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New Light on the Baie des Chaleurs Business.

MR. CHAPLEAU'S ADMISSION.

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—In the Tarte Committee yesterday there was a lively contest between Mr. Lister and Secretary of State Chapleau. The dispute arose out of the examination of Ald. Rolland, paper manufacturer of Montreal, who has in the last three years been supplying $30,000 or $40,000 worth of paper to the Government. Rolland admitted that he had given election subscriptions to Dansereau, Chapleau's right hand man in Quebec. Mr. Chapleau said that if it was intended to charge him with having received election subscriptions from Dansereau, or with having asked Rolland in company with other manufacturers, he would plead guilty. Mr. Chapleau has over and over again strenuously denied all participation in and knowledge of such transactions as those of Seneca. The fair interpretation of his admission, therefore, is that he treated Mr. Rolland and other paper manufacturers as a part of the Quebec section of the red parlor. But it must be recollected that some of the paper manufacturers have not merely the general interest of manufacturers in keeping up the tariff, but the special interest of purveyors to the printing bureau.

MR. WHITE HEARD FROM.

Mr. Richard White, manager of the Montreal Gazette, said he had recommended the appointment of Mr. Bronskill to Mr. Chapleau to fill the position of manager of the stationery branch of the Printing Bureau. He had assisted the Canada Paper Company to get trade with the Printing Bureau by saying to Mr. Bronskill that he would be very glad to see orders given to the company. He may have said the same thing to Mr. Chapleau. Witness had had very large accounts with the Canada Paper Company during the past twenty years. He had never received or been promised any consideration for his influence with the Government.

INDORSED BY MR. CHAPLEAU.

John Macfarlane, managing director of the Canada Paper Company, was called. He sold the Government large quantities of paper and he also sold paper to La Presse newspaper. He had made a contract a year and a-half ago to supply La Presse. He knew that Mr. Berthiaume owed the New England Paper Company about $10,000 at that time. He advanced some money to Mr. Berthiaume at the time the contract was made. He did not know whether it was applied to pay off the notes given to the New England Paper Company by Mr. Berthiaume. The amount of the advance was $9,000. The money advanced, witness presumed, was to pay off the notes made by Mr. Berthiaume to the New England Paper Company, which were indorsed by Hon. Mr. Chapleau. The notes amounted to $10,255. Ten per cent. of the notes was to be paid as they fell due, and the notes were reduced to $6,000 in the two years of the contract. The renewal notes were to be indorsed by Mr. Chapleau.

Mr. Hyman moved that all the papers in connection with the building of the pier at Port George, Annapolis county, be brought down. This carried and the committee adjourned until Friday.

THE BAIE DES CHALEURS MATTER.

Mr. George Taylor appeared before the Senate Committee on Railways yesterday and was re-examined by Mr. Francois Langelier, M.P., counsel for the Quebec Government. He reaffirmed the affidavit stating that he received $118,000 in excess of the work done on the first twenty-mile section and handed that amount back to the company. Mr. Barwick had elicited from this witness on Friday that J. C. Langelier prepared this affidavit, but last night the witness identified a statement of facts in his own handwriting which he had given to Mr. J. C. Langelier for the purpose of drawing up the affidavit. Cross-examined, Taylor said there was a good deal of work to be done on the section when he left it, but some of this was not in his contract.

Mr. Henry McFarlane, the sub-contractor for the first 60 miles, who was thrown into insolvency because the old company did not pay its debts, was the next witness. Mr. McFarlane's claim against the company is for $290,000. He would not, he said, have undertaken the contract if Senator Robitaille had not been in the company. Mr. Tasse sought to implicate members of the Quebec Legislature and of Parliament, having reference to Mr. Francois Langelier in the latter class. This brought out Mr. McFarlane's statement that he had never paid anyone a cent to intercede with the Quebec Government, and that although Mr. Francois Langelier had worked thirteen months as his solicitor on his claim he had never paid him 1 cent. Mr. Langelier said he received $300 from the curator of the McFarlane estate, that was all.

Mr. A. M. Thom, the secretary-treasurer of the new company, was next examined. He said he alone conducted all the negotiations with the Quebec Government on behalf of the new syndicate. It was witness that induced Armstrong to accept $175,000 for his claim. Witness had several interviews with Messrs Garneau and Ross, of the Quebec Government and was once before the whole Executive Council, but at no time and in no way was there any hint directly or indirectly of an improper transaction; nor did Pacaud appear in any way in his negotiations with the Government. He never met Pacaud until he was introduced to him in New York, where he went to conclude his negotiations with the Government. No member of the Government hinted that he should deal with Pacaud. Pressed to give his full connection with Pacaud, witness related an incident which goes to put the Pacaud-Armstrong affair in a possibly different light. Previous to the closing of this contract Armstrong had come to him and asked him to cash an order for $54,000 or $45,000, he did not know which, in order to secure a debt which Armstrong owed to Pacaud, incurred by getting an advance, which he was to repay out of his railway securities. Thom declined for business reasons, as he only learned of the $160,000 transactions in this committee room. Since he came to Ottawa Armstrong had told him that he was responsible to Pacaud only for payment of the interest on that $54,000, about $4,500, but he intimated that he did not believe that, as he had never heard of a case where a man was responsible for the interest and not for the principal. He denied telling J. J. Macdonald that Armstrong's money had gone in boodle, except in a joke, as all he knew of it at the time was from newspaper reports. The $75,000 Armstrong received had been transferred to the new company to pay Armstrong's debts, and witness said he was still paying them, but the $75,000 was not yet exhausted. Thom swore that in dealing with the Quebec Government he had never required an intermediary. After he gave his consent for the payment of the $175,000 to Armstrong the Government commissioner could not very well oppose it.

SENECAL'S BOODLE.

It is probable that during Senecal's term of office he received $50,000 from those who supplied goods to the Government.

COCHRANE ON THE RACK.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—The investigation into the Cameron charges against Edward F. Cochrane, M.P., was commenced this morning in the badly-bewindowed lower room. The seven members of the committee were all present, together with as many spectators as the room would comfortably hold. Mr. B. B. Osler appeared for Mr. Cochrane, and Mr. Barron, M.P., conducted the case for Mr. Cameron.

The first witness was Hedley H. Simpson, who got the Presque Isle lighthouse in return, it is charged, for $200. The witness said that he had given two notes for $100 each to Stanley, Cochrane's agent, to pay a note on an old election protest debt. He would not have given these notes if he had not expected to get the office, and indeed he could not have paid them without the salary from the office. He had not been much interested in politics, and this was his first subscription to the party funds. He denied positively that they were in any sense a payment for the office and that he had ever seen Cochrane about the matter. He had admitted that he had sent Stanley to Cochrane to see him about the office, and that these notes were made afterwards. He paid the notes by installment out of his salary.

THE BEST BID NOT NECESSARILY ACCEPTED.

A Randal R. Simpson—a brother-in-law of the last witness—told of carrying a letter from Cochrane to Hedley H. Simpson about this affair. Cochrane had told him at the time that Snetsinger had offered him either $400 or $600 for the office, but that he had let Hedley have it for $200. Subsequently he taunted the witness with having done a great deal for the Simpson family, especially giving Hedley an office for $200 that he might have got much more for.

Walter Simpson, another of the family, urged Mr. Cochrane to give Hedley the position of lighthouse-keeper, but knew nothing particularly.

SOMEWHAT "PREVIOUS."

James Stanley, one of the pivots of the case, stated that he was appointed by a committee to collect money to pay party debts from the Murray Canal bridge-keepers. He was to say to them that they had got their appointments, and ask if they would voluntarily give anything to the party. It came out then that these men had only been nominated for the positions by the party committee and had not yet been appointed by the Government when they were asked for their "voluntary subsciptions." He got in the same way $200 from Hedley Simpson, of the lighthouse. Only one man, Vanalstine, failed to get the office, and he was repaid his money.

The witness said that he understood that Cochrane's name was on the note paid by this money, but Mr. Osler kicked vigorously against both the question and answer.

Mr. Stanley's evidence was not completed at the noon adjournment.

THE GRAIN CROP.

Effects of Frost on the Wheat in the Northwest—The Outlook.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Sept. 2.—Harvesting is in full swing here. Fully 50 per cent. of the wheat is cut. With favorable weather the farmers expect to finish cutting within ten days. It is impossible yet to obtain reliable information concerning the damage to crops by the frost.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 2.—Hon. S. C. Wood, ex-Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, who has been in this country in the interest of his loan company, left for home yesterday. Mr. Wood visited the different wheat districts, and is very much pleased with the prospects of the harvest. He states that very little damage has been done by frost.

Wheat cutting at several points on the N.P.R. is finished.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The Egyptian crop amounts to 3,700,000 cwts.—the largest crop on record. The coming season promises an equally large yield.

TORONTO, Sept. 3. — Lyman Dwight, superintendent of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company, Winnipeg, wires: "It is estimated fully 65 per cent. of the crop is harvested and the remainder is being rapidly cut. At the time of the frost it is claimed that not more than 30 per cent. of the grain was cut, which escaped frost altogether. Of the balance it is now claimed 50 per cent. was touched by frost and some localities more serious than others. The estimated yield notwithstanding the frost is 25,000,000. Of this 5,000,000 to 8,000,000 is perhaps touched more or less."

New wheat is beginning to arrive at Duluth, Minn., at the rate of 50 to 75 cars a day.

These dispatches were received yesterday:

To Mr. H. P. Dwight, from Winnipeg—Clear and cool this morning with strong north wind. No frost reported anywhere.

To Mr. Homer Pingle, from Winnipeg—Weather yesterday cloudy and cool with rain at Qu'Appelle, Deloraine and Boissevain; west to northwest wind this morning; part cloudy and cooler.

To Mr. H. P. Dwight, from Winnipeg—Rapid City, cloudy, no frost last night; Brandon, clear and cool, no frost; Minnedosa, wind from northwest, cool and cloudy, no frost last night; Carberry, northwest wind, cloudy, no frost.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The recent storms have half ruined the crops throughout Scotland, and the harvest is at a complete standstill.

Atrocities in Chili.

Revolt of Two Government Regiments.

All the Officers Shot to Death by the Mutineers.

Excesses of Every Description Committed—British and German War Vessels Ordered to the Scene —Bitter Feeling Against Americans.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—A special from Valparaiso says: "News comes from Talcahuano that the two regiments of Government troops which were taken to that part recently from Coquimbo from the transport Imperiale revolted when they heard of the defeat of the Balmacedists at Placilla last Friday. They shot to death all of their officers and disbanded.

Nearly 4,000 coal miners joined the soldiers and together they have practically taken possession of the town of Coronell about 25 miles south of Concepcion. All sorts of excesses have been committed by them. Houses and stores have been sacked and burned. The slightest protest against their actions is met by rifle shots. Women have been abducted and subjected to brutalities of the most revolting character. In fact mob rule in its worst form prevails. Some outrages have been committed also in Concepcion and Lacaprino.

As soon as the news was received the German warship Soppie and the British gunboat Daphne were ordered to go at once to Coronell and protect the interests of foreign residents there. The Government officials here have also taken steps to beat the mob into subjection.

There is no disguising the fact that there is a very bitter feeling against the Americans on the part of the unsuccessful revolutionists.

The capture of the Itata has created the impression that the United States Government was actively antagonistic to the revolutionary cause, and Admiral Brown's action in refusing to give up the political refugees who have found an asylum aboard his ship has added to the general irritation. It is the general belief that Admiral Brown is acting under instructions or by the advice of United States Minister Egan. The feeling against Mr. Egan is very violent, and his recall will doubtless soon be demanded.

The records of Santiago confirm the statement that on Aug. 18 President Balmaceda ordered 42 young men to be shot to death. They were charged with having engaged in a plot to blow up railroad bridges and thus prevent the movement of the Government troops. Many of them were mere boys of from 16 to 18 years of age.

THE I. O. FORESTERS.

Session of the Supreme Court in Detroit.

Officers' Reports Show Continued Prosperity and Increase of Membership Everywhere.

DETROIT, Sept. 2.—The eighth communication of the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters was opened in Fraternity Hall yesterday in this city. At 2 p.m. the popular supreme chief ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha, called the court to order, the following officers being present: P. S. G. R. E. Botterell, Ottawa; S. V. C. R. Wm. Griffith, Hamilton; Supreme Secretary John A. McGillivray, Toronto; Supreme Treasurer Thos. G. Davey, London; Supreme Physician T. Millman, M.D., Toronto; Supreme Counselor F. W. Emerson, Petitcodiac, N. B.

The voting power of the different high courts represented is as follows: Ontario, 35; Quebec, 7; New York, 4; Ohio, 5; Nova Scotia, 4; New Jersey, 4; North Dakota, 3; New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, 6; Missouri, 3; Minnesota, 3; Michigan, 11; Illinois, 3; California, 4. Each high court is allowed two initial delegates and one extra for each 500 members.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, the supreme chief ranger, referred to the large increase of membership, which, in July, 1891, was 29,617 against 306 in July, 1881, the order having $361,960 08 surplus in the bank.

Since the last session of the Supreme Court high courts have been instituted in Minnesota, New York, California, North Dakota, Illinois and Missouri. Ground has also been broken in Oregon, Washington, Colorado, Montana, Arizona, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and Kansas, and last, though not by any means the least, the banner of the I.O.F. has been planted in Great Britain. Negotiations are also in progress for the introduction of the order in New Zealand and Australia. Lengthy reference was made to the difficulties in Michigan that have been recently so happily settled by the Michigan High Court.

The supreme secretary's report shows that a total insurance of $34,887,000 is held by the members, and that the average risk per member is only $1,207, as against $1,233 at last report. Within two years 253 members have died. During June, 1889, the income was $18,774 98, while during the same month this year it was $40,448 25. During the past two years 462 new courts have been organized. The assets of the Supreme Court are $374,471 39 and the liabilities only $5,654 03.

The supreme physician reported that since last meeting he had examined 22,148 medical papers, 1,208 of which were for an insurance of $3,000, 2,894 for $2,000 and 18,046 for $1,000. Of these 20,462 papers were passed and 1,419 rejected. For sick benefits there had been 5,541 applicants for 123,370 days' illness, and these had received over $38,000 from the Supreme Court, besides free medical attendance and other benefits from the local courts.

The business manager of the Independent Forester reported that the mailing list to individual members has increased with wonderful rapidity, 614 of the 825 courts having availed themselves of the advantage of having their papers mailed in this way. The changes and additions to these lists entail a great amount of labor, two compositors being employed for three weeks in each month at the work. The report concludes:

"The Independent Forester is the great 'missionary' of our order; it circulates from the Atlantic to the Pacific wherever a court of Foresters has been planted, and introduces to the favorable notice of all thinking men with whom it may come in contact the advantages to be gained by becoming a member of our order; it reclaims many a delinquent who is induced by the monthly appearance of its bright red cover and the magnificent amount of Reserve Fund there displayed to return, pay up his arrears and become reinstated in his court; it is the medium through which our members and organizers receive a monthly record of the continued prosperity of the order, giving them courage to face any opposition and work with renewed zeal in the interest of the order, whose welfare we all hold so dear.

THE NATIONAL COUNT.

Discussion of the Census by the Commons.

Bad Government, Not an Inferior Country or People, the Cause.

Hundreds of Thousands of Immigrants Missing.

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—In the House to-day Mr. Girouard moved the adoption of the report of the Privileges and Elections Committee, presented yesterday, with regard to the resignation of Mr. Thomas McGreevy. He drew attention to the fact that the act governing the election of members to the Commons contained no provision to have the clerk of the court send notice to the Speaker so that he might know what elections were protested. He suggested that a clause to require that this be done be inserted. Referring to the clause of the report which suggested that the House consider the advisability of repealing clause 7 of the act, he said he thought there was no good objects gained by refusing to allow a member to resign his seat.

Mr. Mills referred to the question, aside from the statute, of how far a member has a right to resign where serious charges which might deprive him of his seat were pending. Apart from the statute it would be well for Parliament in dealing with the matter not to disregard without investigation the ancient rule and usage, which was that a member against whom charges are pending that may cause his expulsion is not in a position to tender his resignation.

Mr. Davies said it was the unanimous opinion of the sub-committee that Mr. McGreevy cannot resign his seat.

