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LONDON, CANADA, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1898.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.

MAITLAND-In this city, on Sunday, Sept. 11, the wife of M. J. Maitland, of a daughter. DIED.

CHISHOLM-At the family residence, 478 Park avenue, London, on Sunday, Sept. 18, Margaret S. L., only surviving daughter of the late Andrew Chisholm, of this city. Funeral private. Friends are kindly re-quested not to send flowers.

INCH-In this city, at 153 John street, on Monday, Sept. 19, 1898, Gladys May, only daughter of Thomas and Lena Inch, aged 7 months. Funeral from above address on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 2 o'clock.

LUCAS-In this city, on Monday, Sept. 19, 1398, A. Lucas, aged 52 years.

Funeral private, on Wednesday, from the late residence, 173 Bruce street, to G. T. R. station, at 130 p.m.; service at 1 o'clock. Interment at Mount Brydges. HUTCHINSON-At the family residence, 780

Richmond street, on Monday, Sept. 19, Reginald Leon, youngest son of Dr. T. V. and Florence L. Hutchinson, aged 20 years and 16 days.

Funeral on Wednesday afternoon; service at St. John the Evangelist Church, at 2:30, thence to Woodland Cemetery. St. Louis and Toronto papers please copy.

CHARLTON-On the Sept. 20, at the residence of his parents, St. Johns, Que., Frank Edgar, youngest son of George and Catharine Charl-

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Week Sept. 19, Miss Lorraine Hollis,

SUPPORTED BY THE HOLLIS STOCK CO. IN STANDARD REPERTOIRE. Monday and Tuesday, "Forget-Me-Not." Prices 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c—no higher. Wednesday and Thursday, "The Tigress," Friday and Saturday, "Camille."

MARKS BROS

EXTENDED ENGAGEMENT AT THE MUSIC HALL. Two nights, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 19, 9. See the Wargraph.

Popular prices-100 and 150. A UDITORIUM - FRIDAY, SEPT. 23-A Arthur Leon French, the Great American mimic and ventriloquist. Admission 15c. Re-served seats 25c. 41i

Served seats 20c.

PIRITUALISM—LECTURE AND CLAIRVOYANCE by Mrs. Wallis, Manchester,
England, tonight at 8, Knights of Pythias Hall,
Duffield Block. Silver collection. Thursday—
Mr. Wallis on "Prohibition."

YEW SEASON—NEW ACADEMY—NEW dances. Everything new and up-to-date at the New Palace Dancing Academy, 422 Richmond street, over Canadian Savings Bank. Opening date, Monday evening, Oct. 3. Dayton & McCormick.

THE BEST, CHEAPEST AND MOST comfortable route to Florida via the Savannah line from New York. The steamship Gate City sails Sept. 22. Tickets and all information at F. B. Clarke's steamship ticket office, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

See Hook Sulphur Springs and symming pond. Hot and cold baths daily and evenings. Dunds street west.

Meetings.

PROHIBITION—THE CENTRAL PLEBIS)
CITE Committee meets this (Tuesday
evening at 8 o'clock, in Y. M. C. A. All workers
cordially invited.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED AT ONCE-GOOD GENERAL servant; small family; references required, Mrs. Jas. 8. McDougall, 404 King

GENERAL SERVANT—WHERE NURSE is kept. Apply 386 King street. 4ltf HOUSEMAID WANTED-REFERENCES required. Apply to Mrs. Niven, 428 Col-WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT

ANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT

—Apply at 634 Queen's avenue. 400

V/ANTED—AT ONCE—EXPERIENCED cook, at the O'Neil House, corner York and Talbet streets. 400

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—APPLY 100 Cheapside street. 40c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A COOK—
Apply to Mrs. Geo. C. Gibbons, Dufferin avenue. 31tf

Male Help Wanted.

BOY WANTED-APPLY TO J. BROOKS, b MAN OR WOMAN OF ENERGY AND business ability to travel for established firm: \$50 a month and all expenses. P. W. Ziegler & Co., 225 Locust street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Female Help Wanted. WANTED-GIRL TO WORK BY THE week as helper. Apply Walter Fairbairn, up stairs, opposite City Hall.

Agents Wanted,

TO \$10 A WEEK, IN LEISURE HOURS
Anyone can do the work. We want reliable families in every locality to help us manufacture Children's Toques, Gauntlets and Bicycle Leggings for the trade, by a new process. No canvassing or experience required. Steady work; good pay; whole or spare time. Write today. Address, The Co-operative Knitting Co., 15 Leader Lane, Toronto.

Business Chances.

FOR SALE-STORE AND DWELLING No. 805 Dundas street; kept as drug store doing good business; lease expires Nov. 1; lot 31x150. Apply 760 Dundas street, London.

Pawnbrokers.

DAWNBROKER-LENDS MONEY ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Business strictly confidential. Highest price paid for cast-off clothing. Jos. Fox, 209 King street, opposite fire hall.

Two

Pupils of Coo's Shorthand and Business Academy, 76 Dundas street, the best and most practical Shorthand School in On-tario, were placed in

Situations

during the present week. Miss Tackaberry with Carling Company, and Mr. J. G. Andras with G. T. R., Toronto, Cur pupils copied 3,000 pages of typewriting during the week for Marks Bros., and official court work practice makes perfect. For terms apply

W. C. COO, C. S. R., 76 Dundas Street.

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Pocock Bros.' Big Shoe Store The largest in all Canada.

It is an exhibition in itself, with footwear gathered from all corners of the world. Everyone is welcome to see without any suggestions of buying.

See Our Grand Shoe Exhibit at the Fair.

Sole agents for the SLATER'S famous men's \$3, \$4 and \$5 shoes. The

Pocock Bros., 140 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON.

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Lost and Found.

WHITE FOX TERRIER PUP LOST— Sunday afternoon. Return to F. H. Heath, Marley Place. LOST—ANY PERSON FINDING A RED leather purse, lost Thursday evening, please return to Advertiser office.

Articles For Sale.

GOOD PARLOR SUITE, LOUNGE, square baseburner with oven, small heater. Apply 724 Maitland street (in the morning) morning). PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD

A effects, comprising cooking range, base-burner, sideboard, bedroom suites, etc., this week. No. 728 King street. 4in FOR SALE-SECOND HAND-1 GURNEY I furnace, all complete with registers; 4 marble mantels, good condition; quantity gas fixtures, window blinds. Apply on premises, Richmond street. Adam Beck. 41c SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES-ALL of ready for school opening. A special line of the scribblers for 3c. R. V. S. SAUNDERS, 650 Dundas street, East London

DORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA-Four pounds for 25c; superior hams, bacon, lard, butter, eggs, cheese and fruits. Lowest prices at Park's, corner Market Lape. FOR SALE-BICYCLE CHAIN GRAPHITE,

large stick 50; electric stroke bells 20c; tire tape 5c; large tube rubber cement 5c each. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. M. MILLAR, ELECTRICIAN, NO. 434 Talbot street, botween Carling street and Queen's avenue. All work done efficiently and at moderate prices. A specialty of Medical Batteries. 21tf

SUMMER WOOD AT THE SAW MILL,
East London. Satisfaction both in quality
and quantity. Prompt delivery. Phone 1,312.
S.Gillies & Son. STEWART'S STOVES, RANGES, STEEL Ovens are perfect workers. We give estimates on iron roofs, iron eavestroughs, hot air furnaces. Jas. Thompson, 424 Richmond

VINEGAR—THE PICKLING SEASON has commenced, so get Ludwig's vinegar, the best on the market and free from acid. Factory, rear 94 King street (near the market). Phone 681.

K EENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE

PAMPHELT WORK OF EVERY DE-SCRIPTION, clean and quick, at Adver-tiser Job Department. CUSTOM PAPERS OF ALL KINDS AL-WAYS on hand at Advertiser Job De-partment. You can have them in large or

small quantities. SHIPPING TAGS-AT CLOSE PRICES-Advertiser Job Department.

POSTERS - ALL STYLES - HANGERS and dodgers. Advertiser Job Department MATALANO & SANSONE FRESH BA-ANAS have commenced to arrive dail Could give very low price on quantities (whole, sale or retail); lemons and oranges also, 306 Dundas street.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET-TWO STORY BRICK-286
Piccadilly street, between Wellington
and Waterloo; all modern conveniences. Apply
Sterling Bros.
42tf

TO LET-COVERED MOVING VANS-When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

THREE COMMODIOUS OFFICES IN
Albion Buildings to rent; two with good
vaults Apply T. H. Carling, at brewery, or
Colerick Bros., on premises. 24bu ywt

TRONT PARLOR BED-ROOM, WITH
small sitting room off, furnished, with or
without board, nice locality. Mrs. A., Advertiser office.

tiser office. TO RENT-HOUSE LATELY OCCUPIED by Ven. Archdeacon Marsh; new furnace. Also house No. 307 Piccadilly. Apply Gibbons, Mulkern & Harper. 39bu TO LET-OFFICES IN ODDFELLOWS'
Hall building. Apply R. K. Cowan, Barrister, etc., County Buildings, Court House

ROOMS TO LET-FOR BUSINESS-9 STORE TO RENT, WITH LARGE STORE ROOM, 233 Dundas street. Apply J. C. Trebilcock, next door. TO LET-ON KING STREET, NEAR Colborne street-Inside half double brick house. Apply 409 King street. 12tf

Real Estate.

FOR SALE-SAUNDERS' DRUG STORE-Location 188 Dundas street, lot 150x18½ feet, store 100x18½ feet, three stories and cellar. Price and terms reasonable. Apply 252 Clarence street. 67n 74tf ywt

A BARGAIN—\$200 DOWN AND \$10 A month thereafter will buy two-story brick house in north part of city. Apply M. J. Kent, 433 Richmond etreet. 38n eod HOUSE (NO. 46 QUEEN STREET) AND large lot, with stable and henhouse, to rent or sell, on monthly, quarterly or half-yearly payments, to suit purchaser. Interest 5 per cent per annum on unpaid purchase money. Apply Tennent, McDonagh & Coleridge, Barristers, etc., 78 Dundas street, London. FARM FOR SALE—WESTMINSTER—
con. 2, lot 10, 105 acres, 5 miles from London; this farm is Al. Apply Joseph McDougal,
Pond Mills, Ont. 35bu 8u

NICE TWO-STORY HOUSE TO EX-CHANGE for good grocery stand. Fine new house for sale, splendid location; must sell at once. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street. Insurance.

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Canada Branch, Montreal EDWARD TOWE & CO. General Agents. OFFICE, OVER CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, LONDON. Funds to loan; five per cent. Phone 690.

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PLAN-CONTINUOUS INSTALLMENT LIFE.

AMOUNT - - \$20,000 AGE-OF HUSBAND, 35 -OF WIFE, - 30 PREMIUM, - - \$412

Twenty annual payments of \$1,000. \$1,000 a year thereafter as long as the wife shall live. Reduced premiums if the wife die before the husband. Cash, loan and paid-up values. Policy automatically continued in force after five premiums. Dividends in 15 or 20 years to be applied to make policy paid-up, or may be taken in cash.

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WANTED-FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND lodging by English lady, her mother and two daughters; state terms, location, etc. Address box 62, Advertiser Office. 40c tyw PARTIAL BOARD WANTED—OR PARTLY furnished rooms for light housekeeping, for a family of four. Address S. S. L., Advertiser office.

Wanted.

WANTED-\$1,000, FIRST MORTGAGE ON two houses in city, at 5½ per cent. For particulars apply to J. W. G. Winnett, Barrister, etc., 420 Talbt street, London.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF-GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish Movements. 497 King street, London, Ont. Phone, 502.

Bicycle Liveries.

CTEARNS BICYCLES -AFTERNOON OR O evening, 35c; 8 tickets, \$2; Saturday to Monday, ladies' wheels, 50c; gents', 75c; tan-dems, \$1 50. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street. Telephone, 1,223.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING— J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufac-turing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (upstairs,)

Viavi Treatment.

MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS TO ladies of the country. 311 Hyman street

Dental Cards.

DR. REYNOLDS, DENTIST, SUCCESSOR to Dr. Swan. First-class honors, Toronto University. 2071 Dundas street. Phone 1.131 Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago, Edge Block, Richmond street. Phone

D. CESSOR to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. Phone 975.

J. ELLIOTT HOLMES, L.D.S.—ROOM 8—
Duffield Block, Dundas and Clarenc streets. Phone 897. DR. L. H. DAWSON—DENTIST—CORNER Dundas and Lyle streets, East London. DR. JEFFERY N. WOOD DENTIST— Over Runians, Gray & Carrio's, Dundas street. Telephone 1,236.

L. McDONALD-DENTIST-Office 1831 Dundas street, London.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY-DENTISTS -216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros, over cross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone

Hotel Cards.

THE RICHMOND—CORNER OF KING and Richmond streets. H. L. Peine, new proprietor. A call solicited. EURCPEAN HOTEL — 203 DUNDAS street. Choice wines, liquors and cigars. Chas. Stevens, proprietor. O'NEIL HOUSE-CORNER TALBOT AND

York streets; newand convenient; stables. Wm. Collins, proprietor. CITY HOTEL—LONDON—BEST \$1 A DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. McMartin, proprietor. THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL—MON TREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor.

TECUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT.— Largest and best hotel in Western On-tario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms-Rates \$2 and \$2 50 per day. C. W. Davis, pro-GRIGG HOUSE-LONDON, ONT.-REFUR NISHED and renovated throughout. Large

Cigar and Tobacco

and light sample rooms for commercial men. Rates \$1 50 and \$2 per day. M. O'Mears, pro-

BUSINESS FOR SALE-TENDERS WILL be received up to Sept. 22, 1898, for the stock and furnishing of the business of the late J. Goldner, 2021/2 Dundas street. Tenders to be at a rate on the dollar. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars inquire at store.

R. J. BLACKWELL,

H. SIMON,

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Joseph Goldner, deceased. Pursuant to the statue in that behalf, notice is hereby given that persons having claims against the estate of Joseph Goldner, late of the city of London, tobacconist, deceased, who died on the 29th day of August, A. D., 1898, and probate of whose will granted by the Surrogate Court, of the county of Middlesex, on the 8th of September, 1898, to Robert J. Blackwell and Henry Simon, 1898, to Robert J. Blackwell and Henry Simon, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned solicitors for the executors, on or before the 15th day of October, 1898, after which date the assets will be distributed, having regard only to those claims of which notice shall have been received. Dated 10th September, 1898. Love & Dignan, 418 Talbot street, London, solicitors for said executors.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR altering and repairing of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church; carpentering, painting and brick work of said church. Tenders to be in not later than Friday, the 23rd of September, 1898, 6 p.m. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications to be seen at 377 Hamilton road. All'tenders to be addressed to William Johnston, Secretary of Trustee Board, 388 Hamilton road.

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Hon. William Mulock's Efforts Fully Recognized.

Regard to a Chinese Railway Deal.

Great Mortality Among Spanish Soldiers En Route for Home.

A Disastrous Hurricane Sweeps

Oven Spain.

Demise of Hon. Sir George Grey, Ex-Premier of New Zealand.

London, Sept. 20 .- The Duke of Norfolk, postmaster-general in the imperial cabinet, spoke at Lytham, Lancashire, Saturday, devoting some time to the question of imperial penny postage. He said imperial penmy postage was due to the progressive spirit of Canada, and that it would be unfair to Mr. Mulock if J. Henniker Heaton, M.P., did not at once shift from his shoulders any merit earned by his Can-

adian brother. LORD MINTO'S STAFF. Lord Minto's staff is now complete. It is composed thus: Major Lawrence Drummond, Scots Guards, just returned from the Soudan, military secretary; Lieutenants W. F. Lascalles, of the Scots Guards, and Y. H. C. Graham, of the Coldstream Guards, are his aides-de-camp. Mr. Arthur Gwse is private secretary. Mr. Gwee sails on Oct. 22, and Lord Minto, Countess Minto and the rest of the staff sail on the Scotsman on Nov. 3.

BRITISH FIRMNESS TELLS. The Pekin correspondent of the London Times says that as a result of the British protests, the Tsung Li Yamen has authorized the conclusion of the Niu Chwang Railway loan with a Bri-

tish syndicate. SIR GEORGE GREY DEAD. London, Sept. 20 .- The death is announced of Right Hon. Sir George Grey, aged 86 years. The late Hon. Sir George Grey was formerly lieutenant-governor of South Australia in 1841, governor of New Zealand in 1861 to 1867, governor and commander-in-chief

of the Cape of Good Hope from 1854 to

1861, and premier of New Zealand from 1877 to 1891. HURRICANE SWEEPS OVER SPAIN Madrid, Sept. 20 .- A destructive hurricane today swept over Southern Spain, doing great damage in the provinces of Seville and Granada. persons were killed and many injured. and a number of buildings were destroyed at Seville. Eighty-five houses were demolished, and many persons fell victims to the storm at Guadix, in

the province of Granada. SUPPORTS FRANCE.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 20 .- The Novoe Vremya warmly supports France in holding Fashoda. It thinks that England will accept the inevitable, as usual, when she is met with proper resistance. She is now attempting intimidation, which is predestined to fail. It adds: "If Major Marchand refuses to leave Fashoda there is only one power that has the right to declare war against France, namely, the suzerain of Egypt, Sultan Abdul Hamid." DYING BY SCORES ON THE WAY

HOME. Madrid, Sept. 20 .- There is considerable indignation at the fact that there were 123 deaths during the voyage among the 1,000 Spanish soldiers who have just arrived in Spain on board the Spanish transport San Ignacio de Loyola, from Santiago de Cuba. The Spaniards attribute this heavy death rate to the inhumanity of the Americans in obliging the sick Spaniards to embark and make room in the hospitals for Americans. The minister of war has issued instructions for the return of Spanish troops in the West Indies. The sick are to leave first, and the archives will be brought to Spain with the arms, ammunition, flags and materials stored in Cuba and Porto Rico. The minister is greatly incensed at Gen. Toral sending him a dispatch on the latter's arrival at Vigo (Spain) from Santiago de Cuba, and said Toral ought to be court-martialed for his conduct as governor of Santiago.

