard Cartwright of the criticisms which he used to make as to the usefulness or uselessness of the department which he now fills.

Sir Richard Cartwright good-naturedly replied that he hoped before many months were over to show that profitable work could be found for the department, though it had not been found in the past.

Mr. Foster said the Government were taking childish grounds. When the department was formed, Mr. Laurier and his friends said it was not needed.

Mr. Laurier said that the Government had to run the department, and it found them till legislation could be passed to make a change. Mr. Foster asserts that the Trade and Commerce Department is a useful one. Yet he desires it to be hurriedly abolished.

### THE HIGH COMMISSIONER.

Some discussion took place on the vote for this department. Mr. Foster thought now the Liberals were in power the amount spent on the office should be at once cut down.

Sir Charles Tupper strongly opposed this view.

Mr. Fraser, Guysboro, thought that the money spent on the High Commissioner had been wasted, judging by the densest fog of Canada which existed in England.

Mr. Somerville thought a man of the people was wanted as High Commissioner, and Mr. Laurier said that was not the intention.

Messrs. Davin and McNeill defended Sir Donald Smith against what they regarded as the reflections contained in Mr. Somerville's observation.

### A BIG ROW.

Mr. Lister, taking up the discussion, soon had the chamber in a turmoil of excitement. Referring to the uses of the High Commissioner, he said it had been promised that he should negotiate loans, and thus save Canada the brokerage. Only one loan had been made, and that was a small one, and there was a rumor that he had received a large commission for his negotiation.

Sir Charles Tupper, rising, declared with great heat that Mr. Lister was abusing most grossly the privileges of the House by repeating such an utterly false and foundationless statement.

The only man who had dared to bring that charge outside had been brought to account for criminal libel.

An honorable member—it was never brought to trial.

Sir Charles said the Montreal Herald had apologized.

Mr. Lister replied that he accepted the statement until the libel suit should be brought to trial.

Mr. Foster demanded that Mr. Lister should withdraw his allegation.

Mr. Lister said he would not be dictated to by Mr. Foster.

Mr. Taylor declared that neither this item nor any other would be allowed to pass until Mr. Lister took back his decision. (Cries of derision.)

Mr. Foster, hitting his desk with clenched fist, reiterated Mr. Taylor's threat.

Mr. Lister said he accepted Sir Charles Tupper's denial, and added that he made no charge against Mr. Foster.

Sir Charles Tupper, in reply, denounced Mr. Lister as the "scavenger of his party." He was smarting, he said, because he had not been made a Minister.

Mr. Lister, in turn, gave as good as he got. He said Sir Charles was at his old game, "How dare that man in this country—cries of 'Order!'—get up and charge—cries of 'Order!'—any man in this House with corruption or extravagance. He cared not for the approval of Tupper. If this country had been debauched and degraded politically, Sir Charles Tupper, more than any one else living in Canada today, was answerable for it. He had been defeated by an indignant people by an enormous majority, and he had turned him out of office where he would remain as long as he lived.

Mr. Foster resented the attack made by Mr. Lister, in response to Sir Charles Tupper's charge, and threatened to obstruct the estimates if "the past" were not let alone.

Mr. Davies poured oil on the troubled waters, and after some talk the item passed and the House adjourned.

### BANQUETTED.

Premier Laurier was a guest at the banquet of the Bankers' Association last night, and had a very cordial reception.

## Sentenced to Die.

### The Slayer of Thomas Ligard Convicted of Murder.

### Mersey Recommended—Sentenced to be Hanged Dec. 17.

Cobourg, Ont., Sept. 11.—The trial of Arthur Prentiss, on the charge of murdering Thos. Ligard, was concluded yesterday. After being out three hours, the jury brought in a verdict of murder, with recommendations for mercy.

When asked by the judge, Chancellor Boyd, the prisoner said he had nothing to say why the sentence of death should not be passed on him. He stood calm and pale when his counsel pronounced the sentence that he should be hanged on Dec. 17. During his remarks to the prisoner the judge advised him to seek mercy through his External Fatherly, and also said this was the first time he had ever passed the death sentence.

### THE CRIME.

The deceased Ligard was between 50 and 60 years of age, and lived on a farm with his wife and some grandchildren near Port Hope. The prisoner is about 18 years of age, and was in the employ of a neighboring farmer. On the day of the murder, June 10 last—there had been a dispute between Prentiss and young George Ligard, a grandson of the deceased, concerning some rabbits. Later in the day the dispute was renewed by the prisoner coming to the line fence near where Ligard was working. Prentiss carried a gun, and was accompanied by a youth named Frederick Rush. The two were using abusive language to Ligard and his wife and grandchildren, George and Maud, who were in the field with them. The old man advanced to the fence. He was confronted by the two boys and ultimately got through the fence and followed them. Mrs. Ligard and Maud Ligard also came through the fence, by George remained behind on the wagon. When the old man had passed about four rods inside the fence Prentiss threatened to shoot him if he came any further. According to two of the witnesses, Ligard did advance further, whereupon Prentiss raised the gun to his shoulder and fired. He was so close to Ligard that the face of the latter was dotted by powder marks, and the upper edge of the wound was burned. The gun was loaded with shot, and the charge tore a gaping hole in the upper part of Ligard's chest on the left hand side, causing almost instant death.