Sir John Thompson did not think a member ought to be prevented from vacating his seat.

The report was adopted.

DUTIES AND CUSTOMS BILL.

Mr. Foster moved the second reading of the bill to amend the acts respecting the duties and customs. Sir Richard told the Finance Minister he would on or before the third reading of the bill take the sense of the House on at least one of the measures he proposed in the bill. He asked if a day's notice would be given. Mr. Foster promised and the bill was read a second time.

THE CENSUS AND ITS LESSONS.

Sir Richard Cartwright on Mr. Foster's motion to go into supply rose amid Opposition cheers and said: Mr. Speaker, I do not suppose that there is a single member of this House on either side or in either party who has taken the trouble to examine the returns recently laid on the table affecting the population of Canada without a feeling of deep and profound regret. We may differ widely as to the causes which have led to these results and also as to the remedies which might be employed to prevent a recurrence of a similar disappointing statement, but I have no doubt we will all agree that it is a matter for profound regret that in a country of the enormous resources and fertile areas as yet undeveloped such as Canada possesses we should find ourselves reduced to the level of a country of the old world in the matter of the growth of population in the last ten years. (Hear, hear.) The honorable gentleman proceeded to say that while the wretched results of ten years of high tax rule were a source of regret, they were not a matter of surprise to the Liberal leaders or those who chose to heed their warnings, but a large proportion of the people have been kept in ignorance of the facts through the agencies of false records of immigration and of a press which, under the stimulus of enormous subsidies, concealed or misrepresented the true state of affairs and vilified those who told the truth. The reports of the Department of Agriculture showed an immigration of 886,000 during the last ten years, being nearly 400,000 more than the increase in the population. The trade and navigation returns put up the population every year until they made it 5,220,632, and by this fictitious increase in the number of burden-bearers made an apparent lightening of the load which each has to bear. Thus they got the per capita taxation down to $4 60, while it is really $5 03. Adding the immigration as officially reported to the natural increase, Canada should now have a population of nearly 6,400,000 instead of 4,829,000. The manner in which the declarations made by Sir Richard Cartwright during the past few years are verified by the census is marvelous. For instance, he estimated that the increase of population during the past decade was not more than 50,000 a year. The census shows that the increase was 504,000, or 50,400 a year, showing that the estimate was exceedingly close. Sir Richard was very effective in dealing with the question of the Maritime Provinces. The total increase in these Provinces in ten years has been only 10,000, mainly in Nova Scotia. Nova Scotia alone the previous decade increased by 55,000, or five and a half times as much as between 1881 and 1891. New Brunswick in the ten years which included the Mackenzie Administration grew to the extent of 35,000, nearly 600 times as much as the increase of 61 attained during the N. P. decade. These results are all the worse because the present Tory majority is derived so largely from the Maritime Provinces. The increase in Ontario is accounted for entirely by the increase in a few cities and towns. The greater part of the Province has remained stationary or retrograded. The result of an expenditure of $160,000,000 in the Northwest is the addition of about 20,000 families to the country.

Sir Richard, in the course of his remarks, said that as a consequence of the policy of high taxation "a small number of persons have grown rich, a few favored localities have grown in wealth, but if you take an honest view of the state of affairs; if you put on one side the enormous increase of the Federal debt, of the municipal debts, of the Provincial debts, the mortgage indebtedness, the railway debt and add to that the enormous depreciation of the value of farm property and of property in the majority of towns and villages, and place on the other side the growth of a few localities, it is very unlikely that the balance would show anything in our favor." Another good point: "I do not doubt this, that before the writs for the last general election were issued there came to the knowledge of some members of the Government that there was great danger of this state of facts being disclosed; one of the reasons that induced these people to commit the gross outrage upon the people of Canada and the Government of hurrying on the elections before the people should become acquainted with the facts of the census returns and certain other facts which were being disclosed by the committees of this House. That was one of the main reasons why the people of Canada were hurried into an election without being possessed of the vast amount of information that we have now. If the people had had these facts before them, the Government would not have had the majority behind the treasury benches that they have to-day."

After a brilliant exposition of the great natural advantages which Canada possesses and of the ability of her sons and daughters to hold their own in a fair field, Sir Richard touched briefly on the effects of the McKinley tariff. Then he went on: "I have desired as far as we can to have free trade with the whole world, but if we are driven to make a choice, if we are driven to choose between free trade with the new world and unrestricted reciprocity with it, then I say give us free trade with the new world."

THE AMENDMENT.

After adverting to the Government's sins of omission and of commission, Sir Richard said that misgovernment and corruption had gone far to make the name of Canada to-day an object of contempt to the whole world. This was the result of twelve years' systematic and continuous corruption, folly, falsehood and fraud, and that the people might know what the result of this had been, he begged that the Speaker do not now leave the chair, but that all the words after "that" in the motion be struck out and the following substituted in lieu thereof:

"That it appears from the official returns recently laid on the table of this House that the total population of the Dominion of Canada on or about April 1, 1891, was 4,829,344; that it further appears, from the report of the Department of Agriculture for the year 1890, that the total number of immigrants stated by the said department to have settled in Canada from Jan. 1, 1881, to Dec. 31, 1890, was in all 866,171; that according to the last census the population of the Dominion on or about April 1, 1881, was 4,324,810; that the total increase of the population of Canada in the ten years now past was 504,534; that at the rate of 2¼ per cent. per annum the natural increase of the population of Canada during the last ten years would amount to 1,077,531 without any immigration; that at the same rate of 2¼ per cent. per annum the natural increase of the said 866,171 immigrants officially reported to have settled in Canada between the years of 1880 and 1890 would have amounted to 110,432; that had the same said natural rate of increase been maintained and the said immigrants remained in Canada the total population of Canada would now amount to 6,404,944; that according to statements made by members of the Government in their places in this House and according to official documents, at least 400,000 square miles of fertile territory heretofore unoccupied in the northwest portion of Canada have been made accessible and available for settlement within the last ten years; that the said new territory amounts to 256,000,000 acres, being an area equal to twelve times the entire area of occupied land in the Province of Ontario at the present time, and being fully five times as large as the whole occupied area of the five Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in 1881; that it appears from the above recited facts that the difference between the actual increase of the population of Canada and the natural increase, together with the immigrants officially reported to have settled in Canada, is 1,568,600; that during the last ten years the actual taxation of the people of Canada has been enormously increased under the operation of the existing tariff; that the deplorable state of things disclosed by the abovementioned returns imperatively commands a radical change in the policy and methods of government followed by the Administration." (Loud cheers.)

THE DEFENSE.

Mr. Foster replied: He had looked for a discussion marked by fair consideration, and desired to find out the causes and the relations of our population, but Cartwright's speech was simply a boast that out of his thousands of prophesies a few had nearly come true. He had commenced by declaring that the Government gave year by year false estimates of the population of this country, when no one knows better than he that there was no deliberate misrepresentation, no conspiracy, no attempt on the part of the department making these returns, having merely taken the percentage of returns and those based on their calculations as to the population as far as they possibly could do with the information at their disposal. He had spoken of the effect of the policy as tending to drive people into the cities from the country, but he did not pretend to consider these broad matters of discussion, which for the last four or five years have been patent to every reader of the press or magazines, where statesmen, economists and political scientists have been engaged in discussing that wonderful crowding from country to cities, and how best it may be dealt with. These causes were general, and not confined to Canada. He said the change in method of taking the census was one cause of the poor showing and another was the attack of the Liberals on the Government policy, which he described as "the preaching of blue ruin." What was not wanted at this time when men of both political parties are exercised, worried with the difficulties which had cropped up and which they were trying to make right, was that the honorable gentleman should declare that the entire civil service is utterly corrupt—(Opposition applause)—and that Canada is a by-word and reproach in the world. Honorable gentlemen might wish to spread that idea, but history would not give the meed of praise to persons who acted in that way.

Mr. Foster judged the Pacaud charges into the debate, but Mr. Cameron, who followed him, showed it would have been better if the Finance Minister had let the subject of boodling in this connection alone. Mr. Cameron made an attack in his most vigorous and incisive style. The fine eulogy on Mr. Laurier with which he concluded was much admired. Dr. Sproule also spoke.

Mr. Charlton's speech was remarkable for its clever irony, lucid and logical reasoning and masterly marshaling of figures.

At 11:30 the debate was adjourned.

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TORONTO TOPICS.

Trade Shows Signs of Improvement—Central Bank Affairs.

TORONTO, Sept. 3.—The Globe's commercial review says: Trade is this week beginning to show signs of improvement, and the indications are that the movement in most lines will in the immediate future be materially increased. The report of the splendid harvest in Ontario and the improved prospects in Manitoba and the Northwest have had a beneficial effect on trade, and as soon as the farmers' deliveries of grain in this Province begin to increase the effect will be distinctly felt. There is a feeling of confidence in all departments of trade, and many of our merchants, especially in the drygoods business, look for an unprecedentedly prosperous fall trade. Payments both in the city and country are generally considered good for this season, and one large drygoods house reports having during the past few weeks received more remittances than for some years.

The corner-stone of the new St. George's Hall was laid yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. Herbert Mason amid a large assembly of members of the society.

The inquest on the body of Thomas Willis at the Humber resulted in a verdict that the immediate cause of death was injuries received from a passing freight train while on the track of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and that no blame can be attached to any employe of the railway, but the jury were of the opinion that the Grand Trunk Railway Company should use a more safe cattle-guard and place a continual watch with gates at the crossing.

Ald. Graham, chairman of the local Board of Health, has been making an investigation into the origin of hog cholera in the neighborhood of Toronto, and is satisfied it comes from Essex county. Mr. Graham is satisfied that it has now been fairly stamped out, and that people can eat pork with perfect safety.

The Kiely-Everett syndicate inaugurated the cheap tickets (eight for a quarter) yesterday, but the demand far exceeded the supply.

Mrs. Lobb, wife of Mr. T. S. Lobb, drygoods merchant, 821 Queen street east, has received a telegram from Colorado Springs to the effect that a brother of hers named Robert Hooper, age 21, had been found dead on the roadside near the above-named place. A post-mortem examination revealed the fact that death resulted from poison. His watch, money, etc., were missing when the body was discovered. Colorado Springs police are working up the case, as foul play is strongly suspected.

The Central Bank liquidators have just issued a new statement of the defunct bank. Receipts are put at $2,023,609 31, and disbursements at $1,830,643 41, for total payments of creditors, and $119,013 75 for expenses of liquidations, leaving cash on hand and in bank amounting to $73,947 52.

Ex-President Balmaceda Reported Killed.

VALPARAISO, Sept. 3.—It is reported from Santiago that ex-President Balmaceda, while trying to escape across the mountains, has been killed. Another dispatch states that he is at Los Andes with his family and valuables.

Five Thousand Acres of Hay Land Devastated.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Sept. 3.—Five thousand acres of hay land studded with stacks was swept clear by a prairie fire Tuesday night, supposed to have caught from a Northern Pacific locomotive. The fire burned to the banks of Turtle River.

After diphtheria, scarlet fever, pneumonia, or any other severe illness, there is no better tonic than Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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PAYMENTS OF MISSIONARIES.

In the Dominion House of Commons the other night:

Sir Richard Cartwright, on the vote for the Indians of New Brunswick, called attention to the fact that $1,015 was paid last year to missionaries, and asked an explanation of it. It occurred to him that missionaries might be better employed nearer home.

Mr. Dewdney said that was a bonus to clergymen who had been doing special work among the Indians.

Sir Richard Cartwright—Of what denomination are these missionaries?

Mr. Dewdney—They are all Roman Catholics.

Sir Richard Cartwright—This is a departure with which the House should have been acquainted. This should have been brought down as a special vote. Out of $6,000 spent among the Indians of New Brunswick $1,000 have been appropriated for the payment of salaries of a number of clergymen. That was not contemplated by the House when the money was voted. Clergymen in various parts of the Dominion have devoted a great deal of time to the spiritual welfare of the Indians. If we are going to pay these men, I do not know where you are going to draw the line. This is a question of considerable importance, and I would like to have further information as so how long these gentlemen have been paid, and what relations they occupy towards the Indians.

Mr. Flint said the Indians would be a great deal better off if the money was spent in providing food. No doubt their spiritual welfare was important, but the matter should be carefully considered, for other denominations would be claiming this privilege.

Mr. Dewdney said that in Nova Scotia most of the Indian agents were Roman Catholic priests. In New Brunswick there were two agencies, and the rest of the work had been done by these clergymen, who had received salaries for years back.

Sir Richard Cartwright said that when these facts were known there would be a number of applications made from various denominations which had been concerning themselves in looking after the Indians. He asked what the Government proposed to do about this matter in the future.

Mr. Dewdney said he would look into the matter. These clergymen appeared to be doing a certain amount of Indian work. The matter had not struck him before.

Mr. Campbell—How many Indians are there in New Brunswick?

Mr. Dewdney—Two thousand.

Sir Richard Cartwright—I do not like this mode of smuggling votes for missionaries into the estimates without a distinct understanding as to the why and wherefore and all about it. We cannot recognize the spiritual needs of the Indians in one Province without recognizing them in another Province. The Government is preparing a difficult question to be solved in the future. How much of the vote this year is to go to clergymen?

Mr. Dewdney replied that he contemplated doing the same as last year, but would bring down further particulars later on.

The item was allowed to stand.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

During a severe lightning storm Monday the barn of Samuel Passmore, near Mount Pleasant, was struck by lighting, and it with its contents were entirely consumed. Loss considerably exceeds the insurance of $300 on the barn and $1,000 on the contents. The cordage factory, West Brantford, was also struck, but the fire was quickly extinguished.

BRUCE.

A sister to John George, Port Elgin, who has lived with him many years, went to the hayloft to put down hay, when she stumbled and fell against an outside door, which did not happen to be fastened. Of course the unfortunate lady fell to the ground, where she was found a considerable time afterwards with her back broken and suffering severely. She died in a short time.

At the recent saengerfest in Hamilton it was universally admitted that the most beautiful banner in the procession was that of the Berlin Musical Society. This banner was made at the Walkerton Convent.

Jennie, oldest daughter of David Anderson, formerly of Kincardine, died in Victoria, B.C., on Aug. 17. She had only been ill since the preceding Friday, when she was seized with la grippe. This developed into inflammation in the neighborhood of the heart.

ESSEX.

The Bank of Montreal, which at present has no branch west of Chatham, except that at Chicago, is looking about Windsor for a suitable location in which to establish a branch.

On Sunday evening the barn of Samuel Hicksmoth, Gosfield South, was struck by lightning, and together with the contents, which consisted of all this year's crops, was entirely destroyed by fire. Partially insured.

William Watson, who was released from Central Prison, Toronto, a few days ago and was immediately rearrested by Detective Campan on a charge of stealing $92 from his employer in Sandwich West, was before Judge Horne at Sandwich Monday for trial. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to eighteen months in the Central Prison.

The marsh fires on Pelee Island have been quenched. The damage done was very large.

The Government inspection of live stock entering Canada by way of Windsor began on Tuesday morning.

The Essex Record last winter offered a piano and other gifts to the subscribers who should within a given period guess nearest to the population of Essex county as announced in the census returns. The census figures, as published, are 55,545, and it looks now as though Charles Reed, secretary of the Windsor Water Board, whose guess was 55,555, will be the winner of the chief prize, though the announcement will not be made until the published figures are verified by the official report.

Scribner and McGill, the two patent bedstead men, have been committed for trial at the Sandwich assizes.

At Amherstburg on Saturday evening as Remi Primeau was climbing into his delivery wagon the box tipped up and he fell to the ground breaking his leg near the knee.

George Hubbell, Colchester, claims to be one of the Edwards heirs, and as such to be entitled to a share in the millions at which the New York City Hall and Trinity Church are valued, and which were only leased for 99 years to the present stockholders.

W. D. Balfour, M. P. P., has for some time been working for the continuance of the electric railway to Amherstburg from Windsor, and his efforts will probably be crowned with success. Engineer McPhillips has received instructions from the company and will at once survey the route and lay out three lines, the most favorable of which will be taken by the company. Before another twelve months go by the road will probably be running to Amherstburg.

Albert Hyland, Maidstone, was assaulted at a gospel temperance meeting by W. S. Reid, Essex, who is charged with having used a revolver and threatened to shoot Hyland.

ELGIN.

