

Canada's Trade

Canada's Aggregate Trade from '93 to '96 - - - \$952,084,354

Canada's Aggregate Trade from '97 to 1900 - - - \$1,264,931,666

Increase Under Liberal Rule - - - - - \$312,847,312

**The Sunday Services.**

The usual column of Sunday service notices will be found on page 6 of this issue.

**Births, Marriages, Deaths**

**MARRIED.**

**ELLIOTT-SHERR**-At the family residence, Woodland Farm, Kirkton, on Wednesday, Oct. 10, 1900, by the Rev. J. Ball, Clara, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keuben Sherr, to George Elliott, of London.

**FORRESTER-MAGEE**-In this city, on Monday, Oct. 15, 1900, at the residence of the bride's parents, 472 Dufferin avenue, by the Rev. Dr. Saunders, Charles Forrester to Jessie, second daughter of John J. Magee.

**ROSSER-HUGHES**-In this city, on Thursday, Oct. 18, 1900, at the residence of the bride's mother, 563 Talbot street, by the Rev. James Coult, of Sarnia, Miss Lizzie Hughes to E. F. Rosser, of Winnipeg, Man.

**DIED.**

**SWANWICK**-In this city, on Friday, Oct. 19, 1900, Elizabeth, beloved wife of John Joseph Swanwick, aged 29 years 11 months. Funeral will leave the residence of her father, 335 Grey street, on Sunday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Mount Clemens, Mich., papers please copy.

**SKELLEY**-At St. Mary's, on Oct. 19, John Skelley, aged 84 years.

Funeral Sunday, Oct. 21, at 4 p.m., from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Lonsdale, 242 Talbot street. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

**BUTLER**-In this city, on Oct. 20, Sarah Ann, relict of the late Charles Butler, aged 65 years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 108 Clarence street, on Sunday, Oct. 21; services at the house, 3 p.m.; at the S. A. Citadel, 9:30. Chicago and Toronto papers please copy.

**Amusements and Lectures**

10c per line, or 2c per word, each insertion.

**London Opera House**

Fri. & Sat., Oct. 19 & 20  
Funnest farce ever written.  
**Special Matinee HELLO, BILL!**  
Saturday 15c & 25c  
You'll laugh till you cry.  
Big prices. Plan open Wed. & Thurs.

**KEEPOCK** 30 for AGNES KNOX BLACK recital in Auditorium.

**HEAR MRS. BARNES-HOLMES** "A May Morning." Croydon Hall, Monday evening, 22nd.

**HEAR MR. THOMAS MARTIN** Play "Hungarian Rhapsody." Croydon Hall, Monday evening, 22nd.

**AUDITORIUM-MONDAY, OCT. 22**-H. M. OROUS and descriptive lecture by Rev. J. H. Hector (The Black Knight). Admission 15c.

**GRAND ANNIVERSARY ENTERTAINMENT** at the Wellington Methodist Church, Monday evening, Oct. 22. Program given by children; consisting of choruses, dialogues, recitations, tableaux, pantomime, etc., in aid of the school. Admission 15c, double tickets 25c. Doors open 7:15. Entertainment 8 o'clock sharp.

**M. E. H. TUCKERMAN** HAS RE-OPENED his dancing academy at 235 Richmond street, formerly Catholic Club. Classes as follows: Gentlemen, Monday and Thursday evenings; ladies, Tuesday and Friday evenings.

**SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS** WILL BE open Saturdays and Sundays only during winter months. Open for ladies Saturday only. Cole & Edmunds, proprietors.

**VOICE CULTURE**-BY N. ROBINSON. Studio, Northminster's room, Residence 335 Dundas. Concert engagements. People prepared for concert and church solo engagements. Phone 1210.

**UMBRIA, CUNARD LINE, SAILS SATURDAY, OCT. 21, 8 a.m.** From New York to Liverpool, via Queenstown. Passengers go aboard Friday evening. For tickets and all information apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**-GENTLEMEN BE-GINNERS' class will meet Thursday evening next week, instead of Monday. Dayton & McCormick.

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**Female Help Wanted**

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**WANTED**-GIRLS-FOREST CITY Laundry.

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**Pocock Bros.**

**Meetings.**

Headquarters 7th Fusiliers, London, Oct. 19, 1900.

Regimental order by Lieut. Col. A. M. Smith, commanding.

No. 1.-In the future the regiment will parade on Monday nights only. Captains of companies will make arrangements for company drill on other nights. By order, W. A. McCRIMMON, Lieut. and Adjutant.

**REV. J. H. HECTOR, THE BLACK KNIGHT**, will address the Black Knight meeting in the Auditorium, Sunday, at 4 o'clock. Doors open at 3 p.m. You hear him.

**DR. ROSSITER OF NEW YORK**, will speak on McCall mission work in Dundas Central Church, Tuesday, Oct. 23. Full choir organ recital at 7:45. Collection.

**CANADIAN ORG. FELLOWS**-ALL members are requested to meet at Sherwood Hall, 3 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 21, to attend divine service at King Street Presbyterian Church. Sermon by Rev. Thos. Wilson. Collection in aid of Protestant Orphans Home.

**RICHARD CORUE DE LON PRACEP**, TORY, K. T.-All members are requested to meet in Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, on Sunday, Oct. 21, to attend divine service in St. George's Church. Services conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage. Members in King's uniform will kindly wear them. W. T. Stenberg, registrar.

**MASS MEETING!**

**CITY HALL.**

**Monday Evening, October 22,**

at eight o'clock.

Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice, Hon. Wm. Mulock, Postmaster-General and Minister of Labor, C. S. Hyman, Esq., and others, will address the meeting. Free and cordially welcome. GEO. C. GIBSON, Esq., Q.C., President London Liberal Association, W. J. HARVEY, Secretary.

**GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.** 90a

**Domestics Wanted.**

**WANTED-COOK-APPLY IN EVENING.** Mrs. V. Cronyn, 594 Dundas street.

**WANTED AT ONCE-GOOD GENERAL** servant; small family. Apply 406 Burwell street.

**WANTED COOK AND HOUSEMAID.** References required. Mrs. Niven, 423 Colborne street.

**Wanted-GOOD COOK-APPLY MRS.** Innes, the Deanery, corner of Queen's and Park avenues.

**WANTED-BY FARMER, WELL-TO-DO** housekeeper, about 40, with marriage in view. Protestant, without encumbrance, and able to do all the work of a farm; help with state wages. Address Box 431, Woodstock, Ont.

**WANTED-YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN** housework. No washing. Apply Mrs. J. E. Adkins, 274 Queen's avenue.

**WANTED-50 GENERAL GIRLS; ALSO** man and wife, and two porters. Mrs. Lockhart's office, European Hotel ( upstairs), Phone 954.

**Male Help Wanted.**

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**WANTED-GOOD PAYING BUSINESS** for the winter for farmers or farmers' sons or any other person with horse and rig; responsible parties need apply. Address Box 33, Advertiser's Office.

**WANTED-WINCHESTER REPEATING** rifle. Box 33, this office.

**Wanted-HOUSE ABOUT MIDDLE** November, central, moderate rent, about three or four bedroom, give particulars. Box 31, this office.

**WANTED FOR BREEDING PURPOSES**-A pair of heavy draft mares, 8 or over, Clydesdale preferred. Apply Box 32, this office.

**WANTED-SPAN OF GENERAL PURPOSE** horses for farm work. Samuel Dart, Fanshawe P. O.

**WANTED-COMFORTABLE COTTAGE** for small family, centrally located. Apply 715 Richmond.

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The science of shoemaking is perfect ease and durability. The perfection of shoemaking is comfort and perfect fit. No style is good that is not comfortable. No shoe is cheap that does not wear. The price of a shoe doesn't mean as much as the quality. Far better to pay a fair price for a high quality than a low price for a low quality. The very best shoes sold in London at any price can always be found at

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**BUCHANAN'S COAL AND WOOD DE-** LIVERED to any part of city. Office 633 Colborne street. Phone 1095.

**FOR SALE-STYLISH MARK, 8 YEARS** old, spider phaeton, rubber tires; glass, outer, two black robes, and set of brass-mounted harness. Ripe and robes only in use one season. Owner leaving city. Must be sold quick. Bennett, 321 King street.

**ONE McCLARY'S FAMOUS BASEBURNER**, No. 190-\$30. One Famous Active Range, with high closet-\$36. Both used only four months. 206 English street.

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**Agents Wanted.**

**WANTED-MANAGER FOR BRANCH** office by old established manufacturing concern; salary \$125 per month and extra commission; must furnish satisfactory references and \$1,500 cash. District Manager, 500 Johnston Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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**TO LET-BRICK HOUSE OVER KING** street bridge. Apply 27 Becher street.

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**TO LET-OFFICE IN ODDFELLOWS** County Buildings.

**TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-** s. Furniture carefully handled. John Buga, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Co. Phone 310.

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**NOTICE-CALL AT PARISH STORE** if you want cheap cook or parlor stoves (wood or coal), baseburners, furniture. Stoves exchanged, 337 Talbot street, south Market Square.

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**LOST-THREE YEARLINGS-ROAN** steer, spotted year heifer, red and white spotted heifer. Any one knowing of their whereabouts will please notify John Morrow, Hinton Postoffice.

**WILL THE PERSON WHO TOOK** a Bradford wheel at the registration room, ward 4, the night, No. 20035, please return to 310 Piccadilly street.

**FOUND-COLLIE PUP WITH STRING** around neck. Apply 332 Colborne street.

**LOST-BROWN AND WHITE COLLIE** pup. Apply De Witt Westman, 11 Dundas street. Reward.

**LOST-ON TUESDAY EVENING, ON** Hyman street-Child's white woolen topcoat. Reward at 30 Hyman street.

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**COTTAGES,** From \$800 up to \$3,500.

**RESIDENCES,** From \$2,000 up to \$6,000.

**BUSINESS PROPERTIES,** From \$3,000 up to \$20,000.

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Vancouver, B. C., has a glue factory. It will suck.

It is really true that Scotch miners have taken the place in the coal mines at Nanaimo hitherto occupied by Chinese and Japanese. No miner, no underground, is paid less than \$3.50 a day. The Dominion Labor Commission has been adding Premier Durnand in making the desirable change.

Better stand by the prosperity Government.

Isn't it possible that H. H. Cook has been reading up so much Tory campaign literature and history that he has got things mixed and is now quoting from that celebrated Pacific Scandal telegram, "Send me another ten thousand; it's the last time of calling; don't fail me; answer today."—Godefrich Signal.

What's become of Tupper?

The Free Press says the reduction in postage benefits only "great merchants and bankers." What nonsense! Every person who uses a postage stamp shares in the reduction from 3 to 2 cents.

Sir Richard Cartwright says that Scotchmen are born thieves, and that they cannot help being thieves.—Free Press.

Of course Sir Richard Cartwright never said any such thing. Who does our contemporary imagine it is helping by such false assertions?

Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

Among the latest nominations is that in Wright county of Mr. Champagne—keeping the good wine to the last, as it were.

The time to register is now.

## PREPARING FOR THE SOLDIERS' RETURN

If Practicable a Military Banquet To Be Tendered "B" Company.

The citizens' reception committee has decided to tender an immense military banquet to the returning members of B company. The intention is to hold it in the drill shed. Only members of civic bodies, as representatives of the citizens, and the military corps of the city will attend. Details will be considered by a sub-committee, which will report back.

A parade will be formed at the station and conclude at Victoria Park, where speeches of welcome will be delivered. The citizens will be expected to decorate their residences and places of business, and they are requested, also, to refrain from crowding the road when the procession is passing. All the returned members of the London company will be invited to attend, and arrangements will probably be made for their free transportation. Ald. Beattie, president, and Col. Holmes, D.O.C., Col. A. M. Smith, Mayor Rumball, Messrs. T. Gillett and R. W. Bennett and Ald. Winder, Winnick, Cooper, Geary, Stevenson, Pritchard and Secretary Bell were also present.