MARINE DISASTERS. London, Sept. 20.-The Norwegian

bark Salem, from Avenport, has arrived at Falmouth, leaking and partly full of water; also with a portion of her deck load jettisoned.

The British bark Heathfield, from Shanghai to Tacoma, which put in at Yokohama on Sept. 13, suffering from the effects of heavy water, as previously reported, is found to be extensively damaged. Her repairs, it is estimated,

will cost £1,800.

Mathieson) from Shot Harbor, N. S., Aug. 24, arrived at Aberystwyth Sept. 17 and reported she encountered a hurrican on Sept. 4, during which she lost part of her deck load. The British steamer Milwaukee (Capt. Williams) from the Tyne, of New Orleans, previously reported stranded at Portes Roll, Scotland, Sept. 61, has reached a critical condition. Her stern rises and falls with the tide, straining and buckling the decks. A hole through the bottom in-to No. 2 hold extends 30 feet in length,

The Norwegian brig Fremad (Capt.

bunkers is being jettisoned. CABLE NOTES. McDougall's flour mill and warehouses in Milwall dock have been de-

heavy sea adds to the danger of breaking up. The coal in the steamer's

with the damage increasing,

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Kohlmann Rosenthal, an English-man, and Dr. Von Komocki, a Berlin chemist, declare that they have in-vented a match that will strike anywhere, and no phosphorus is used in it. This invention, they say, will do away with the horrors of necrosis, to which employes in match factories are subject.

HIS THANKS

John Bull Gets His Way in A Pathetic Message From the Emperor of Austria.

> Vienna, Sept. 19 .- A rescript of the Emperor to Count Von Thun Hohenstein, president of the Austrian Council of Ministers, is published, conveying the emperor's thanks for the expression of national sympathy with him in his great bereavement. His Majesty says: "The murdering hand, the in-strument of frenzied fanaticism, aiming at the destruction of existing social order, which was raised against the noblest of women, in blind and purposeless hate, struck a heart which knew not hate, and beat only for good. Amid the unmeasured griefs by which I and my house are stricken, and in the presence of the unheard-of deed which has sent a shudder through the whole civilized world, the voice of my beloved people first brings balm to my heart in affecting unison with the resound of universal lamentation for our immeasurable lass, like a faithful echo of all that move my own soul. From my deeply sorrowing heart, I thank all for this new pledge of devoted sympathy. If the festive peals which should have greeted this year must remain dumb, there yet remains to me the memory of innumerable proofs of loyalty and deep sympathy, the most precious gift which could have been bestowed upon me. Our common grief weaves a new and intimate bond be-tween the throne and the fatherland." Another imperial rescript founds a new order, and medals of St. Elizabeth, in memory of the deceased, will be conferred upon women and girls meriting distinction in the various avocations of life, or in special religious, humanitarian and philanthropic work. The emperor'is invested with the sole right of conferring the order, which comprises three grades, with a grand cross for the first and second classes, bearing an enameled picture of St. Elizabeth of Thuringia. The first recipient of the order was the countess Szatary, who has received an autograph letter from the emperor conferring upon her the grand cross of the order in recognition of her devoted services to the dead empress in her last

hours.

Threatens to Cause Great Misery and Much Destruction

Lava Torrent Half a Mile Wide Sweep ing Down the Mountain Side-Spene of Great Grandeur. Naples, Italy, Sept. 20. - Frightful misery and immense damage will be

caused if the eruption of Mount Vesuvius continues on the alarming scale it has reached in the last few days. Nine new craters were counted today around the central crater, but even this extra vent does nothing towards checking the flow of lava, although there is a marked cessation in the more violent belchings of fire and smoke.

OBSERVATORY THREATENED. The meteorological observatory on the part of the volcano known as Mount Conari is seriously threatened by the subsiding of the ground on which it is built. One great lava stream now coming down certainly will overwhelm it unless it is diverted from its present course. This observatory, situated 2,200 feet above the sea level on the shoulder of a hill, which divides the lava streams descending from the crater into great branches, was established many years ago for the purpose of putting a scientific watch upon the volcano, and of giving warning to the surrounding country of impending dangerous eruptions. Many lives have been saved by notice from it to the inhab-

itants in time to flee. It was here that in the fearful outbreak of April, 1878, Director Halmeri bravely faced almost certain death to take note of the awful phenomena, when fiery flames threatened to engulf

THE LAVA TORRENT.

The lava torrent near the crater, which was a width of half a mile, is dividing into three principal dreams, each 70 to 80 yards wide. These, as they pour down the mountain side, again subdivide into numerous smaller streams.

They advance at the rate of 40 yards an hour, submerging everything in their path, searing the vegetation in the vicinity as though fires had pass-ed over it. An enormous quantity of lava keeps pouring out of the crater. It has filled Vetrana Valley, a deep ravine, and ashes lie several inches thick for a long distance down the sides of the mountain, and on the adjacent villages. The inhabitants of those villages were seriously alarmed yesterday, but have been somewhat reassured by the partial cessation of the eruption

today. WELLS DRYING UP.

The slope of the mountain is one of the most thickly populated districts in the world. The fertility of the soil is celebrated, and in the best parts four crops a year are gardened. But one great aid to this fertility, the wells, are beginning to dry up, and the farmers are in despair.

SCENE OF GRANDEUR. Travelers from all parts of Europe are flocking here to see Vesuvius in eruption. The spectacle at night is one of indescribable grandeur. The faint, palpitating glow that normally marks the great crater, is now exchanged for vivid tongue of light, colored at times almost like a rainbow, illuminating the heavens, and reflected with exquisite effects in the waters of the bay. These manifestations are accompanied by deep rumblings, and thunderous sub terranean explosions, followed by great

outpourings of lave and asben

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Lasting Odors.... Our New Perfumes are wonderfully true to the rich fragrance of the flowers, and possess in a great degree all the qualities requisite to satisfy the most refined taste.

Cairneross & Lawrence. PHARMACISTS, ETC.,

216 Dundas St., London, Ont Branch corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

COSTLY REPOSE

William Smith Claims He Lost His Wallet and \$23 While Asleep in a Barber Shop.

Just \$23 is what it cost Wm. Smith, a fruit vendor, for a few hours' oblivious sleep on Saturday night. How and when he got rid of his wallet he does not know. Smith alleges that George McGregor, a barber, did the trick, and McGregor was charged with the offense at the police court this mornning. Smith gave his evidence concerning the matter. On Saturday night he said he went into Sharkey's barber shop about 12 o'clock for a shave. After the tonsorial artist had got through, Smith went in and lay down on a lounge. The wallet, he says, was in his inside vest pocket when he went to sleep, but while he reposed the pocketbook was abstracted. When he awoke at daylight in the morning the barbers were still in the shop, and Mc-Gregor was with them when he (Smith) went to sleep. Smith admitted having been drinking before he went to get

shaved. McGregor denied the charge, and the case was enlarged until Friday. John Turner made his 44th appearance as a drunk, and went down for three months in default of a \$10 fine. Lloyd Diamond and Adolphe Grifford, two young men from Detroit, arrested here during the fair, as suspects, were released, to go back over

the border. Owen Gillean, a vagrant, was allowed to go, and is making for Stratford. The charge of neglecting his dray, preferred by the authorities against

BROKE HER ARM

Miss Maude, Daughter of Ald. Carrothers, Meets With a Painful Accident.

A painful accident happened at the corner of Horton and Wellington streets, between 12 and 1 o'clock today. Miss Maude, daughter of Ald. Robert Carrothers, was wheeling across Wellington street, when she was struck by one of H. Gould's wagons. The young lady was thrown under the vehicle, which passed over her left arm, fracturing it. She was carried into a neigh-boring drug store, and then removed to her home, 333 Horton street. Medical assistance was at once summoned, and the fractured member set. Persons who saw the accident turned away when the young lady fell under the horse's feet, and the wagon, thinking she would be crushed to pieces. Her escape from fatal injury was marvelous.

Steamship Arrivals.

From. Sept. 19. Liverpoo Sedgemore. Quebec Liverpool YorkshireQuebec. St. Ronans..... California..... Montreal..... Liverpoo Maasdam New York..... Lake Superior... Liverpool Montreal Norseman... Liverpool Montreal Concordia... Liverpool Montreal

Reports from Matanzas state that dreadful conditions prevail there. The poor are dying in the public streets and highways at an average of four or five daily. Advices from other towns in the interior and on the coast report that the distress and want prevail principally among the Cuban troops who are camped on the outskirts.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live There, however, is a cure-one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the

Remember the Fly.

composition of Parmelee's Pills.

Slater Bros. Tailors,

New Suitings, New Overcoatings, **New Trouserings**

Choice Goods for Fall Wear.

PERPLEXED

Wrestle With the Problem of an Empty Purse.

Board of Works Financial Affairs Discussed.

Nothing for the New Westminster Sufferers.

Negotiations With Warden Elson on Hospital Matters Nipped in the Bud -Market Lane To Be Macadamized -The Nuisance Said To Have Caused a Man's Death.

So many special meetings of the city council have been held of late that it is worthy of note that last night's meeting was a regular one. There was nothing unusual about the time of adjournment-this morning. Some hot discussion about the board of works' appropriation took place, when the finance committee asked what should be done with the overdrawn accounts. Chairman Winnett was charged with wittingly misleading the board of works when the estimates were struck. If the finance committee's chairman ever prided himself on the rate of taxation being struck at 21½ mills, the members of the board of works gave him no praise for the method in which the desideratum was obtained. They

say it was crooked.

The accounts which the finance committee submitted for payment totalled \$541 47. Ald. Winnett explained that the board of works' appropriation for streets and general improvements was \$22,500. An amount of \$7,500 had been drawn from the sewer debenture fund, to be used only for repairing streets torn up in the laying of the new sew-ers. There had been expended on the streets \$28,625 06. The board's total appropriation, including the \$7,500, was \$44,950; the expenditure, including \$3,-000 properly expended from the sewer fund, \$43,672 78, leaving a balance of

Chairman Douglass, of the board of works, claimed that Ald. Winnett was None of the committee ever intended to do with \$22,500 for the general improvements. Such an appropriation

would be far too small.

Ald. Winnitt said the city auditor and city solicitor agreed that the \$7,-500 could not be used except in con-nection with the sewer work.

The members of the board of works joined in saying they had not been given to understand it that way. Ald. Cooper found fault with the fin-ance committee for being so anxious

to keep down the rate. The citizens would rather pay 25 cents more taxes than allow the streets to become dan-Ald. Carrothers flatly contradicted

Ald. Winnett about the alleged over-draft. The board had \$5,500 to its credit, he claimed. A motion by Ald. Belton to pay the accounts passed, and the chairmen of

the three committees will confer for the purpose of readjusting the appropria-Chairman Taylor said No. 3 commit-

tee had no money. Where was it to come from?

Relief for the fire-swept city of New Westminster, B. C., was next considered. The council's poverty had been so apparent during the previous discussion that the aldermen were non-plussed. But when Ald. Winnett said the government had made a grant the communication was filed.

On motion of Ald. Carrothers, all the members of a ward will have something to say about where the new tric lights shall be placed. Ald. Hunt wanted it left with No. 3 committee. The wide tires bylaw will be

forced, the board of works having so recommended on a petition received. Ald. Nutkins said the bylaw exempts of a vast army of young men and wo-farmers, and was class legislation. He men. He could not agree with Sir Ald. Nutkins said the bylaw exempts had as much right as they to use nar- Wilfrid Laurier in politics, but he be-

On motion of Ald. Belton, the market lane will be macadamized. The board works wanted it paved with cobble-stone, but a large deputation of the lane tenants headed by Mr. E. T. Essery made the council chamber ring with their protests. A dreadful picture of the Market Lane since the

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EART disease has of late years become frightfully prevalent. Day after day the papers record sudden deaths of those who might have lived for years to fill their places in the world if they had only heeded the first signs and warnings of heart trouble and had their heart strengthened by Milburn's Heart and

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blocks were torn up was painted. Mr. Essery asserted that the nuisance was responsible for Mr. George Thorburn's death by typhoid fever. Mr. George Pritchard described the hole as "the lowest down stipling." lowest down stinking street in the

Warden Elson was present to speak in reference to the agreement between the city and the coun-ty concerning the Victoria Hospital. He said the county could not accept the city's proposition that if the gov-ernment withdrew the grant the county would make it good. In that' event they feared the government would let them pay. He suggested that this difference could be overcome by providing that in case the grant be withdrawn the agreement could be terminated if the county would not

Ald. Jolly moved to accede to this suggestion. Lost. A motion to refer the suggestion to the hospital committee was also de-

feated 8 to 9. Ald. Dreaney moved to have the electrie light pole moved at the corner of Dundas and Adelaide streets. Referred to No. 3 committee. The bylaw to lay an artificial stone

walk on Dundas street, east of Adelaide, was defeated. The Bell Telephone Company asked permission to open a number of streets and lanes in order to make cable connection with their proposed central ex-

change building on Park avenue. Ald. McPhillips said the communica-tion should be laid on the table until the opinion of the city solicitor be obthe opinion of the city solicitor be obtained concerning the alleged rights of the company in the city. They were pretty well agreed around the board, he said, that the Bell Company had no rights whatever.

The matter was referred to No. 2 committee.

committee. Solicitor Coburn, of the L. E. and D. Solicitor Coburn, of the L. E. and D. R. R. Company, explained at length the position held by his company regarding switching privileges over the G. T. R. in the city. After considerable discussion the council adopted No. 1 committee's recommendation to bear half the cost of arbitration, the city's chore not to exceed \$600.

hare not to exceed \$600.

Ald. O'Meara wanted a sidewalk laid on Wellington street, but the matter was laid over pending the decision of the council concerning No. 2 committee's funds.

Thomas Tweedy and Mr. James Allan asked to be admitted to the Aged People's Home. Referred to the mayor and the relief officers. All the members were present but Ald. McCallum.

ENDEAVORERS RALLY

Young People Listen to Temperance Addresses by Toronto Church Workers.

Christian Endeavorers rallied in large numbers at the First Methodist Church last night, where an enthusiastic meeting was held under the auspices of the C. E. Union, in the interest of prohibition. Mr. John Allen, of the Wellington Street Methodist Epworth League, presided, and Rev. A. G. Harris, of West London, conducted the opening services. Mr. J. Hall, city missionary of Toronto, gave an interesting address. He recited many heart-breaking incidents, show-ing the result of the liquor traffic in his native land (Scotland) and in his work in Toronto he could say that it was the old story of misery, crime and death. He had been converted in 1882, and in 1884 was appointed on the staff of missionaries in Toronto. He deplor-ed the prevalency of drunkenness, notwithstanding there were many people who said little of it. Drunks and vas rants, tramps and criminals were not likely to be promenading on such thoroughfares as Jarvis street dina avenue, but they were to be found in Toronto by the score, living in poverty-stricken dens, and on the back streets. He read the record of seven persons who came up in the Toronto police court as drunks. In five years No. 1 had appeared 42 times; No. 2, 32; No. 3, 28; No. 4, 49; No. 5, 27; No. 6, 29 and No. 7, 38 times. Rev. H. C. Dixon, an Episcopalian

minister, denounced the liquor traffic as the reptile, the venom of which was poisoning and blasting the career lieved him to be as honest and conscientious a man as this country ever produced; and if the people of Canada wanted prohibition he knew that Sir Wilfrid would give it to them. If Canadians lost this chance of placing themselves on record as the first prohibition nation in the world, temperance people might shut their mouths and keep them shut for the opportunity would never come again. He did not believe in compensation to dis-He did tillers and brewers. They went into the business with their eyes open, and if the manufacturers of the "accursed stuff" would compensate the gray-haired mothers and broken-hearted wives and widows, he would say compensate the brewers. Referring to the traffic, he said the government derived \$7,000,000 as revenue, and that \$40,000,-000 was spent annually in drink. If the traffic were abolished he had no hesitation in saying that the \$7,000,000 could and would easily be procured from this \$33,000,000 which people lost sight of, and which would go into the ordinary branches of trade, and enable people to pay the \$7,000,000 in some other direction. The junior choir led the singing, and Mr. Walcott presided at the organ.

THE DAIRYMEN

Directors' Meeting of Cheese and Butter Makers' Association.

A directors' meeting of the Cheese and Butter Makers' Association was held at the Fraser House here on Saturday last. The members present were: President, T. B. Millar; directors, G. E. Goodhand, John Brodie, E. Agur, James Morrison, T. D. Barry, and Secretary W. W. Brown. The business of the meeting was to ratify an agreement between the association and the cheese and butter mak association having secured to required number of signatures, the agreement now becomes binding. The object of entering into an agreement of this kind is to further the interests of dairying and to induce patrons to take better care of the milk, which is to be used for cheese and butter making An agreement to be used between the makers and factory men was also adopted, and preparations made for the annual convention to be held in Listowel on Feb 1 and 2, 1899. Every maker who wishes to further the interests of dairying should become a member of this association and be gov-erned by the rules. Attend the convention and make it a grand success.

Five U. S. regiments now at San Francisco have been ordered to Man-

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Serious Accident to a Prominent Minister at Ayr.

Lightning Plays Havoc in Howard-Oil Strike at Port Lambton-Second Crop of Raspberries.

Wingham's population is placed at 2,307 by the latest census taken of the

Mrs. James Canfield, wife of James Canfield, of the surrogate court, Wood-stock, died on Monday.