E. Stanton, Middlemarch, has a hen that lays two eggs a day.

Archie McPhail, Fingal, has in his garden a sunflower that is 22 feet high and on which there are 46 heads.

George Wise, who broke his leg a few weeks ago while unloading rails on the M. C. R., on Monday had the misfortune to break it again in H. Calver's bowling alley in St. Thomas.

Wm. Wetover has been found guilty of assaulting and robbing Robert Orr in St. Thomas last week and sentence has been deferred.

A. E. Ridle, sent to penitentiary three years ago from St. Thomas for forgery, has been released and is now in the States seeking employment.

Miss Mary Steele, Aylmer, has accepted a position as teacher in the Grimsby public school.

F. A. Ashbaugh, Aylmer, has received a situation as traveler for the British American Starch Company, Brantford.

The annual reopening of the Aylmer Baptist Church will be held on Sunday, Sept. 6, and on Monday, the 7th, a harvest home festival will take place.

The new Wilson's bridge in St. Thomas, which will be completed next month, is a double decker trestle bridge, and is 414 feet long and 80 feet high at the highest point. There are 23 spans of 18 feet each, and the structure rests on 204 wooden piles. There are 198,000 feet of timber in the bridge.

One day last week a little humming bird that had been in the habit of making frequent visits to some flowers sitting on one of the window sills of Morris' banking house ventured inside and at once darted towards the ceiling. Seeing no means of escape it kept up a continuous coursing around the room for about 35 minutes, when Mr. Dunbar (who was timing the bird) repented of the resolution made that he would see how long his little captive could fly, and holding up a broom the bird at once perched itself on top and was conveyed to the open door and once more enjoyed its freedom.

The Vienna fall fair will be held on Oct. 6.

HALDIMAND.

The bylaw to provide funds to put in a system of waterworks was carried at Dunnville by a large majority, only ten voting against the bylaw.

HALTON.

One of Mr. Kerr's valuable horses in trying to jump a picket fence in Milton became impaled on the pickets and received serious injuries, though it is expected to recover.

KENT.

The Chatham District Teachers' Association will hold a two days convention in Blenheim on Oct. 1 and 2. Bengough will give a chalk talk.

George Davis, Chatham, was fined $50 on Tuesday for selling liquor without having a license.

The deaf mute of Chatham having learned that Wm. Kelly was about to sever his connection with the Planet and go west, asked him to accept a small gift in the shape of a handsome gold breast-pin. Their best wishes for his future success accompany him to his new field of labor.

Two colored men in Chatham, John and Frank Harris, have been fined $6 50 each for disorderly conduct. Felix Shreeves, also colored, has also been fined $5 for cruelty to animals by driving a horse with very sore shoulders.

MIDDLESEX.

James Cameron, Napier, has rented his farm to F. Canning, and will remove to Strathroy.

Miss Kate Dunlop, Napier, is attending the Collegiate Institute at Strathroy.

The corner stone of the new Presbyterian Church at Kilmartin was laid with imposing ceremonies on Tuesday last week.

At the late examinations Martha McGeary passed the high school entrance, and Kate Dunlop secured a third-class certificate, both from the Napier school.

J. McNichol shipped 163 hogs at Belmont on Tuesday for Ingersoll.

W. H. Sutherland, Napier, disposed of a carload of fine steers last week, in Toronto, realizing a good round sum for them.

Wilbert Sadlier, Napier, met with a sad accident last week while at school. He was swinging on a horizontal bar in the yard, when he slipped and fell, breaking both bones of his left arm a short distance above the wrist.

Miss Allie Hughes, Napier, has secured a position on the teaching staff at Wyoming.

W. H. Odell will ship a car load of stock steers at Belmont on Saturday.

Wm. Keys, of London township, received a call from a gang of chicken thieves the other night, and as a result mourns the loss of 36 fine laying hens. The noise of the gang aroused a neighbor across the road, who stood guard over his own coop until the thieves got well down the road, and then awakened Mr. Keys. All of the gang carried clubs.

NORTHERN TOWNSHIPS.

A very enjoyable picnic gotten up by a few of the villagers was held in McFadden's Grove, on the shores of Doe Lake, near Emsdale, one day recently. A number of visitors joined the party, among them being Mr. and Mrs. White and family, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Symonds and family, London; Misses Silvester and Harwood, Toronto; Miss M. Reid, Orillia, and the Misses Johnston, Lindsay. A splendid picnic dinner was partaken of, after which an impromptu programme was gone through with and boating, etc., was indulged in. Before leaving the grove a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. G. White and Mrs. A. Windrum for organizing the picnic.

OXFORD.

An extension will be made to the rear of the Buckingham Hotel, Woodstock, at once. The new space will be occupied by a billiard room, sample room and a cafe.

On Saturday a lady in St. Catharines, whose relatives in England reside near those of the family of the man Birchall, executed in Woodstock last year, received a letter, in which it is stated that Mrs. Birchall, the loving, confiding and true wife of that felon, got quietly married at a place called Red Bank there, within six weeks after her arrival home from Canada.

Reuben Cole, an old-time inmate of the Woodstock jail, died on Saturday night. He has spent more or less of the last 25 years of his life in the jail and for the last three years has resided there continuously. He has been committed no less than 36 times, mostly for vagrancy. He was a game-keeper in the old country and was formerly very well to do. He was about 80 years of age.

A. G. Chambers, manager of the Empire Tea Company, Woodstock, was married on Friday to Jennie, daughter of the late Capt. Wm. E. Atkinson, Shediac, N. B.

Lieut.-Col. James Munro, Embro, was registered last week in London, England.

PERTH.

A very painful and what might have proved a fatal accident happened on Wednesday last to Mrs Stephen Downey, of Irishtown. It seems that while sewing she is in the habit of sticking needles in the front part of her dress and that while eating her dinner, a needle dropped from her dress to her plate. Unnoticing she put the needle in her mouth along with her victuals. The food was swallowed but the needle lodged lengthwise in the throat, causing the lady untold agony, until after a few attempts it was removed by one of the local practitioners.

Jas. Connell, salesman for the Harriston cheese factory, has just sold the July make at 9¼ cents per pound, which will bring to the patrons over $4,000 for the month's make.

Detective Cuddy, of Toronto, who arrested the man Sharpe, who stole the horse from J. & R. Forbes Stratford, recently, has written to know if he is entitled to any reward from Stratford for arresting Sharp. The authorities have been looking up the matter and find that Toronto is the place responsible for the reward, inasmuch as the horse was sold there. The law holds that the horse was not stolen when hired but when sold. If the horse had been taken from a stable in Stratford and the man pursued and captured in Toronto then Stratford would be responsible for the reward.

In December a Sarnia farmer missed a dog, and last week he found it. On Monday he had the wrongful owner before P. M. O'Loane, at Stratford. It has cost O'Loane about $30 so far and he is out on suspended sentence.

W. T. Farrell, son of A. Farrell, Elma, and for sometime engaged at school teaching in Turnberry township, has accepted the position of commercial traveler for a firm in St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Maggie Lynch, formerly of Lucan, has just received the appointment of lady superintendent of Jacksonville hospital in the State of Florida. Miss Lynch began this work two years ago and to-day she occupies the most honorable office in the department. Her duties begin on Sept. 15.

WENTWORTH.

A mad dog in Hamilton created consternation in a crowded store. Several revolvers were brought into prompt use and the animal was shot.

The Church of the Ascension trouble is looming up again in Hamilton, and a vestry meeting will be called in a short time. The subject for discussion will be the forcing of the rector, Rev. E. P. Crawford, either to pay rent for the rectory or vacate the premises, and the question of cutting off supplies, such as fuel and gas, for the church.

WELLINGTON.

A mad dog in Guelph bit Mr. Farr, a drover, and jumped at a lady, tearing her dress. The chief shot the animal before further damage was done.

WELLAND.

Niagara Falls has had a disagreement with the Michigan Central Railway in regard to the laying of water mains across the railroad company's property, and Monday's matters came to a crisis when the town employes attempted to put a pipe under the railroad. The mayor and constables were called out and finally the fire brigade, which put the railway warriors to flight by a volley from the hose. There was a good deal of excitement and fun over the affair. A telegram from the superintendent of the road was received after the battle, ordering the railroaders to allow the town to go ahead, legal formalities having been complied with.

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A WEAK HERO.

The Toronto Telegram suggests that the hour of D'Alton McCarthy has come, and that he must show that he is prepared "to stand like granite for honesty against dishonesty."

Our contemporary's hindsight must be bad, or it would have observed that the first vote that Mr. McCarthy gave, after his return from Europe last week, was an indorsation of the wholesale expenditure of public money by Governor-General's warrant, and without the vote of Parliament.

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SIR JOHN THOMPSON PILLORIED BY A "CANDID FRIEND."

Sir John Thompson, in his professed role of purifier of the Conservative party, probably wishes his past record to be forgotten. He has, however, a "candid friend" in the person of Mr. Charles Rykert, who, in a letter to the Conservative leader in the House of Commons, throws the door of the party closet open and displays a skeleton over the genuineness of which it will be hard for the member for Antigonish to quibble.

Mr. Rykert opens with a hit from the shoulder. He thus addreses his leader and counselor:

"My attention was only drawn within the last few days to the malicious and cowardly attack which you made upon me on the 13th inst. in the House of Commons. I was under the impression that a public man like yourself, who had made himself so ridiculous in presenting a report exonerating me from any improper conduct, and who afterwards, through fear of censure upon his Government, admitted over his own signature that the report was untruthful, would have been the last man to again refer to the same subject or charge anybody with untruthfulness in connection with the same matter. The magnificent record which you made as a professor of the art of facing both ways will forever stand conspicuously forward in the political history of Canada. You certainly displayed consummate impudence and cheek, and, what is more, you acted the part of a moral coward when you accused me with having made statements destitute of a particle of truth, and that too at a time when you knew I had no opportunity to reply to you. Although you do occupy (only temporarily, I hope) the high and distinguished position of leader in the House of Commons, I will not permit you to charge me with deliberate falsehood without challenging the accuracy of your statements. There is very little doubt in my mind that you were smarting under the exposure I made of your capitulation and surrender to Mr. Blake in the letter I addressed that gentleman, and therefore seized your opportunity to belittle me in the estimation of the public, hoping thereby to break the effect of the unmasking of your hypocrisy and cunning."

This is a reference to the extraordinary conduct of Sir John Thompson at the time of the inquiry into Rykert's timber deal. Sir John and the Conservative majority drew up a report whitewashing the member for Lincoln. Mr. Blake and the Liberal minority prepared a report condemning his conduct in strong terms. The conclusions of Mr. Blake's arraignment so overwhelmingly combatted the majority report that it was withdrawn, and Sir John Thompson was compelled to pocket his whitewashing effort, and indorsed the minority report. From that day to this Sir John has never explained the cause of his somersault, of which, by the way, his candid friend has a good deal more to say. The speech, of which Mr. **Rykert** complains proceeds:—

"Honorable gentlemen have stated that when Mr. Rykert was practically expelled from this House, he went out of it and publicly declared that the great hardship of his case was that he was singled out for individual punishment, while the cases of members of Parliament like his own were very numerous indeed. Mr. Rykert did make that statement. Mr. Rykert made it in his own vindication, or in mitigation of the sentence pronounced on him by this House, and which was likely to be pronounced by the public throughout this country, and he made several other statements, every one of which were destitute of a particle of truth."

Mr. Rykert charges that this statement by Sir John Thompson contains several "deliberate falsehoods," and he further asserts that the present Conservative leader knew them to be falsehoods when he uttered them. Mr. Rykert again asserts:

"What I did say in my address was, I could not understand why I was singled out for public censure when there were dozens of members in the same House who not only had applied for and obtained limits for themselves, but those who sat there voting moneys into their own pockets."

And towards the end of his remarkable arraignment, the ex-member for Lincoln pays this compliment to the Conservative leader:

"I challenge you to point to one single statement I made which is untrue. If you cannot do so you must admit you are a public and cowardly slanderer, and totally unworthy to hold the position of Minister of Justice. If I slandered members of Parliament by stating that there were dozens who had obtained limits and who voted moneys into their own pockets, why did you not summon me before the bar of Parliament to make good my statement? You know that I can prove every word I uttered, and that I only repeated what has often been stated in your presence in Parliament. In conclusion, I would like to ask you whether you did not repeatedly tell me at several private interviews I had with you, even up to the time of the making of the report against me, that I had offended no law, and that Parliament had no right whatever to pass judgment upon my private and confidential correspondence? I would also like to ask you if you did not procure for me a brief, which was made up by a distinguished Parliamentary authority, showing that Parliament had no jurisdiction over my letters and correspondence unless it could be proven that I had acted corruptly in acquiring the limit, and which brief you agreed to use in my behalf before the Committee."

These are extraordinary assertions. If they were made by Rykert without a reasonable corroboration many of us would hesitate to believe them. But they are corroborated, to a greater or less degree, by Sir John Thompson's own conduct, in first attempting to secure the whitewashing of Rykert, and then, when public opinion was found to be strongly against that course, withdrawing his report, and agreeing to the conclusions which, as Rykert points out, he had previously strenuously opposed, even with specially prepared documentary evidence. Now the ball has been set rolling, the matter cannot end with Rykert's arraignment of the Minister of Justice. The public has a right to know who the distinguished Parliamentary lawyer was who counseled the whitewashing of Rykert. Was it Mr. McCarthy? They have a right to demand that Rykert's challenge, that he be summoned to Parliament to tell all that he knows about the dozens of M. P.s who have illegally voted public moneys into their own pockets, shall be taken up.

Rykert has certainly established the fact that Sir John Thompson can play the weather-cock in more ways than ecclesiastically. What is now needed is a complete investigation of Rykert's charges. Will the "stern justice" dispensers have the courage to summon the little man to give evidence on oath? We shall see.

EACH TUB MUST STAND ON ITS OWN BOTTOM.

It is well known that for the better carrying out of his own peculiar views of government, Sir John Macdonald desired, as far as possible, to have the management of the people's affairs centralized at Ottawa. He and the men he has left in power behind him time and again attempted to filch from the Provinces the right to control their local affairs by the agency of the Legislatures. Chiefly through the determination of Hon. Oliver Mowat these repeated attacks on Provincial autonomy were resisted, and resisted successfully, but not without a struggle. The position is now reaffirmed by several organs of the present Administration that as far as possible the affairs of the Province—the expenditure of Provincial funds, for example—may properly be discussed, investigated, and disposed of by such a partisan body as the Dominion Senate. This view involves a confession. It suggests that the centralizers at Ottawa have learned nothing by past experience, and that they are ready at all times to arrogate to themselves powers which they do not possess, provided they can gain some party advantage by that course. But it has far more significance than that. The contention that Provincial local expenditures are proper subjects for Dominion Parliamentary supervision certainly implies that the Opposition in the Legislatures are incapable. On no other hypothesis can the assumption of the Conservative newspapers that the Dominion Parliament, and not the Houses of Assembly, is the proper forum in which to arraign the shortcomings of Provincial Ministers be explained.

If it is seriously assumed that Mr. Meredith and his friends in the Ontario Legislature are not equal to the task of combatting the shortcomings of Hon. Oliver Mowat, as the Conservative organs suggest, it is high time that they effaced themselves, and let men of greater ability take their places. The Dominion Parliament certainly has enough to do investigating its own financial affairs and keeping its own Houses in order, without undertaking to overrule the Provincial authorities in the transaction of business delegated to them by the Act of Confederation. And we reaffirm that, so far as Ontario is concerned, if the intermeddlers at Ottawa again undertook to assail our local authorities, they would find Mr. Mowat just as ready to resist their aggressions as in the days of the bogus Dominion license law and as when the attempt was made to filch from the Province one-half her timber and mineral resources.

Provincial self-government will be at an end when fair-minded men can truthfully confess that public opinion will not insure a reform of all evils arising from Provincial Administrations without the intermeddling of the Ottawa centralizers.

AN ALIEN NOT ELIGIBLE.