## EXIT, KRUGER!

Oom Paul Sailed Today for Marseilles.  
Lorenz, Marquez, Oct. 20.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland, with ex-President Kruger on board, sailed at noon.

She will call at Dar-es-Salaam, Tanganyika and Marseilles.

## BLED TO DEATH.

Stratford, Oct. 20.—A fatal gun accident happened in the Gore of Downie Thursday, William Walter Balfour, 36 years of age, the only son of a widowed mother, being the victim. Balfour had returned from a hunting expedition and was placing his gun in the hall, when the trigger caught and the contents of the gun entered his thigh, severing an artery, and he bled to death before medical assistance could be obtained.

## Don't Neglect a Simple Cold in the Head

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Mr. Alex. McRae, the well-known tailor of New Westminster, B. C., writes: "I was for some weeks suffering from a cold in the head, which was apparently developing into catarrh. I purchased a box of Japanese Catarrh Cure, and in less than two days the trouble entirely disappeared. I can highly recommend it as the first application relieved."

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## WINDSOR AND AMHERSTBURG

### Receive a Visit From Sir Wilfrid

### And the Hon. David Mills—Two More Brilliant Triumphs for the Premier.

Windsor, Oct. 19.—Two more brilliant triumphs were added to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Ontario tour in the demonstrations which took place at Windsor and Amherstburg, respectively, this afternoon and evening. It was a wonderful tribute by the electors of Essex to the foremost public man of Canada. At each place there were immense crowds, who were unrestrainedly enthusiastic and showed the most extravagant admiration for Canada's leading statesman. In this pleasing duty French-Canadian and English electors co-operated. Judging from the popular demonstrations at the places visited since Wednesday, Western Ontario is thoroughly satisfied with the record of the Laurier government, and is eagerly waiting the opportunity to make the fact known at the polls. The most significant fact about the ovations to Sir Wilfrid is that they are entirely spontaneous, and the people who paraded in them have travelled miles, at great personal expense and inconvenience, in order to do so.

#### IN CHATHAM.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, assisted by Hon. David Mills, had a pleasant hour this morning in Chatham, receiving prominent citizens and their wives who called upon them. The reception took place at the residence of Mr. George Stephens, the Liberal candidate for Kent, who will help to keep that constituency for the government. The premier and party afterwards drove down to the Grand Trunk station to take the train for Windsor. At the station they were just in time to wave greetings to Hon. W. S. Fielding as he went east on the express, bound for Brantford.

#### WELCOME AT WINDSOR.

Sir Wilfrid and his party arrived at Windsor at 2 o'clock. The station was crowded with a great throng, who shouted a vociferous welcome when the premier appeared in their midst. A band was also on the platform and played "God Save the Queen" and "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," in his honor. At 2:30 a meeting was held in the opera house, which was crowded to the doors. The hall was hung with flags and mottoes of an appropriate character, one of which read: "Laurier is just British enough." The premier, on entering, accompanied by Lady Laurier and Hon. Mr. Mills, was cheered again and again. Mr. J. D. Deziel, warden of Essex county and vice-president of the association, presided, and read in French an address of welcome to Sir Wilfrid. Following this came an English address, read by Mr. Cleary. The Laurier Quartet was called upon, and sang "The Land of the Maple" in excellent style, and on being encored gave "Onward to Victory."

#### MR. R. F. SUTHERLAND.

Mr. Robert F. Sutherland, the Liberal candidate for North Essex, was introduced. He is a speaker of great ability, having a perfect grasp of public questions. He praised Sir Wilfrid for having settled the tobacco question, a burning and dangerous issue. No man had entered the public life of Canada who had approached the questions of race and religion with such magnificent toleration. He had been a member of the Liberal party since 1892, and he had accomplished much besides.

#### HON. DAVID MILLS.

A hearty reception was given to Hon. David Mills, who spoke of the prosperity of the country, and pointed out the dismal predictions by the Conservatives as to the results which would flow from Liberal rule had been completely falsified.

#### SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

The premier's rising elicited a most enthusiastic outburst of cheers. The premier, speaking in French, said he was there to speak for Mr. Sutherland, the Liberal candidate for North Essex, and he then paid a tribute to the character and the services of the retiring member, Mr. McGreggor. The Liberal administration, he said, deserved the support of all men, independent of creed and nationality. Sir Wilfrid discussed the settlement of the school question, and said the recent bill was not perfect, but was capable of being made so. The French address presented to him proclaimed that the French-Canadians of North Essex were proud of the fact that he belonged to their race. Although a French-Canadian and a Catholic, the Liberal party had chosen him as leader because its policy was justice and equal rights for all, independent of races and creeds. Sir Charles Tupper was appealing to race prejudice, but he did not believe in such a method of warfare. That was not the way a nation could be built up.

#### ONTARIO'S KINDNESS APPRECIATED.

Speaking in English, Sir Wilfrid returned his thanks to the electors of Ontario for the kindness with which they had received him. He had been treated as well, if not better, than he had been in the Province of Quebec. He had deemed the people of his own race to be more merciful than the Anglo-Saxons. So much enthusiasm had been displayed in Ontario, however, that he felt there were just as warm hearts in the Anglo-Saxons as there were in his fellow-countrymen. At all events, he had been received with the greatest kindness. If it continued he would be killed with kindness, and he did not altogether desire that, because his public work was not yet complete. (Cheers.) Sir Wilfrid spoke of the great freedom which Canada enjoyed as a self-governing colony, and the loyalty and devotion which Canadians felt for British interests. He defended the government from the charge of delay in sending the Canadian contingents to South Africa, and hoped to see ere long that country a confederation like that which existed in Canada. He appealed for the return of Mr. Sutherland, who would do credit to parliament, but confessed to a pang of regret at being Mr. McGreggor. The meeting concluded with cheers for the Queen, Sir Wilfrid and the candidates.