The oil well being drilled on J. S. Fin-lay's farm at Pelce Island by the Essex Standard Company, is now down about

The Woodstock Times announces that it will in a few days begin the issue of a daily edition, to be up to the best grade of the small city dailies. The fourth and best gas well yet was

struck at Port Lambton on Saturday by Ed Downs at a depth of 145 feet. The quality of the gas is the very best, James Smith, of North Easthope sold his farm to George Zinn, of the same township, for \$4,500. He purposes going to California in the near

Mr. and Mrs. Bowie, of Beachville,

are having a second crop of rasp-berries in their garden. The bushes are in bloom and have a number of large ripe berries. Thomas Grundy, of Goderich, has

been appointed bailiff of the first division court for the county of Huron, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Knox. On Sunday morning the barn and

stables at Maxwell belonging to George Pallister were destroyed by lightning. All the contents were burned. Loss, about \$1,500; no insurance.

John Newton, of Thamesford, captured a large number of prizes for his honey exhibit at the Western Fair. Mr. Hogg's handsome 3-year-old carriage team, of the Graf Bremer stock, took second prize.

Albert Davey is the first Woodstock man to receive the \$100 a year annuity from the Independent Order of Foresters. Mr. Davey reached the age of 70 years last month, and is now in receipt of the annuity.

A serious accident happened at Whitebread the other day, when a 16year-old son of Moses Ebare, in climbing a tree for walnuts, fell a distance of 30 feet, breaking his leg above the knee and otherwise injuring himself.

Moses Kelly, colored, was fined \$17 50 or six weeks' imprisonment for stealing a \$3 hat from the Woodbine Hotel at Windsor. He preferred to go to fail. He demanded the hat, but the chief refused to give it to him unless he paid

A very old lady died at the Perth county house of refuge Saturday in the person of Mrs. Slater. She was born in England on May 19, 1808. For many years she resided at Stratford, her late husband conducting a tailoring

business in the city. On Monday morning, at Port Dalhousie, a dwelling-house owned by Mrs. P. McNulty and occupied by William Latcham, engine-driver, of the G. T. R., was totally destroyed by fire. The furniture was nearly all consumed. Loss on building, \$800.

The barns, stables and sheds occupied by Mr. John Jones, on con. 5, Howard, owned by Solomon Wardell, were totally destroyed by fire, together with their contents, Saturday night. The fire was caused by lightning striking an adja-cent straw stack. Loss heavy.

Jacob Albright, H. Johnston and C. H. Hoagland, who hail from Wayne county, Maryland, propose to start evaporating works in Woodstock, and commence work a week from Monday. The capacity of the works at first will be from 200 to 300 bushels per day. Capt. Whiteley, on Thursday after-

noon, found floating in the river near Marine City, the body of Joseph Martin, who was drowned off the Canadian wood scow in the river opposite Sarnia about two weeks ago. Martin was married and lived in Wallaceburg, where the remains were taken for in-

James Lawton, a young farmer from Dunnville, fell out of a barn loft near Dunnville on Thursday, a distance of When he was picked up it was found his back and jaw were bro-ken, besides other injuries of a less serious nature. He was taken to the Brantford hospital. Lawton is about 20 years of age and unmarried.

Word nas been received at Galt from

Ayr that Rev. J. S. Hardy, the well-known Presbyterian divine and temperance worker, who was to have attended a plebiscite convention on Tuesday, will not be able to come, having met with a severe accident. He alighted from a moving train at Ayr station after seeing a lady friend comfortably seated, missed his footing, and fell on his head. The train stopped and he was picked up unconscious with a gash in his scalp eight inches long. This will incapacitate him for active work during the plebiscite campaign.

STRATHROY'S FAIR

A Big Crowd in Town to See the

Strathroy, Sept. 20.—Yesterday being preparation day, was of course devoted entirely to getting things into shape for the opening of the "great and only" today. The judges were busy in their various departments until dark.

The crowds commenced to setting the crowds commenced to setting the crowds.

town early this morning, the fine weather inducing a big turnout, and there is every indication that the attendance will beat all records. The races, as usual, will be watched with great interest.

BRANTFORD'S FAIR.

Brantford, Sept. 20.—The Southern Fair of 1898 is now in full swing, the ladies' department this year beats all other records, more especially with reference to the quality of the exhibits. This is true of each section, and almost every article is seemingly of first prize excellence. All the other departments are also in good shape with regard to entries, a number having reached here from London. Hon. Wm. Paterson, on opening day, presented a parchment of the Royal Humane Society to a youth named Royal Storey, who saved the life of a companion from drowning in the Grand

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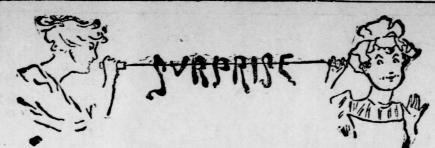
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BASEBALL

Six for one and half a dozen for the other. That's how the score stood, but it doesn't tell the story of the gamenot by a good deal. Only a Roentgen lamp capable of penetrating the misty secrets of the befogged intellects of the London team could reveal that. Some light may be had from the evident attitude of each team toward the St. Thomas played orisp, spirited ball from start to finish, played with an eye single to the glory of the pennant, fluttering and coqueting almost within their grasp. London played as if with an eye single towell, to the guarantee.

If Laroque's braves would only not persist in showing their ability to play winning ball, there would be no great kick coming. The exasperating thing is that they insist on showing their ability to play, and with equal obstinacy throw games away through erratic base-stealing, slovenly fielding, inexcusable errors and bad judgment. All these features were in evidence on the Londons' part in yesterday's game. There was no other reason for a tied

It might be urged in extenuation that the Saints brought along a crowd of brazen-throated rooters and tin-horn tooters to inspire their hearts with courage and instill terror into the minds of the foe, But these same rooters rooted with so little discrimination and were so intoxicated with the exuber-ance of the own cacaphony that they failed of both their objects. There's no saving grace for the Londons in that

In the first inning Meara and Mohler singled. Smink forced Mohier out at second, and on Laroque's long fly to right Meara scored. Carey opened the second with a single to center; on Ward's ground hit to Rodden, Carey passed second, taking a through ticket to third. Busse could have easily re-tired Carey at third, but threw into left field, and the runner scored. In the next four innings only one single was made, and that by Carey in the fourth. Carey was deliberatey blocked by Busse, or he would easily have made second: Pears returned the ball to Sheehan at second, and on a close decision Carey was given out. It was a clear case of blocking by Bosse, and the only inference possible is that Umpire England did not see the play. The London team closed in and tried to make him see it, but he was as immovable as those historic Medes and

Persians. Carey opened the seventh, making first on a clever bunt along the baseline. He did some reckless but successful base-running, spiking Rodden at third by a vicious long jump. The ball passed Rodden, Carey came home and Rodden retired disabled. Foreman brought in Lohman by a single to left field, tieing the score. Stupid base-running by Smink was the fea-ture of the eighth. In the ninth, with London again two runs behind, Sheehan muffed a high fly, practically los-ing the game for St. Thomas. Lohman and Ward scored on singles by Mohler and Smink, again tieing the score. The three runs scored by St. Thomas

in the second were due to errors on the part of the home team. No hits were made by St. Thomas from the second to the fifth. Laroque distinguished himself in the fifth. With Robb on third, Lyons struck out. Lohman dropped the ball. Laroque yelled "Throw it, Pete!" Pete did throw it, and Laroque made a muff that would have shamed any schoolgirl. A base on balls to Tibald, who took Rodden's place, and Robb's threebase hit, together with Snyder's long fly to center, gave St. Thomas their last two runs in the seventh. In both the eighth and the ninth, when the side

Raw from Her Toes to Her Knees

DR. CHASE MAKES A WONDERFUL CURE

Mrs. Knight, 17 Hanover Place, Toronto, makes the following statement :-

Y mother, Mrs. Wright, who lives at Norval, near Doncaster, suffered a summer and winter with Eczema in her feet. She could not walk, and very seldom got any sleep. It became so bad that she was perfectly raw from the toes to the knees. After trying every available remedy without receiving any benefit, and almost hopeless of relief, she was advised to try Dr. Chase's Ointment. She has altogether used 8 boxes since commencing, but with the happiest results, for she is now completely cured. There is but one scar on one of her feet, a memento of her fearful suffering condition. Any person desiring further testimony in this case is at liberty to communigate with Mrs. Wright at her address,

Mrs. Knight says after such a grand iccess, is it any wonder we recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment?

Which Should Have Been a Vic- was retired, St. Thomas had men on the second and third bases. The excitement reached fever pitch in the last inning. The bleachers yelled themselves hoarse and bedlam reigned. Then the misty wings of night cast gray shadows over the diamond, and the game was called. The score: LONDON. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E.

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*Batted for Lyons in ninth. London ... 1 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 2-6 St. Thomas ... 0 3 0 0 1 0 2 0 0-6 Game called on account of darkness.

Stolen bases-Snyder, Busse. Twobase hits-Smink, Lohman, Three-base hit-Robb. Sacrific hits-Rodden, Sheehan. Bases on balls-By Foreman 3. Struck out—By Foreman 4, by Robb 5. Hit by pitcher—By Foreman 1, by Robb 2. Left on bases—London 7, St. Thomas 7. Umpire, George H. England. Time, 2:23.

HAMILTON DEFEATED CHATHAM. Hamilton, Sept. 20 .- Chatham put the Woodstock amateur, Cristal, in the box against Hamilton yesterday, and the Hamiltons could not hit much, but he was very wild. Through a bad error, a couple of scratch hits and a fine twobagger by McCann, Chatham got a lead of four runs in the first, but Hamilton soon overtook it. The game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness, a heavy mist coming over the field. Score: HAMILTON.
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Two-base hits - Elton, McCann. Three-base hits—Conwell. Sacrifice hit—Morrissey. Stolen bases—McKevitt, McHale 2, Dean 2, Collins. First on balls—By Friske 3, by Cristal 5. Hit by pitcher—By Cristal 4. Struck out—By Friske 8, by Cristal 6. Wild pitches—By Friske 2, by Cristal 1. Passed balls— By Conwell 2, by Chamberlain 1. Double plays-Miles to Morrissey to Mc-Cann. Left on bases-Hamilton 10, Chatham 6. Umpire-Jos. Lyndon. Time-1:45.

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Grim; Gardiner and Schriver. At Baltimore— At Philadelphia 8 13
Philadelphia 8 13 Batteries—Fifield and McFarland; Breitenstein and Wood.

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Batteries-Willis and Bergen; Magee and Kittridge. ST. THOMAS MAD.

The St. Thomas Journal accuses London and Hamilton of conspiring to rob St. Thomas of the pennant. The three games at Hamilton on Saturday, It says, were thrown by London to Hamilton. The Journal says: "The last two six innings games played in Hamilton on Saturday will not count in the championship series. The first will not count, because it was not a full nine innings game, as required by the rules, and was not called on ac-count of rain or darkness. The last will not count because it was not commenced, as required by the rules, 'not later than two hours before sunset." The game was called at 5:20 p.m., and the almanac shows that the sun sets at 6:06 p.m. A protest has been forwarded to President Young against the

Hamilton and London teams will do | seconds. L. Joudown Godfrey, Ottawa, much to injure the game among all lovers of true sport. As far as St. Thomas is concerned, there is at present a decided feeling to have nothing more to do with any league with which Hamilton or London may be associated, if not to abandon professional ball altogether. It was a contemptibly mean thing for the Hamiltons to do, but how much meaner for the Londons, who did not profit by the trickery. St. Thomas is not to be blamed for this outbreak. The miserable showing of the Londons gives color to the suspicion that the games were purposely dropped. The habit the London team has of slumping at the end of every season has sickened ball patrons here. FLYS.

Carey is out \$10 on account of his altercation with Lyndon at St. Thomas a week ago today. Lyndon sent in a ten-dollar fine and it was taken off the guarantee (?) at Hamilton on Sat-

urday.
Umpire England was in Chatham on Wednesday and Thursday, umpiring, but the Chatham people would not pay him. He has sent word to President Davis that the \$6 has not been paid yet, and it will likely be retained from Chatham's guarantee fund, if that is not already garnisheed. Chatham must be in a bad shape financially. Snyder and Reid were paid the guarantee of Saturday's game, as

TURF.

FORT ERIE RACES. Fort Erie, Sept. 20 .- Weather yester-Fort Erie, Sept. 20.—Weather yesterday cloudy; track heavy. Summary:
First race, 3-year-old and up, selling, one mile—Infelice won, Annie Taylor 2, Guilder 3. Time, 1:46%. Rockwood, Prince Zeno, Taranto, Lauretta D., Wenlock, Nero, Waterman, Arrezzo and Me Jacks finished as named.

Second race, maiden 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Bridal Tour won, Mark Hanna 2 Kittie Regent 3. Time 1:04 De-

na 2, Kittie Regent 3. Time, 1:04. Defiance, Ivy Cotta, Our Lyda, Click, Metoxen, Brown Belle and Seasatoso finished as named. Third race, 3 years and up, selling,

6 furlongs—Judge Wardell won, De Bride 2, Forseen 3. Time, 1:17. Dogilda, Bob Turner and Christabello finished as named. Fourth race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs -Glasnevin won, Triune 2, Wait a Bit 3. Time, 1:03½. Prospero, By George, Lizzie R. and Jennie finished as nam-

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furlongs-Demosthenes won, Can I See 'Em 2, Stone Fence 3. 1:32. Aunt Lida, Forfeit, Glen Albyn, Lovice, Sister Ione and Minnie Clyde finished as named.

Sixth race, 75 mile, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Ellsmere won, Confession 2, Earl Fonso 3. Time, 1:32. Carlotta C., Flying Bess, Trivoli, Bob Garnet TROTTING AT TERRE HAUTE.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 20.—The fall race meeting at the Terre Haute Trotting Association opened yesterday. Summaries:

2:20 trot—Askey won in straight heats. Time, 2:19, 2:16, 2:17. Mabel Money Penny 2, Querist 3. Eight others entered were scratched by owners. 2:25 pace-Split silk won second, third and fourth heats and race. Best time, 2:10½. Ainsworth 2, Teak 3, Walnut B. 4. Hal Patchen, Dictator Wilkes, Lizzie Strathnor and Donna also ran. 2:40 trot—Will Lane won second, third and fourth heats and race. Best time, Texas May 2, Barometer 3, Fleet Wood 4. Brown Kate, Canaly Seed, Robert Patchen, William C. K. and Freely also started.

CANADIAN FLYERS.

Frank Smith writes in the Buffalo Courier: "Our Canadian friends are making rapid strides in breeding light harness campaigners of a high grade. While Charley B., 2:07½, by Octoroon, a son of Tom Hal, heads the list of Grand Circuit performers in point of speed, Ace, 2:094; Lotus, 2:144; St. George, 2:15½; Frank xysdyk, 2:15½; Free Bond, 2:181/4; Teddy R, 2:141/2, do credit to the Dominion, to say nothing of the scores of good ones not mentioned.

OTHER WINNERS.

At Newport, Ky.-Mound City, Eberhart, Tom Kingsley, Royal Choice, Yakina, Helen H. Gardner.
At Gravesend, New York—Prestidigitatrice, Fonsovannan, Alpen, Briar Sweet, Banastar, L'Alonette.
At Harlem, Chicago — Sauterne,
Frank Ball, Plantain, Imp, Sutton, Mr. Johnston.

Louisville will break in between Terre Haute and Lexington with a trotting meeting Sept. 26 to Oct. 1. The stakes and purses will aggregate \$40,000.

CRICKET.

The Detroit A. C. cricket team defeated Cleveland 212 to 31 Saturday. "Shock" Stuart was the whole thing, playing an almost perfect inning for

AQUATIC.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF ENGLAND. London, Sept. 20.-The preliminary trials of the race for the sculling championship of England began on Saturday over the Thames championship course. In the first heat, Barry defeated Wray. In the second heat Towns

beats Bubear. The final will be rowed on the 21st, Tom Sullivan trained Towns. INTERNATIONAL YACHT CONTEST

It is confidently expected by Chicago yachtsmen that a challenge for the international cup, won from the Chicago sloop Vencedora, at Toledo, in 1896, by the Canadian sloop Canada, will issue from the Chicago yacht club this fall. Plans are now being dis-cussed among the leading members of the club, which will doubtless end in a syndicate being formed to build and manage the yacht.

WHEEL.

HAMILTON EVENTS. The Tourist bicycle club held their annual races on the Jockey Club track, Hamilton, Saturday afternoon. The attendance was poor, but the spot good. Results: Quarter-mile, open-Talton 1, Skerril 2, Mackie 3. Time, :34. One mile, handicap-Burk, 150, 1;

Clark, 2; Weaver, 3. Time, 2:12. Juniors, handicap-Wilson (scratch) Jones 2, Taylor 3. Half-mile-Skerritt 1, Gilrie 2, Dolton 3.

Three-mile handicap - Hogarth, 150 yards, 1; Burke 2, Cameron 3, Wea-Invitation race, 1 mile-Murray 1,

Five-mile race-Tolton 1, Skerrit 2, Gilrie 3. H. B. C. medal race, 1 mile—Skerritt 1, Tolton 2, Mackie 3. Time, 3:32. SPOKES.

Morgan 2. Time, 2:12.

Denver indulged in Sunday bicycle racing. As a result about 200 riders will be suspended by the L. A. W. ATHLETICS.