In North Waterloo the petition against the return of Mr. Bowman was lodged by a man named Knell, an alien, no native or naturalized citizen desiring to father the job. Knell, it seems, had his name put on the voters' list, and he was permitted to vote. When his standing as a petitioner was attacked, W. R. Meredith, Q.C., took the ground that the court could not go behind the voters' list. Mr. Aylsworth, Q.C., insisted that he had a right to show that the name was not properly on the list. Mr. Justice Robertson indorsed the latter view, which is a most reasonable one. If we are not mistaken a similar point came up in Haldimand several years ago, and was decided as Mr. Justice Robertson has now decreed. It stands to reason that if a man is an alien he has no right to vote, even though his name is on the lists, and if he is not a voter why should he have a right to contest the validity of an election? In North Waterloo the Conservative party will have to pay all expenses so far, and provide a new petitioner if they desire to go further with the petition, which is doubtful.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

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Three Rivers, Sir H. Langevin	9,296	8,334
Quebec County, Sir A. Caron	20,278	19,504

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IN AN attempt to try to make the public believe that all public men are equally corrupt, and that therefore the Administration at Ottawa, now so thoroughly found out, should be sustained, the high tax papers have been reviving old slanders against M. P.s. One of them—the Montreal Gazette—has been brought up short by the members for West Huron. Here is what it has been compelled to publish:

"On the 20th ult. there appeared in the Gazette a letter signed 'Ex Huronite' asking 'if Mr. M. C. Cameron, M.P., was the man who, in the days when the Liberals undertook to elevate the standard of public morality, spent $20,000 corrupting his constituents, was unseated and disqualified and afterwards whitewashed by the Mackenzie Government,' and concluding with the assertion that if Mr. Cameron was this man 'a more corrupt man does not disgrace the House of Commons.' As a matter of fact it has not been established that Mr. Cameron spent $20,000 corrupting his constituents, he has not been disqualified, and of course did not need to be whitewashed. The expressed belief that he is 'one of the most corrupt men in the House of Commons' was also of course uncalled for. The letter should not have been printed."

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Distribution of the M. R. L. Prizes.

The London Corps Well Up in Front—Turf, Baseball and General Sporting News.

THE TRIGGER.

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—At the distribution of prizes of the Military Rifle League Monday night, among the teams honored were:

Teams of ten men; twenty prizes—20th Batt., Georgetown, 4,200; 96th Batt., Port Arthur, 4,181; 13th Batt., Hamilton, 1st team, 4,125; 53rd Batt., Sherbrooke, 4,121; 45th Batt., Lindsay, 1st team, 4,119; 7th Fusiliers, London, 4,093; 45th Batt., Bowmanville, 3rd team, 4,080; 54th Batt., Windsor Mills, 4,076; 21st Batt., Essex Center, 1st team, 4,040; "D" Co., L. S. C., London, 4,033; 31st Batt., Owen Sound, 3,917; 82nd Batt., Charlottetown, 3,915; Toronto Rifle Association, 3,892; 43rd Batt., Ottawa, 1st team, 3,875; 59th Batt., Cornwall, 3,849; Halifax, G. A., 1st team, 3,843; 20th Batt., Milton, 3,842; 62nd Batt., St. John, N. B., 3,821; 63rd Batt., Halifax, 1st team, 3,820; Queen's Own Rifles, 1st team, 3,772; 37th Batt., Hagersville, 3,772.

Winners of individual badges—Seventh Fusiliers, Pte. W. C. Hiscott, 438; 21st Batt., Essex, Staff-Sergt. Green, 439; 21st Batt., Windsor, Staff-Sergt. A. B. Dow, 376; 22nd Batt., Lieut. Revell, 390; 29th Batt., Capt. Robson, 406.

In the D. R. A. matches yesterday Private J. E. Hutchinson, 43rd, made the best score (66) for the Minister of Militia's cup. Of the eight team prizes the 43rd Batt. took 1st, with a score of 285; 13th Batt., 278; Sherbrooke R. A., 269; Toronto Q. O. R., 268; 10th R. Gren., 268; Montreal R. A., 267; N. B. Rifle Ass., 266; 12th Batt., 266. The Gzowski challenge cup was won by the Governor-General's foot guards, with 526 points. This corps also won the British challenge shield, with 440 points.

Following are the winners of the Dominion of Canada match: Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, 409, $50; Thirteenth Battalion, Hamilton, 397, $40; Governor-General's Foot Guards, Ottawa, 396, $30. Among the individual winners are: $40, Lieut. Revel, Twenty-second Battalion, 92; Sergt. J. Ogg, First Battery of Field Artillery, 88.

BASEBALL.

TUESDAY'S SCORES.

National League—Pittsburg 8, Philadelphia 4; Cincinnati 4, Boston 1; Cleveland 7, Brooklyn 1; Chicago 4, New York 1.

American Association—Boston 9, Columbus 5; Athletics 5, St. Louis 1; Milwaukee 9, Baltimore 5; Washington 3, Louisville 1.

Eastern Association—Lebanon 3, Buffalo 2.

An American Association club is to be played in Chicago next year. It is not known which one of the present cities will be dropped.

An unparalleled game of baseball was played in Indianapolis on Sunday. All the players on both sides had either lost an arm or a leg. The innings were played with a great many fall downs, get ups, strike outs and rib roasters. The playing was excellent on both sides. At first the team with the one leg won, but the tide turned. At the ending of the game the score stood 7 to 2 in favor of the one-armed side.

FOOTBALL.

SUNDERLAND, Sept. 2.—The Canadian-Americans played the fourth match of their tour here yesterday before 10,000 spectators. The visitors are improving rapidly and will disappoint those who have been belittling their abilities as a football team. Sunderland won by 3 goals to 2. The tourists play the Ironopolis eleven at Middlesborough to-day.

THE CANADIAN-AMERICAN TOURISTS WIN.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The Canadian-Americans proved to-day that their improvement in play and condition was real by defeating the strong Ironopolis Club at Middlesborough. After holding Sunderland, one of the best clubs in the kingdom, down to 3 to 2, yesterday, they journeyed to Middlesborough and won to-day's match by 1 goal to 0. It was a splendid game and the visitors played great football. They meet the Sheffield Wednesday Club in Sheffield on Saturday.

THE KENNEL.

The great dog show at Kingston, Ont., is meeting with pronounced success. There are about 300 entries.

ATHLETICS.

A fight for the heavyweight championship of Utah took place at Ogden Tuesday night in the Great Opera House before 12,000 spectators. The contestants were Jim Williams, champion, and George Morrison, of Ogden. The purse, supplemented by side bets, made a total of $5,000. Morrison was knocked out in the fifth round, being badly punished.

THE WHEEL.

New York wheelmen are interested in the project of building a three-lap bicycle track, which will be the finest in the world. A great world's tournament will be held each year.

At Springfield, Mass., on Tuesday, J. P. Ilerio, of the Manhattan Athletic Club bicycle team, broke the American record for the half-mile on the pneumatic safety, making the distance in 1:08 3-5.

THE TURF.

AT HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, Sept. 2.—The fall races of the Hamilton Trotting Association commenced yesterday at James' track. There was a small attendance. Summary:

The 2:23 class was unfinished, Sadie M., N. T. H. and Bellman each having a heat.

J. Carpenter's (Winona) ch. h. Frides Stanton	1	2	2	4
L. Philp's (Barrie) b. m. Stathard	2	1	1	2
E. James' (Toronto) ch. g. Mooney	3	4	4	1
A. Proctor's (Aurora) b. g. Honest Billy	4	3	3	4
J. Whitelaw's (Paris) b. h. Tristan	dis			
S. Cook's (Hamilton) Goidring Second	dis			

Time—2:36¼, 2:36, 2:35¼, 2:36¼, 2:34¼.

In the 2:30 class the favorites were Clara K. and Corncracker. The favorites were not in it at all with Gertie B. The little mare was splendidly handled and lowered her record. Summary:

J. Bridgewood's (Hamilton) b. m. Gertie B.	1	1	1
L. Wigle's (Leamington) b. h. Corncracker	4	2	2
J. H. Nesbitt's (Toronto) b. g. Joe Mowat	2	5	4
W. Collins' (Toronto) b. g. Volunteer	5	10	6
T. Arderly's (Dunnville) b. h. Stanton Chief	8	8	7
J. J. Burns' (Toronto) b. m. Clara K	7	3	3
H. C. Julian's (Port Dalhousie) b. m. Minnie	9	6	8
A. Brown's (Dundas) b. g. Sunday	6	7	5
J. Durkin's (Brantford) b. g. J. Durkin	10	9	9
S. Curry's (Belleville) b. g. Rowdy Boy	3	4	dr

Time—2:29¾, 2:29¼, 2:27¼.

The butchers' race was not finished.

THE PHILADELPHIA MEETING.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—The grand circuit meeting of the Philadelphia Driving Park Association began to-day at Point Breeze Park. Summaries:

2:20 class; purse, $1,000:

Pocahontas Prince	2	1	1	1
Play Boy	1	3	5	5
Soudan	5	2	2	2
Fred Folger	4	5	3	3
Maggie B	3	4	4	4
Problem	dis			

Time—2:22¾, 2:23, 2:21¾, 2:20¾.

2:16 class, pacing; purse, $1,000:

Grant's Abdallah	7	1	1	1
Lazy Sheridan	4	2	2	2
Maggie R	2	3	4	6
Scioto Girl	3	4	3	5
Ceasare	6	6	6	3
Bob Taylor	5	5	5	4
Vitello	1	dis		

Time—2:16¾, 2:17¼, 2:19¾, 2:17¾.

TUESDAY'S WINNERS.

At Buffalo—Zenobia, Furnish, Autocratic, Mabelle, Vocalite and Rico.

At Garfield Park—Jim Gray II., Argenta, Glenord, Linlithgow, Ernest Race and Fan King.

Sheepshead Bay—La Tosca, Cee Jay Jay, Chesapeake, Yorkville Belle, Strathmeath and John Cavanagh.

At Gloucester—Sacramento, Vibrate, Baltimore II., Wanderer II., Lotion and William Henry.

At Chicago—Sunshine, Lizzie D., Ethel, Horace Leland and Helter-Skelter.

AQUATIC.

Teemer has consented to row double with Wise in a race against Hanlan and O'Connor at Point of Pines in October.

The Gaudaur-Hanlan race is off, principally because Hanlan goes with O'Connor earlier than was expected to the New Westminster regatta.

The date set for the double scull race between Hanlan and O'Connor and Teemer and Wise at Point of Pines, is Saturday, Sept. 12, about 5 o'clock.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

The Toadstool Family.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

Noticing in last evening's ADVERTISER a request for information on the subject of toadstools, and how to distinguish the wholesome from the poisonous members of the family, I beg to supply the following characteristics of the poisonous amanite tribe of toadstools, and further to state that although many members of the toadstool family are tough, bitter, acrid and in other ways unfit for food, yet that the amanite are the only ones to be dreaded as viruiently poisonous. The wholesome varieties number considerably over 200.

Here are the never-failing characteristics of the amanite: He belongs to the clan agaricini, or those having gills under their caps, a top or cap round as a button when young, then spreading through all the shapes of an opening umbrella. This cap is of various colors — white, shaded with lemon, brown, red, yellow, greenish.

Sometimes a scurf is found upon it, or tufted, wart-like, irregular surface. Gills or plaits are beneath the cup, always white, or tinged with yellow. A single stem supports the cap in its center, and just below the gills the stem has an apron-like ring about it or a remnant of one. This stem has a bulbous or swollen base, which rests in a socket partially in or under the ground. Sometimes the socket will remain in the ground when a specimen is plucked from its resting-place, and remain unnoticed. But the ring and the bulb will cause the socket to be looked for by the wary. Whenever there is a doubt as to its presence, never fail to believe that it was there.

The ring and the socket must never be disregarded.

This season I have enjoyed several dishes of edible fungi, some gathered in the garden and some in the streets of the city. It certainly is a pity that a valuable source of food supply should be neglected because of the dangerous character of one variety. Yours truly, T. ALLEN.

470 Maitland street, London, Sept. 2.

ANOTHER REPLY.

In answer to your question in this evening's issue. No other fungus similar to the common mushroom—i.e., with flesh-colored, changing to dark brown, gills, and veil fixed to the stem forming a ring—is known to be poisonous if eaten in fresh condition. Not any mushroom is wholesome in a state of decomposition or when half-digested by maggots. Many of the so-called toadstools are as edible as the fall mushroom and some of them more delicious.

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An English Teacher for the Collegiate Institute Appointed.

The County Will Not Desert the Model School—Inspector Carson's Report—Smoking Allowed After 10:30 p.m.

At Tuesday night's meeting of the Board of Education there were present: Messrs. Stevenson, (chairman), McRobert, Vining, Turner, Tanton, Durdin, Brady, Craig, Johnston, Childs, McElheran, Yates, Jeffrey, Ferguson, Allaster, Cook, Secretary Abbott, Inspector Carson and Principal Merchant.

Miss Ida Gore's resignation as assistant teacher in Simcoe street kindergarten school was accepted.

R. M. Graham requested to be allowed to attend as sub-examiner at the civil service examination to be held in this city, and offered to supply a substitute. Inspector Carson said the examination would be held during the model school term and it would be difficult to find a suitable substitute. It was referred to No. 1 Committee.

A copy of the Annual Encyclopedia was forwarded to the Board from New York, no communication accompanying it. If it is a complimentary copy it will be kept, if not it will be sent back.

A letter from D. G. Mackenzie, county clerk, stated that the Strathroy Model School would be sufficient to accomodate all the county pupils this term, at any rate. It was decided to continue the school in this city and to encourage all county pupils to come to this school. Messrs. Dearness, Carson, Johnson, May and McColl will constitute the Board of Examiners. Mr. Mackenzie's communication was filed. The Department of Education will be notified that the London Model School has sufficient members and ought to be retained.

Inspector Carson read his statement of the result of the last entrance examination as follows:

School.	Principal	On roll	Tried	Pass'd
Lorne ave.	W. D. Eckert.	36	25	21
Simcoe street	R. M. Graham,	33	32	29
Talbot street	A. C. Stewart,	44	20	18
Colborne st.	W. H. Coyne,	37	35	16
Askin street	Alex. McQueen,	52	26	12
Rectory street	M. W. Althouse,	34	22	10
Princess ave.	T. Woodburne,	44	39	8
Waterloo st.	R. F. Wilson,	42	32	8
Maple ave.	F. Geeson,	36	3	0
Hamilton rd.	Justus Wright,	20	0	0
Total		378	253	113

The separate school sent up 21 pupils and 7 passed; the county 10 and 2 passed. Continuing the report stated that Miss Mulveney had not returned to her duties on account of ill-health, and Miss Holmes had charge of her department during her absence. A teacher would have to be appointed for Part II., Hamilton road school; Miss Spittal was now in charge of this room. The model school was opened yesterday morning at Simcoe street school with R. M. Graham as principal, and Misses Cannell, Pocock, McDonald and Walton as assistants. There are at present 23 pupils and applications have been received from others who are expected to arrive in a day or so.

Mr. McElheran moved that the inspector's report be received and printed in the minutes, and that the matter of a teacher being appointed for Hamilton road school be referred to No. 1 Committee with power. Carried.

A communication from H. D. Irwin asking the Board to give his application their consideration should a vacancy occur on the staff was filed.

It was decided that Misses Robson take the vacant position in Hamilton road school, and that Miss Spittal take the place of Miss Robson.

Principal Merchant stated that eight applications had been received for the position of English master in the Collegiate Institute. He added that the prospects of the school are excellent, and that a first-class specialist could not be retained at a salary under $1,200. The salary advertised was $1,000. It was finally decided that S. J. Radcliffe, of Stratford, be appointed to the position, he having applied at the salary advertised.

No. 2 Committee's report was passed. It recommended that the tender of Thomas Walls for stove coal at $5 15 per ton, and of Mann & Co. for steam lump coal at $3 75 be accepted; that the committee be empowered to sell stoves and furniture stored in Waterloo street school, and also fence lately used in front of Colborne street school; and that the cottage at Hamilton road school be remodeled at once at a cost of $125. The report also stated that cost of ground and building for kindergarten on Maitland street would be $4,500.

The report of No. 1 Committee was submitted, recommending that the accounts of Nos. 1 and 2 Committee be passed; that certificates of completion on receipt of goods be attached to all accounts as per order; that Miss Spittal be placed on permanent staff and fill the vacancy in Hamilton road school; that the printing of receipts and disbursements of the Board be deferred; that communication of Mr. Hutchison regarding balance of salary be referred to inspector and chairman; that the salary of Miss Coyne since her appointment as principal be $800, and that there are no funds with which to increase the salaries of Messrs. Wright, Althouse and others.