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"No man can love her better."  
"What say you? How, then, do I love her? I who carried her—Myn Witte Lammetje (My white lamb)—in these arms before she could say to me 'Father'?" His wrath had been slowly growing in spite of the mist in his eyes and the tenderness in his voice, and suddenly striking the desk a ponderous blow, he closed his hand, he said, with an unmistakable passion, "My daughter you shall not have! God in heaven to himself take her ere such sorrow come to her and me."

"Sir, you are very unkind; but I am thankful to know so much of your mind, and, to be plain with you, I am determined to marry your daughter, if I can compass the matter in any way. It is now, then, open war between us—and so, sir, your servant."

"Stay—to me listen, then, one guide I will give to my daughter if—  
"To the devil with your guides! Dirty money made in dirty traffic!"

"You lie!"  
"Sir! You take an infamous advantage. You know that, being Katherine's father, I will not challenge you."  
"Christus!" roared Joris. Challenge me one hundred times. A fool I would be to answer you. Life my God gave me. Well, then, only my God shall from me take it. See you these arms and hands? In them you will be as the child of one year. Ere beyond my reason you move me, go! and he strode to the door and flung it open with a passion that made every one in the store straighten themselves, and look curiously towards the two men.

White with rage, and with his hand upon his sword hilt, Capt. Hyde stamped the way through the crowded store to the dusty street. They at once knew that he had not asked the name of the man to whom Katherine was promised. He swore at himself for the omission. Whether he knew him or not he was determined to fight him. In the meantime, the most practical revenge was to try and see Katherine before the father had the opportunity to give her any orders regarding him. Just then he met Neil Semple, and he stopped and asked him the time.

"It will be the half hour after four, captain. I am going home; shall I have your company?"

"I have not so much leisure tonight. Make a thousand regrets to Madame Semple and my aunt for me."

Neil's calm, unobtrusive gravity was unendurable. He turned from him abruptly, and, muttering passionate exclamations, went to the river bank for a boat. Often he had seen Katherine between 5 and 6 o'clock at the foot of Van Heemskirk's garden, for it was then possible for her to slip away while madam was busy about her house, and Joanna and Bataavia were talking about their own affairs. And this evening he felt that the very intensity of his desire must surely bring her to their trysting-place behind the lilac hedge.

Whether he was right or wrong he did not consider; for he was one of those potent men who have themselves in their own power. Nor had it ever entered his mind that "Love's strength standeth in Love's sacrifice, or that the only love worthy of the name refuses to blend with anything that is low, or vindictive, or clandestine. And even if he had not loved Katherine he would now have gone determined to marry her. Never before in all his life had he found an object so engrossing. Pride and revenge were added to love as motives; but who will say that love was purer or stronger or sweeter for them?

In the meantime Joris was suffering as only such devoted lovers can suffer. There were domestic fatalities which the wisest and tenderest of parents seem impotent to contend with. Joris had certainly been alarmed by Semple's warning; but in forbidding his daughter to visit Mrs. Gordon, and in permitting the suit of Neil Semple, he

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thought he had assured her safety. Through all the past weeks he had seen no shadow on her face—the fear had died out, and the hope had been slowly growing, so that Capt. Hyde's proposal and his positive assertion that Katherine loved him had fallen upon the father's heart with the force of a blow and the terror of a shock. And the sting of the sorrow was this—that his child had deceived him. Certainly she had not spoken false words, but truth can be outraged by silence quite as cruelly as by speech.

After Hyde's departure he shut the door of his office, walked to the window, and stood there some minutes clasping and unclasping his large hands like a man full of grief and perplexity. Ere long he remembered his friend Semple. This trouble concerned him also, for Capt. Hyde was in a manner his guest, and if he were informed of the marriage arranged between Katherine and Neil Semple he would doubtless feel himself bound in honor to retire. Elder Semple had opened his house to Col. Gordon, his wife and nephew. For months they had lived in comfort under his roof and been made heartily welcome to the best of all he possessed. Joris put himself in Hyde's place, and was certain that under the same circumstances he would feel it disgraceful to interfere with the love affairs of his host's son.