OTTAWA EVENTS. The O. A. A. C. fall handicap games were run off at Ottawa on Saturday,

ful. Summary: 100 yards, final heat-J. C. Macken-zie 1, J. Corbet 2. Time, 10 seconds. Paris also ran.

and were to a certain extent success-

counting of these games. The small 220-yard run—J. Corbett, 4 yards, 1; 20-yard run—J. Corbett, 4 yards, 1; 20-yard run—J. Corbett, 4 yards, 2. Time, 28

Did you see the Fly? Yes.

also ran. No one on scratch.
440-yard run—Mackenzie, 12 yards, 1;

Perkins, 25 yards, 2. Time, 52 seconds. Reed (Ottawa, 30 yards), Lette (30 yards), and Alexander (30 yards), also ran. Brodie, scratch, did not start.
Putting 16-lb. shot—M. Culver, O. A. A. C., 1, 40 feet 9 inches; George Kennedy, Ottawa (3 feet 6 inches), 40 feet 3 inches.

Running high jump-T. McLaughlin, O.A.A.C. (3 inches), 1, 5 feet 6 inches; actual put, 5 feet 3 inches, was not beaten; P. Corbet, 5 feet 2 inches, 2. Running broad jump—J. Corbet (2 inches), 20 feet 11 inches, 1; H. P. Mc-Donald, Brooklyn (scratch), 20 feet 9 inches, 2.

One mile, bicycle-W. Jones, Ottawa, 100 yards, 1; D. Stewart, 2. Time, 2:28. Three-mile bicycle race—B. Esmonde, Ottawa, 1; R. Mulhall, 2. Time, 8:05. LACROSSE. AT GALT.

The Galt lacrosse team on Saturday defeated Glenwilliam's in a semi-final in the C. L. A. series, by 10 to 6. AT MONTREAL.

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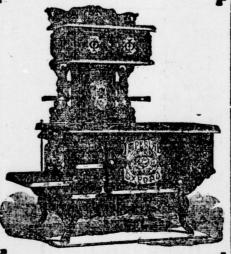
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We have pleasure in again calling attention to the tri-lingual magazine, appropriately named Cosmopolis (International News Company, New York), a journal of special interest to those who take an interest in the larger life of the world. One of its special features is a threefold monthly political review, usually furnished by H. Norman, F. De Pressence and "Ignotus." This month, owing to an accident, Mr. Pressence's article did not arrive, and the French view is given by one of the staff. To note simply the pontents of these three reviews will show what are considered the leading features of the month in the regime of international politics. It stands then as

English-The restless condition of the world. The Spanish-American war, and after. The Anglo-American conference. Prophecy of Kitchener's great victory. Lord Charles Beresford's trip. The appointment of Mr. Curzon to the viceroyship of India.

French-Death of Bismarck. The Spanish-American war, and after. The rapprochement. British policy in China, and Lord Beresford's trip. Prophecy of Kitchener's approaching victory. Evident intention of the English to stay in Egypt.

German-Death of Bismarck. Spanish-American war. Friendliness between Germany and the United States not disturbed. British action in China, and Mr. Curzon's appointment.

From this list it will be seen that the things that politicians take an interest in are pretty much the same the world over; that British affairs are always in some form to the front; and that the United States has taken a new place in the larger politics of the world. Both the English and French correspondents had sufficient faith in British administration, and Ritchener's great ability, to predict the coming victory, and they were not disappointed. As one of the French papers said, that business was done with mathematical precision. The German writer deals largely with Bismarck's career, a subject that we cannot touch now. Outside of this, the main point of his contribution is that the American terms of peace are reasonable; that Germany and America are and are likely to remain good friends. This is very satisfactory, although the tone of a large majority of the German newspapers has been very different.

The French correspondent mentions the death of Bismarck, but does not regard it as an event of great importance for actual politics. While acknowledging the greatness of the late German Chancellor as a politician, he thinks that he fell short of being a great man. He rejoices that the duty of negotiating the peace preliminaries fell to the lot of Mr. Cambon, "our eminent ambassador at Washington," and thinks that the British were disappointed at not having a hand in it. In discussing the Anglo-American Alliance, he imagines that many in Britain are not pleased with the increased naval force of the United States. One thing, however, he admits, that "if the Anglo-American alliance is not yet on the eve of becoming an accomplished fact, the cordial co-operation of the two countries in the far East is assured." We think that it is a good beginning and will lead to other movements of great importance to the life of the world.

If this correspondent is a fair representative, the French recognize that Britain is not likely to forsake Egypt in the near future. He gives reasons why the British mean to stay therelast, and not least, being "that recent events in Africa and the far East render it more imperative than ever that England should be absolute mistress of the Suez Canal, and consequently of the second door of the Mediterranean, of which Gibraltar is the first." "The misfortune is that when one day they finish, by being forced, through circumstances, to declare that they are there forever, they will have been there so long that it will be too late to exact a price for the consent which must be given to their occupation or definite taking possession."

Brother Courtice's Editorial

Rev. A. C. Courtice was re-elected editor of the Christian Guardian at the Methodist General Conference last week. In returning thanks he

"That in a newspaper office one saw so much of the selfishness and meanness of the people that it was difficult to keep one's faith in humanity and to retain one's religion. Of one thing he was satisfied, however, he was a child of God, and would try to fulfill his ob-

What is the matter with Bro. Courtice? Have some of his clerical clientele been trying to work him for dead head notices? Have Vox Populi, A Constant Reader, Pro Bono Publico, and the rest of the tribe, been trying to make the Guardian a sewer for anonymous scurrility? Has Bro. Cour- linamuck at Longford, the constituency tice been compelled to reject manuscript and to receive the benediction of the disgruntled authors? Has he had occasion. He was received at the staances not altogether unknown to daily corted him to his hotel amid vigorous Strong's Pharmacy. their subscriptions? These are experi-

secular quill drivers, who are not in the same ethereal atmosphere. They have to rub against all sorts and conditions of men, while Bro. Courtice moves and has his being among the spiritually elect. Where does he find the meanness and selfishness of human nature? Is there a seamy side to theological broadcloth? Bro. Courtice's clients have the floor.

Straws.

In Fernando, California, last week, the Methodist Church adjourned its services to attend the dedication of the Roman Catholic Church.

In his recent letter to the Roman Catholic bishops in Scotland, the Pope speaks as follows: "We know that many of the Scottish people, who do not agree with us in faith, sincerely love the name of Christ and strive to ascertain His doctrine, and to imitate His most holy example."

On Sunday last, in Toronto, a religious service was held in connection with the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, at which, from the same platform, addresses were made by a priest, Rev. Father Tracey, and a Protestant minister, Rev. E. S.

The governor of Illinois has been detected paying \$2 per day of the public funds for his private barber, who masqueraded as a janitor. The newspapers are denouncing it as a barefaced fraud.

The case of Zola is another proof that Justice sometimes chooses strange instruments to do her work. The author's private life is such that he would be socially ostracized in any country but

At Dargai it was the Highlanders who got the glory; but in Gen. Kitchener's victory at Omdurman it was the English Twenty-first Lancers that sensationally covered itself with glory in its gallant charge.

The Middle-of-the-Road Populists are nothing if not picturesque in expression. In their platform they call for greenbacks and "look forward with hope to the day when gold shall be relegated to the diseased teeth of the

The Duke of Connaught has been "jollying" the French at their military maneuvers by eating the private soldiers' beef and other gracious acts. His diplomatic highness has made himself so popular that the French may forget all about Fashoda.

The unprecedented success of the Toronto and London fairs in point of atdance has been ascribed chiefly to the cheap rates. The principal factor, we think, is the prevailing prosperity among all classes. The people have the money to spend.

Premier Hardy has set a good example in refusing to allow the city of Belleville to bonus a manufacturer in order to induce him to transfer his industry to that place. This action should put a stop to the bonus-hunting in this province.

The water famine in the East End of London has given impetus to the movement for civic control of the waterworks. Over here we generally look to Great Britain for models of municipal government, and it is surprising to find the metropolis so backward in this re-

The chairman of the Board of Works in asking that the committee be allowed to overdraw its appropriation, said that its credit was good. This is true: It is fortunate that the city's credit is good, or it could not stand much of the mixing and muddling that have gone on this year.

Mr. Pike Pease has been elected to a London parliamentary seat. The English paragraphers should extract some fun out of a name like that. The New York Sun raised many a hearty laugh at the expense of those eminent American statesmen, Hon. Dink Botts and Col. Abe Slupskey.

The English aeronauts who went up 27,500 feet in a balloon the other day report that the thermometer at that altitude registered 29 degrees below zero, and everything metallic became coated with ice. Here is a new field for scientists. It would be a boon if they could arrange to bring some of that weather down in the hot season and dispense it to sweltering human-

A few words in an editorial paragraph in the Globe of Wednesday would probably convey the idea that the Government was giving a bonus to raise wheat as well as to erect wheat mills. This is an error, for the policy, as understood, is only to give a bonus to the

mills.-St. John, N. B., Globe. The paragraph alluded to by the Globe led us to suppose the Government of New Brunswick had decided to bonus wheat-growing, and we took oceasion to oppose the principle. Our contemporary did the same. A bonus to mills is a smaller affair, but it is open to the same objection.

The Dublin Freeman's Journal Sept. 5 devotes three columns to the commemoration of the battle of Balof Hon. Edward Blake. Our distinguished countryman was the star of the to dun dearly beloved brethren for tion by a large crowd, who gave him a most enthusiastic greeting, and es weeks' treatment for 500. Sold

newspaper life, but surely the religious | cheering. He delivered the oration of press ought to be spared such tribula- the day, and as usual was eloquent and tions. If the world and the devil can impressive. He made a strong plea for so invade the sanctum of Bro. Cour- Irish unity. Many leading men from tice, hedged about with divinity, think all parts of Ireland were present, and of the temptations which beset the some handsome tributes were paid to the Canadian statesman.

> The Montreal Gazette says: "The general elections in New South Wales have greatly strengthened the protectionist and federal parties in the Legislature." This is only half true. Premier Reid was re-elected by a much reduced majorities, but this was due his lukewarmness on the federation project, and not to his free trade principles. A large section of the opposition party is not protectionist by any means. New South Wales has flourished under free trade, but may be induced to accommodate its tariff policy to the systems in the other colonies in order to promote federation.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

A Base Suspicion.

[Chicago Times-Herald.] The haste with which the khalifa abandoned his harem justifies the suspicion that he wasn't fleeing from the British exclusively.

The Billeting Nuisance

[Belleville Sun.] If the Methodist Church does away with the billeting of ministers when in attendance at conference, it will set an example worthy of Methodism.

> A Long Way Of. [Hamilton Herald.]

Sir Charles Tupper confesses that he sees an approaching political revolution in Canada. But then Sir Charles always was a very far-sighted states-

Mulvaney Was There. [Boston Herald.]

thousand dervishes killed and 16,000 wounded. There is no doubt that Mulvaney, Ortheris and Learoyd did some terrible mowing and cutting and slashing at Omdurman.

> The Vermont Election. [New York Independent.]

The leading issue was the policy of the state concerning the liquor traffic. The prohibitory law is not enforced, and many Republicans desire that a statute providing for high licenses and local option shall be substituted for it. Upon this issue several cities elected Democratic representatives.

A Party in Disgrace. [Oshawa Reformer.]

The unmasking by the court and the revelation to the people of the methods by which the Conservatives of South Ontario corrupted the electorate, and carried the last election for the legislature, outrages public opinion, and invites the whole province to point the finger of scorn at this constituency as being a riding blackened by political intrigue and corruption.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

Called Him Off

Indignant Bicyclist-Madam, your dog snaps at me every time I pass. he come now. (Starts off.) Old Lady-Sport! Sport! You foolish Them ain't bones. Come here. Them's legs!-Richmond (Va.) Times.

A Song of Rain. De rain des rain hisse'f all out On de hilltop, on de plain; He dunno what he rain erbout, But he rain, en rain, en rain!

He rain, en rain, en rain, Twell he drown out all de plain; En de big, high hill-He can't keep still

Fer de rain, de rain, de rain; He rain, en rain troo de lonesome night, In a regular funeral song, En when hit comes ter de mawnin'

light, Why, he rainin' right erlong Oh, he rain, en rain, en rain 'Twell he kiver all de plain;

En de big high hill-He can't keep still Fer de rain, de rain, de rain! A Lasting Engagement. Clara-Are you engaged to Douglas

Gertrude-It looks so. I don't think he'll ever be able to marry me .- Life Don't You Pine for It?

Sunshine comin' by an' by-Never mind the weather; Stars in every stormy sky And we'll get home together!

Sunshine comin' by an' by-Never mind the weather; Heaven ain't so very high But we'll reach there together! -Frank B. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

Exact.

Judge-Do I understand you to say that the parties used high words? Witness-Their voices were unusually high, but their words were extremely low .- Chicago News.

DROPPED DEAD

While Talking to a Friend in an Undertaking Establishment.

Blenheim, Sept. 20 .- A terribly sudden death occurred here. R. Kilpatrick, the well-known citizen, was sitting in Greenwood's undertaking establishment, talking to an old friend, and with a remark that he felt un-well, Mr. Kilpatrick suddenly fell forward upon the floor dead.
Dr. Storey was hastily summoned, and although he worked strenuously for an hour he was unable to re-

suscitate him, the vital spark having fled. Heart failure was the cause of Deceased leaves a wife and three

children. He was a member of the A. O. U. W.

Don't Help Being Cranks. It's the effect of dyspepsia on the nerves that makes the afflicted one morose and cranky. They can't help that though until they take Merrill's System Tonic, the only positive cure (not relief) for dyspepsia known. It cures by acting on the liver, nerves and Pleasant to take and three



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RETURNING HEROES

Sick Soldiers From Santiago Returning Home.

How They Were Received at Pennsyl vania Hospital, Philadelphia.

[Correspondence of The Advertiser.] The grave old eight day clock of the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, was telling the evening hour, when a sound, that for many years has not broken the stillness, was heard at the gates; and once more the wide old corridors echoed to the sound of rushing feet, and the quick "Clang! clang!" of the impatient ambulance, bearing & considerable quota of sick heroes, recently from Santiago, and now seeking the kindly medical and hygienic offices of this grand old mother institution.

The last stampede which took place at the Pennsylvania Hospital was in the year 1892, when the Grand Central Theater on Walnut street was burned. "The burned victims turned instinctively to the hospital, and as they ran along the streets in a mad rush for relief, their plaintive cries of distress he heard at the hospital, thus giving notice of their coming.

The annals of these historic old buildings are full of facts which show that they were used as a military hospital from the beginning. The very walls that now look down upon a generation which knew them not, once beheld, from day to day, the victims of many a bloody fracas in the French and Indian wars; and during the early years of the revolutionary war, it was for-cibly occupied for this purpose by the English troops.

Then the war cloud of 1861 burst, and naturally the old State Institution was once more turned into a place of refuge for those who escaped with their lives out of the bitter struggle.

On Monday night the old dial of the hospital clock held its hands before its face and noted how a little party came slowly and hesitatingly out of the dusk and passed on. What went there but the children of yesterday, who played so absorbedly, careless of the momentous passing event! Now it is their country that calls again-calls them to be men, and have done with childish things-young boys with beardless faces that the soft down of early manhood has only barely touch-What will the next procession of pain and weakness that files through the echoing corridors of the "Old Penn," under the shadow of the old

clock, be like? Who knows! But heaven grant it be not so very different from what was Monday night. Though travel-stained, weary and footsore, youthful spirits and honor were untouched, and the spark of boyish mischief far from quenched, as the effect of a good night's rest was prompt to show.

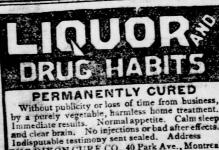
"Say, boys, this is where we stop for ice cream," and the chorus universal of 'You bet!" was flattering in its sin-Very much alive looked these young

cerity. heroes, late come out of the war, the morning after their arrival. Bright eyes, under shocks of hair; and lively elbows, punching holes in pillows; the air full of the sound of earnest voices, vigorously clamoring for breakfast.
"What, nothing but milk!" exclaimed a disgusted young typhoid of 21, with a temperature of 103 degrees. they fed us up better than that on shipboard!" But it was all in the most good-natured way, for was it not good to be at home again, when for

"Sodden Fatigue lay down with them cheerlessly in the evening; Weariness rose up with them, and went with them all the day; The inexpressible Sadness, at thoughts

of the homes they were leaving, Hung like a cloud above them, and shadowed the path before-These, all these, were slain by our brave, our conquering heroes.

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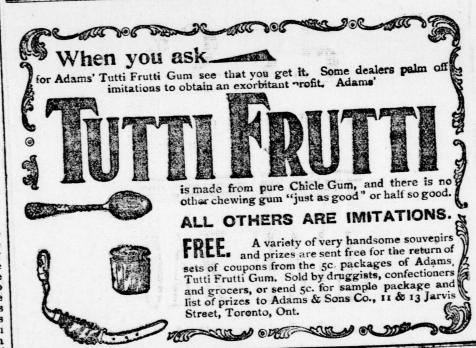
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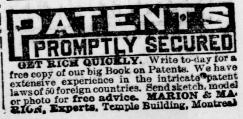
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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Following are t	odat's	1
closing quotations on the Toronto Minis Industrial Exchange,	ng and	١.
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Local Market.

London, Tuesday, Sept. 20.
Wheat, white fall, per bu66c to 671/20
Wheat, red fall, per bu66c to 671/2c
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 671/20
Oats, per bu24c to 250
Peas, per bu48c to 51c
Barley, per bu36c to 381/2c

The receipts of grain were mostly oats today; the price was 70c at open-ing. As the day advanced prices became stronger, and at the close 73c was the price.

Wheat and all other kinds of grain were unchanged. Eggs were 1c higher.

Butter steady. Peaches were scarce and unchanged. Grapes plentiful and easier. Plums quiet; receipts only fair. Vegetables were quiet and un-

Hay ranged from \$5 50 to \$7.

Quotations:	from	\$5	50	to	\$7.	
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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 20.-Oil opened \$1 02. PITTSBURG, Sept. 19.—Oil closed at \$1 02.