The report was adopted with the exception of clause 6, which was amended so that Miss Coyne will receive her increase in salary dating from March 1 instead of Sept. 1.

After the meeting had been in progress for over two hours a motion was put and carried unanimously that the members be allowed to smoke after 10:30. Pipes and cigars instantly appeared on the scene. The Board adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

Business Troubles.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports the following assignments in Ontario: Bothwell—Arthur W. Emerson, general store, assigned in trust to John Mercer. Tilsonburg—Bruce Titus, jeweler, assigned in trust to D. O'Connell, Toronto. Toronto—Gillespie & Brooks, stone; J. P. Snook, builder.

The Queen Pawned Her Jewels.

Queen Isabella, of Spain, pawned her jewels to raise money to fit out the expedition that discovered the new world. Her sacrifice was not greater than is made by many women of America, who deny themselves many things in order to save money to buy Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for their sick husband or children. This "Discovery" is more important to them than the one made in 1492. For all diseases of the Lungs, Liver, Throat, or Stomach, the "Discovery" is a soverign remedy. A trial convinces, its continued use cures. It purifies the blood, invigorates the liver and strengthens and builds up the whole system. Guaranteed to benefit or cure in every case, or money paid for it returned.

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THE Y. M. C. A.

Interesting Reports from Various Committee's Tuesday Night.

Laying Out the Season's Work—An Orchestra to be Provided for Sunday Services and a Glee Club Formed—The Present Membership Is 340—Star Meetings To Be Provided.

An important gathering took place Tuesday evening in the parlors of the Young Men's Christian Association, being a conference of all the workers and committeemen to consult together regarding plans of work for the season. President W. R. Hobbs took the chair, and after a hearty sing Rev. J. S. Scott read a portion of Scripture and prayer was offered by W. M. Spencer.

Reports were then received from the various committees through their chairmen, who gave an idea of the work they had planned to carry on during the coming months. The Reception Committee was represented by Chairman T. B. Howard. The work of this committee is to be in charge of the building every evening to welcome strangers and visitors and render the rooms attractive. They also purpose holding informal gatherings every Tuesday evening, when a jolly good time will be had. A chess and checker club will be organized by them. Ushering at the Sunday meetings also falls to the work of this committee.

In the line of receptions they purpose giving one on Sept. 29 to all the young people's societies in connection with the various churches, and on the last Tuesday of each succeeding month a reception will be given to the young men in the different houses of the city.

Will Muir, the secretary of the Membership Committee, reported great efforts being made to increase the membership, which now numbers 340, and that through the kindness of some friends nine books had been offered to the first nine men bringing in twelve new members by the 22nd inst. Also that a barometer had been placed in the hall so that the rise and fall of the membership roll might be observed.

George Grasby, the faithful chairman of the mission and tract committee, reported their intention of continuing the meeting in the City Hospital each week, and distributing tracts and literature among the employes of the various livery stables and along the railroad track.

The Invitation Committee were represented by their secretary, A. Parker, who told what their plans were. This committee have charge of distributing all the invitations to the various meetings, and they find lots to do.

Frank Holman, chairman of the Devotional Committee, gave a short account of what his workers desired to accomplish. They have four meetings each week—Saturday night at 8 o'clock, Sunday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock, training class for Bible study, and boys' meeting. Beginning next Sunday, the young men's rally will be held in the hall, and preparations are being made for grand meetings. The committee are making this meeting the big one at present, and are throwing all their energies into it. They are ably supported by the Music Committee in charge of Dr. O. H. Ziegler, who has arranged for good singing, and who reported that W. E. Hiscott, band master of the Seventh, had very kindly consented to conduct an orchestra to assist in the Sunday services. Alex. Caldwell is lending all the assistance in his power to have good singing. The Music Committee also reported the formation of a glee club, and male quartet, which meet for practice on Tuesday evenings.

A new phase of association work was presented by Wm. J. Lind, the chairman of the Extension Fund Committee. This is a fund created by the members for the purposes of educating in systematic giving and of spreading the work for young men by young men.

The sums contributed range from 2 cents to 25 cents per week. At the end of the year the money is divided, 50 per cent. going to the foreign field, 25 per cent. to the Provincial Committee, 15 per cent. to training schools and 10 per cent. to the International Committee. This committee have only 40 contributors, who are giving about $150 for this year.

The association are very fortunate in having John Cameron as chairman of the Literary Committee. Associated with him are H. A. Hodgson, Jas. I. Anderson, J. A. Nelles, W. M. Spencer and D. A. McDermid. This committee reported that after careful consideration they had decided to offer no long list of special attractions in the shape of lecture or concert course, but had decided to have a series of star meetings to be addressed by prominent men in the interests of association work. The chairman asked that each of the committees might renew their efforts, and put their very best energies to work so as to keep the association to the front, and accomplish their purpose, that of saving young men.

Secretary Sayer spoke a few words regarding the Provincial Convention, which is to be held here in February, '92, and which would result in great blessing if the workers took hold of it right, which he had no doubt they would. He also referred to the fact that the anniversary services would be held the second Sunday in October if arrangements could be made.

President Hobbs then added a few words of encouragement. He spoke of how encouraged the Board of Directors were at the way the committees had taken hold, and augured a season of rich blessing if all did their duty. He spoke of the need there was in London for a good building, with first-class gymnasium and swimming baths, that might be used as a home for young men, and expressed the belief that this season's work would help very materially along that direction.

Considerable discussion took place as the different plans of work were presented, and much good will result from the meeting. One thing that was very noticeable was the earnestness of all present and the one idea that seemed to pervade the meeting, that as an association they were banded together to help young men morally, physically, intellectually and last but not least spiritually. The conference was closed with prayer.

The meeting next Sunday is to be addressed by Rev. W. J. Clark, and the subject is "The Missing Link." Tickets of admission are out and may be secured from any of the members. All young men are cordially welcomed. Saturday evening W. J. Doherty addresses the meeting on "A Young Man's Blunder."

CAMP LYNHURST.

Everything Now in Apple-Pie Order—Tuesday a Day of Excitement and Bustle—All the Battalions Have Arrived.

The arrival of the troops Tuesday from every direction made an animated scene. Everybody was busy getting things in comfortable shape, and before evening tents were erected and men were comfortably settled for their outing.

CAMP NOTES.

Lieut.-Col. William Henry Lindsay, the commandant of the Elgin Battalion, is a soldier and the son of a soldier. Both he and his father were members of the old St. Thomas Rifle Company. Lieut.-Col. Lindsay entered that company as a private and went with it to the frontier during the Fenian raid of 1866. He joined the Twenty-fifth Battalion or its organization in September, 1866, as a private in No. 6 Company. He was corporal and then sergeant of the company before receiving his commission as lieutenant. He was afterwards first lieutenant and then captain of the company, and afterwards major of the battalion. On June 14, 1889, he was gazetted lieutenant-colonel and commander of the regiment. He has shown himself to be an enthusiastic, energetic and efficient officer and commander, and is deservedly popular with officers and men. He holds a Volunteer Board first-class certificate.

Major James Bradley, Elgin, was appointed June 14, 1889. He had formerly been lieutenant and captain of No. 4 Company. Besides being a crack soldier and officer, he is also a crack shot. He was once selected to represent Canada on the Wimbledon team, but business engagements prevented his joining the team. He served in the Fenian raid, being then a member of the Welland Field Battery. He held a gunner's school first class certificate.

Other officers of the Elgin battalion are second Lieut. C. J. A. Cunningham Dunlap, late of the "York Rangers," who succeeds Capt. H. Jones as acting adjutant. Major H. H. Wright has just received his appointment; Dr. R. Kains is surgeon, W. H. Moore paymaster and John Stacey quartermaster.

The Times says: "The city water is still impregnated with the iron rust from the new pipes which run from Talbot street to Lynhurst. This pipe should have been put down a week sooner, and the water let run through to clean it out."

The brigade staff is composed as follows: Lieut.-Col. Smith, D.A.G., commandant; Lieut.-Col. Hon. M. Aylmer, brigade major; Lieut.-Col. L. Munro, Twenty-Second Battalion, supply officer; Capt. D. Young, I.S.C., camp quartermaster; Capt. R. Cartwright, I.S.C., inspector of musketry; Surgeon M. J. Hanavan, I.S.C., principal medical officer; Capt. R. L. Wadmore, I.S.C., orderly officer.

LABOR MOVEMENTS.

Success of the Quebec Demonstration—Chicago Cabinetmakers on Strike.

One thousand cabinetmakers in Chicago went on strike Monday for eight hours a day.

It having been reported that a large number of Canadians living at Fort Erie work in Buffalo manufactories, an officer has been ordered to see whether there is a violation of the foreign contract labor law, and if so to take steps to prevent its continuance.

The Quebec labor demonstration Tuesday morning was a decided success. The procession marched through the principal streets of the city. No less than 20 different unions and 30,000 men formed the procession, which included a number of allegorical chariots.

Steamship Arrivals.

Sept 1.	At	From.
Circassia	Moville	New York
Teutonic	Liverpool	New York
Spree	Southampton	New York
Dominion	Quebec	Bristol
Avonmore	Quebec	Liverpool
Brahma	Father Point	Hamburg
Sept. 2.		
Majestic	New York	Liverpool

The 20th anniversary of the Battle of Sedan was celebrated in many parts of Germany to-day (Wednesday) with festivities and thanksgiving.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

It is announced that Sir Arthur Sullivan is seriously indisposed. He has been ordered to leave England for a time, and will try a course of some foreign waters.

William T. Adams ("Oliver Optic") contemplates writing a biographical article touching the salient points of Sol Smith Russell's acting. Mr. Adams is Mr. Russell's father-in-law.

The Canada Business College, Chatham, is the best. College reopens Monday, Sept. 7. Write for catalogues. 35-k

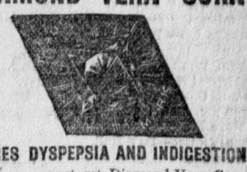
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London Money Market.

LONDON, Sept. 2 — 12:30 p.m. — Consols, 95 15-16 for money; 95 1-16 for account; U. S. 4½s, 102½; U. S. 4s, 120½; St. Paul, 73½; Erie seconds 106½; Erie, 26⅞; Pacific Central, 56⅛; Reading, 18⅞; Canadian Pacific, 88⅞; New York Central, 108⅞; Illinois Central, 104⅞; Bank of England rate, 2½ per cent.; open market discount, 1½ to 2⅛.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 2.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	230	227
Ontario	114	111
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	226	222
Merchants	155	151
Commerce	133½	133
Imperial	177½	176
Dominion	242½	240½
Standard	160	157
Hamilton	167	163
British America	100	98
Western Assurance	144½	144
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Co	78⅞	78
C. P. R. Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	86⅝	86¼
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	123
London and Canada L. and A. ex-div	127	126
London Loan	—	—
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	—
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	93	90
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	—

SALES—Commerce, 20 at 133; Imperial, 300 and 1 at 177; Dominion, 40 and 60 at 240; British America, 2 at 99.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Wednesday, Sept. 2.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The trading done on the market during the past week was of an unsettled character. Oats were the principal feature of uneasiness. Receipts were light and the demand some days good and others only moderate and entirely local. There was a strong feeling that the price of new oats would break to $1, but the opposite was the reality; the demand was equal to the supply every day and occasionally better. The bulk of the week's business was done on a basis of $1 10 to $1 13. Old oats were in good demand and sold readily from $1 20 to $1 30.

Wheat opened at $1 per bushel, but broke on Saturday to 96c on advice by cable and wire. The balance of the week's trade was done at the latter price. A few lots of new barley came forward and sold from $1 to $1 10; the samples were mostly colored.

Corn sold at $1 40 for a small lot.

New peas brought $1 10; deliveries light.

Seed rye sold from $1 10 to $1 15 per cwt.

Meats were steady and not much changed; choice beef brought $5 50, ordinary $5.

Butter closed higher on all grades; eggs unsettled, but price about the same.

Hay was active at $10 to $12 with light receipts. General closing values were as follows:

GRAIN.

Wheat, per standard bush	$ 96	to	$ 96
Wheat, spring per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 65
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 65
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 65
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 65
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 15
Buckwheat	00	to	1 00
Oats	1 08	to	1 10
Corn	1 35	to	1 40
Peas	1 00	to	1 10
Beans, per bush	00	to	00
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 10

PROVISIONS.

Eggs, retail	12	to	14
Eggs, basket	11	to	14
Eggs, store lots	11	to	12
Butter, pound rolls per lb	18	to	23
Butter, crock or larger rolls	16	to	18
Butter tub or firkin	10	to	16
Cheese	9	to	9
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	6 00	to	6 25
Turnips, per bush	00	to	00
Carrots, per bush	00	to	00
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	60
Parsnips per bush	60	to	60
Onions, per bush	00	to	00
Apples, bag	50	to	60
Beef, per cwt	5 00	to	[illegible] 50
Mutton, per lb	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Lamb, per lb	[illegible]	to	10
Veal, per lb	[illegible]	to	6
Chickens, per pair	60	to	75
Ducks, per pair	75	to	1 00
Turkeys, each	[illegible]	to	2 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Hides, No. 2, per lb	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Hides, No. 3, per lb	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Wool, per lb	[illegible]	to	20
Calfskins, green, per lb	[illegible]	to	5
Calfskins, dry, per lb	[illegible]	to	0
Lambskins, each	[illegible]	to	30
Pelts, each	[illegible]	to	25

FLOUR AND FEED.

Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 [illegible]	to	2 75
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	[illegible]	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	00	to	00
Buckwheat flour	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal, standard per bag	2 80	to	3 00
Oatmeal, granulated per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Oatmeal, rolled per bag	3 00	to	3 20
Cornmeal, per bag	2 00	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	12 00	to	14 00
Shorts, per ton	20 00	to	22 00
Clover seed per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bushel	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	12 00	to	13 00
Hungarian	00	to	00
Millet	00	to	00
Flax	0 00	to	0 00

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Sept. 2.

FLOUR—Receipts, 7,200 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Patents winter, $5 50 to $5 60; do. spring, $5 70 to $5 80; straight roller, $4 90 to $5 00; extra, $4 50 to $4 60; superfine, $4 20 to $4 30; strong bakers, $5 50 to $5 50; Ontario bags, $2 20 to $2 40.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, $1 05 to $1 08; corn, 75c to 77c; peas, 87c to 89c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley, 60c to 60c; rye, 83c to 84c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 90 to $3 00; cornmeal, $1 60.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $17 00 to $17 50; lard, 8c to 8c; bacon, 10c to 10½c; hams, 11c to 11½c; cheese, 9c to 9c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c; Morrisburg, 16c to 17c; Western, 14c to 15c; eggs, 13.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 2.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, $1 10 to $1 10; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 98c to $1; spring, No. 2, 94c to 95c; red winter, No. 2, 97c to 98c; northern, No. 2, $1.

BARLEY—Feeding, 48c to 55c.
PEAS—No. 2, 67c to 70c.
OATS—No. 2, 35c to 37c.
CORN—70c to 70c.
FLOUR—Extra, $3 85 to $4; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 50.

Market was quiet and easy. Sales—No. 2 hard at $1 09 to $1 10; No. 3 do. at $1; oats on track at 36c to 38c, to arrive at 37c, and outside at 35c; peas outside at 64c to 65c.

Toronto Street Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 2.—The receipts of grain on the street to-day were fair. Prices were steady. Hay, scarce and firm. In the following quotations of wheat the prices are for standard wheat:

Wheat, white, per bush	$ 97	to	$ 97
Wheat, spring, per bush	88	to	90
Wheat, red winter, per bush	90	to	90
Wheat, goose, per bush	85	to	85
Barley, per bush	53½	to	53½
Oats, per bush	36	to	39
Peas	78	to	78
Rye	00	to	00
Hay, old	16 00	to	16 00
Hay, new	14 00	to	15 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	7 25	to	7 25

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Sept. 2.

Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet, corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat inactive, corn rather more inquiry.