He found Semple with his hat in his hand, giving his last orders before leaving business for the day; but when Joris said, "There is trouble, and your advice I want," he returned with him to the back of the store, where, through half-opened shutters, the sunshine and the river breeze stole into an atmosphere laden with the aromas of tea and coffee and West Indian produce.

In a few short, strong sentences Joris put the case before Semple. The latter stroked his right knee thoughtfully and listened. But his first words were not very comforting. "I must say that it is mainly your own fault, Joris. You have given Neil but a half welcome, and you should have made a thing plain and positive to Katherine. Such shilly-shally, yea-and-nay kind of ways will do no woman. Why didn't you say to her, out and out, 'I have promised you to Neil Semple, my son-in-law? He'll make you the best of husbands; you'll marry him at the New Year, and you'll get good and plentiful, and a' things suitable'?"

"She has been o'er auld for you, Joris. Young, my certie! When girls are auld enough for a lover they are a match for any gray head. They are thankful man that I wasn't put in charge of any of them. You and your household will have to keep your own wheel open, or there will be a wedding to which none of us will get an invite. But there is little good in malar words. Hame is the place we are bairn needed in. I shall have to speak my mind to Neil, and likewise to Col. Gordon; and you canna put off your duty to your daughter an hour longer. Dear me! To think Joris, of a man being able to sit wi' the councilors of the nation, and yet no match for a lassie o' seventeen!"

(To be Continued.)

## WANTS \$5,000 DAMAGES.

Barton Farmer Says His Wife's Affections Have Been Alienated.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—Luther Crosthwaite, a well known farmer of Barton, has commenced a lawsuit which will probably prove highly interesting when it comes into court. He has entered an action against Mary Crosthwaite, of Barton; Joseph and Hannah McPherson, of Sarnia, and Esther Ann McMillan, of this city, for \$5,000 damages for alienating the affections of his wife, Charlotte Crosthwaite, also for uttering malicious and slanderous statements concerning him; for depriving him of the society of his wife and children, and for harboring them against his will.

A man who could not pay his bill for breakfast at a London hotel gave the Prince of Wales as a reference.

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## Many Petitions.

Received and Considered by the Board of Works.

The Condition of the Road Near Wellington Street Bridge—New Sewers Wanted—The "Devil Strip" a Cow Pasture.

A large amount of business was briskly disposed of at the meeting of the Board of Works last night.

The residents in the neighborhood of Clarke's bridge were represented by two petitions—one asking for the construction of a walk on Clarke's bridge, and the other complaining of the condition of Wellington street north of the bridge. The latter petition provoked considerable discussion.

Ald. Pritchard and Heaman agreed with the petitioners that the road was too high and ought to be cut down. Ald. O'Meara, Dreaney and Cooper knew of far worse streets in their wards.

Ald. Parnell explained that the funds did not permit of grading the street in the way the petitioners wished. The street had been filled in, in front of Cook's property.

On motion of Ald. Pritchard the petition will go to the council with the statement that there are no funds. The council will deal with this matter.

Residents on High street asked that the street be cut down and widened. Ald. Dreaney asked why the work of laying the extension of the street along the line on the Hamilton road had not been carried out. Referred to the engineer to have severe flushed if necessary.

A. E. Davis, of South street, wanted his sewer rate refunded, as his property was not properly drained. His neighbor, Mr. Reid, had tapped the sewer, and finding it not deep enough, obtained a refund.

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## The Business Outlook

The State of Trade in the Dominion.

More Activity Shown During the Past Week in Wholesale Lines

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 11.—R. G. Dun &amp; Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada says:

While wholesale trade in Montreal does not exhibit any large degree of general briskness, there is nevertheless an improved demand in certain leading lines, and city retailers report a more active business. In general collections there is still a large margin for improvement. The money market is practically unchanged. Five per cent is the general asking figure for call funds, but some transactions continue to be reported at 4 1/2 per cent. Groceries are in better request. Refined sugars are weaker. Cables from Patras report an advancing market for currants, and the first direct Mediterranean fruit steamer will be due here about Oct. 8. Oils, paints and glass are in rather better request. Metals and hardware are rather inactive. Leather and hides dull, and there is marked accumulation of beef hides in warehouse. There has been quite an advance in cheese—some think due rather to speculation than to a real improvement in the English market.

Business in wholesale circles at Toronto has been a little more active past week. The crowds from the country visiting here have increased the retail trade greatly, and wholesale dealers report a large number of orders booked. The general feeling, however, is one of caution, and merchants are not ordering more than what they consider really necessary. There are no changes in consequence in prices of staple goods. Some local competition has affected prices of sugars adversely. In hardware there is a fair trade. The leather market is quiet, and prices of hides remain easy. There is a better market for cheese, with advances in late makes, and butter is firmer. The money market is quiet with call loans quoted at 5 to 5 1/2 per cent. Arrangements are being made by grain dealers for the movements of crops, and they pay 6 to 6 1/2 per cent for money. Stocks are stronger, being influenced partly by the improved tone of finances in the United States.