PETROLIA, Sept. 20.-Oil opened and closed St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Sept. 19.—Wheat, old, per bu., 65c; wheat, new, per bu., 65c; oats, per bu., 25c; oats, rolled, per cwt., \$1 15; peas, per bu., 50c; barley, per bu., 38c to 40c; corn, per bu, 40c to 45c; beans 50c to 50c.

American Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 19. The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Sopt., 61%; Dec., 25%; May, 63%; Lo 64. Corn—Sept., 25%; Dec., 29%; May, 31%; Oats—Sept., 29%; to 20%; May, 31%; Oats—Sept., 29%; to 20%; May, 31%; Oats—Sept., 29%; to 20%; Dec., 20%; to 20%; May, 22%; Mess pork—Oct. closed \$8 1s* Dec., \$8 25; Jan., \$9 07%; Lard—Oct., \$4 67%; Jan., \$4 82%; Dec., \$4 65. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 25; Oct., \$5 22%; Jan., \$4 67%; Cash quotations: Flour closed steady, Michigan ends, \$4 10; medium and No. 2 spring wheat, 65%; No. 3 spring wheat.

52c to 65%c; No. 2 red. 65c. No. 2 corn, 30%c to 30%c. No. 2 coats, 21%c to 22c; No. 2 white, 25c; No. 3 white, 22%c to 24%c. No. 2 rye, 47c to 47%c. No. 2 barley, 41c to 44c. No. 1 flaxseed, 90c. Prime timothy seed, \$1.75 to \$2.10. Mess pork, \$3.20 to \$3.25. Lard, \$4.72% to \$4.75. Short ribs, \$5.12% to \$5.2%. Dry salted shoulders, 4%c to 4%c. Short clear sides, \$5.60 to \$5.70. Sugars, cutloaf, \$6.08; granulated, 86.64. Eggs, firm; fresh, 13%c to 14c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 9.000 barrels; wheat, 125.000 bushels; corn, 317.000 bushels; oats, 428.000 bushels; rye, 22,000 bushels; barley, 110,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 11,000 barrels; wheat, 149,000 bushels; corn, 232,000 bushels; oats, bushels; barley, 7,000 bushels.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

WHEAT-		pt.	Sept.		Sept.		Sept.	
Red Winter	5	7	5	11	-		-	
No. 1 Nor. Spring	-			11	5	11	5	10
No. 1 Nor. Spring	0	0	6	81/2	0	0	0	0
No. 1 Cal	6	2	6	3	6	2	6	2
Sept	5	934	5	934	5	914	5	914
Dec	5	51/4	5	43/8	5	436	5	41/2
March	5	6	5	5	5	54	5	53/8
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Oct	3	15/8		11/2		13/4	3	11/8
Dec	3	2%	3	23/4	3	31/4	3	3%
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ard	26	3	25	9	25	9	28	0
allow	19	6	19	6				
acon light	19				19	0	19	0
acon, light		0	30	0	30	0	30	0
heese, white	37	0	37	0	37	0	37	6
heese, colored	38	0	38	0	38	0	33	6

Liverpool, Sept. 20—12:39 p.m.
Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal., 6s 1d to 6s 2d; No. 1 red nor. spring, no stocks; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 10d.
Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed. new, 3s 1½d; do, old. nominal; Sept., quiet, 3s 3½d Oct., quiet 3s 4d.
Peas—Canadian. 5s 1½d.
Beef—Bitra India mess, 63s 9d; prime mess, 42s 9d.

Beef-Extra India mess, 63s 9d; prime mess, 42s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm, 27s 6d; leng clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 30s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 31s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 30s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 29s 6d. 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 27s 6d. Hans—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s.

Lard—Prime western, 25s 9d.
Butter—Finest United States, 88s; good, 63s. Cheese—American, finest white, 38s; colored, 30s.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s.

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Live Stock Markets NEW YORK, Sept. 19.-Beeves-Receipts, 3,500; 47 cars on sale; demand

active, prices steady; some late arrivals unsold; native steers, \$450 to \$5 50; oxen and stags, \$2 90 to \$4 65; bulls, \$3 to \$3.75; cows, \$2 to \$3.85; cables higher; live cattle, 11c to 12c; refrigerator beef, 81/2c per lb; exports, 119 cattle. Calves—Receipts, 1,614; veals active and higher; other calves steady; about all sold; veals, \$5 to \$8 50; grassers and buttermilks, \$3 75 to \$4 50; western, \$3 50 to \$5 75. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 13,748; 631/2 cars on sale; market moderately active; sheep weak to 10c lower; lambs, 10c to 25c lower; 4 cars unsold; sheep, \$3 to \$4 65; lambs, \$5 to \$6 15, mainly \$5 25 to \$5.85. Hogs—Receipts, 11,456; 8 cars on sale; market weak, at \$4.20 to \$4.50.

MONTREAL, Sept. 19.—About 550 head of butchers' catte, 40 calves, 700 sheep and lambs, and 50 store hogs and small pigs were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today; the butchers were out strong and trade was good, with very little change in prices since last Thursday, excepting that the comnon and inferior beasts brought better prices than on that day; there were no choice beeves on the market. The best brought about 41/4c; pretty good at 3%c to 4c; do, common dry cows and thrifty young stock at 2½c to 3½c, and the leaner beasts about 21/4c per lb. Calves sold at from 31/2c to 5½c per lb. Shippers are paying from to 31/2c per lb for good large sheep. Lambs sold at 41/4c to 43/4c per lb. Four hundred fat hogs were sold this morning at Point St. Charles stock yard at 4%c per lb.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.-Contrary to general expectations the market for cattle today showed decided strength, and while undesirable lots were more than steady, the best lots sold at the highest price of the year; native beef steers went largely at \$5 to \$6 30; found dead in bed Monday morning. extra lots being wanted at \$5 65 to \$5 75, and the commonest kinds selling at \$4 10 to \$4 75; trade in stockers and feeders was good, and good job lots sold satisfactorily; cows, heifers, bulls and stags and oxen were fairly active at unchanged prices, and calves were steady; western range cattle were in excellent demand at steady prices; fat steers and heifers selling particularly weak. While receipts were large the demand was on a corresponding scale, and prices for hogs were stronger to 21/2c higher than at the close of last week; hogs sold largely at \$3 90 to \$4 021/2; with a good many sales at \$4 05, and some transactions in prime lots at \$4 07½ to \$4 10; the commonest lot found buyers at \$3 50 to \$3 70; pigs sold at quite a wide range, lightweights selling the lowest; late sales of hogs were at easier prices; the offerings averaged very well in quality. There was a fairly active demand for sheep and lambs, and prices showed no particular changes; choice grades ruling steady and others showing weakness; for native sheep prevailing prices were \$3 to \$4 50 for common to choice, not many going above \$4 25; western range sheep were wanted at \$3 60 to \$4 25; feeders being free buyers around \$3 90 to \$4 10; rams sold at \$2 to \$3; native lambs sold at \$3 75 to \$6 25, and western lambs were saleable at \$4 25 to \$5 75. Receipts—Cattle 19,000, hogs 23,000, sheep 22,000.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 19 .-Cattle-There were 295 loads on sale, including 93 loads of Canadian stock-ers; there was a good demand for fat, well-finished cattle at steady the supply being proportionately small; the supply of the export kind was small, the bulk being of medium quality; there was a good demand of the Canada stockers at a decline of 15c to 20c on the common kind, and 10c to 15c lower on the top grades; this was the largest run of sale cattle for some months, and considering the general state of trade the market was in position. Calves were in moderate supply; good demand; steady; good to best smooth fat export steers, \$5 40 to \$5 60; good to best, \$4 95 to \$5 20; good to best butcher steers, \$4 85 to \$5 25; common to good butcher bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 65; helfers, good to best fat, \$4 15 to \$4 50; fair to good do., \$3 50 to \$4; fat cows, good to best, \$3 75 to \$4; fresh cows, choice to extra, \$50 to \$65; good to choice, \$45 to \$50; springers, good to extra, \$35 to \$50. Calves—Choice to extra, \$7.75 to \$8; good to choice, \$7 25 to \$7.75; heavy, \$3.50 to \$5.50. Hogs—The market was in good position, with 135 loads on sale;

bulk of the sales of lambs were at \$5 50, and the top quotable prices were \$5 50, and the top quotable prices were exceeded in a few instances; lambs were quotable, choice to extra, \$5 40 to \$5 65; good to choice bulk, \$5 25 to \$5 40; common lambs, \$4 25 to \$4 75; feeders were liberal buyers on the basis of \$4 75 to \$5 25; sheep, choice to extra all wethers, \$4 60 to \$4 65; mixed, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 40; ewes, \$3 75 to \$4; the close was weak, with fifteen loads left over.

Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, Sept. 19.—Cheese, 7½c to 8½c. Butter—Townships, 17c to 18c;

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Butter-Steady; creameries, 13c to 20c; dairies, 111/2c to

17c. Cheese-Steady, at 7c to 81/2c. NEW YORK, Sept.19.—Butter-Firm; western creamery, 151/2c to 21c; do, factory, 11½c to 14¼c; Elgins, 21c; imitation creamery, 13c to 16½c; state dairy, 14c to 181/2c; do, creamery, 15c to 201/2c. Cheese—Firm; large white, 7% to 8c; small white, 8c; large colored, 7% to 8c; small colored, 8c; light skims, 6c to 6%; part skims, 5%0 to 6c; full skims, 2c to 2%c.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 19.—At the Utica board of trade today the following sales of cheese were made: 290 boxes large colored at 7c; 3,600 boxes large colored at 71/4c, 460 boxes large colored at 71/2c, 840 boxes large white at 71/4c; 160 boxes large white at 7½c; 40 boxes small at 7¾c. Butter—25 packages creamery at 191/2c; 70 packages creamery at 21c; 45 cases prints at 23c. There was half a cent advance in cheese over last week.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 19 .-Sales: 30 boxes large at 71/3c; 1,140 boxes large at 71/4c; 1,960 boxes small at 7½c; 2,770 boxes small at 7½c. Butter—Sales: 18 packages dairy at 17c

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

The Northwest Assembly has pro-Geo. H. Bertram, M.P., has been ill,

but is better. Toronto man robbed of a gold watch in the suburbs.

Hon. Mr. Sifton is back at Ottawa from the Northwest. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain declines a banquet at Montreal. Lord Aberdeen opened the Canada Central Fair on Monday.

Manitoba wheat crop will probably double that of last year. Lord Minto, our new governor-general, sails for Canada, Nov. 3.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen will be at Queen's University, Kingston, Oct. 17. Ven. Archdeacon Boddy, of Toronto, on Sunday preached against prohibi-

The young child of John Newman was burned to death at Portage la Prairie. The ever-lively E. A. Macdonald is

asking another Toronto municipal in-U. S. Senator Faulkner succeeds on the Quebec commission, Senator Gray,

also a Democrat. Eugene V. Debs is in Toronto on business with the Locomotive Fire-

men's convention. Clarke Wallace, M.P., is at Quebec, ostensibly to look after certain interests of Canada at the conference.

Warden Metcalfe, who is a patient in the Hotel Dieu Hospital at Kingston, is better, and his complete recovery is now looked for. The Northwestern wheat is of good

quality, and Manitoba this year will ship more No. 1 hard wheat than the entire crop of last year. In a Kingston Presbyterian Church,

a member got up on Sunday to pro-test against a prohibition meeting after the regular service. The Archbishop of Ontario and Mrs. Lewis have presented the rector of Bath with a valuable fifteenth cen-

tury communion service. At Montreal an eleven-year-old boy, named Napoleon Couture was killed almost immediately by picking up an electric wire in the street.

Mrs. Fisher, of Worcester, Mass. who had been visiting her brother, Edward Van Patten, at Picton, Ont., was James Hart, ex-M.P.P. for Prince Edward county, died at his home in Picton on Sunday, aged 78 years. Mr. Hart was a native of Bath, Lennox

county. A sailor named Hugh Jones, of the Elder-Dempster Steamship Company, fell into the hold of the Montcalm at Montreal and received such injuries that he died in a few minutes.

Three municipal bylaws were carried at Galt by popular vote, one to do away with the ward system, a second to provide \$12,000 for a new fire hall, and a third to purchase the Lighting Company's plant and operate it under municipal control.

Dr. Walter B. Geikle, dean of Trinity Medical College, Toronto, has re-ceived word of the death of his brother, Rev. Archibald Constable Geikle, of Woollabra, New South Wales, who was known as the father of the Presbyterian Church in that colony, and was at one time a minister in Canada.

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MIDDLESEX

Fire Destroys the Barns and Outbuild ings of Mr. Wm. Fisher and Mrs Monger in Metcalfe-A Church Reopening.

It is expected that Christ Church, Newbury, will be ready for reopening on Oct. 2, when Bishop Baldwin will preach morning and evening.
On Sunday, at about 2:30 o'clock, fire

broke out in the barns of Mrs. Monger, on the ninth concession of Metcalfe. The origin of the fire is unknown, though a child was playing in the barn shortly before, but it is not thought that the child had anything to do with the origin of the fire. The whole of the barns and outbuildings of Mrs. Monger, including the whole of this year's crop, were destroyed. The wind was high, and the barns of Mr. Wm. Fisher, which were in a direct line with the wind, about 80 rods distant, were also set on fire from the Monger barns, and destroyed, including the year's crop, just threshed. Mr. Fisher's loss will not be less than \$2,000 or \$2,050, on which it is understood there is \$500 of insurance. Mrs. Monger's loss will be considerable, though not so heavy, as she has \$1,000 of insurance.

On Friday evening fire was noticed in the Mayfair cheese factory by W. Tanner, one of the firm of Brown, Pole & Tanner, who lives near the factory. Mr. Tanner was in Appin, and, returning home about 10 o'clock, went through the factory, and to all appearance everything was all right. About three-quarters of an hour later Mr. Tanner noticed a light through the window, and saw that the factory was on fire. He aroused the neighbors and attempted to go through the factory, but was driven back. With an axe he broke in the door of the store-room, and with the assistance of Mr. Campbell, Mr. Jarvis, and his men, managed to remove about 75 cheese. Some three or four cheese may have been burned. The factory was totally consumed. Also carpenter tools, stoves and winter stores belonging to Mr. Tanner, placed there for the summer. Insurance on the factory, \$1,100, in the Gore District, of Galt. Books of the patrons were also destroyed, and it will be difficult to divide the money procured by the sale of the cheese. This is the second time the factory has been burned. Mr. James Pole, of the county jail, is a stockholder in the factory.

LAKE SHORE.

Lake Shore, Bosanquet, Sept. 19 .-Lena Blunden has been a long time afflicted with rheumatism, and is very ill just now. Master Willie Whyte is sick in bed with the same disease. Forest doctors attend both of these patients

Mr. James Brand, formerly of Lake West Bosanquet, is at his mother's home in Forest, very ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Many farmers are more or less disappointed because the new apple factory buys only large apples, and only gives 10 to 15 cents per bag for them. They consider the apples worth that for the pigs, and so are feeding them out. A cider mill in the factory would use up the small apples.

Thedford is taking time by the fore-lock in the matter of fall fairs, and are to hold it on the 30th inst., about ten days earlier than usual. Perhaps it will not rain that day. Several farmers are still putting in

fall wheat, though they will likely finish it this week. Frost has killed the tomatoes and injured the potatoes on low land near Thedford though it has not yet called on Lake Shore Bosanquet.

Lake Valley Grove is finishing up a very successful season, and Kettle Point resort is still running.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Sept. 19.-Mr. W. Noxell and his bride returned home from their honeymoon last Wednesday. Owing to the large number of people that went to the fair last Wednesday the village had quite a deserted appearance.

The Methodist Church is undergoing a thorough painting, which gives the building a neat and handsome ap-

Miss Minnie Stilson, of Wanstead, is home on a visit to her relatives and

The many friends of Mr. R. Small will be glad to hear that he is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Dan McLaughlan, of Brook township, returned home Sunday after a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. McLaughlan, of the fifth concession of Lobo. Kilworth bridge is progressing slow-

ly. It will be several weeks yet before it will be ready for traffic. The Royal Templars have removed

to their new and commodious quarters, and will hold their first meeting tomorrow evening (Tuesday). It is expected that a number of members from neighboring councils will be present. Mr. J. Finch, G. T. R. agent, has been off duty for several days through

illness, but is able to be around again. Mr. W. H. Welsman's monthly sales, which have been suspended for some months on account of the busy season, will commence again on Monday, Oct. 3, in this place, and continue on the first Monday of each month. Wedding bells will chime soon again

AMUSEMENTS

AT THE GRAND.

A fair sized audience greeted Miss Lorraine Hollis in her initial appearance at the Grand last evening. Miss Hollis is a very clever young woman and succeeded in deserving and winning applause in a difficult role. The support is very fair. Mr. Orme Caldara being particularly good. On the whole it was a very pleasing performance. The Hollis Stock Company will put on the same play again this evening. MARKS BROS'. LAST PERFORM-ANCE.

Tonight Marks Bros. end their en-gagement in this city. Their business for this trip has been very satisfac-tory, large houses having been sesured regularly. It was announced from the stage last evening that tonight's receipts would be given to Mrs. Emerson as a benefit.

MR. BLAIR IN NEW BRUNSWICK. Woodstock, N. B., Sept. 20.-The political meeting held here last night by the minister of railways was in every respect a great success. The platform was occupied by representative Liberals and the opera house was packed to its utmost capacity. Mr. Blair dealt at length with the record of the Lib-eral Government and made out a strong case, which was received with great enthusiasm. He was accompanied by Premier Emmerson, who also spoke acceptably. Mr. Blair left this morning for St. John, and after visit ing Moncton, returns to Ottawa.

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Oarsmen Played Hide-and-Seek With One While Rowing at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 20 .- Rice and Durian, the Toronto oarsmen, while practicing on Bedford Basin, met with practicing on Bedford Basin, met with a somewhat thrilling experience. when near Stevens' Island they noticed a shark, which gave them a great scare. They rowed as they had never rowed before. Their boat had almost touched the shark before they noticed it the shark before they noticed it.