Mark Lane—Wheat quiet, corn steady, flour strong; spot good No. 2 club Calcutta wheat 40s, was 40s; present and following month 39s 6d, was 39s 9d; do. good Danube corn 30s 3d, was 30s 3d; prompt 29s 6d, was 29s 9d; do. mixed corn 31s 3d, was 31s 6d; S. M. flour 30s 9d, was 30s 6d; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 45s 6d, was 45s 6d; do. Australian off coast, 44s 6d, was 44s 3d; present and following month 44s 6d, was 44s 6d; do. Chilian off coast, 43s 3d, was 43s 6d; present and following month 43s 3d, was 43s 6d; do. Walla off coast, 44s, was 44s; present and following month 44s, was 44s 3d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat, prompt sail, 45s 9d, was 46s; nearly due, 45s 6d, was 45s 9d. No. 2 red winter prompt steamer 40s 9d, was 41s; present and following month 40s 9d, was 41s.

French country markets steady.

Weather in England fair.

Liverpool—Spot wheat easier, corn moderate demand; No. 1 Cal. 9s 1d, Walla 8s 10½d—both 1d cheaper; K. W. 8s 7½d, India 8s 7½d—both ½d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 2.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Aug. 31				Sept. 1.				Sept. 2			
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Spring	8	11	8	11½	9	0	9	0½	9	0	9	0½
Kan. winter	8	7½	8	8½	8	8	8	9	8	7½	8	8
No. 1 Cal.	9	1½	9	2	9	2½	9	3	9	1	9	1½
Corn	6	3	0	0	6	3¾	0	0	6	3¾	0	0
Peas, per c.	6	8	0	0	6	8	0	0	6	8	0	0
Pork	56	3	0	0	56	3	0	0	56	3	0	0
Lard	34	3	0	0	34	3	0	0	34	3	0	0
Bacon, s. c.	36	0	39	6	36	0	39	6	36	0	39	6
Bacon, l. c.	36	6	40	6	36	6	40	6	36	6	40	6
Tallow	26	3	00	0	26	3	00	0	26	3	00	0
Cheese, wh.	46	0	00	0	46	0	00	0	46	0	00	0
Cheese, col.	46	0	00	0	46	0	00	0	46	0	00	0

Wheat quiet, demand principally speculative, holders offer moderately; corn firm, demand fair.

American Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.

FLOUR—Heavy, unsettled; moderately active.

WHEAT—Receipts, 569,000 bu; exports, 198,597 bu; sales, 5,296,000 bu futures; 178,000 bu spot; spot heavy, lower; moderately active; No. 2 red, $1 05¼ to $1 06⅞, elevator; options declined 1⅝c to 1⅛c on increasing receipts and accumulations, weak cables, longs realizing, steady contract deliveries and moderate export interest; No. 2 red, Sept., $1 05⅝; Oct., $1 06¼; Nov., $1 08; Dec., $1 09⅝; Jan., $1 11.

RYE—Dull, weak; western, c. i. f., at 97c to 98c.

CORN—Receipts, 63,800 bu; exports, 55,884 bu; sales, 1,049,000 bu futures; 48,000 bu spot; spot unsettled, lower, dull; ungraded mixed, 72c to 76c; options advanced ⅜c to 1½c, declined 1c to 2⅜c, closing at 1c to 2⅛c down on deliveries to and including December, and ⅛c to ⅛c down on January and May through manipulations: Sept., 70½c; Oct., 67c; Nov., 65c; Dec., 59c; Jan., 56½c; May, 55½c.

OATS—Receipts, 133,000 bu; sales, 105,000 bu futures; 151,000 bu spot; spot lower, weak; fairly active; options weaker, quiet; Sept. and Oct., 35⅞c; spot, No. 2, 35½c to 37c; mixed western, 33c to 37½c; white do., 39c to 44c.

SUGAR—Fairly active, firm; standard "A," 4 5-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5⅛c; powdered, 4⅞c; granulated, 4 5-16c to 4⅛c.

EGGS—Better demand; firm; 19½c to 20c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT — Sept., 97½c; Dec., 99⅜c; May, $1 06⅞.
CORN—Sept., 65c; Oct., 58⅞c; May, 46⅞c.
OATS—Sept., 28⅞c; Oct., 29⅞c; May, 32⅞c.
MESS PORK—Oct., $10 32½; Dec., $10 60; Jan., $12 90.
LARD—Sept., $6 70; Oct., $6 77½; Jan., $7 02½.
SHORT RIBS—Sept., $6 90; Oct., $7; Jan., $6 90.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour firmer, more active on export demand. No. 2 spring wheat, 97½c; No. 2 red, 97½c; No. 2 corn, 65½c; No. 2 oats, 28⅞c; No. 2 rye, 87c; No. 2 barley, 65c to 68c; mess pork, $10 20 to $10 25; lard, $6 67½ to $6 70; short ribs sides, $6 90 to $7; dry salted shoulders, $6 20 to $6 25; short clear sides, $5 40 to $5 50.

Receipts—			
Flour	23,000	Wheat	520,000
Corn	769,000	Oats	564,000
Rye	178,000	Barley	49,000
Shipments—			
Flour	20,000	Wheat	268,000
Corn	403,000	Oats	405,000
Rye	63,000	Barley	7,000

OSWEGO, Sept. 2.

WHEAT—Market unchanged; white State at $1 09.

CORN—Market steady; No. 2 yellow at 84c.

OATS—Market quiet; white western at 50c.

BARLEY—Unchanged.

Canada lumber—Receipts by lake, 262,746 feet.

Canada coal—Shipments by lake, 2,418 tons.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 2.

WHEAT — Quiet; 95½c cash and Sept., 96½c Dec.

DETROIT, Sept. 2.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 96½c cash; No. 2 red, 99¼ cash and Sept., $1 03½ Dec.

TOLEDO, Sept. 2.

WHEAT—99½c cash and Sept., $1 03 Dec.
CORN—63c cash.
OATS—30c cash.

The Dairy Markets.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 2.—Seventeen factories boarded 3,725 boxes first half August; 410 sold at 9¼c, 700 at 9⅜c, 980 at 9½c, 575 at 9⅝c. Market active; six buyers present.

BELLEVILLE, Sept. 2.—Offerings at the cheese market yesterday were 1,695 boxes. Sales of 180 boxes at 9½c, and 60 boxes at 9 11-16c.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 2.—Cattle—Offerings 20 cars; fairly good demand for good to choice grades, and about all of these sold at strong opening prices of the week to a shade advance. Common lots, old cows, stags, etc., slow and unchanged. Good 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, $4 60 to $4 90; common to choice cows and heifers, $2 25 to $3 35.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts about 5 cars, including one load of Canada lambs; market fairly steady and firm; all offerings sold at full strong former prices. Good Canada lambs, $6 40; common to fair lots, $5 50 to $6; culls, $4 50 to $5; best native lambs, $6 to $6 35; fair to best sheep, $4 50 to $5; common to fair, $3 75 to $4 25.

Hogs—Receipts 12 cars; market active and stronger; extra Yorkers, corn-fed, $5 80 to $5 90; common to fair, $5 40 to $5 70; medium to heavy grades, $5 40 to $5 65; pigs, common to choice, $2 50 to $4; extra, $4 25.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Miss Florence Dalton is visiting friends in Belmont and Derwent.

—Sarnia attracted nearly 100 excursionists yesterday morning from this city.

Mrs. David Dibb, of Horton street, is visiting friends in Belmont and vicinity.

Miss M. Connolly, of Niagara Falls, is visiting Mrs. Flannery, of Horton street.

—Nelson R. Butcher, of Toronto, court stenographer for the Government, was in the city yesterday.

—L. T. Lawrence, of this city, has just returned from an extended pleasure trip to Halifax and New York.

—Philip O'Dell, of this city, left Tuesday night with his family to permanently reside in West Superior, Wis.

—Hallowel Carnagie, teller in the Bank of Commerce, left on Saturday night to spend his holidays in London and Toronto. —[Windsor Record.

—Conductor Fox, of the M. C. R., who has just returned from a trip to Lowell, Mass., and other eastern cities, was calling on city friends on Monday.

—At the Police Court yesterday morning Isabella Geddes, an unmarried woman, 54 years of age, living with her brother-in-law on Dufferin avenue, was committed as insane.

—Ellis Morgan, of London township, was yesterday brought before Squire Smyth on a charge of assaulting and wounding his wife. He was fined $5 or 20 days.

—Dr. Williams, of this city, and J. A. McLardy, of Hamilton, have been elected president and treasurer of the Canadian Provident Fraternity, of which H. H. Gore is the agent.

—John Otwell, of London West, was yesterday committed for trial on a charge of insanity by Squire Lacey. He had been acquitted on a charge of assault on the grounds of insanity.

—In the report of the formation of an Epworth League in connection with London West Methodist Church the secretary inadvertently omitted the name of the president, John Lord.

—Immense crowds went to Detroit from Toronto Tuesday by the C. P. R. $1 excursion. It seems too much travel for the price, but it illustrates how ready the people are to take advantage of low rates.

—James Greenaway, plumber, has been summoned to appear at the Police Court on Sept. 8 to answer to a charge of laying a sewer pipe on Dundas street without permission. Engineer Graydon made the complaint.

—John Sheppard, of Burford, who fell from the Fraser hill, Port Stanley, last Thursday, being severely injured, died at the residence of Mrs. Morse in St. Thomas on Monday. He was aged 10 years and 5 months.

—Manager Frank Kirchmer left yesterday again for the east. He scored a big success last night in the opening of the Opera House season by "The Two Old Cronies." The play was greatly appreciated.

—The rite of baptism by immersion was administered to Miss Mabel Jones, of London (who is visiting friends here), by the Rev. W. H. Porter in the Baptish Church on Sunday evening in the presence of a large congregation.—[Waterford Star.

—Constable Ward Tuesday arrested Wm. Scissilly, London West, charged with assaulting a man named Gardner and stealing 50 cents from him. Scissily was bailed after being identified by Gardner as his assailant. Others are said to be concerned in the affair.

—Joshua Wilson was taken to the hospital Tuesday in an unconscious condition. While employed at Tripp's livery he was thrown on Monday evening from his horse on the Hamilton road, and had been cared for at the stable until concussion of the brain made his recovery uncertain.

—Saint George smiled brightly upon the Englishmen of the city yesterday, and hundreds enjoyed the annual picnic down the river. The Seventh Band was in attendance. Boats commenced at 11 a.m. to make hourly trips and continued until 10 p.m., the last boat returning to the city at 11. All kinds of sports were provided.

—Among the delegates now attending the I. O. F. Supreme Court in Detroit this week from this city are: T. G. Davey, supreme treasurer; Atwell Fleming, business manager of the Foresters' monthly; J. Crawford, W. H. Bartram, B. W. Greer, George Parish, H. Gibbons, Alex. Aikman, Wm. Gerry and W. W. Fitzgerald.

—The financial meeting of the London district of the Methodist Church was held at Delaware on Tuesday, Rev. George Boyd, of this city, chairman of the district, presiding. The superintendents of circuits were all present and several laymen, representing the various circuits in the district. The chairman preached in the evening to a good-sized audience and much good was done.

—The shooting of hares, pheasants, wild ducks, etc., became legal on and after Tuesday. It was the general impression that this should have been a splendid season for grouse breeding, but those who have been in the woods report coveys very scarce—only a few old birds to be put up. Of ducks there are a few on the ponds, but the first week will see them all killed or driven off. Altogether the season does not give much promise to the sportsman.

—A man named Henry Johnson, arrested and fined in Hamilton for stealing a ride on a G. T. R. train, by telling a "chestnuts" story about a sick wife enlisted the tender sympathies of some leading citizens, who raised money to pay his fine and handed him an overplus that was collected. The council also took up the matter, remitted the fine and gave Johnson a pass as far as this city. Before leaving Hamilton the fellow boasted that he had beat his way from San Francisco to New York and was now on his way back.

—At the annual election Tuesday night for officers and teachers of the Wellington Street Methodist Sabbath school, the following were returned: William Jeffery, superintendent; Alfred Talbot, assistant superintendent; F. C. Toon, secretary; Wm. Southcott, assistant secretary; James Luney, treasurer; Arthur Gorman, musical conductor; Miss Mary Booth, organist; Wm. Foot, librarian; Frank Robinson, first assistant librarian; A. Irwin, second assistant librarian; Joseph Case, third assistant librarian. All last year's teachers were returned.

Sir Henry Tyler Preached.

On Sunday morning last Sir Henry Tyler, in the absence of Rev. Mr. Henderson, officiated in Trinity Church. Owing to its not being the regular morning for service, and no notice being given, there was but a small attendance. In the evening, however, the edifice was crowded, when Sir Henry read the lessons. His voice and style of reading are highly commendable, showing scholarly training as well as experience in the work. The sermon by Rev. Mr. Henderson was one that was highly appreciated.—[Wiarton Echo. Sir Henry preached in Point Edward on the previous Sunday. He delivers an earnest, practical sermon, having been educated in England for the ministry.

A McGillivray Farmer Killed.

William Carter, of McGillivray township, one of the most respected residents of the neighborhood of Clandeboye, was on Tuesday evening so terribly injured by his horses running away that he lived but a few hours, and died without having regained consciousness. He had hitched up a span of young horses with which he had been plowing during the day to a wagon, and was driving to a neighbor's, when they got beyond his control, and as they ran into the ditch he lost his balance and fell between the wheels and wagon box. One leg was broken in many places and his skull fractured.

Accident to a Detective's Wife.

Tuesday night an unfortunate accident befel the wife of Detective John A. Graham, which might have resulted in loss of life. Mrs. Graham had just crossed the bridge at the foot of Dundas street driving in company with Mr. Graham and their infant daughter, when D. Daly's horse came down the hill at a rapid gait. As a result the two rigs collided and the sudden jolt threw Mrs. Graham out on the wheel. She sustained several very severe bruises and but for her presence of mind her child would undoubtedly have been killed. As it was she was the only one injured, but both buggies were badly smashed. Mr. Daly had lost control of his horse.

Death of a Former Londoner.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sinclair, relict of the late John Sinclair of this city, died on Monday at Winnipeg. About two years ago she suffered with consumption and at the advice of her attending physician she moved to Winnipeg in company with her two brothers, a sister and her daughter, a child then 5 years old. The change proved beneficial inasmuch as it prolonged her life until last Monday when she passed peacefully away at the age of 30 years. While living in this city she was an active and valued member of King Street Presbyterian Church. Her husband, who was a retired farmer, lived in London but a short time and died in 1886. The remains of Mrs. Sinclair were brought to this city this morning via the C. P. R. and interred at the Scotch Cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends met the train and attended the funeral.

The Late Mrs. Fraser.

Mrs. Jane Cameron Fraser, relict of the late Alex. Fraser, Boleskine, Inverness, died after an illness of three months, suffering during that time from Bright's disease, on Aug. 25. She bore her illness with remarkable fortitude and marked Christian forebearance. Her husband died suddenly of heart disease about seventeen years ago at Ingersoll. The deceased and a family of six daughters and two sons were left to mourn his departure. The remains were interred in Woodland Cemetery last Friday afternoon, Rev. J. Allister Murray and Rev. Mr. Ballantyne officiating. James Gordon, Andrew Thompson, Wm. Stevely, Donald Fraser, A. Davidson and C. McCallum were pall-bearers. Deceased was an aunt of Mrs. Justice Rose, and of J. H. McDonald, barrister, of Toronto. During her life she was a staunch Presbyterian, an active member of St. Andrew's Church, this city. She was always admired for her charitable acts of kindness towards the poor and needy, and her death is a cause of grief to warm friends.

Personal Register.

J. Westervelt, city, a late guest of James Dadgerfield, Sparta.

Dr. C. H. Ziegler, city, in Berlin, calling on his friends.

A. W. Buckand, Wm. Hevely and M. T. Ligate, city, latest arrivals at the Fraser House, Port Stanley.

H. A. Sabine and E. H. Campbell, city, registered in Brantford.

P. S. London, E. P. Hooper and A. Talbot registered in Toronto.

A. G. Chisholm, city, visiting in Toronto.

Miss Lily Kendall, Brussels, doing city millinery openings.

Miss L. Loughrey and Miss Tackaberry, city, late guests of Mrs. C. W. Welsh, Exeter.

Mrs. R. J. Young and Mrs. Watts, visiting relatives in St. Marys.