#### AT AMHERSTBURG.

Amherstburg, Oct. 19.—The electors of South Essex tonight welcomed Sir Wilfrid Laurier with an enthusiasm quite equal to that with which he has been received everywhere. On arriving shortly after 8 o'clock he found a procession and a big throng of citizens waiting to receive him. No sooner did the premier and his companions, Hon. David Mills, Mr. Wm. McGreggor, Mr. M. K. Cowan, the Liberal candidate,

and Mr. W. J. McKee, M. P. P., appear than the crowd raised a thunderous cheer. As Sir Wilfrid passed to a carriage and rode up through the streets he was again and again acclaimed by the townspeople assembled all along the route. Unless indications are greatly mistaken, Mr. Cowan, the clever and fluent Liberal candidate, will beat his opponent, Mr. Lewis Wigle, by an even larger majority than in 1896, when he headed the polls by over 180.

Tonight's meeting was held in the town hall, which was far too small for the throng that sought admission. Room was found for several hundreds, but when the aisles were packed and every inch of space taken there was still a considerable crowd outside. A commodious gallery at the end was completely filled with ladies. Many flags, streamers, and mottoes gave a bright appearance to the place. The mottoes were apt and admirably illustrated the distinguishing characteristics of the two parties, and the designation of Sir Wilfrid as "Canada's Gladstone" was perhaps the happiest. The audience was not limited to Amherstburg people, but also consisted of large delegations from Essex, and many other points in the neighborhood.

Mr. C. E. Naylor, president of the Liberal Association of South Essex, occupied the chair and briefly introduced the candidate, who made a brief but effective speech. Hon. David Mills followed, and Sir Wilfrid's telling address completed the speaking. Nothing could have been more cordial or hearty than the reception given to Sir Wilfrid and his veteran colleague, Hon. David Mills.

## THE CAMPAIGN

### "He Is His Country's Enemy Who Stirs Race Strife."

### New Election in North Waterloo—Yesterday's Nominations—Notes by the Way.

QUEEN'S AND SUNBURY.  
St. Johns, N. B., Oct. 20.—Hon. A. S. White, former attorney-general, was nominated unanimously to contest the Queen's and Sunbury for the Liberals. The convention was large and enthusiastic.

#### AN ENEMY OF CANADA.

Ottawa, Oct. 20.—Rev. D. M. Ramsay, Knox Church, in his Thanksgiving sermon, touched on the political situation in Canada. He said: "That man is an enemy of Canada, who, for selfish reasons, endeavors to stir up racial strife. If Canada was ever to become a great country it could be accomplished by the English speaking people and French-Canadians living together in peace and harmony."

#### ELECTION IN NORTH WATERLOO.

The appeal of Mr. L. J. Breithaupt, against the finding of the trial judges in the North Waterloo election case was dismissed in the court of appeal yesterday morning. Mr. J. J. Kerr, C.J., who appeared for the appellant, consented to the dismissal.

#### WEST BRUCE CONSERVATIVES.

A convention of Conservatives was held at Kincardine on Friday to select a candidate to contest the west riding of Bruce, in place of John Genies, who was nominated on the 15th, but who resigned.

#### DECLINED.

Toronto, Oct. 20.—Major Pallatt has declined to become Conservative candidate in Center Toronto. Mr. W. R. Brock, it is believed, will enter the field.

#### NOTES.

North Waterloo Conservatives have nominated Mr. Joseph E. Seagram, of Waterloo.

Robt. MacKay has accepted the Liberal nomination in St. Antoine de la Riviere against Dr. Roddick, the Conservative candidate.

Taylor McVeety has decided not to be a candidate for Ottawa at the present election. He was in the field as an independent.

Finance Minister Fielding addressed a meeting at Brantford on Friday evening.

Sir Charles Hilbert Tupper arrived at Picton on Friday. He was greeted at the station by a number of friends and addressed a meeting in the evening.

It is announced that Mr. O. Beaupre is being forwarded as the Conservative candidate in Quebec county against Solicitor-General Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick.

Sixteen members of the Independence Party of Canada of North Essex assembled at Windsor on Thursday to nominate Alex. Laforge as their candidate for the commons. Mr. Laforge, in his speech, said it was time Canada should quit playing the little boy of the mother country. It was not the advantage of the Canadian people, he said. They were taxed for a viceregal representative and a foreign war in which Canada was not interested.

## At Harding Hall.

The first meeting of the Athenalia, the literary and musical society of Harding Hall, was held this week in the college chapel. Miss Maud McDonald, president of the society, occupied the chair, and the lady principal, Mrs. Wells, opened the meeting with an enthusiastic address.

The programme was of an instructive as well as entertaining, to discover and develop the latent talents of each member of the school, to prepare them to appear before audiences void of self-consciousness, and conduct meetings properly in this age of women's useful clubs and societies.

The following programme was then proceeded with: Chorus, "Morning Hymn," kindergarten class; piano solo, Mabel Lasky; German reading, Mabel Lasky; violin solo, Edna McNabb; duet, "October," Nancy Niven and Dick Lasky; French reading, Florence Lasky; vocal solo, Gertrude Rowantree; solo, May Matheson; chorus, the school.

The numbers were all well executed and much enjoyed. Miss Quarry's kindergarten class, quite winning the hearts of the audience. A competition was opened for the writing of a college song, and a committee appointed to meet before the end of the week. Meetings will be held in the evening, and members are allowed to invite their friends.

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## SIR WILFRID IN LONDON

### The Premier Passes Through the City Accompanied by Lady Laurier.

### Scenes of Enthusiasm at the Grand Trunk Station—The Parkhill Meeting—Remarks by the Premier.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier passed through London today on their way to Parkhill, where the premier will address a meeting this afternoon. The party arrived in the city about 8:30 o'clock, and were driven to the residence of George C. Gibbons, Q. C., president of the London Liberal Association, where they had breakfast. A drive around the city followed, which ended at the G. T. R. station, where an immense crowd had gathered to do honor to Canada's greatest statesman.

The appearance of the premier on the station platform, accompanied by the Liberal candidate, Mr. C. S. Hyman, was the signal for an outburst of cheers. Scenes of the greatest enthusiasm followed, and the premier was kept busy shaking hands with the throngs of citizens until the train pulled out. Madame Laurier also came to the platform with the hand-shaking by the ladies of London.