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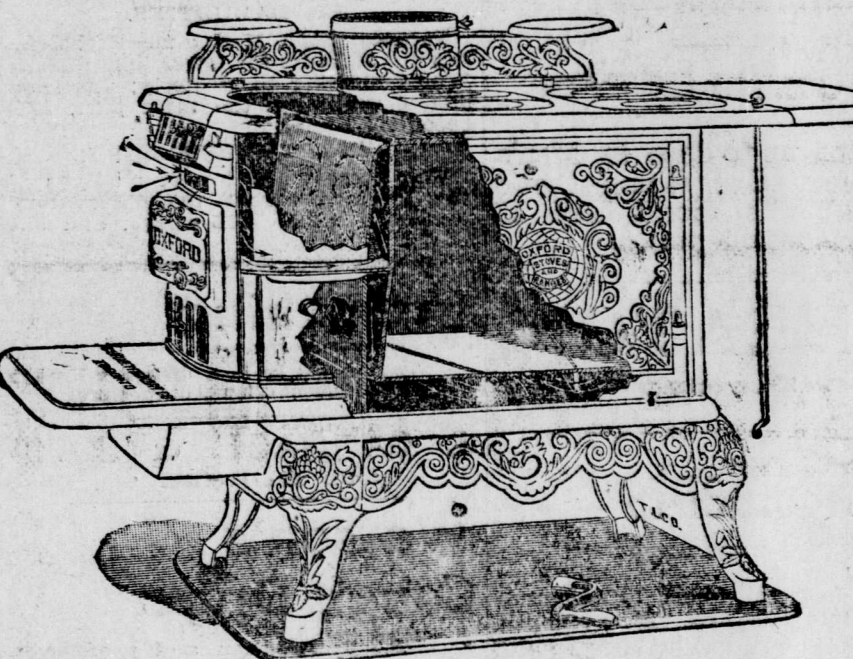
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inventions in tinware. You should have some  
of the graniteware cooking utensils. They  
will last a lifetime. The largest assortment of  
tinware and graniteware can be seen at  
our store.

**STEVELEY'S,**  
362 Richmond Street.

## UNSETTLED—SHOWERY—COOLER.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 10-11 p.m.—The  
disturbance which was off the Middle  
Atlantic States last night is now dis-  
persing. It has given some heavy  
local rains in Nova Scotia and a kale  
off the coast. A trough of low pres-  
sure covers the lakes and the St.  
Lawrence, and another well-marked  
disturbance is situated in the far  
Northwest.

Minimum and maximum tempera-  
tures:  
Calgary, 24-50; Qu'Appelle, 26-52;  
Winnipeg, 38-48; Parry Sound, 58-80;  
Toronto, 56-82; Ottawa, 48-80; Mon-  
treal, 56-79; Quebec, 52-78; Halifax, 60-  
70.

**PROBABILITIES.**  
Toronto, Sept. 11-1 a.m.—Probabil-  
ities for 24 hours for lower lake region:  
Winds shifting to westerly; unsettled  
and showery for the most part, and  
becoming cooler.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURE.**  
The highest and lowest readings of  
the thermometer at the observatory  
yesterday were: 86.5 above, and 57.5  
above.

## Everything

That should be in a first-class florist's  
establishment is found in our store.

**J. GANNAGE & SONS**  
213 Dundas St.

**Watson's**  
Cough Drops

Alleviate irritation and produce a  
soothing effect upon the vocal  
organs. TRY THEM.

## EX-REEVE MACDONALD MARRIED

To One of Peterboro's Fair Daughters—  
Honeymooning at Buffalo.

An interesting event took place at  
Point Mission House, Peterboro, the  
home of the late George Strickland, on  
Wednesday last. It was the marriage  
of D. Campbell Macdonald, manager  
of the London Mutual Fire Insurance  
Company, of this city, to Miss Julia  
Georgia, second surviving daughter of  
the late George Strickland, of Lake-  
field. The ceremony was performed by  
Rev. F. H. Hartley, of the Church of  
years of age. Mr. Macdonald left the  
city on Saturday last. The happy  
couple are spending their honeymoon  
at Buffalo.

**Are You Tired**  
All the time? This condition is a sure  
indication that your blood is not rich  
and nourishing, as it ought to be, and  
as it may be if you will take a few  
bottles of the great blood purifier,  
Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands write  
that Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured  
them of that tired feeling by giving  
them rich, red blood.