Harry Gillies and wife, city, visiting relatives in Thamesville.

Miss Lizzie Johnson, city, a late visitor with Miss Lou Vester, of Blenheim; and Miss Myers, a late visitor with her cousin, Miss Thompson, also of Blenheim.

Miss Cushion, city, a late guest of the Misses Johnson in Thedford.

Mrs. (Ald.) Heaman, city, the guest of A. Dickson, Arkona.

William Brock, city, a late visitor with Arkona friends.

Conference on the State of Religion.

A conference on the state of religion will be held in the First Presbyterian Church, London, on Monday, Sept. 7. The following is the programme:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 to 3:15—Devotional exercises.

4:15 to 4:15—"The discouragements and encouragements of the pastor's work." Introduced by Rev. W. S. Ball.

4;15 to 5:30—"The best means of raising money for all church work in all congregations." Introduced by Rev. E. H. Sawers.

EVENING SESSION.

7:30 to 7:45—Devotional exercises.

7:45 to 9—"The importance of home training and its influence upon the Church and State." Introduced by Rev. Geo. Sutherland.

9 to 10—"How can we supply during the winter months fields left vacant by the removal of students at the close of the summer?" Introduced by Rev. F. Ballantyne.

Twenty minutes will be allowed for the introduction of each subject, and it is expected the brethren will be prepared to enter heartily into the discussion of the subjects, making the conference both interesting and profitable.

On the following Tuesday the London Presbytery will meet.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation; its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 25 doses, 35 cents.

The leading article at a horse fair is a halter.

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

TERSE TELEGRAMS.

Wired From Every Quarter of the Globe.

Fatal Finale of a Football Match—Sale of the Dundas Cotton Mills—Numerous Desertions from the Halifax Garrison.

CANADIAN.

Ottawa University reopened Wednesday with 400 students.

The Ottawa police commissioners have made all the policemen school truant officers.

A fire did extensive damage at Sault Ste. Marie early this morning. It started in the Albion Hotel.

Joseph J. Whalen was drowned while attempting to pass through the rapids at the suspension bridge, St. John, N.B.

Wm. Myles, the new manager of the Hamilton and Dundas Street Railway, was stricken with paralysis Wednesday.

Inland revenue receipts at Montreal for August, $153,952 42, an increase of $28,510 21 over the same month in 1890.

W. J. Gallagher, of Tapleytown, received fatal injuries by being hit in the stomach by a companion during a football game.

An influential deputation waited upon Mr. Tupper in Ottawa and urged that the close season for catching fish be extended from Oct. 15 to Nov. 10.

Nearly all the wreckage of the recent railway accident has been removed from Burlington Canal. The body of Fireman Crouch has not yet been recovered.

Some time ago a batch of Royal Artillerymen deserted from the Halifax garrison. Wednesday morning the city marshal was informed that four more had skipped.

James Wilson, of Bayswater, a millowner, was taken ill suddenly on the street at Ottawa on Wednesday, and expired in a few minutes. He leaves a wife and four children.

The Dundas cotton mills have been sold by auction for $150,200 to Mr. Thompson, of the law firm of Thompson, Henderson & Bell, Toronto, who are said to be acting for Gault Bros., of Montreal.

Senator La Coste has decided to decline the position of chief justice of the Court of Queen's Bench, which was offered to him by the Government on Saturday, on the ground that the salary of $6,000 attached to the office is not sufficient.

At Beachbury, Ont., on Tuesday night, burglars broke into three stores and the postoffice. They did not get anything from the postoffice, but managed to pick up two silver watches, about $10 in cash and some blacksmiths' tools.

In the case of John McGinnis, the Montreal telegraph operator who was arrested on Aug. 14, charged with tapping a wire with the intention of stealing reports of the results of the United States races, the grand jury returned a true bill against accused.

The Department of Marine and Fisheries has awarded to the Polson Company, of Owen Sound, the contract for a steel cruiser of a speed of 15 knots an hour, to be employed on general Government work in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The contract price is $37,800.

UNITED STATES.

The United States public debt statement for August shows a reduction of $1,091,216; cash in treasury, $766,602,347.

A. B. Patton, bookkeeper for A. B. Frank & Co., San Antonio, Tex., was murdered in his house early Tuesday morning by burglars.

Six carloads of cattle shipped from Indian territory to Chicago are said to have the Texas fever, and the authorities at Buffalo will be notified.

Rev. J. B. L. Soule, D.D., Ph.D., died on Tuesday at Chicago. He was the last of four brothers, all of whom have been eminent as authors and educators.

Richard Nash, of Philadelphia, engineer on the fast Reading express, while on the lookout yesterday was struck by some obstruction near Oreville station, Pa., and his head was severed from the body.

The wife of Alfred MacKerl, a wealthy citizen of Surrey county, Va., died Monday night, and on Tuesday her husband was found dead on the bed with the corpse of his wife. He had shot himself through the heart.

At Three Rivers, Mich., on Monday evening, Miss Lellia S. Harwood, aged 22, committed suicide by jumping into Corey Lake. An Advent minister has been stopping at their house, and she went crazy over religion.

At Lowell, Mass., yesterday David Belanger was found murdered in his dry-goods store. There is a gash on his neck extending from the back of the neck almost to the windpipe, the carotid artery being severed. No clue.

The mails from China and Japan reached New York Wednesday morning, the run from Vancouver being made in 84 hours. It is thought the mails will be delivered in Great Britain in twenty days from the date of leaving Yokohama.

A bloody affray occurred Tuesday night at Velpen, Pike county, Ind. Three men named Posey, Miller and Fleming went into a restaurant and attempted to steal what they could lay hands on, when the proprietor shot and instantly killed Posey and Fleming. Miller was badly wounded. The man who did the shooting was arrested.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

There is said to be danger of another civil war in Samoa.

The River Barrow, Ireland, has overflowed its banks and caused great damage.

It is reported in Hamburg that all restrictions on American pork will be removed at once.

Official notification of the success of the Chilian revolution has been received at Washington.

The Streele stables at Ayr, Scotland, were burned last night, and nine valuable race horses perished.

A riot broke out at Ichang, China, on Tuesday. All the mission and foreign property was burned.

The Victorian Legislature has passed the federation bill with an amendment excluding New Zealand from federation.

It is reported that the Bank of England will raise its rate of discount with a view of preventing heavy exports of gold.

A Berlin dispatch says: The papers concur in regarding the situation as a grave one. The Post says: It is a great error to dissimulate the fact that the position is becoming worse.

The Berlin National Zeitung says: "Never before have our minds been so much filled with the possibility of being compelled to fight to retain our winnings of 1890." The Tageblatt says: "Internal agitation in Russia is one of the few securities for peace."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

MARRIED AND MATED.

Miss Mary Lincoln's Wedding—An Imperial Matrimonial Alliance.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The marriage of Miss Mary Lincoln, daughter of the United States Minister, to Chas. B. Isham, of Chicago, Ill., took plase yesterday at the Brompton parish church. A number of fashionable English people and Americans, mostly intimate friends of the Lincoln family, filled the church. After the marriage ceremony the most intimate friends of the two families partook of a wedding breakfast at the Minister's residence in Cromwell gardens.

A matrimonial alliance between the Czarewitch of Russia and Princess Marie, of Greece, his cousin, will be formally announced in the near future. The match will be arranged during the Czarina's approaching visit to Athens.

DASHED TO DEATH.

Horrible Accident at a County Fair—G. F. Woods Meets a Terrible Fate.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Geo. F. Woods, of Union Square, this county, met with a frightful accident at the Oswego County Fair grounds yesterday afternoon, which resulted in his instant death. One of the attractions was a balloon ascension and parachute jump by Prof. J. J. Frisbie. Woods was one of a number of volunteers engaged in holding the big gas bag on the ground while it was being inflated with hot air. When everything was in readiness and Prof. Frisbie was getting his parachute in readiness, smoke was seen issuing from the balloon. The cry was started that the balloon was burning and the volunteers all let go except Woods. In an instant he was whirling in the air and the horrified spectators saw that he was entangled in the ropes. When about 25 feet from the earth he partly disengaged himself and let go. The ropes, however, were around his legs and he was soon shooting rapidly upwards feet first. He kicked furiously for a minute or two and then his body shot downward head first. When he was picked up he was dead. About 10,000 persons witnessed the accident. Woods was 22 years old. He fell about 70 feet.

ODDS AND ENDS.

A Bellamy scheme for co-operative housekeeping has just collapsed at Decatur, Ill. The plan of having a common kitchen and common dining room looked very nice on paper, but it didn't work. The average man wants to be able to discharge his cook when she doesn't suit.

An author in a recent manual on horsemanship has succeeded in putting into print the peculiar cluck used in starting horses, which is made by thrusting the tongue against the roof of the mouth. He spells it "Klk."

A contemporary gives a pretty motto for a bed canopy, the embroidery of which should be poppies, with this verse outlined:

"I bring," said the poppy, yawning,
"The gift man longs to possess;
That he racks the world in seeking—
I bring him forgetfulness."

A remarkable somnambulistic feat is reported from Bath, Me. A young man of that place went to bed with the idea of rising early and shaving. In the night he suddenly awoke and found himself standing in the middle of the room. He went to bed again. When he rose in the morning he went to his dressing case and prepared to shave, when, on looking in the glass, he found that he was already shaved as neatly as any barber could have done it.

Mr. Spurgeon's Condition.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Mr. Spurgeon was very weak yesterday, and unable to take food.

The Cattle Trade.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The Board of Agriculture has issued instructions regarding the Atlantic cattle trade, to take effect in January. They provide for more room and better care for cattle on board ship, and for one competent foreman with one assistant to every 25 head of cattle. Injured animals must be killed immediately.

Gen. Booth's Scheme.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Word has just been received that Gen. Booth left Cape Town for Australia on Sunday. The general reports that leading statesmen of British South Africa favor his proposition to found a colony in Swaziland, and will give it their practical support. The general has not yet, however, purchased the land for the proposed South African settlement. He probably wishes to see Australia first. He found the army flourishing in South Africa, both at the Cape and among the converted natives of the interior.

The Pinch of Poverty.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The price of bread is rising in London, and the working classes are already beginning to feel the pinch of the distress consequent on deficient harvests. The advance so far is a halfpenny on the quarter loaf. People are talking of dear bread during the coming winter, and with the throngs from Russia and Germany that have crowded into the city during the season, it is apparent that charity will be fully taxed to supply the needs of London poor. The Salvation Army is increasing its lodging and food accommodation in preparation for the demands of winter, and notwithstanding the opposition of the church and of the Times, money is flowing in liberally from various quarters to the army exchequer. There is a public sentiment that however crude the army methods they reach the right spot, and that the poor are assisted without the red tape that involves so many of the London charities.

THE WIFE AND HER HUSBAND'S CLOTHES.

[Rochester Advertiser.]

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is reported to be quite critical on the subject of her distinguished husband's Brooklyn statue. Of this, says a Herald account, she exclaimed the other day: "It looks like a tramp. Mr. Beecher never wore that old cloak save on cold and rainy days." Trust a woman to find out whether her husband is at his best as regards appearances! Be he dressed for a dinner party or transformed to bronze and marble, she is still the ultimate appeal!

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

Calf love is called calf love because man as such a stupid animal as to remember it till the days of his life.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use, It corrects all looseness of the bowels. It corrects all looseness and cause a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

Those answering an advertisement will confer a favor upon the Advertiser and Publisher by stating that they saw the Advertisement in the LONDON ADVERTISER.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

A Cast for Fortune

By Christian Reid.

AUTHOR OF "VALERIE AYLMER," "A DAUGHTER OF BOHEMIA," "HEART OF STEEL," "BONNY KATE," ETC.

"Surely," he said, moved almost beyond his power of self-control, yet quieted, too, by those exquisitely gentle words, "you must know it. I feel that my life belongs to you, you may never have any use for it, that is most likely, but nevertheless if at any time you summoned me, though it were from the end of the world, to do your bidding, believe me, I should come."

"I do believe it," she said, thrilled by the passion of his tone. "But let us say no more of this. All is understood, if not expressed. I, too, have thanked God for your safety. And now I must go and find how it is with that poor creature in the hospital."

He could not utter another word, but he walked by her side across the court in the lovely twilight stillness, and at the entrance they met Padre Francisco. He paused at sight of them, and Zarifa looked into his pale, moved face with a startled entreaty in her eyes.

"He has made his confession," said the priest, "and he has promised to repeat the part relating to his attempts on Senor Derwent's life to the proper officials. They are taking his testimony now, and it exonerates Senor Barrera entirely. But he is sinking fast."

"Ah, my God!" said Zarifa, putting her hand to her heart.

Padre Francisco extended a gentle hand and laid it on her arm. "My child," he said, gravely, "stop and think what a good thing such an end as this is for him. What is the natural life, when it is spent in forgetfulness of God and stained so deeply with crime that a violent death at any moment might send the soul into perdition? When such a life as that ends, by the mercy of God, with contrition, with penitence, and with reparation, is it not something for which to be devoutly rejoiced? Try to look at things by the higher light, the light of God's eternal purposes. Your promptness and your courage saved a life. You are grateful for that, I know. But, believe me, and I speak who have seen the depths of this poor soul, you should be far more grateful that your bullet has saved a soul. Never might such a grace have come to him otherwise, the grace that sends him forth to the bar of eternal justice contrite, absolved, and fortified by the sacraments. Come with me now. I am going to the church for the Holy Eucharist."

CHAPTER XIV.

"Never was I more glad of anything in my life," said Don Maurizio. "The whole matter has proved to be exactly as I imagined."

"Do you mean," said Derwent, a little startled, "that it was really Fernandez who had the shooting done?"

"Certainly," the other answered. "I never had any doubt of it. He is not a man to stop at trifles, that worthy Senor Fernandez. The opportunity was so tempting to punish you and throw the odium of murder on Barrera. But he overshot his mark, his instrument was not zealous enough in the first instance, and a little too zealous in the second. That is always the difficulty in employing instruments. Hereafter I should advise him to do his shooting himself."

"But how was it?" asked Derwent. "How did he arrange the matter?"

"The substance of the dying man's confession is this," said Don Maurizio. "He is a notorious desperado, a semi-outlaw, who if brigandage had not been made so unpleasant and dangerous to all concerned in it would have embraced that profession. As it is, he is known to have been concerned in many crimes. He is a cousin of the ranchero at whose house you spent the night, and danced to be there on that occasion; although it is not likely that you saw him. Fernandez did, however; and probably his idea flashed upon him at the sight of such an instrument. The man says that he told him guardedly, but in language sufficiently clear to be understood, that you carried money, and that he was at liberty to shoot and rob you. He was kind enough to remark that it was not necessary to kill you outright, although if such an accident occurred he would not deplore it. That accounts for the fact that when the robber found you senseless he dragged you back into the road and left you alive. Had you been conscious, he would no doubt have killed you."

"How could Fernandez be sure that I would give him an opportunity, by falling behind the rest of the party?"

"He reckoned, it is to be suspposed, on the coolness between himself and you, and on the fact that you could not talk to Aranda or the mozos. A man in such a case generally rides alone, and is easily left behind. He told this poor tool of his—whose name, by the way, is Lopez—that if he, Fernandez, were with you, no harm was to be done, but if he found you alone he might do what he pleased."

"The scoundrel!" said Derwent between his teeth. "That meant that if he found me a pliant tool I should be spared. He offered me the mine, with many plausible explanations, again that day, and I again refused it. Then he left me to the fate he had prepared, the infamous scoundrel!"

"Certainly an infamous scoundrel," said Don Maurizio. "He left you coolly to your fate; and when he found afterwards that things were not going very smoothly from his point of view, that you had found a powerful friend, for I may say that of myself, and that inquiry was growing hot upon his tracks he met one day the man whom he had tempted to put his life in jeopardy, and taunted him with having done his work so badly, with having spared your life. 'You should have remembered,' he said to him, 'that dead men never tell any tales.' It is not likely that he meant by this that the work should still be done in a more satisfactory manner; but so Lopez took it. He fancied that it might be safer for himself if you were out of the way; and the result was simple. He hung about the hacienda, discovered that you were in the habit of visiting the canada, a place that seemed made for his purpose, and watched for you there with the intention of putting an end to Fernandez' taunts. The rest we know."