The premier was evidently in the best of health and spirits, and in conversation with an Advertiser representative expressed himself as extremely gratified with the reception he has received on his tour in the west.

As the premier boarded the train and stood on the rear steps, he was called upon for a speech. Sir Wilfrid replied that time would not permit of a speech, but he wished to express his pleasure at seeing so many citizens attend to greet him. He could say nothing more eloquent than to tell them to vote for Mr. Charles S. Hyman. (Great cheering.)

Madame Laurier made her appearance at the rear of the car at this juncture, accompanied by Mrs. C. S. Hyman, and to Sir Wilfrid's joyful remark, "Do you want to speak, too?" aptly replied, "Yes, I want to ask them to vote for my husband." (Cheers and laughter.)

As the train pulled out, cheer after cheer rang out, and hats and handkerchiefs were waved by the enthusiastic crowds. The premier stood on the rear platform with a smiling countenance and bowed his acknowledgments.

The party accompanying Sir Wilfrid includes Hon. Senator David and Mrs. Mills, Geo. C. Gibbons, Q. C., Mrs. and Miss Hyman, and Dr. and Mrs. Wilson, of St. Thomas.

Sir Wilfrid will pass through the city tonight and will spend a couple of hours here as the guest of Mr. C. S. Hyman. He will then leave for the east.

## BUSINESS VERY PROSPEROUS

### And Plenty of Work in All Trades and Callings.

What the London Correspondent Writes to the Labor Gazette—Rise in Wages and Shortening of Hours of Labor.

The Labor Gazette for October has been issued, and in it is a batch of correspondence from Mr. A. Wootton, city, who has been appointed correspondent for London and district. He says:

Business in this city at the present time is very prosperous, almost every trade or calling reporting plenty of work and all hands engaged. All through the past summer it has been of the same character.

The tailors had their usual slack season during the summer months, but times are improving with them as the colder weather sets in.

One of the brightest features in the labor market during the past year has been the number of workmen benefited either by a rise of wages or shorter hours of labor. The bricklayers and stone masons have had their wages increased from 32½ to 37½ cents per hour; the builders' laborers have had an increase from 18 to 20 cents per hour; and plasterers now receive \$2.40 a day of eight hours, where they formerly worked nine for the same amount; the railroad teamsters, who used to work till 7:30 and 8 p.m., now quit at 6; the printers (hand compositors) have received an increase from \$9 per week to \$10 per week for day work, and \$1 for night work, with a reduction in hours from 56 to 54 per week. Similar favorable changes have been made in other trades.

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classes. There are very few idle printers in the city at the present time. The carriage and woodworkers of St. Thomas are to organize a union at an early date.

On the evenings of Sept. 26, 27 and 28, J. Cowan, of Cleveland, Ohio, official organizer of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, addressed meetings of machinists, patternmakers, blacksmiths and brass finishers. His addresses were of a very interesting nature; among other things he stated that their society now had a larger membership and were better off financially than before the great lockout in England two years ago. They have a membership of \$7,000, and spent in the 49 years of their existence \$29,770,000 in benefits. He urged all workers in the iron and steel industries, which his organization covers, to join with them.

Owing to the building of the waterworks dam and laying of a large number of cement sidewalks, the past summer has been a good one for the city laborers; it has been impossible to find idle ones at times. They receive an average of \$10 per day on these works. Organizing, of which this city is the center for Ontario, is very brisk at the present time. The Cigarmakers' Union, the largest in the city, with its membership of about 170, has nearly all its members at work.

There are at present 32 different labor organizations in London, with a membership of about 2,000.

## DOWN BY THE SEA

### Liberal Prospects Bright in the Maritime Provinces.

### Sir Charles Alarmed at the Success of Sir Wilfrid's Tour.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.]

Ottawa, Oct. 20.—A private letter received here today from a commercial gentleman in Halifax who is not a politician, and is not taking any part in politics, but who enjoys excellent opportunities of gauging the trend of public sentiment in the Maritime Provinces, says: "Matters political are progressing most favorably for Liberals in the Maritime Provinces. Cape Breton Island is looked upon as solid, without exception, while on the mainland, Nova Scotia Liberals stand to win one seat in Halifax, one in Pictou and one in Annapolis."

"Nothing in the way of a Liberal majority would be surprising in New Brunswick, and it is freely predicted that outside Conservatives cannot carry more than three seats."

"Prince Edward will return three Liberals and two Conservatives."

SIR CHARLES ALARMED.

Sir Charles Tupper, who arrived at Montreal on Friday from Nova Scotia, was so alarmed by the reports of the success of Sir Wilfrid's tour in Ontario that he decided at once to go to Toronto, and left by the C. P. R.

#### WINNIPEG LIBERALS.

The Liberals of Center Winnipeg, at a convention called to nominate a candidate for the legislature to contest the seat resigned by Col. McMillan, to accept the lieutenant-governorship, selected Mr. Robert Muir, president of the Winnipeg Liberal Association. The nomination was unanimous.

#### LAD LAURIER HELPS.

At the Santa station the Boys' Brigade formed up in open order, and Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier passed through the cheering throng to the carriages that were in waiting. There was a public reception, and the distinguished guests must have shaken at least one thousand hands. This is another duty that the premier's wife assumes very gracefully, and says nothing about it. Lady Laurier makes a pleasant task of it for she is very fond of little children, and the pretty ones sometimes she kisses. Among those who passed before the dais was Pat Pellet, old Pat, "Blind Pat," who, though slightly, stopped to tell the premier he had a little heart and Lady Laurier that she was a happy woman.

#### THE NORTH WATERLOO ARRANGEMENT.

Berlin, Ont., Oct. 19.—At the Conservative convention this afternoon the president laid a proposition before the convention, which came from the Liberal party, whereby they offered to withdraw opposition to Mr. Seagram's election in the Dominion contest if the Conservative party would in return allow the Reform nominee to go in for the remaining period in the local house. The convention, after some lengthy discussion, ratified the agreement. There is, however, some talk of a labor candidate being placed in the field, in the person of Mr. Allan Huber.