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food into rich, red blood. When the food is changed rapidly and regularly, into rich blood, every part of the body benefits from it. Th nerves grow strong, sleep returns to the longing eyes, rest brings strength and vigor, and good health. There are no more long, sleepless, wretched nights; no more nervous headaches. You are made strong in every way. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will work this change. If you don't believe it, try them. They'll prove it to you.

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SAVED HIS LIFE

But it Cost Him a Foot-the Deadly Frog.

Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 20. - To save his life at the sacrifice of limb, Harry Haas, a brakeman, whose left foot had caught in a frog near Weigh Scales, on the Northern Central Rail-road, while effecting a flying switch, threw himself to one side of the track and calmly awaited the cars. wheels mangled the foot so that he was able to draw it from the frog and drag himself away from the care, which barely grazed his body. He was removed to the Mary Packer Hospital, where the foot was amputated.

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Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, Sept. 20.

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SALES—1 p.m.—Western Assurance, 10, 1 at 167%; Northwest Land, 10 at 56, 10 at 55%, 160 at 55%; Canada Pacific, 25, 25 at 87; Com. Cable, 25 at 182%; London Electric, 1 at 113%. 11:30 a.m.—Commerce, 47 at 147%; Northwest Land, 90, 50, at 56, 50 at 56%, 50, 10 at 55%.

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, is and it Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Sept. 20.

Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Sept. 20.—Wheat is steady at 65c for red and white west; Manitoba wheat is firm at 79c to 80c for new No. 1 hard Toronto and west. Flour is quiet, cars of straight roller are quoted at \$3 10 to \$3 15 in bbls. west. Millfeed is quiet, cars of shorts are quoted at \$12 to \$14, and bran at \$9. Barley is steady at 40c east, and 38c for No. 1 west. Rye is steady, at 42c middle freights, and 41c north and west. Corn, steady, at 381/2c American, Toronto. Oats are steady at 231/2c to 24c for new white west. Peas, steady, 50c to 51c north and west. Eggs, steady, at 15c for strictly fresh gathtred. Butter, choice dairy tubs steady at 14c to 15c; medium at 11c to 13c; and dairy pound rolls, 16c to 17c; creamery is firm at 21c for prints, and 18c to 19c for packed.

Montreal Produce Market

Montreal, Sept. 20.-Grain in store-No. 2 white oats, 271/20; peas, 61c; rye, 45c; buckwheat, 38c; barley, 38c. Flour -Manitoba bakers, \$4 50; patents, \$4 90; straight roller, \$3 40; Ontario patents, \$4. Feed-Manitoba bran, \$10; shorts, \$12; Ontario bran, \$10 50; shorts, \$12 50. Provisions-Canadian pork, per bbl,, \$16 to \$16 50; lard, pure, 7c to 7½c; compound, 5c to 5½c; ham, 10c to 13c; bacon, 10c to 13c. Produce—Eggs, strictly fresh, 17c to 18c; stock, fresh, 15c to 16c; No. 1 candled, 12c to 13c; No. 2, 10c; beans, 80c for choice handpicked primes; honey, pound sections, white, 7c to 71/2c; dark, 5c to 51/2c; white extra, 6c to 61/2c; dark, 4c to 5c.

American Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 62½c; May, 64c; Sept., &c. Corn, Dec., 29½c;

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BUFFALO, Sept. 20.—Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 73c; No. 2 northern, 67%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 70c; No. 1 white, 69c. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 341/4c; No. 3 yellow, 34c; No. 2 corn, 33½c; No. 3 corn, 33c, on track. Oats— No. 2 white, 26c; No. 3 white, 25c; No. 4 white, 24c; No. 2 mixed, 23c asked.

DETROIT, Sept. 20.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 65c; No. 2 red, cash and 66½c; Dec., 65½c; May, 66¾c. TOLEDO, Sept. 20.-Wheat-Sept. 67%c; Dec., 65%c. Corn-Cash and Sept., 301/2c; Dec., 29%c; May, 31%c. Oats-Cash and Sept., 21c; May, 221/4c. MILWAUKEE, Sept. 20-Wheat-Cash, 67/2c; Dec., 62%c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 71,341 bbls; sales, 3,200 pkgs; state and western steadier at old prices. Rye flour firm; sales at \$2 60 to Wheat-Receipts, 90,950; sales, 215,000 bu; options, No. 2 red ruled firm all the morning on small Northwest receipts, and steadier cables; May, 68½c to 68½c; Sept., 71c to 71½c; Dec., 67 7-16c to 67 13-16c Rye steady; state, 48c; No. 2 western, 481/2c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn-Receipts, 32,675 bu; sales, 15,600; options quiet, but steady with wheat; Dec., 34%c. Oats—Receipts, 219,600 bu; options dull and featureless; track, white state and western, 23c to 25c. Beef quiet. Pork easy; mess, \$8 75 to \$9 25; short clear, \$11 to \$12 25.
Lard steady; prime western steam,
\$5 07\(\frac{1}{2} \); nominal. Butter—Receipts, 8,391 firm. Cheese—Receipts, 7,241 firm; large white, 7%c to 8c; small white, 8c; large colored, 7% to 8c; small colored, &c. Eggs-Receipts, 11, 073; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 17c; western, 17c. Sugar-Raw firm and refined firm. Coffee barely steady; No. 7, 6c. Hops firm. Lead steady; builion price, \$3 85; exchange price, \$4 to \$4 05.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Sept. 20. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,278.

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Pork—Oct... 8 17
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Lard—Oct... 4 65
Dec... 4 72
Ribs—Oct... 5 22
Dec... 4 70 Dec... 4 70 4 Puts-62%. Calls-64%.

English Markets. Liverpool, Sept. 20—Closing.

Wheat—Spot No. 1 red northern spring.
dull, 6s 8½d; No. 2 red western winter, firm,
6s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10½d to 7s 11½d; No.
1 cash, firm, 8s 2½d.

1 cash, firm, 8s 2%d.
Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new, 3s
1%d; futures steady; Sept., quiet, 3s 13d; Oct.,
firm, 3s 2%d; Dec., firm, 3s 3%d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 89s 3d.
Peas—Canadian, 4s 1ld.
Peach Decimals

Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 51s 3d;
do, medium, western, dull, 47s 6d,
Beef—Prime mess, dull, 57s 6d; extra India
mess, dull, 63s 9d do, medium, western,
steady, 51s 3d.

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Hams—Short cut, steady, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, steady, 28 to 30, lbs., 33s; short ribs, steady, 20 to 24 lbs, 32s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 30s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 30s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs. no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 14 to 16 lbs, 36s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 31s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 24s.

Lard—Prime western, steady, 26s 3d.

Butter—Winest American, 84s; good, 60s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s 3d.

Cheess—American finest white, and colored, firm, 37s.

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 19s.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady, 16s.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 22s 9d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, 42 5s to £4 5s.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 24,000; left over, 4,927; market slow; weak to 5c lower; light, \$3 65 to \$4 02½; mixed, \$3 65 er; light, \$3 65 to \$4 02½; mixed, \$3 65 to \$4 07½; heavy, \$3 50 to \$4 07½; rough, \$3 50 to \$3 70. Cattle—Receipts, 6,500, including 4,000 westerns; good natives, steady; others weak to 10c lower; beeves, \$4 to \$5 60; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 75; Texas steers, \$3 to \$3 85; westerns, \$3 70 to \$4 45; etockers and feeders \$2 10 to \$4 60. stockers and feeders, \$3 10 to \$4 60.

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THE ODDFELLOWS

Elect Hon. Alfred S. Pinkerton, of Worcester, as Grand Sire, Boston, Mass., Sept. 20 .- Hon. Alf-

red S. Pinkerton, of Worcester, was to-day unanimously elected grand sire of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I.O.O.F.

OVER THE SEA

Four Ex-City Fathers Leave for a Your Through the British Isles.

The departure of four ex-aldermen from London to the land across the sea caused a lively time at the G. T. R. station at 4:45 this afternoon. A party consisting of Mr. Robert and Mrs. Bennet, Mr. Fred Rumball and Mrs. Rumball, George Olmstead and Edward Parnell, left on the express for Montreal, where they will embark on the Allen Line steamship California, which leaves at daybreak on Thursday morning. The party will visit England, Ireland and Scotland. Mr. Olmstead will, after visiting these places, take a trip to Paris. There were a large number of their friends at the depot to see them off, and all unite in wishing them a pleasant voyage and

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May, 31%. Oats, May, 22%: Dec., 20%. Latest Weather Forecast Pork, Dec., 38 15. Lard, Oct., \$4 65; Jan, \$4 80. Ribs, Jan., \$4 65; Oct., \$5 22%. Toronto, Sept. 20.—41 a.m.—Probabil-Toronto, Sept. 20.—11 a.m.—Probabil-ities for the lower lakes for the next 24 hours: Moderate winds, mostly northeast and northwest; fine and cool, with light local frosts tonight. Wednesday, fresh easterly winds; fine and

-Prof. Wells, late editor of the Canadian Baptist, will be buried in Wood-stock on Wednesday.

-A synodical committee on augmentation will meet in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, London, Oct. 4, at 10:30 a.m. -Mrs. W. E. Harrison and three

children, of Buffalo, who have spent a pleasant visit at Mr. Joseph Sanders'. English street, have returned home to -Stratford Beacon: Such men as Rev. W. J. Clark are needed in Wes-

tern Ontario, and we congratulate the city of London that he has decided to remain in its midst. -Dr. James Macarthur, who has been in St. Joseph's Hospital for the past three weeks with typhoid fever, is now out of danger. The doctor sat up today for the first time since he entered the institution.

-Miss Annie Beverldge left this morning to join her father at Brandon, Man., where Mr. Beveridge is engaged as teacher in a commercial college. Miss Beveridge will be missed by many London friends, and will readily make for herself a welcome in her new

-The many friends of Mr. Frank Charlton, formerly teller of the Mer-chants' Bank, of this city, and latterly of the head office of the same institution at Montreal, will have deep regret on learning of his death, which occurred a few days ago at his father's residence in St. Johns, Que., after a brief illness. The cause of death was rapid consumption. His pleasing disposition and genial manner will be remembered by many, and much sympathy is expressed for his young widow and child. The deceased was a son-in-law of Mr. John Elliott, of 73 Bathurst street, this city.

BIRMINGHAM-WARD. The wedding of Mr. Albert W. Birmingham and Miss Minnie Ward was solemnized at St. Peter's Cathedral at 6 o'clock this morning. The groom is a popular employe at the G. T. R. car works here, and both have a wide circle of friends, many of whom witnessed the ceremony. Miss Clara Gruber was bridesmaid, and the groom was assisted by Mr. J. A. Birmingham. After the ceremony the party repaired to the residence of Mr. David Dibbs, 427 Dufferin avenue, where the wedding breakfast was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Birmingham left on their honey-

moon trip for Detroit. THE NEW RAILWAY RATES.

The following are the new rates from the principal points in Ontario on first and second class business respectively: Toronto, Toronto Junction, Parkdale, Streetsville Junction, Cardwell Junction, Inglewood, Brampton, Brantford, Guelph, Galt, Georgetown, Hamilton, Milton, Drumbo, Berlin, Stratford, Woodstock, Beachville, Ingersoll, St. Thomas, St. Marys, London, Harrisburg, Sarnia, Chatham, Windsor, Agincourt, Myrtle, Port Hope, Lindsay, Peterboro, Ivanhoe, Central Ontario Ontario Junction, Sharbot Lake Junction, Tweed, Smith's Falls, Carleton Junction and Renfrew, to Port Arthur, \$25 75 and \$20; Winnipeg, \$33 35 and \$31; Nelson, \$63 80 and \$56 30; Kaslo, \$63 80 and \$56 30; Rossland, \$64 80 and \$57 30; Vancouver, Victoria, New Westmin-ster, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland, \$66 30 and \$56 30; San Francisco, \$67 75

ART IN MILLINERY

Supurb Creations Shown at Mrs. A. G McLeod's Opening. The day when any woman with deft

hands and some taste could fashion a hat, or a bonnet, that would pass muster in the crowd, has gone by. And one can hardly regret it, after visiting Mrs. A. G. McLeod's millinery opening at 224 Dundas street. The penalty of perfection is that it is easily marred. So perfectly harronious are the blending and contras ng colors, and so artistic the design and form of the millinery creations there displayed, that to change a single ribbon or rosette, or alter the sweep of a plume, would detract something from their beauty. In colors, the black and white ef-

fects prevail, with the castor shades, of which there are five or six, next in popularity. Mrs. McLeod's display includes all the other popular shades of the season, with the petunias, parauche, ibis, cactus, canard, green and clover predominating in the millinery One of the handsomest things shown is a superb set, in black, with white satin and grebe trimmings. The set includes toque, collarette and muff. Then there is a dainty Parisian toque in two tones of color—heliotrope and mauve—and is trimmed with grebe and bird of paradise ospreys. The narisse and the broco poke are magnificent creations in black, and the little queen toque is very dainty. The collar and the sailor is a pretty novelty. The children's and misses' hate shown are the finest in the city. To appreciate the display one must see it. Mrs. A. G. McLeod, 224 Dundas street, will be glad to have you call.

UNIQUE SERVICE

▲ Catholic and a Protestant Minister Preach to the Locomotive Firemen.

Toronto, Sept. 20 .- A unique service was held here yesterday afternoon, the occasion being the church parade of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. The service was held at the Auditorium, where the convention has been in progress, and the special feature of interest was the preaching of a Roman Catholic priest and a Methodist minister from the same platform at the same service. Rev. Father Tracy represented the Catholic Church, and Rev. E. S. Rowe the Methodist Church. Father Tracy delivered a strong Catholic address, in which he claimed for the Catholic Church the honor of first establishing labor guilds. Rev. Mr Rowe followed with a strong labor speech, which was greeted with hearty cheers.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

FASHION SAYS

The Coming Modes in Silk Dress Goods, Mantles and Millinery.

Results of Mr. T. F. Kingsmill's Recent Visit to the European Centers of Fashion.

Mr. T. F. Kingsmill has just returned from a trip to the European center of fashion, and, as a result, every department of the large store is replete with the newest, richest, and most fashionable products of the looms of Europe, and the millinery department shows the daintiest creations of Parisian artists. A visit to the teeming departments supplemented by information cheerfully furnished obliging clerks, is as instructive in the matter of what fabrics and designs will be worn this fall as a trip to New York, London or Paris.

In silks, black is the prevailing fashion. The Italian makes are coming to the front. Bassanos, armures and peau de sois are most popular. For evening wear, a figure with lace, canvas brochea, in lille, sky, mauve, pink, coral, cream, and white trimmed with Brussels point and point applique are the mode. Check silks will used only for children's wear and cloak Waists are made largely of linings. rich figured silks on black ground. The prevailing colors are maize, geranium, hussar, purple and royal. Satins in black will be much worn by elderly ladies. The trimming is silk gimp and a heavy black silk lace, with the effect of a Spanish make.

In the dress goods department there is an endless variety of blacks, wool and mohair is wonderfully blended in marvelously beautiful designs. Greek bayaderes, are prominent, showing the Greek K and geometrical figures, including circles, diamonds and squares. All skirts will be profusely trimmed diamonds and squares. with velvets, sequin gimps and plain jet gimps; solid, rich silk French gimps will be also much used, as well as laces.

In colors, beaver is one of the popular shades. Hussar and royal blue are dividing the favors. Browns have come well to the front. Some of the tints of moss, myrtle and gray will also be worn. For traveling dresses, tweeds, confined to small fine checks and hair-lines, are the leading fash-ions. Bengaline cord, moss suitings, and invisible twills are the principal

materials in colors. The millinery is a complete change. Hats are all worn off the face, with trimmings in front. The colors worn will be cardinal, soft shades of brown, hussar, royal purple, a few tints of green and beaver. Very few flowers will be worn on the outside, but there will be an immense quantity of wings and feathers. Ospreys will be much in evidence, and there will be a fusion of wings both on hats and bonnets. The ornaments will be buckles, pins and clasps, principally of rhine-

stones and pearls.

In mantles, both coats and capes
will be worn. The popular length of jackets will be from 26 to 28 inches. The capes have a larger sweep and are rather short. The very fashionable mantle in Paris is worn very long, either with a coat, skirt, or loose and flowing, reaching almost to the ground. The materials used will be beavers, chinchillas and fancy cloths with a fine fur surface. Braid will be worn on coats to a certain extent. The colors will be black, beaver, brown mixture and fawn-though not many of

Wide ribbon sashes will be worn this fall, some of the ribbons being very

WILHELMINA

Formally Opens the States General at the Hague.

Remarkable Series of Edicts Issued by the Chinese Emperor-Manifesto by Duo d'Orleans.

QUEEN WILHELMINA AT WORK. The Hague, Sept. 20 .- Queen Wilhelmina, accompanied by the queen-mother, opened the States General today. In the speech from the throne her majesty dwelt upon the innumerable proofs of patriotism and effection for the dynasty manifested since her accession to the throne.

CHINESE OFFICIALS STARTLED. Pekin, Sept. 20.-A remarkable series of imperial edicts have been published within the past few days. They have startled the officials, while making a favorable impression upon the old foreign residents. The emperor has addressed to the people a long explanation of his new policy, declaring that in many respects western civilization is superior to the existing order in his dominions, and announcing his intention to adopt its good features and discard the bad ones. The most radical edict establishes a postal service throughout the empire. A fresh edict follows, extending practically to everybody the right to memorialize the throne. The latest edict commands that monthly accounts be rendered to the government of the receipts and expenditures everywhere, and that these accounts be published.