"Yes," said Derwent, "we know that God sent an angel to frustrate his purpose, why, He alone knows! I am sure my life seems unworthy of being saved in such a manner."

"Think, then, of poor Barrera," said Don Maurizio, smiling. "He absolutely wept—and you know how much of the impassive Indian calm our Mexicans have—when he heard of the confession. I had sent for him, and he arrived just after it had been taken down."

"I do not think of him, and am most sincerely grateful on his account, as well as on my own," said Derwent. "But what will be the result to Fernandez?"

"The result will be, of course, that he will deny the story, and his powerful friends will hush the matter up, probably. But it will put a quietus upon him in many ways. With such a charge hanging over him, he will make himself less obnoxious for some time to come."

"I shall let him know that if he crosses my path I will shoot him like a dog."

"He will not cross your path," said the other, significantly. "And if he does, you can afford to scorn him. The blood of this poor creature is upon his soul. Let that suffice."

Yes, it might well suffice, Derwent said to himself a little later, as he passed across the patio on his way to his own apartment, feeling exhausted by the manifold excitements of the day. Within the short space of twelve hours many things had occured that he should never forget. That moment of close and deadly danger, the instant when he had seen Zarifa standing before him with her flashing glance and her lifted pistol, her anguish at the sight of the fatally-wounded assassin struck down by her own hand, her swift summons of assistance, these things were burned ineffaceably upon his memory. And not less vivid was the recollection of the moments in the twilight quiet of the cloistered court, when Zarifa and himself had stood alone together, and she had spoken with a confidence so touching that it had almost led him to a betrayal that he felt would be the depth of folly. Then he had walked beside her as she made one of the procession that followed Padre Francisco as, with accompanying acolytes, with shining tapers and silver bell, and all the sweet and solemn state which the ritual prescribes, he bore the holy Host to the dying man. And what a scene that was upon which they entered! The hushed quiet, the kneeling forms, and the radiance of lighted candles, centering about the bed where he lay who in the morning had been a murderer in intent, and who now—oh, wonderful mystery of eternal love and pardon!—was to go forth on his last dread journey with that sacrament so fitly called the Viaticum of the dying. Zarifa knelt just outside the door of the room, shielded from observation alike by her black draperies and by the dusk of the court; but a few minutes after the communion, as she rose to go, Padre Francisco came out to her. "He wishes to speak to you," he said. "Nay, do not fear," as she shrank back, "what he has to say will not distress you. He begs you to come."

(To be Continued.)

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THE FALL FAIRS.

When and Where They Will Be Held This Year.

Detroit International	Aug. 25-Sept. 4
Grand Valley	Sept. 6-7
Lansing State Fair	Sept. 7-11
Toronto Industrial	Sept. 7-19
Drumbo	Sept. 8-9
Rockton	Sept. 13-14
Zurich	Sept. 14-15
Thamesville	Sept. 14-16
Hensall	Sept. 15-16
Preston	Sept. 15-17
St. Thomas	Sept. 15-17
Lucan	Sept. 16-17
Goderich	Sept. 16-18
London Western Fair	**Sept. 17-26**
St. Catharines	Sept. 21-23
Brantford	Sept. 21-22
Dundas	Sept. 22-23
Wellesley	Sept. 22-23
Guelph Central	Sept. 22-24
Paisley	Sept. 22-24
Ottawa Central	Sept. 23-Oct. 2
Mitchell	Sept. 23-24
Barrie	Sept. 23-25
Tilsonburg	Sept. 24-25
New Hamburg	Sept. 24-25
Pinkerton	Sept. 25
Exeter	Sept. 28-29
Palmerston	Sept. 28-29
Aylmer	Sept. 28-30
Clinton	Sept. 28-30
Gravenhurst	Sept. 29-30
Kemptville	Sept. 29-30
Nassagaweya	Sept. 29-30
St. Marys	Sept. 29-30
Berlin	Sept. 29-30
Ripley	Sept. 29-30
Woodstock	Sept. 29-30
Wingham	Sept. 29-30
Wyoming	Sept. 29-30
Ailsa Craig	Sept. 29-30
Brampton	Sept. 29-30
Cayuga	Sept. 29-30
Smithville	Sept. 29-30
Chatham	Sept. 29-Oct. 1
Six Nations	Sept. 29-Oct. 1
Winnipeg	Sept. 29-Oct. 2
Halifax	Sept. 29-Oct. 2
Wajkerton	Sept. 29-Oct. 2
Collingwood	Sept. 29-Oct. 2
Harriston	Sept. 30-Oct. 1
Strathroy	Oct. 1-2
Brussels	Oct. 1-2
Jarvis	Oct. 1-2
Stouffville	Oct. 1-2
Belmont	Oct. 1-2
Forest	Oct. 1-2
Arthur	Oct. 1-2
Galt	Oct. 1-2
Rockwood	Oct. 1-2
Seaforth	Oct. 1-2
Wallacetown	Oct. 1-2
Stratford	Oct. 1-2
Springfield	Oct. 2-3
Petrolea	Oct. 2-3
Otterville	Oct. 2-3
Ridgetown	Oct. 5-7
Holstein	Oct. 6
Puslinch	Oct. 6
Mooretown	Oct. 6
Arkona	Oct. 6-7
Paris	Oct. 6-7
Welland	Oct. 6-7
Belgrave	Oct. 6-7
Clarksburg	Oct. 6-7
Arran-Tara	Oct. 6-7
Sault Ste. Marie	Oct. 6-8
Acton	Oct. 7
Yorkton, N. W. T.	Oct. 7
Ingersoll	Oct. 7-8
Norwich	Oct. 7-8
Tilbury East	Oct. 7-8
Thorndale	Oct. 8
Clifford	Oct. 8-9
Kincardine	Oct. 8-9
Kirkton	Oct. 8-9
Milton	Oct. 8-9
Fergus	Oct. 8-9
Blyth	Oct. 8-9
Embro	Oct. 8-9
Elora	Oct. 8-9
Orangeville	Oct. 8-9
Underwood	Oct. 9
Simcoe	Oct. 13-14
Wallaceburg	Oct. 13-14
Erin	Oct. 14-15
Port Elgin	Oct. 14-15
Burford	Oct. 15-16

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO JAN. 1, 1891.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:05 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	5:15 p.m
Limited Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	2:05 a.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:50 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:23 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	9:05 a.m
Chicago L'i'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	5:10 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

Trains arrive in London at 8:25 a.m., 12 m and 6:40 p.m.

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

JOHN PAUL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 395 Richmond street.

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

CORRECTED MAY 11, 1891.

MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Limited Express (a)	3:35 a.m.	3:55 a.m
Mail	.....	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (a)	12:05 p.m.	12:10 p.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
St. Louis Express (a) (b)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 78 Freight (c)	6:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (a)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
West End Mixed	.....	6:45 a.m
Erie Limited	11:00 a.m.	.....
St. Louis Express (a)	11:20 a.m.	11:30 a.m
Accommodation	12:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Pacific Express (a)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:55 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (b)	3:50 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (b)	11:43 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	.....
Erie Limited (b)	11:26 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (b)	.....	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (b)	.....	11:05 a.m
Accommodation	.....	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (b)	.....	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:45 p.m.	4:25 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mail	.....	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	2:50 p.m
Accommodation	6:35 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:50 p.m.	.....
Mail	11:15 p.m.	.....

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	10:55 a.m.	7:35 a.m
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
	7:00	9:15	10:50	12:25	4:10	6:40	n7:00
Hamilton—Arrive—	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
	12:30	18:50	10:09	11:10	4:00	6:25	8:15

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
(a) Runs daily, Sundays included.
(b) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
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Going East.

DEPART—				
London	4:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:35	p.m
Woodstock	5:46 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:33	p.m
Galt	6:40 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30	p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40	p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:55	p.m
Peterboro	11:45 a.m.	.....	12:13	a.m
Kingston	4:00 p.m.	.....	9:40	p.m
Ottawa	6:40 p.m.	.....	6:00	a.m
Montreal	7:55 p.m.	.....	8:15	a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	.....	3:00	p.m
Portland, Me	8:30 a.m.	.....	8:35	p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	.....	8:50	p.m
Halifax, N. S.	11:10 p.m.	.....	.....	

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 7:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	7:00 a.m.	11:25 a.m.	7:05 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	10:00 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:52 p.m
Detroit	.....	2:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	.....	10:15 p.m.	7:20 a.m
St. Louis	.....	7:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	.....	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 3:55 a.m., 12:15 noon, 5:25 p.m.

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ERIE & HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.		Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
		A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)		.....	6:10	7:40	.....
Courtright		.....	6:40	8:20	.....
M. C. R. Junction		.....	6:45	8:29	.....
Chatham (C. P. R.)	arr	.....	7:45	10:35	3:39
	dep	7:45	.....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)		.....	8:13	.....	5:10
Blenheim	arr	.....	8:26	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.		Exp	Exp	Mix
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Blenheim	dep	8:30	2:53	6:45
Fargo (M. C. R.)		8:43	3:10	6:00
Chatham (C. P. R.)	arr	9:08	3:30	6:20
	dep	9:13	3:37	.....
M. C. R. Junction		11:20	.....	.....
Courtright		11:25	5:55	.....
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	arr	12:00	6:25	.....

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BOWLE-IMPETT—On Sept. 2, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Thomas Impett, London township, by the Rev. W. Godwin, Robert George Bowle, of the city of London, to Louisa Emily Impett, of the same place.

DIED.

TUKE—In this city, on Tuesday, Sept. 1, Albert Edwin, son of John and Helen Tuke, aged 2 months and 13 days.
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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 2—11 p.m.—A decrease in pressure is taking place in Ontario and Quebec, and an increase in the Maritime Provinces. It is raining in the Maritime Provinces and fair elsewhere. In the Northwest the pressure is decreasing, with fair weather and a tendency to higher temperature.
Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 34°—76°; Qu'Appelle, 36°—64°; Winnipeg, 44°—60°; Port Arthur, 54°—62°; Toronto, 53°—74°; Kingston, 52°—72°; Montreal, 54°—72°; Quebec, 54°—70°; Halifax, 58°—66°.
Local temperatures—Highest 77°; lowest 54°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Sept. 3—1 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Increasing winds from west and northwest; mostly fair, with some local showers; cooler by night.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—The city plumbers picnicked yesterday at Port Stanley.

—Frank Ascherback, who has friends in this city, died in Detroit on Monday.

—London exhibitors have taken a full share of the prizes in the poultry department at the Detroit Exhibition.

—Thomas C. Board, London West, has had his neighbors, John and George Bonsor, summoned for allowing their poultry to destroy his garden.

—Mrs. R. Musgrove and Miss Laura Farrow, of Bluevale, and J. M. Farrow, wife and son, of London, were the guests of Postmaster Yarrow last week.—[Brussels Post.

—The Valetta cheese factory sold this season's make of June and July to J. S. Pearce, London, consisting of 16,409 pounds of cheese, for 8 cents per pound, amounting to 1,312.

—Rev. T. C. Oliver, M.A., has been reappointed pastor of the B. M. E. Church in this city, the 35th annual session having been held last week in Chatham. Conference meets next year at Windsor.

—The three beautifully finished fire steamers going to the Toronto and London fairs are about completed and will be ready with wheels on by Monday. It will repay our citizens to visit the Ronald works.—[Brussels Post.

—Rev. E. Collins, rector of St. Stephen's Church, Detroit, has been appointed grand chaplain of the Independent Order of Foresters for the State of Michigan at the High Court, which met in Grand Rapids last week. The reverend gentleman is well and favorably known in this city.

—The St. Thomas and Galt people make quite a blow about Jeff. N. Wood being a resident of London. Mr. Wood has conducted a grocery store in Tilsonburg for several years, and is as much a resident of the town as any other person in it. Pete and Fred belong to London at present, but have been members of the Tilsonburg baseball team for two or three years, and occasionally played with them.—[Tilsonburg Liberal.

Mrs. C. Harrison and Mrs. Large, Thorndale, have gone on a two-months' trip up the lakes.

—Charles Crawford, an old London boy, now a manufacturer in Toronto, is spending a few days in the city.

—It is reported that W. J. O'Connor, one of the oldest hotelkeepers in Winnipeg, and formerly of London, is dying in that city.

—Rev. A. C. Crews, pastor of Zion Methodist Church, Winnipeg, has arrived home from a visit to his father in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ingram have returned from a trip across the ocean, which they report as having been a very enjoyable one.

—There are several cases of typhoid fever on Craig street, South London. The residents of that pretty little street need a sewer and drainage.

—A gang of corporation laborers and a number of teams have been busy for several days grading Queen street, below Bruce street, South London. It is work that was much needed.

—The London West school has started work again after the long vacation with about 350 pupils in attendance, the newly-opened room being occupied, with a new teacher in charge.

—Ward, foremen in the city, have been notified by City Engineer Graydon that hereafter they will be required to work with the other employes as well as oversee the work done by them.

John M. Scatcherd, who has relatives in this city, has been offered and declined a nomination as candidate for the mayoralty of Buffalo, N. Y., in which city he is president of the Republican League.

—An inspector is kept busy watching contractor and teamsters to see that the earth removed from Richmond street, where cedar blocking is in process, is applied to city uses and not sold out to private parties.

—The cold, wet weather of the past week or so has had a bad effect on the potato and corn crop in some localities. Potatoes are beginning to rot, and field corn, though headed finely, without hot, dry weather, will not ripen.

—Wm. Higby, cab driver, has been summoned by City Engineer Graydon for driving over the sidewalk at the C. P. R. station. Wm. Greenway has also been summoned for tearing up block pavement on Dundas street without a permit.

—Dr. Geo. Shoults, formerly of this city, who is now one of the leaders in the International Fraternal Alliance for the State of Michigan, with headquarters at Detroit, left for that place yesterday, after spending a week with his family and relatives here.

—A Tuesday's Winnipeg dispatch says: Mr. McBroom, of London, who has been appointed superintendent of Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition, arrived to-day. He is to have full charge of grounds and buildings, and will assume duties at once.

—Correspondents from Petrolea and vicinity have complained to Manager John Evans, of the London Gun Club, about the reckless shooting of quail at present by persons who evade the law. In the absence of an inspector, an information may be laid against such offenders.

—The firemen of No. 3 station, South London, are very energetic young men, and fond of pleasant surroundings. They have already got the grounds in connection with the hall all sodded and looking beautifully green, and everything is kept in apple-pie order throughout the building.

—A unique social was held Tuesday night in the London West Methodist Church. "Corn in the cob," well cooked and very savory, was provided and heartily disposed of in large quantities. An excellent programme of mental food was also served, much to the appreciation of the large audience assembled.

—Wilfred Davis, B.A., T.C.T., youngest son of Judge Davis, had been a law student in the office of Meredith, Fisher & Beattie, in this city. He was a graduate of Trinity College, Toronto, and had prospects of a brilliant career had his health not failed. Last winter he spent in Colorado without deriving any benefit and gradually grew worse, dying Tuesday at his father's residence, aged only 23 years.

—At Osgoode Hall Tuesday, in the case of the London Boot Company vs. Side, Hoyles, Q.C., for the plaintiffs, moved to continue an injunction granted by one of the local judges at London restraining the defendant, Matthew Side, from transferring certain promissory notes made to him by the defendant, Side, in an action to set aside a sale of goods by the defendant, Matthew Side, to the defendant, A. Side, his brother, for which the notes were given, and also restraining the defendant from selling the goods. W. M. Douglas, for the defendants, contra. Injunction continued till the trial as to one of the notes and as to the goods. The plaintiffs to go down to trial at Chatham on Oct. 12. Costs reserved till the trial.

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Missionaries' Farewell.

A large congregation assembled in the Elm Street Methodist Church, Toronto, Tuesday evening to celebrate the farewell service given in honor of the missionaries about to depart for the new mission fields in South Central China. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist Church. Addresses were delivered by the departing volunteers, Rev. George E. Hartwell, B.D., Mr. D. Stephenson, M.D., Mr. O. Q. Kilborn, M.A., M.D., and James Hall, M.D., also by Rev. V. C. Hart, D.D., Dr. Sutherland, Hon. J. C. Aikins and J. J. McLaren. The missionaries will hold meetings in London and Winnipeg and will sail for China on Oct. 4.

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