#### TUPPER AT TORONTO.

[Special to Advertiser per G. N. W.] Toronto, Oct. 20.—Sir Charles Tupper is at the Queen's Hotel today, and has been in steady consultation with the party leaders. He says his movements are uncertain, but that he may return east tonight. He will speak for Mr. Maclean in East York this evening.

THEY ADVERTISE THEMSELVES.—Immediately they were offered to the public, Hood's Kidney Pills became popular because of the good report they made for themselves. That reputation has grown, and they now rank among the first medicines for use in attacks of dyspepsia and biliousness, complaints of the liver and kidneys, rheumatism, fever and ague and the innumerable complications to which these ailments give rise.

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## From Near-By Places.

Mr. George Innes, reeve of Mosa township, met with a very painful accident the other day while at a threshing on the farm of Mr. Hugh Currie. He was helping to run a binder into the barn, when his left hand got caught in the knotted gearing, badly lacerating the thumb and fingers. The second finger was broken once, the third twice, and all were cut to the bone.

Miss McMaster, of Appin, received a letter the other day from a nameless correspondent who inclosed \$30.17, and requested that the amount be forwarded to her aunt, Mrs. Malcolm McFarlane, the correspondent not knowing her present address, which is Mikado, Mich. The writer explains that when Mrs. McFarlane's husband kept hotel in Appin forty years ago, he owed McFarlane two or three dollars, which he had neglected to pay. Taking it for granted that the amount was \$2, he figured up the principal and interest at \$30.17, the amount inclosed in liquidation of the debt. It is needless to say that the money will be duly forwarded to Mrs. McFarlane, who will no doubt be agreeably surprised.

## MR. HOUSE, OF BERLIN.

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## \$40,000 STOLEN FROM POSTOFFICE.

New York, Oct. 20.—The value of the registered mail, postoffice orders, checks, etc., stolen from station H. of the New York postoffice is estimated at \$40,000.

## IMMIGRATION FROM MICHIGAN.

Detroit, Oct. 20.—Mr. McInnes, Canadian Government agent, shipped 23 settlers and three cars of stock and effects from Detroit to Western Canada yesterday.

## CANADIAN LOGS IN MICHIGAN.

East Tawas, Mich., Oct. 20.—A raft of six million feet of logs from Canada, which was being towed to Bay City, weathered the storm on Saginaw Bay, and is off Ottawa Point, Canada Bay.

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# Sporting

## Results of the 'Varsity-McGill Games at Toronto.

## Alerts of London Defeated by the Allan Craig Stars—Football Club Organized at Strathroy—Latest News in the World of Sport.

### ATHLETICS.

**'VARSITY-MCGILL CONTESTS.**  
Toronto, Oct. 19.—Toronto 'Varsity was hopelessly outclassed today by McGill in the inter-collegiate games, winning only four firsts out of thirteen, and being badly out of it in points also. Summary:  
100 yards dash—J. D. Morrow and J. Gaskill, 'Varsity, dead heat; J. A. Orton, 'Varsity, third. Time, 19½ seconds. W. Worthington, 'Varsity, and P. Molson, McGill, also ran.  
Half-mile run—P. Molson, McGill, won; H. S. Rose, 'Varsity, second; V. E. Henderson, 'Varsity, third. Time, 2:08. E. S. Cary, 'Varsity, and Gibson, McGill, also ran. Henderson was left at the post, but he soon caught the bunch and made the pace, with Rose second and Molson and Gibson close up. Molson shot to the front at the club house and challenged Henderson, who held on gamely, but the McGill man's superior strength told, and he pulled away.  
Pole vault—R. W. Dalgleish, McGill, won, 9 feet 7 inches; G. Kent, McGill, second, 7 feet 11 inches; R. E. Wiley, McGill, third, 8 feet 11 inches; O. K. Gibson, 'Varsity, tied Wiley for third place, but failed in the jump off.  
Throwing 16-pound hammer—S. P. Biggs, 'Varsity, won, 94 feet 3 inches; T. C. Fraser, McGill, second, 83 feet 1 inch; D. L. Fraser, McGill, third, 79 feet 1 inch.  
220 yards dash—P. Molson, McGill, won; J. D. Morrow, McGill, second; J. Gaskill, McGill, third. Time, 2:23 seconds. J. A. Orton, 'Varsity, and H. E. Gurney, 'Varsity, also ran. The McGill men led all the way; Molson just beat Morrow at the finish; Gaskill was 'lag-up third, a few inches in front of Orton.  
Mile run—H. S. Rose, 'Varsity, won; V. E. Henderson, 'Varsity, second; E. H. Gray, McGill, third. Time, 4:56. G. Gale, McGill, and E. S. Cary, 'Varsity, also ran. Gray made the pace all the way, with Rose and Henderson as his attendants. On the last lap Gale came up from the rear and took the

bunch along at a merry clip. Rose bounded to the front at the club house and sprinted to the finish easily, winning as he liked, in clever style.  
Putting 16-lb. shot—P. Molson, McGill, won, 33 feet 1 inch; R. W. Shillington, McGill, second, 32 feet 5 inches; T. Fraser, McGill, third, 32 feet 2 inches; S. P. Biggs, 'Varsity, and W. S. McKay, 'Varsity, also competed.  
High jump—G. A. Rutherford, McGill, won, 5 feet 5 inches; W. Ellwell, 'Varsity, second, 5 feet 3 inches; R. W. Shillington, McGill, 5 feet 2 inches. W. Worthington, 'Varsity, and T. C. Fraser, McGill, also competed.  
440 yards run—J. D. Morrow, McGill, won; P. Molson, McGill, second; J. A. Orton, 'Varsity, third. Time, 5½ seconds. J. P. Gaskill, McGill; M. E. Patterson, 'Varsity, and H. E. Gurney, 'Varsity, also ran. Orton was the pace maker, and he set the merry clip for half the distance, when Morrow jumped into the lead, and although challenged strongly by Molson, he led to the end, winning by 1½ yards.  
Hurdle race, 120 yards—W. Worthington, 'Varsity, won; W. Dobson, 'Varsity, second; W. Ellwell, 'Varsity, third. Time, 1:24 seconds. C. A. Rutherford, McGill, and R. W. Shillington, McGill, also ran. There were only four hurdles for the five starters, and the McGill men floundered down at the second jump, and the 'Varsity men had the race to themselves.  
Throwing the discus—S. P. Biggs, 'Varsity, won, 93 feet 2 inches; N. W. Shillington, McGill, second, 93 feet 1 inch; T. C. Fraser, McGill, third, 92 feet. D. L. Fraser, McGill, also competed.  
Broad jump—C. A. Rutherford, McGill, won, 20 feet 3 inches; J. A. Orton, 'Varsity, second, 19 feet 8 inches; P. Molson, McGill, third, 18 feet 11 inches. O. K. Gibson, 'Varsity; L. J. Reynolds, McGill, and W. Dobson, 'Varsity, also competed.  
Team race, 1 mile—Gibson, Molson, Gale and Morrow, McGill, won; Rose, Peterson, Worthington, Orton, 'Varsity, did not finish. Time, 3:44. Rose was practically distanced in the first quarter and though Peterson and Worthington tried hard they could not pull down McGill's lead, and Morrow, the best man, had a start of 50 yards on Orton. The latter did not make an attempt to catch. The winners averaged 53½ seconds for the quarters.  
McGill won the game by 69 points to 29 for 'Varsity.