DREYFUSITES DENOUNCED. Paris, Sept. 20.-The Duc d'Orleans has issued a manifesto denouncing the Dreyfusites. The manifesto begins thus: "At last the promoters of the odious plot against the honor and security of the fatherland have thrown off the mask. Intimidated by him, the ministers have lowered themselves so far as to become their accomplices."
The Duc d'Orleans accuses the ministry of seeking a revision of the Dreyfus proceedings, while convinced that Dreyfus was guilty, under the pretext of calming the public, for their own profit. He declares that the prospects make his heart quiver, and concludes his manifesto in these words: "Frenchmen, we are masters in our own coun-Your servants, subject to occult and pernicious power, presume to impose upon you the will to which they submit under pretext of proving the innocence of a man whom the military tribunals have condemned as a traitor. It is the army they are trying to destroy, and France they are striving to ruin. Frenchmen, you will not allow

Reports come from Southern Manitoba that wheat yields are exceeding all expectations in some localities. On the Winnipeg grain exchange on Monday, 20,000 bushels of No. 1 hard wheat sold at 661/2 cents, afloat, at Fort

William, October delivery. This is the weather for the Fly. Stil

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Encouraging Financial Reports for the Y. M. C. A .- The Trustee Board Meets-Prohibition Resolution.

The board of trustees of the Young Men's Christian Association met in the board room last evening. President Hobbs occupied the chair, and Messrs. Little, J. Bowman, Daly, Ivey, Heath, McGillivray and others were present. Reports were received from the finance committee showing the collections to be very encouraging, the debt of the association steadily reducing.

The physical work committee reported a growing interest in their department, and recommended several changes to make the work more effective. The matter was left in the hands of the committee chairman, Mr. R. A. Little, with power. The entertainment committee report-

ed a first-class concert course arranged for, to begin on Nov. 4, and to consist of eight concerts. The price of course tickets was fixed at \$1 50 to members and subscribers. The report of the boys' work com-

mittee was laid over till next meeting. The religious work and reception and educational committees' work were laid over till Monday next, when their re-

ports will be discussed. The following resolution was moved and seconded by F. H. Heath and Geo. A. McGillivray, and carried unanimously: "Believing that strong drink is one of the greatest detriments to the welfare of young men, and one of the chief hindrances to our work, we desire to place ourselves on record as being opposed to the traffic in intoxicating liquors, and would urge all the members of our association to use their vote and influence in favor of

The board had a very profitable discussion on ways and means of carrying on work, and the influence of the as sociation will doubtless be felt in the city during the coming months. The meeting adjourned at 10:30.

ELECTION TRIALS

North Waterloo Protest Against the Conservative Member, Dr. Lackner, Next.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Sept. 20.-The next election protest that comes on for trial is North Waterloo, at Berlin, on Thursday, against Dr. Lackner (Con.). On Friday the South Wellington case comes up at Osgoode.

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An Act Respecting Voters' Lists in Certain Cities.

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario,

enacts as follows: 1. The following provisions of this act shall apply and be in force until the 1st of January, 1899, in every city to which part 2 of The Ontario Voters' Lists Act does not apply, and the council of which shall by bylaw declare this act in force therein; but this act shall

not apply to the city of Toronto. 2-(1). Immediately after the return by the assessor of the assessment roll to the clerk, and without waiting for the revision and correction thereof by the Court of Revision or the judge, th clerk shall make out a correct alphabetical list of all persons appearing by the assessment roll to be entitled to be voters in the city, prefixing to the name of each person his number upon the said roll as heretofore; and shall within 40 days after receiving the assessment roll cause 200 copies of the said list to be printed in pamphlet form, and the clerk, besides delivering or transmitting the copies mentioned in that behalf in The Ontario Voters' List Act, shall deliver one copy to the as-

sessment commissioner. (2). A larger number of copies may be printed if the city council, by resolution or otherwise, so decide or au-

thorize. 3. The alphabetical list made by the clerk on receiving the assessor's roll shall be deemed the list of voters, which is subject to revision by the county judge, under section 13 of The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, and the provisions of that act which have reference to the alphabetical list therein mentioned shall apply to the lists pro-

vided for by this act. 4. The time for giving notice of any complaint to be made to the judge under section 13 of The Ontario Voters' Lists Act shall be 30 days after the clerk has posted up the said list in his

5. The council of any city which shall by bylaw declare this act to be in force shall cause the said bylaw and this act to be published at least once a week, for four successive weeks, in each of two newspapers published in the municipality; and the mayor of the city shall, within one week after the passing of the bylaw, issue a proclamation of the passing thereof, which shall set out the provisions of this act and give notice that the same is in force in the municipality, and such proclamation shall be posted up in at least twenty conspicuous places in each ward in the city.

BYLAW NO. 1,088.

Respecting Voters' Lists.

Whereas, it is provided by an act of the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, passed in the 62nd year of her Majesty's reign, and intituled "An act respecting voters' lists in certain cit-les," that the provisions of the said act shall apply and be in force until the first day of January, 1899, in every city to which part two of the Ontario voters' lists act does not apply, and the council of which shall by bylaw de clare the said act in force therein, but the said act shall not apply to the

city of Toronto. And, whereas, the city of London is a city to which part two aforesaid of the Ontario voters' lists act does not apply, and it is expedient that this council shall by bylaw declare the said act in force in the said city of London. Be it therefore enacted by the municipal council of the corporation of the city of London, as follows:

1. That this council hereby, pursuant to the provisions of the said act, doth declare the said act to be in force in the said city of London.

2. That the city clerk be, and he is hereby empowered and directed to cause this bylaw and the said act to be published at least once a week, for four successive weeks, in The Advertiser and Free Press, being two newspapers published in the said city of London, as provided by the fifth section of the said act.

3. That the city clerk be, and he is

hereby empowered and directed to cause the mayor's proclamation, referred to in the fifth section of the said act, to be posted up in at least twenty conspicuous places in each ward in the said city of London, as provided by the said section of the said act. Passed in open council this 19th day of September, A. D. 1898.

C. A. KINGSTON (Seal), city clerk; JOHN D. WILSON, mayor. Examined and certified a true copy. C. A. KINGSTON, City Clerk.

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But the fading generation-dowager, whose brows were wrinkled and hair gray—whispered the story of how Esmer's father had abdicated his earldom in favor of a younger brother; and no doubt that their offsprings' union was the terms that had been

"And a very just thing, too," re-marked Dowager Society, fanning her maternal cheek; "and, my dear, I think, for our part, we should do all honor to the future bride. Remember she is a true Mortmain, and the daughter of an earl of Lethrington.' So Esmer found herself courted, flat-

tered, and was in a high state of delight consequent thereupon.

"Oh, Stephine." she cried; "this is something like life—this is enjoyment! again would kill me! I should die in To return to that Davenant existence

'Unless, miladi, you had un pauvre ministre pour passer ie temps for une

Esmer threw herself back in her chair, placed before her dressing-mirror, and broke into an amused laugh.
"Poor fellow," she exclaimed, self-complacently, "I do fancy he really was seriously in love with me, Stephine; though he never could have had the presumption to think I reciprocated his—ha! ha! ha! -affection?"

Tiens, sometimes men are strange beings, your ladyship," responded Mademoiselle Stephine, with covert sarcasm—she having, as previously stated, a vague tendresse for the young clergyman—"especially your Britone. Bah! you are far more republican than we French. What says your Burns?

" 'The gold is but the guinea stamp.' '

"Gold!" and Esmer rose proudly erect; "you forget, Stephine—it is not gold with me, but birth!"
"C'est vari. You are right." And, imperceptibly, mademoiselle's lip curled. She, the daughter of a simple gentleman of France, felt that she would rather have died than stooped to the petty meanness she had witnessed put in practice by Esmer Mort-

"But, Stephine," proceeded the latter, "ring for my maid. It is time I should dress; and I want to look my best today, because," and the girl's eyes met their reflection with a malicious smile, "the earl is coming, and-

When, after much petulant display Gerard there, just arrived.

"My dear Esmer," he said, kissing her forehead, "I have come to ask you to excuse me riding with you this afternoon, my solicitors desiring to see me particularly about the marriage settlements."

How yexing, Gerard! then I shall not ride at all. But you will stay a little now?" she remarked, coquet-

"Indeed, I fear not. I only came thinking you might wait for me." "How thoughtful! But I want to ask you so many questions. There," she pleaded, "only one little half-hour." Gerard, consulting his watch, good-, naturedly yielded, ignorant of the malicious trap laid for him. Seated by his side, his betrothed talked volubly; but her tiny ears were keenly on the alert. Scarcely had twenty minutes elapsed than a light sprang into her eves-a stranger had stopped. The visitors, of whose advent chance had informed her, had arrived. A few minutes after the door was opened, and the foot-man announced Lady Westbrook and

the Marquis Santyre. Esmer did not at once turn; her hand was on Gerard's arm, her brilliant eyes were fixed with eager scrutiny on his face. She saw, like a flash color come and go, his brows contract; then he rose up, once more

The shot had told; but what effect and this unexpected meeting had up-n her rival? Eager to learn, she arned, but too late. The one sharp lasm of the lovely features, so inantly conquered, had passed, and she held but a composed, smiling counenance, as Lucille, with a winning grace an innate dignity, which awed Esmer somewhat, moved toward her. "I trust our visit is not inopportune," said Lady Westbrook pleasantly, as Esmer received her; "but, as old friends, I might say, of the Earl of Lethrington, we were anxious to have the pleasure of making the acquaintance of his cousin, and future bride. The other rejoined by a suitable

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speech, but her jealousy whispered her not to be deceived by the steady voice

and composed eyes.
"You love him, but he is mine," she thought, and with subtle ingenuity, she rendered that visit of twenty minutes a torture to both, cloaking the stabs under the innocent garb of

She made excuses for Gerard's rendering her trivial services. She called Lucille's notice to his great kindness and attention. She looked into his face and smiled while she sent a dagger into his heart. They were also random daggers, she, herself, plunging them from suspicion not knowledge, yet she could not have made them rankle more deeply.

She was deprived of one delight, the knowing of the effect of her wordsthe feelings of those she tortured were better under control than her own. The smiling lips masked the mental laceration.

Lucille and Esmer parted, mutually disliking each other. With woman's tact, Lady Westbrook had read the girl's disposition, selfish, vain, and, loving Gerard, she pitied him. Esmer hated Lucille heesews she was a shear hated Lucille because she was so beautiful, so tall and gracefully formed; she felt she had good ground for jeal-ousy. So the rivals parted.

Gerard saw the visitors to their carriage, then, mounting his horse, raised his hat to Esmer standing on the drawing-room balconv, and rode away

"He is going with her," muttered his cousin through her small white teeth. "He does love her—he does; and she nim. Never mind; wait until I am Countess of Lethrington, I will not then take it so passively. Oh!" with a rurst of fury, "that I could bow that proud head with shame before her riends at daring to love a man engaged to posther."

gaged to another."
That idea got possession of the girl's jealous mind, ever craving to nurse a wrong, if only imaginary, until it would have almost delighted her to have found Gerard on his knees to Lucille, if she could only have brought seciety to witness the scene, and humble her rival.

So the weeks passed, and the last evening but one before Gerard's marriage arrived. On it Lord Vavasour, the earl's godfather, gave a grand fancy dress ball in his and his cousin's honor.

The idea had filled Esmer with rap-ture. For hours had she studied the book of costumes with Mademoiselle Stephine, consulting which would best suit her

"I wonder what Lady Westbrook will wear?" she said, meditatively. "Tiens! it would be no guide, your ladyship. She is fair, you are dark."
"I do not require a guide," retorted Esmer, proudly. "My taste, I hope, is as good as her's. Stephine, which is the handsomest, she or 12". the handsomest, she or I?" "She for de blonde," was the wise re-

sponse; "you for de brunette; you need de richer couleur."
"Then I will go as this Spanish Infanta. See, Stephine. 'Ah! you will look superb. With

your dark eyes, your small handsyou will look a princess."
And so Esmer did. Her petite figure and elfish beauty gave her the appearance of a princess out of a fairy-tale. Well satisfied was she with herself, and the words of real admiration with which Gerard, attired in the costume of a French mousquetaire, greeted

"I shall outrival my Lady West-brook tonight," she pondered, leaning back in the carriage by Lady Davenant. "Pale beauties never look so well in fancy dress as dark ones." When, leaning on her cousin's arm, they entered the splendid rooms, already filled with a gay assembly of motley costumes that put chronology to the blush, Esmer's eyes eagerly of temper, the toilet was completed to the blush, Esmer's eyes eagerly Esmer's satisfaction, and she descended to the drawing-room, she found speech and gratifying her self-love. eart was buoyant-she was hap

py because she was triumphant. Abruptly, while they were moving on -as if it had been arranged beforehand-the crowd of guests separated, and some yards in advance, facing her, Esmer beheld Lucille.

She was dressed as Berengaria; her golden hair streamed far below her waist, and was held back from her white brow by a simple crown. pleased smile rested on her counten-ance as she leaned on the arm of her cousin, dressed as Richard Coeur de

Esmer's heart fell, as leaped. What was there in this woman which dominated, awed her, and filled her soul with fury? The girl's white teeth came sharply on her pomegranate lip as she heard some one-Lord Hampton—say close to her:
"By jove! there is lady Westbrook,

as Berengaria; the belle as usual. By jove! if she'd only come as an angel, she would make us all saints by a mere flutter of her silver wings." Esmer lifted her eyes to Gerard's. What did he think of her?

The earl's face was so cold and impassive she could not read it, only she felt him turn, apparently desirous of avoiding Queen Berengaria. With a sharp, hard laugh she said: "Don't run away, Gerard. Let us

speak to her majesty, who ought to be an angel with silver wings. Did you not hear her called so? You are not He looked quickly, sternly at her, then his lip curled with pitying scorn.

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Conference Discusses the Decline of the Class Meetings.

Recommendations of the Committee on Missions-Committeemen

Toronto, Sept. 20. - The Methodist quadrennial conference resumed its session yesterday. Prof. moved, as the clause in the discipline regarding card playing, dancing, theater-going and worldly amusements was openly violated, that the super-intendent be instructed to enforce the rule to the extent of striking off the names of such offenders from the church membership. After a short discussion the motion was voted down.

Rev. Dr. Wakefield moved that the period of time spent by young men going to Newfoundland be placed at ten years before they be allowed the privilege of returning to the continent. This motion carried. DECLINE OF THE CLASS MEET-ING.

Mr. W. T. R. Preston moved an imbearing upon their decline. The motion read as follows: "That the conference has learned with regret that the increase in members is smaller than during any preceding quadrennium since the general union, and that there is a small decrease in the number of class leaders. It is believed that this should give occasion to earnest heart searching and humiliation before God. It is strongly recommended that earnest efforte be put forth to make our class meetings more and more attractive and spiritually helpful, and that more importance should be attached to the holding of leaders' meetings, to the preparation and diffusion of useful literature on the subject, and to the holding of class leaders' conventions or institutes in connection with our conferences and district meetings and at

leading centers.' Mr. J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., made an effective speech in support. He claimthat the class meeting was the backbone of the church, and that instead of it being offered every encouragement the church had left it to fight its own battles. Conventions should be arranged, literature should be prepared, and everything possible should be done to encourage the class meet-The motion was carried with enthuslasm.

Upon motion of Rev. C. E. Manning, was made a privilege for anyone who so desired to make immediate donations to the twentieth century

A committee was appointed to draw up an address to the governor-general before his approaching departure. REPORT ON MISSIONS.

The committee on missions reported. It was decided to place no more circuits supporting a married minister upon the list of missions without a recommendation by a three-fourths vote

of the annual conferences. The report recommended among other things that "the minimum allowance for a married minister on a home mission shall be \$600 per annum, with a free house, the house to be provided for by the mission; for single unor-dained men the minimum allowance shall be \$300, and for single ordained men, \$350." In dealing with the increase of ministers, the report of the committee contained the following recommendations, with the reasons which called for them. As the multiplication of dependent fields has been caused in part at least by an unnecessary increase in the number of ministers, and the absence of any authority by which probationers for the ministry can be sent to any part of the connexion where their services are most required, general conference is memorialized to enact as follows: That during the ensuing quadrennium it shall not competent for any annual conference or officer thereof to receive any minister or probationer for the ministry from another church or from abroad. From among candidates received by the annual conferences during the ensuing quadrennium the stationing committee shall appoint only so many as are urgently needed to supply existing fields. All others shall be put on a list of reserve, which general superintendent, and from this list he shall select on the request of any president, supplies for vacancies that may occur. It is to be distinctly understood that candidates are received for the ministry of the Methodist Church, and not merely for that of a particular conference, and therefore shall be under obligation to pro-ceed, when so directed by the proper

The recommendations were adopted, and those regarding the Indian work were referred back.

In regard to the medical missionaries, the following was recommended and adopted: The appointment of several medical missionaries during the past quadrennium and the possible in-crease of this class of workers in the future render it desirable that regulations should be adopted defining their status and work. It is therefore recommended (1) that the employ-ment of medical missionaries shall rest with the general board, which shall have authority to institute all necessary inquiries, prescribe a preliminary course of study, and provide the preliminary examinations; (2) medical missionaries, duly appointed, shall have annual rank with the other mission-aries in the field, and their stipends shall be computed on the same scale. Where there is a mission council they shall be members thereof, having a voice and vote in all business

direct several of the connexional interests were then elected. The London conference representatives are: Book and publishing committee-Rev. S. Bond, Messrs. W. G. Ferguson and

T. B. Carling. Sunday school board—Rev. J. Edge, Mr. J. B. Shillington. Epworth League board—Rev. C. F.

At the evening session of the conference the report of the book room committee was taken up again, and the question of the amalgamation of the nal with the Christian Guardian. There was a good deal of discussion on the point as to whether the suggestion for amalgamation came from the east or the west-representatives of each section throwing this responsibility those of the other, and finally, after various amendments to the proposition for amalgamation had been voted down, a motion was carried that the clause lie on the table. This practically settles the question of amalgamation for the next quadrennium.