**HOOD'S PILLS** act easily and  
promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure  
sick headache.

Father—I have put my foot down,  
and you cannot see my daughter any  
more. Sutor—I don't like a man of  
your stamp.

POCOCK BROS.

## ANOTHER SHOE SNAP!

Shoe bargains are shoe bargains here. Follow the crowd  
YOU'LL MAKE NO MISTAKE. They get around. They  
know the best values and best shoe store, too. The majority  
would lead you to Pocock's.

THE SLATER SHOE PEOPLE know the best shoe firms  
We control the productions of the best factories. Our ambition  
runs to large sales and small profits. HONEST FOOTWEAR  
AT HONEST PRICES.

Trunks and Valises at low prices. All styles to choose from  
Delivered free.

**P-O-C-O-C-K B-R-O-S**

## If You Want

A pair of Men's Laced or  
Congress Shoes that look  
like, fit like and wear  
like a \$3 Shoe, hustle in  
and get a pair from our  
variety at \$1.50.

These goods are noted  
for their smooth finish,  
and custom look and  
durability.

**J. P. Cook**

173 Dundas St.

Your Money Back  
If You Want It.

## London Advertiser.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.  
107.....Business Office  
134.....Editorial Rooms  
175.....Job Department

## London and Environs

—Mr. J. M. McEvoy, barrister, is ill  
with fever.

The Wilbur Opera Company are  
registered at the Grigg House.

—The English prices on bacon and hams  
having gone up.

—Asklin Street Methodists talk of  
spending \$1,500 in beautifying the in-  
terior of their church.

—Every description of printing exe-  
cuted in the best style, and at lowest  
prices, at Advertiser Job Department.

—Mr. Frank Halls, of Chicago, well  
known in the city, spent a few hours  
here yesterday, en route to his home  
at Elginfield.

—Mr. R. B. Ward, advance agent  
for the "Old Lake and Youngs"  
company, which will be here next week, is at  
the Tecumseh.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dale have just re-  
turned from Brooklyn, N. Y., where  
they have been visiting Mrs. Dale's  
sister, Mrs. Fryer.

—Miss Maggie McBride, William  
street, has gone on a month's holiday  
to Niagara-on-the-Lake and Youngs-  
town, N. Y., taking in the Toronto  
Fair on the way.

—Mrs. M. Rickenbough Pearson re-  
turned to her home in Baltimore today  
after spending two months with her  
son, Mr. G. L. Pearson, Maitland  
street. Her grand-daughter, Miss Alice  
Maude Pearson, will follow her in a  
couple of weeks.

At the annual meeting of the  
Council of the Boys' Brigade of Can-  
ada held in Toronto, Lord Aberdeen,  
the president, occupied the chair. Mr.  
T. W. Nisbet, of Sarnia, was chosen  
brigade secretary and treasurer, and  
Rev. J. G. Stuart, of South London,  
a member of the executive council.

—George Ballantyne, the newsboy,  
who was reported as having been stab-  
bed by a colored bootblack named  
Gray, says that there was no quarrel  
between them. Gray and he were only  
fooling, he says, and Gray made a  
foolish lunge at him with a knife,  
tearing his coat, and merely  
scratching his shoulder.

—The congregation of St. James'  
Church, South London, want more  
room, and have decided to build a  
building ten feet on each side, and pro-  
vide an extension at the back for the  
choir. The church will have three  
aisles instead of two, and a window  
lighted by electricity. Plans by Moore  
& Henry to this effect have been ap-  
proved.

—The London Field Battery will be  
represented in Quebec by Major J.  
Shaw-Wood, in command; Sergt.  
Major Taylor, Quartermaster-Sergt.  
Hyman, Black, Coler-  
ick and Livermore, Gunners Engad, Kane,  
Montjoy, Scott, Taylor and Mackintosh.

The party will leave on  
the evening of the 28th and will be  
absent for about a week.

—Many specimens of large peaches  
have been brought to London this  
year, and the one previously shown  
larger than the one previously shown.  
Yesterday Messrs. John Hamby &  
Sons, of Cedar Springs, Kent county,  
showed The Advertiser a basket  
of Wheatland peaches of a basket  
truly large size. While being the  
largest variety that grows, they are  
of fine flavor, and it only takes about  
eighteen peaches to fill a basket.  
Messrs. Hamby & Sons are making  
a display of apples and peaches at the  
Western Fair.