### ESTABLISHED A RECORD.

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 18.—The seventh annual race around the bay, conducted by the Herald Printing Company was run off today. Nearly 25,000 people witnessed the runners start and finish. The distance of the race is 19 miles 183 yards, and the best previous record, which was made by Wm. Sherring, last year, was 1 hour 53 minutes and 30 seconds. Nearly two minutes were clipped off this record, and a world's record was established by the winner today, John Caffery, of St. Patrick's A. C., Hamilton, who completed the course in 1 hour, 51 minutes and 52 seconds, and finished comparatively fresh. Caffery was favorite in the betting, being quoted at even money, and had the race well in hand for the full distance. Wm. Sherring, of the Y.M.C.A., Hamilton, last year's winner of the race, was second. His time was 1:53:03. W. Davis, of Hagersville, an Indian, was third, in 1:56:10. Ed Woods (Winona), David Ayers (Barton), Fred Hugheson (Hamilton), and Ed Williams (Hamilton) also ran.

### CROSS-COUNTRY ROAD RACES.

Guelph, Ont., Oct. 18.—Perfect weather graced the annual road races under the auspices of the Guelph Cross Country and Road Race Association, which were run off this afternoon. The association put up most valuable prizes and were rewarded with a full field in all the events but one. The twenty-mile road race, though six prizes were offered, had only five starters. Of these only three finished, and they came in

considerable distance apart. Howard covered the distance in 2 hours 5 minutes, which is an excellent record, considering the course, which took in a number of hard hills. The cross-country run was an exceedingly stiff one, and embraced all kinds of fences, plowed fields and a swamp. The following is summary:  
20-mile run, five starters—Alfred E. Howard, Guelph, 1; Malcolm Allan, Toronto, 2; J. Cleal, Guelph, 3. Time, 2 hours 5 minutes.  
10-mile walk, 12 starters—W. Smith, Guelph, 1; W. H. Fairley, Guelph, 2; Wm. Pearson, Guelph, 3; W. F. Patterson, Morriston, 4; Dr. W. J. Laker, Toronto, 5; John Trask, Orillia, 6. Time, 1:26:30.  
Eleven miles, 'cross country, 10 starters—E. C. Hallman, Guelph, 1; M. Foster, Erin, 2; Norman Beattie, Guelph, 3; Thomas Cox, Guelph, 4; James Riley, Hamilton, 5; C. Hooper, Guelph, 6. Time, 1:26:50½.

### FOOTBALL.

A meeting of delegates, two from each Association club in the city, has been called to meet at Wolsley Barracks at 7:30 p.m. on Monday evening, Oct. 22, for the purpose of organizing for a city league, and arranging a schedule for the season's games. A full attendance of the delegates is expected.

**SARNIA MAY BE DROPPED.**  
Toronto, Oct. 19.—The Ontario Rugby Football Union executive tonight decided to disqualify E. S. Elliott, of the Kingston Granites, who some time ago was accused of playing baseball as a professional, 1½ years ago, to hold an investigation into the charge made by the London players against the Sarnias that they were stoned after the match. If the charge is sustained, expulsion of Sarnia will follow. No action will be taken in regard to the complaint of Referee Morton against John Bush and J. Magee, of Ottawa Rough Riders, that they used language unbecomingly gentlemen on the field at a recent game. Gananoque I. must pay Queen's III. \$10 for defaulting in a recent junior game.

### FOOTBALL CLUB ORGANIZED.

The other evening a meeting was called at the Strathroy football club was organized, and the following officers being elected: Honorary president, Mayor Graham; president, H. C. Pope; first vice, C. Auld; second vice, Dr. A. S. Thompson; secretary-treasurer, J. F. Gundy.

### OTTAWA COLLEGE WON.

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—The Ottawa University football team won their first victory this season today, when they defeated the Britannias of Montreal, by a score of 27 points to 12.

### ARGONAUTS BEAT SENIOR TIGERS.

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 18.—The Argonauts came up from Toronto today with a couple of hundred or more roots, and fairly devoured the Hamilton Tigers in their game for the championship in the senior series of the O. R. F. U. The weather was clear and pleasant, and fully 5,000 people crowded into the cricket grounds to see the match. The visitors won by 27 to 12.

### GOLF.

The Detroit Free Press of the 19th says: A party of London (Ont.) women played golf yesterday on the Country Club links, with Detroit women as opponents. The latter won six of the eight matches, as follows: Miss Beddome, London, Mrs. Muir, Detroit, 1 up; Miss Gibbons, London, Miss Whiting, Detroit, 1 up; Miss Zimmerman, London, Miss Westmore, Detroit, 9 up; Miss Macle, London, Mrs. T. H. Newberry, Detroit, 5 up; Miss Kibben, London, Miss Jennie Muir, Detroit, 2 down; Miss Dalton, London, Mrs. Warren, Detroit, 1 up; Miss Macle, London, Miss Gibbons, Detroit, 3 up; Miss H. Gibbons, London, Mrs. H. B. Joy, Detroit, 8 up. Wednesday night the visitors were given a dinner. Last night some of them left for London. The next contest in the mixed foursome handicap for the Carhartt cups will take place Friday afternoon.