FALL FAIRS

Brantford Southern, Brantford, Sept. 17-22. West Middlesex, Strathroy, Sept. 19-21. Watford, Sept. 20-21. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Sept. 20-22. Elgin, St. Thomas, Sept. 20-22. East Lambton, Watford, Sept. 22-23.

Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept.20-Hay Agricultural Society, Zurich, Sept. 21-22. Center Wellington, Fergus, Sept. 22-23. North Perth, Stratford, Sept. 22-23. Northern. Ailsa Craig, Sept. 22-23. Essex, Great Southwestern, Sept. 22-24. Glencoe, Sept. 27-28. West Williams, Parkhill, Sept. 27-28. South Grey, Durham, Sept. 27-28. Blenheim, Drumbo, Sept. 27-28. Palmerston, Palmerston, Sept. 27-28. Wingham, Sept. 27-28.

Mitchell, Sept. 27-28. Center Bruce, Paisley, Sept. 27-28. Peninsular, Chatham, Sept. 27-29. Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 27-29. Petrolia and Enniskillen, Sept. 28-29. Zone and Bothwell, Bothwell, Sept Pelee Island, Pelee, Sept. 29-30.

Mornington, Milverton, Sept. 29-30. Oxford, Kemptville, Sept. 29-30. West Elgin, Wallacetown, Sept. 29-30. South Waterloo, Galt, Sept. 29-30. Ingersoll, Ingersoll, Sept. 29-30. Wallaceburg, Sept. 29-30. East Nissouri, Thamesford, Sept. 30. Bosanquet, Thedford, Sept. 30. Plympton and Wyoming, Sept. 30. London Township, Ilderton, Sept. 30. East Nissouri, Thamesford, Sept. 30. Springfield, Sept. 30-Oct. 1. Thamesville, Thamesville, Oct. 8-4. Tilbury West and North, Comber, Oct.

Merlin, Oct. 3-4 North Oxford, Woodstock, Oct. 3-5. Raleigh, Oct. 3-4. North Riding of Oxford, Woodstock Oct. 3-5. Dereham and South Oxford, Tilson burg, Oct. 4-5. Moore Township, Brigden, Oct. 4.

North Brant, Paris, Oct. 4-5. Forest Union, Forest, Oct. 4-5. South Perth. St. Marys, Oct. 45 Elma, Atwood, Oct. 4-5. North Brant, Paris, Oct. 4-5. Sydenham, Bothwell's Corners, Oct.4-5 Tilbury East, Valetta, Oct. 5. Alvinston, Alvinston, Oct. 5-6. Ridgetown, Oct. 5-7. West Lambton, Oct. 5-7. Westminster A. S., Lambeth, Oct. 5. Oxford and Norwich, Otterville, Oct.

Rodney, Oct. 10-11.
"World's Fair." Rockton, Oct. 11-12.
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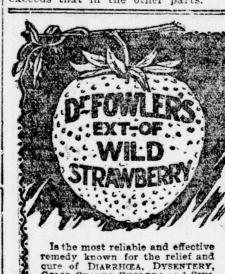
THE BIRTH RATE

Sequel of Dr. Williams' Motion in the Anglican Synod-Dr. Bryce's

Toronto, Sept. 20 .- Dr. Bryce, deputy registrar-general, yesterday discussed briefly the question of the birth rate in Ontario. He admitted that the rate in the Province is pretty low, but there were some reasons why it should not be high.

In a rural country it is difficult to get very satisfactory registration reports. Before the last change in the ports. Before the last enange in law the registration was most defect-ive. In 1896 a new law was passed, ive. In the rest went up with quite a bound. Even under the new regulations, there is reason to believe that the registration is quite inferior to that in the older and more thickly settled countries, such as France and England. When the sys-COMMITTEES. tem of registration becomes more per-The standing committee appointed to feet, doubtless the Ontario rate will

Then, again, the birth rate is always smaller in the country. Dr. Bryce pointed out the difference between the birth rate in Scotch cities and Scotch counties. The young men leave the farm in large numbers, for the cities and the new provinces, leaving one son and the unmarried daughters at home. Ontario is a rural country and cannot, on that account, be compared with England or France. In Ontario the birth rate in the Parry Sound and Rat Portage districts far exceeds that in the other parts.



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Letters of Thanks

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ature. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54—70; Battleford, 42—74; Qu'Appelle, 34—72; Winnipeg, 34—62; Port Arthur, 42—62; Parry Sound, 54—62; Montreal, 54—60; Quebec, 50—56; Halifax, 62—72.

Toronto, Sept. 20, 1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes: Moderate winds; mostly westerly; fine and cool. Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Monday, Sept. 19, the observatory on Monday, Sept. 19, were 65 and 49.5 degrees.

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-Mr. T. F. Kingsmill arrived home on Saturday from a business trip to the -Mrs, F. G. Sanderson, of Montreal,

English markets. s visiting with her cousin, Miss Winnifred Atkinson, South London. -Mr. F. Vance, of Toronto, has been

spending a few days at the residence of Mr. H. Thompson, Bruce street, South London. -On Saturday evening next Rev. Canon Dann, of St. Paul's Cathedral, will deliver an address at the annual

Andrew in Toronto. -Jack Frost paid this neighborhood a visit last night or early this morning. The exposed part of the G. T. R. station platform was plainly marked

ith his footprints. -Miss Udella Jones, daughter of Mr. H. E. Jones, wholesale jeweler, of Stratford, who has been the guest of Miss Kathryn Doyle, of the Britannia House, has returned home.

-Mr. A. B. Imrie has resigned his position as engineer and fanitor of the Y. M. C. A. building. Mr. George F. De Ellion, formerly connected with association work in Chicago, has been appointed to the vacant position.

-William Green, who for six years has been one of the street railway company's most valued employes, has placed his resignation in Manager Carr's hands. Mr. Green is leaving for Chicago, and carries with him the best wishes of his late employers.

-Woodstock Sentinel-Review: W. P. McKenzie, Thamesford, will give up farming this fall and open out a coal and wood business in London, so we learn. George Patterson has been appointed session clerk of St. Andrew's Church, as successor to W. P. Mc-Kenzie.

-The two fire companies at the G. T. R. roundhouse took part in the annual competition Saturday afternoon. The men captained by John Arthurs made a better showing than Capt. Wm. Marshall's company, and captured the prize of \$10, given by the compay. The "dry" test was not attempted.

LONDONER CALLED HOME. Henry O'Connor, well known in this

city, died at his home in Ingersoll on Sunday, aged 72 years. He was a son of the late Capt. O'Connor, of H. M. Ninety-Fifth Regiment, and came to this country, from Ireland, with his father in 1833, settling in London, where he lived for 25 years. He then went to Ingersoll, where he carried on a successful business for 20 years and then retired. He was a man of strict business principles, honest in all his dealings, and had many warm friends. His wife died about four years ago. He leaves two sons and one daughter-Henry, who is engaged in the insurance business in Ingersoll; Eugene in Vancouver, B. C., and Eva, at home.

I. O. F., COURT VICTORIA. Last evening Court Victoria, I. O. F. held a regular meeting. An attendance of some Lambeth brethren was the cause of passing a most pleasant evening. After the regular meeting some dozen tables were placed around the dozen tables were placed around the room, and games of all kinds were played, including pedro, euchre and dominoes. Speeches included part of the evening's enjoyment. Mr. J. W. Rowlands gave an opening address of welcome to the visiting brethren, and was followed by Bros. Wm. Tacka-She—You never did care for me. You only married me for my money. He—Now, you are not only cruel, but abburd. I should like to know how I could have for Court Lambeth: Brothers
A. M. Hunt, Ballantyne, Sadler, sen.,
Sadler, jun., Baker, Hamlin, Corneil and Scram. About a month ago Court Victoria members enjoyed the hospi-tality of Court Lambeth. A friendship between the two courts now exists which will probably tend to further gatherings of this sort.

HARVEST HOME. A harvest home festival was held in the King Street Presbyterian Church last night, when an interesting programme was given. Rev. Thos. Wilson occupied the chair. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Fallis, of the Ham-

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ilton Road Methodist Church; Rev. E. H. Sawers, Westminster, and Rev. Mr. Smith, of Thamesford. The choir supplied good music in abundance, and Mr. H. Ruthven McDonald and Miss Gertrude Howard sang solos and gave recitations. Refreshments were served by the ladies, through whose efforts the entertainment was made a huge

WANT PROHIBITION.

The following is the resolution passed by the board of managers of the First Methodist Church, and read on Sunday night to the congregation:
"Whereas, the Dominion Government

having submitted the question of the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating drinks as a beverage, to the electorate of the Dominion of Canada in order to ascertain what is the opinion of the people on this important matter, and, whereas, the General Conference, the highest legislative body of the Methodist Church, composed of the Methodist Church, portant composed of an equal number of ministers and laymen has, during its recent sessions held in the city of Toonto, expressed itself in the strongest possible terms in favor of prohibition; and, whereas, this board, profoundly er an address at the annual convinced of the vast amount of mis-ery, pauperism and crime inseparably ery, pauperism and crime inseparably connected with the legalization of the drink traffic, takes this opportunity of placing itself on record, as being strongly in favor of the prohibition of the same, believing it to be in the best interests of society that such legislation be enacted. Moreover, this board, without presuming to dictate as to what course the electors of this congregation shall pursue, would respectfully recommend to the electorate of church the prayerful consideration of the crisis to which we have come in this great question of social and moral reform, and trust that they will conscientiously indicate by the character of their ballot at the polls on the 29th inst, their sincere desire for the legal suppression of alcoholic liquors for purposes other than me-chanical and medicinal."

HAMM NOT DEAD

Another Londoner Whose Reported Death Was Untrue.

For the first few weeks after the Cuban war many people in this city were thrown into a fever of excitement by the reported death of nearly all the Londoners who went to the war. Among others the death of Albert Hamm was reported and, like most of

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At the time that I sent for your book, I was suffering from Eczema on the right ear. I could hardly keep my hands off the afflicted surface, the itching was so severe. Every time I would touch my ear small bubbles would open emitting a watery-like substance, apparently poisonous, as when it was communicated to other parts of the body it would produce the same irritation. One of the leading doctors here treated me for a while and applied the usual physician's remedies without benefit. My brother was using CUTICURA at the time and recommended that I try it. J boughta box of CUTICURA (ointment) and had the satisfaction of seeing immediate progress.

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the other rumors, was untrue. Hamm was a private in Wolseley Barracks, and was well-known here. The Toronto Globe says: "The friends of Mr. Aylmer Hamm, of London, Ont., will be glad to learn that the news of his death at the glage of Santiago which death at the siege of Santiago, which was reported a short time ago, is fortunately untrue. A letter was resolved a fortunately ago, ago from Mr. Hamm ceived a few days ago from Mr. Hamm by a friend of his in Toronto, giving accounts of the fighting in Cuba, and stating that he hoped soon to be back in his old home."

MORE WATER

A Test Warrants the Extension of the 8-Inch Main Through the Sherry Property.

The board of water commissioners at the regular meeting yesterday afternoon decided to extend the conduit which was laid to the Sherry and Murphy springs through the Sherry property, on the north side of the river. A test was made which warranted this extension. In 24 hours there is obtained from the Sherry-Murphy springs 289,-000 gallons of water. An 8-inon pipe will be used, and the contract for sup-

plying the same was awarded to Mann & Sons at 11½ cents per foot. Engineer Moore reported that the water meters were being placed, and would be ready to begin the quarter.

The question of builders' rates for water was referred to the chairman and engineer. A long letter from the G. T. R. re drains through their property was referred to the solicitor. The application of Wm. Rose, Princess avenue, for a rebate, was referred to the engin-

eer and chairman with power. The pumping engineer's report showod that since Aug. 30 to date, 58,134,140 gallons had been pumped. The depth in the reservoir at present is 13 feet the refund of \$3 75 charged him for hydrant breakages was referred to the engineer. Thos. Nopper was before the board with an automatic boiler cleaner. Referred to the engineer.

Secretary Ellwood asked that some assistance be provided in making out the rolls, which have greatly increased lately. No action was taken. The members present were: Chairman Jones, J. W. Little, Engineer Moore, and Secretary Ellwood.

INTERESTING TIME

At the Regular Meeting of the Lon. don Presbyterian Council.

Place: Lecture room of St. James' Presbyterian Church, Richmond street. Time: Eight o'clock.

Chairman: Vice-President Alex. Fraser, in absence of the president, who was harvest-homing in his own At the desk, as secretary, ex-Ald.

Armstrong.
Present also, in financial state, Treasurer John Macpherson.

Among the matters of a miscellaneous nature, the subject of a possible joint thanksgiving meeting was referred to the executive committee to think over and consult about. A resolution of satisfaction that Rev.

W. J. Clark had decided not to go to Toronte was unanimously adopted. With equal heartiness was Rev. J. A. McGillivray, the newly-inducted pastor of St. James' Church, welcomed to the membership of the council. Mr. Mc-Gillivray made a neat reply.

The feature of the meeting was the paper by Mr. George W. Armstrong, on how to increase the interest and usefulness of ordination and induction services. In his lively paper the writer took the general ground that these services could be modified, abbreviated, modernized and generally smartened, so as to produce a better all-round

A vigorous and breezy discussion followed, pro and con. As a whole, there was a good deal of agreement with the essayist.

The next meeting - place, Knox Church, South London; the subject, "Is the progress of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, in all lines, as compared with other denominations, satisfactory?"

A MOTORMAN'S ESCAPE

How Benjamin Bacon Escaped From a Terrible Position.

Toronto, Sept. 19.-Mr. Benjamin Bacon, motorman No. 150, in the employ of the Toronto Street Railway Company, tells the following story of his escape from a situation in which death menaced him daily.

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The Statistical and Financia Report for 1897.

Interesting Information-Increase in Membership and Finances.

The annual statistical and financial report of the presbytery of London for 1897 contains the following infor-

In the presbytery of London there are 53 congregations, an increase of 2, viz., Chalmers Church, London, and St. George Church, Pottersburg. The number of pastoral charges is 37; 32 of these charges are self-sustaining, and 5 receive assistance from the augmentation fund. There is one mission sta-

tion, Ekfrid. There are 3,615 families; an increase over the preceding year of 184 fami-

The number of single persons not connected with families of the several congregations is 754; a decrease of 59. The number of communicants on roll is 7,655; an increase of 140. Communicants added during the year on profession of faith, 435; by certificate, 346; total, 781; an increase of 67. There was a decrease of 13 in those added on their own profession of faith, while there was an increase of 80 in those added on

Demissions: By death, 112; by certificate, 249; without certificate, 163; total, 524; an increase of 136. Infants, 239; adults, 62; total, 301; a decrease of 34-20 in the case of in-

fants, and 14 in that of adults. The eldership, comprising 281, has increased by 12, and other office bearers, The number of persons engaged in Sabbath school work is 693. This shows an increase of 20, while the number in

Sunday school and Bible classes, 6,050, shows a decrease of 427. The average attendance at weekly prayer meeting is 2,099, a decrease of 371. This is not a very gratifying report, since it shows 72 per cent of the

church membership neglects this aid to spiritual life. Missionary associations, 22. Same as Women's Foreign Missionary Socielast year.

ties, 31. a decrease of 5. Christian Endeavor Societies, 18, an increase of 4.
Young People's Societies and Home Mission Societies, 15, an increase of 2. The membership of Christian Endeavor, Young People's Societies and Home Mission Societies is 1,323, an increase

The total contributions for strictly congregational purposes amounted to \$74,899, which is \$7,380 more than last year. This gives an average per family of \$20 72, and per communicant, \$9 78, showing an increase of \$1 04 per family, and 62 cents per communicant, which is \$4 33 per family and \$1 05 per communicant higher than the average for the whole church.

The amount contributed to the schemes of the church was \$17,846. This shows the gratifying increase of \$5,104 over last year, and \$4,376 over 1891, which hitherto was the presbytery's best record. It is to be noted, however, that there is included in this amount two bequests; one which came

through St. Andrew's Church, Londeducting these bequests, there is still a large increase, \$3,854, over last year,

and \$3,126 over 1891. The average per family is \$4 94, which 4s \$1 33 higher than last year, and \$2 05 higher than the average for the whole

church. The average per communicant is \$2 33, which is 65 cents higher than last year, and 79 cents higher than the average for the whole church. All purposes—The total contributions were \$96,644, an increase over last year of \$11,868. This gives an average per family of \$26 73, an increase of \$2 02; and an average per communicant of \$12 62, an increase of \$1 34. This is \$6 23 per family and \$2 30 municant higher than the average for the whole church last year.

THE BEST LONDON CHOIR?

The Opinion of a Visiting Musical

Stranger. One who thinks he knows, and who certainly ought to know, a good deal about choirs, recently gave the opinion that there were "three very fair choirs in London." Being asked to name them, he replied that it would take some time to indicate properly the reasons for his preference, and that he would do so at another time. Now, which are the three best choirs

in London?

The Best in the World. In a lengthy article in its issue for December, the Canada Lancet makes the following statements with regard to Abbey's Effervescent Salt. physicians in Canada are now presscribing Abbey's Effervescent which has recently been introduced here. After a careful trial we congider that this Salt is absolutely the best Effervescing Salt made in any country. In Fever and many Inflam-atory Affections it is invaluable. It is particularly effective in Kidney troubles. It is a most excellent specific in certain forms of Dyspepsia and in the treatment of Gout and Rheu-

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Streets, Toronto. E. W. Day, manager Globe Loan and Savings Company, says: "I consider Dr. Ointment invaluable." have thousands of testimonials from prominent business men all over the