—Mystic Council of the Royal Ar-  
canum has been instituted in this city  
by Organizer Adair, of Toronto, as-  
sisted by Grand Master J. B. McKil-  
lop, Grand Secretary Daniel Spry,  
Grand Trustee A. B. Munson, Grand  
Guide Thos. Bland, Deputy Grand Re-  
gent R. K. Cowan, and several mem-  
bers of London Council and South  
London Council. The following are  
the new officers: H. C. McBride, re-  
gent; W. R. Langridge, M. regent;  
W. C. Ferguson, orator; W. C. Fitz-  
gerald, past regent; R. A. Bayly,  
secretary; G. J. Jackson, collector; A.  
Robinson, treasurer; R. Tait, chap-  
lain; T. Nickle, guide; J. M. McCor-  
mick, warden; George Bayley, sentry.

THE STREET RAILWAY CROSS-  
INGS.  
Messrs. Hellmuth and Ivey, solicitors,  
and Manager Carr, of the London  
Street Railway Company, were before  
the railway committee of the Privy  
Council at Ottawa yesterday in regard  
to the railroad crossings. The matter  
was postponed for final decision till  
after the session, and in the mean-  
time the present arrangement will be  
continued. The conductors are re-  
quired to run ahead of their cars be-  
fore the crossing is reached.

Farina, our new popular break-  
fast cereal, is selling galore at the  
Newmarket store. M. S. O'B-  
OTHAM & CO., 247 Dundas street.

If you want a good, bright, cheerful light  
for the long nights, get Lilywhite Oil. Ask  
your grocer for it. It's the best lamp oil  
now offered. We don't supply peddle  
Gasoline, benzine, cylinder and machine  
oil at lowest price. Phone 307, Empire  
Oil Co.

## Ruby Pills

Makes Racy People  
Make Red Blood.  
Make Rich Blood.  
Are Blood Builders

**RUBY PILLS** For all diseases de-  
pendent upon a  
weak condition of  
the blood, such as  
weakness, loss of appetite, depression of  
spirits, lack of ambition, anaemia, chlorosis  
or green sickness, paleness of heart, short-  
ness of breath on slight exertion, coldness of  
hands or feet, swelling of feet and limbs, pain  
in the back or early decay, and all forms of  
female weakness.

W. S. Bryers Bark-Well,  
AGENT FOR CANADA.

It Took 1,896 Years to  
Discover the

**Duplex Pipe.**

—SOLD ONLY BY—  
Sam K. Stewart, 202½ Dundas Street.

Is Murray Dead?

A London Husband Probably  
Drowned.

Left His Family Suddenly a Year Ago—  
Have Heard Nothing of Him  
Since.

On Sept. 22, 1895, John H. Murray  
suddenly left his wife and family in  
this city, and they have received no  
word from him since. Recently Mrs.  
Murray published in a Detroit paper  
a description of her husband's appear-  
ance, and yesterday received word that  
the body of a drowned man answering  
to it had been found at Sand Beach  
on Saturday last.

Murray is 35 years old, of fair com-  
plexion, blue eyes, a heavy mustache,  
rather stout, and 5 feet 9 inches in  
height. On his right arm is tattooed his  
initials, "J. H. M." It has not yet  
been learned if the body is that of  
Murray.

Mrs. Murray is now living at 14 Dun-  
das street, where a reporter found her  
Murray is her second husband. Her  
first had a good position in the G. T.  
R. shops in Stratford, but died some  
years ago. By him she has one child,  
a daughter. About six years ago she  
married Murray in London, and short-  
ly afterwards they went to Grand  
Rapids. After remaining there a year  
they returned to London. Mrs. Murray  
says she was greatly disappointed in  
her second husband. He was shiftless  
and afraid of work. She had been left  
some means by her first husband, and  
Murray took advantage of this. He  
was more a burden than a support to  
her. They were living in the East  
End last year when he left her. A  
friend in Port Huron informed her that  
Murray had shipped as a sailor on a  
lake boat, but his wife has heard  
nothing from him in all this time. She  
has written to different points for in-  
formation.

## PRESBYTERY OF LONDON.

Statistical Report—Membership of the  
Congregations and Sunday Schools In-  
creased—List of the Average Con-  
tributions Per Family by the  
Various Churches.

The annual statistical and finan-  
cial report of the Presbytery of Lon-  
don for last year shows a considerable  
increase in membership of the con-  
gregations over the preceding year.

There are 50 congregations in the  
Presbytery. The pastoral charges  
number 33, of which 12 receive assis-  
tance from the augmentation fund.

There are 75 more families than in  
the preceding year, the total being  
3,365. The number of single per-  
sons not connected with families of  
the several congregations is 680, an  
increase of 46.

The number of communicants is  
7,023, which is 146 increase. During  
the year 862 communicants were re-  
ceived, of which 543 were on profes-  
sion of faith, and 319 by certificate.  
The dismissions by death were 101,  
by certificate 208, without certificate  
164, and by admission 7. The number  
of infants baptized was 212, and 116  
There are 34 ministers, 270 elders,  
and 403 other office-bearers on the  
Presbytery roll. Nine fewer persons  
are engaged in Sunday school work  
than in the year preceding, the total  
last year being 657, but there were  
312 more Sunday school scholars—in  
all, 5,790.

The average attendance at weekly  
prayer meetings was 2,349, an increase  
over 1894 of 341.

Seventy-four missionary organiza-  
tions are reported, an increase over  
1894 of 12.

In addition to the missionary at  
North Ekfrid, Mr. S. D. Jamieson, two  
missionaries are engaged in London—  
Mr. George Gilmour, B.A., at Oxford  
Street, under St. Andrew's Church,  
and Mr. Peter Scott, B.A., on W.

## JOHNSTON'S

Trunks and Valises,

All lines must go to make room  
for fall stock. Call and se-  
cure a bargain.

**Trunks \$150.**  
**Valises 50c.**

**SHOE DEPT.**  
New Goods, New Styles, New  
Prices.

Our Fall Stock Comprises the Above.

Ladies' Kid Button Boots \$1.25, \$1.50,  
\$1.75, \$2, \$2.50.  
Gent's Fine Shoes \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75,  
\$2, \$2.50.

Boys' School Boots, heavy sole, \$1.25.

Girls School Boots \$1.

Children's Shoes a specialty

**JOHNSTON'S**  
188 DUNDAS STREET.

## FAIR WEEK FORERUNNERS

Little housekeeping  
helps that will put your  
dining-room and your  
spare bedroom in readi-  
ness for your Fair visitors.  
These are Table Napkins  
and Table Linen at prices  
that contain no hint of  
Irish luxury, yet the  
luxury is there. Sleepy  
Sheeting and Drowsy  
Pillow Cottons that will  
make their dreams be  
long and sweet. Every-  
thing in fact that a pru-  
dent housewife could need  
in preparing for her guests.

Kingsmill's Dundas and  
Carling Streets.

AGENTS FOR  
**BUTTERICK'S**  
Patterns.

LARGEST  
Carpet Warehouse  
IN CANADA.

## FAIR WEEK ATTRACTIONS

If you help your visitors  
to save a few dollars by  
buying at Kingsmill's you  
will do more to make their  
stay both pleasant and  
profitable than if you had  
taken them to every side-  
show on the fair grounds.  
Dress Stuffs to charm the  
most fastidious, at prices  
that will make their eyes  
sparkle with surprise. Sty-  
lish Blouse Silks at home-  
ly prices, and fancy French-  
ness in Dress Patterns at  
a fraction of its worth. If  
you miss these, you miss  
everything.

Kingsmill's Dundas and  
Carling Streets.

terloo Street—supported jointly by  
the First Presbyterian and Knox  
Churches.

Every congregation in the Presby-  
tery contributed to foreign missions  
except Bryanston, English Settlement,  
Tempo and North Delaware.

Home missions were neglected by  
only two congregations—Bryanston  
and Ilderton.

Although no congregation has given  
largely to missions in 1895 as one did  
in 1894, yet none have fallen so low  
as some did a year ago. Not only is  
the amount larger this year than last,  
but the burden has been more equally  
shared than hitherto.

The total contributions for strictly  
congregational purposes amounted to  
\$71,058, which is \$22 more than in 1894,  
making an average per family of  
\$21.12, and per communicant of \$10.11.

This showing is 28 cents per family,  
and 11 cents per communicant, lower  
than in 1894, but is \$2.75 per family,  
and 63 cents per communicant, higher  
than the average of the whole church.

Total contributions to schemes of  
the church were \$12,647, an increase of  
\$493, but is \$300 less than the amount  
raised in 1894. The average per fam-  
ily is \$3.75, which is 5 cents higher  
than in 1894, and 54 cents higher than  
the average of the whole church, but  
is 61 cents per family lower than Lon-  
don Presbytery gave three years ago.

The average per communicant is  
\$1.79, which is 3 cents better than in  
1894, but 27 lower than in 1892.

For all purposes the total contribu-  
tions were \$83,740, an advance over  
1894 of \$2,463. Average per family,  
\$26.37, an increase of 16 cents. Aver-  
age per communicant, \$12.62, an aver-  
age of 9 cents. This is \$3.66 per fam-  
ily, and 78 cents per communicant  
higher than the average of the whole  
church in 1894.

Following is a list, with the churches  
named in order of liberality, showing  
the average amount per family con-  
tributed for congregational purposes:

| No. of Average               | Families, per Fam. |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Bryanston .....              | 18                 |
| Knox, London .....           | 120                |
| First Church, London .....   | 150                |
| Duff's Church .....          | 70                 |
| Port Stanley .....           | 32                 |
| Komoka .....                 | 14                 |
| Glencoe .....                | 140                |
| St. James', London .....     | 60                 |
| Alma St., St. Thomas .....   | 85                 |
| St. Andrew's London .....    | 200                |
| Wardsville .....             | 25                 |
| Aylmer .....                 | 25                 |
| Melbourne .....              | 40                 |
| Belmont .....                | 90                 |
| King Street, London .....    | 68                 |
| North Ekfrid (Mission) ..... | 40                 |
| Bethel .....                 | 40                 |
| New Glasgow .....            | 48                 |
| Dutton .....                 | 100                |
| Crumlin .....                | 50                 |
| Hyde Park .....              | 26                 |
| English Settlement .....     | 49                 |
| Newbury .....                | 32                 |
| Knox, St. Thomas .....       | 23                 |
| North Caradoc .....          | 25                 |
| Fingal .....                 | 95                 |
| South Westminster .....      | 47                 |
| Wallacetown .....            | 70                 |
| Springfield .....            | 24                 |
| Kintyre .....                | 93                 |
| North Delaware .....         | 120                |
| Mosa .....                   | 120                |
| Rodney .....                 | 58                 |
| Argyle, Aldborough .....     | 60                 |
| Carlisle .....               | 60                 |
| Tait's Corners .....         | 43                 |
| Appin .....                  | 37                 |
| South Delaware .....         | 60                 |
| South Delaware .....         | 60                 |
| Riverside .....              | 38                 |
| Melville Church, Lobo .....  | 56                 |
| Kilmartin .....              | 57                 |
| North Westminster .....      | 112                |

|                         |              |      |
|-------------------------|--------------|------|
| Thamesford .....        | 122          | 9.76 |
| South Caradoc .....     | 39           | 9.39 |
| Chalmers, Dunwich ..... | 60           | 8.57 |
| Ilderton .....          | 18           | 7.72 |
| Alisa Craig .....       | 92           | 6.32 |
| Tempo .....             | 30           | 6.13 |
| Dorchester .....        | 45 (not p'd) |      |

Below is a list showing the average  
amount per family contributed by  
each congregation for the schemes of  
the church:

|                                     |     |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| North Westminster. . . . .          | \$3 |
| First Church . . . . .              | 8   |
| St. Andrew's . . . . .              | 7   |
| Komoka . . . . .                    | 8   |
| North Westminster . . . . .         | 6   |
| Knox Church, St. Thomas . . . . .   | 5   |
| Kintyre . . . . .                   | 5   |
| Kintore . . . . .                   | 3   |
| Fingal . . . . .                    | 3   |
| Hyde Park . . . . .                 | 4   |
| North Caradoc . . . . .             | 3   |
| Kilmartin . . . . .                 | 3   |
| Alisa Craig . . . . .               | 3   |
| Bethel . . . . .                    | 3   |
| Knox Church, London . . . . .       | 3   |
| Belmont . . . . .                   | 3   |
| Kintore . . . . .                   | 1   |
| Argyle Settlement . . . . .         | 2   |
| Argyle Church, Aldboro. . . . .     | 2   |
| Dorchester . . . . .                | 2   |
| McEwen Church, Lobo . . . . .       | 2   |
| Dutton . . . . .                    | 2   |
| Carlisle . . . . .                  | 2   |
| Melbourne . . . . .                 | 2   |
| Thamesford . . . . .                | 2   |
| Tait's Corners . . . . .            | 2   |
| Aylmer . . . . .                    | 2   |
| Springfield . . . . .               | 2   |
| Rodney . . . . .                    | 1   |
| Appin . . . . .                     | 1   |
| Alma Church, St. Thomas . . . . .   | 1   |
| Port Huron . . . . .                | 1   |
| Duff's Church . . . . .             | 1   |
| Chalmers Church . . . . .           | 1   |
| Wallacetown . . . . .               | 1   |
| Mossa . . . . .                     | 1   |
| St. James' Church, London . . . . . | 1   |
| Crundall . . . . .                  | 1   |
| New Glasgow . . . . .               | 1   |
| Riverside . . . . .                 | 1   |
| King Street, London . . . . .       | 1   |
| Wardsville . . . . .                | 1   |
| South Delaware . . . . .            | 1   |
| South Caradoc . . . . .             | 1   |
| North Ekfrid . . . . .              | 1   |
| Tempo . . . . .                     | 1   |
| Byranston . . . . .                 | 1   |
| Newbury . . . . .                   | 1   |
| Ilberton . . . . .                  | 1   |
| North Delaware . . . . .            | 1   |