### THE TURF.

**ENGLISH EVENTS.**  
London, Oct. 19.—The Horsa-ham two-year-old race of 500 sovereigns was won by Lord Windsor's horse, the champion colt Yap, at the second day's racing of the Sandown Park autumn meeting today.

The Hook plate of 150 sovereigns was won by Mr. C. S. Newton's bay gelding Carter Knight.

### AT ERIN FAIR.

Erin, Ont., Oct. 19.—Today the Erin Township Agricultural Society held its 50th anniversary. The principal feature of the day was the show of horses and the sporting contests.

The open trotting race was won by Little Prince, Niche 2, Prince Erie 3. Green trot—Gear's Oliver V. 1, Usher Wood 2, Brino 3, Black Prince 3. Hurdle race—Rigiesworth 1, Norris 2, Landay 3.  
Green hurdle race—Norris 1, Robinson 2.  
**HORSE SOLD FOR \$30,000.**  
New York, Oct. 19.—At the disposal of the entire Silverbrook stud, the property of L. O. Appleby, of Shrewsbury, N. J., last night, at Madison Square Garden, 50 head were offered. The chief attraction was the Knight of the Thistle, the great English race horse, which was sold for \$30,000, to Charles Reed, of Gallatin, Tenn.

### AMERICAN JOCKEYS.

New York, Oct. 19.—The Earl of Londale has called to the Journal and Advertiser, from Penzance, Wales, respecting Lord Durham's much-discussed speech at the Jockey Club meeting relative to American jockeys in England: "I regret that I can, with a most unimpaired and independent feeling, thoroughly endorse all that Lord Durham

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said. I have thought, and said openly, for some time, that I considered the turf in England in a worse state at the present time than it has ever been in my recollection. I do not imagine for a minute Lord Durham meant by 'American jockeys' and their following that that following was necessarily American. There also have been more accidents recently than I ever remember, and I most certainly attribute this to the presence of American jockeys."

### WHHEEL.

**STOPPED HER.**  
New York, Oct. 19.—A man, who said he was a deputy sheriff, stopped Miss Marguerite Guest's record-breaking bicycle ride at Valley Stream, L. I., today by forcing her to leave the track when she had finished 2,925 miles. The man said he was acting under instructions from the district attorney's office. Miss Guest made no attempt to dispute his authority, and gave up her design of completing 3,000 miles. The law of this state makes it unlawful for any person to continue in a race or contest of endurance more than twelve hours in each twenty-four.

### TRIGGER.

**NEW WORLD'S RECORD.**  
New York, Oct. 19.—At the Interstate Park yesterday, Thomas Morley, of Queen's, established a world's record by killing 79 birds with a single barrel.

### BASEBALL.

**ALISA CRAIG STARS DEFEAT ALBERTS.**

The Stars closed the season of 1900 by defeating the Alerts at Alisa Craig, on Thanksgiving day (Thursday), and have, during the year played 15 games, winning 12, losing 3, their winning percentage being .80, and in the 15 games the Stars played up 185 runs to their opponents' 149. The Stars claim the championship of Middlesex county, having defeated all comers within the county, including the London champions, the Pastimes, except the Alerts, with whom they broke even, winning one and losing one game, while the St. Thomas Wabash won two out of three games played.

Alisa Craig Stars. Won. Lost.  
Rangers (London) ..... 1 0  
Sarnias ..... 1 0  
Strathroy ..... 1 0  
Wabash (St. Thomas) ..... 1 0  
Diamond Rattlers (London) ..... 1 0  
Rockets (London) ..... 1 0  
Stratford ..... 1 0  
Bloomers (Boston) ..... 1 0  
Pastimes (London city champions) ..... 1 0  
Alerts (London) ..... 1 1

Totals ..... 12 3

The Game—London Alerts went to bat and scored 1 run, the Stars followed with 4, and led until the ninth inning, when the Alerts went in with 4 to tie the Stars. The Alerts faced Finnan, and made a pretty hit to left field. Doc Hutchinson followed with a fly to right field, which was muffed by Campbell, two bases full. Lee drove to center, and the ball was returned so quickly that the cheer was put out one man gone. Dunn drove to left field for a base and Hutchinson scored on the throw in. Gibson hit a hot grounder and reached first on fumble by McKay, and Lee scored. McFadden made a base hit to left field. Bell hit to shortstop and was retired at first, but Dunn scored—three runs at one and two men out. Hynd made a drive to left and Gibson scored, making the score 13 all. McFadden then tried to get home, but was caught about two feet from the plate, and the side was out, the Stars having one run to make to win. Barnes made a center drive for one base. Kennedy went out on strike to the shortstop, and Barnes was caught napping on second by a double assist from McFadden to Dunn to Lee, and two men were out, with Bachus at bat, who made a single to center. Campbell got a charity and went out second. Mahler hit straight out to center for two solid bases, and brought Bachus home, winning the game. The score:

**STARS.**  
A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.  
John Gunn, c..... 5 3 1 11 1 0 3  
Charles Barnes, lb..... 3 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Doc Kennedy, lf..... 6 3 4 0 0 0 0  
Corey Bachus, cf..... 6 2 4 4 1 0 0  
Arch Campbell, 3b..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Alf Mahler, ss..... 6 0 4 0 0 1 3  
John Jamieson, 2b..... 5 1 1 2 2 1 0  
George Elman, p..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0  
John McKay, 2b..... 4 3 2 0 0 0 0

45 14 25 27 8 7

### ALERTS.

A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.  
Doc Hutchinson, lf..... 6 1 2 2 8 0 0  
Sam Lee, ss..... 6 1 2 2 8 0 0  
Steve Dunn, 2b..... 6 2 1 5 1 0 0  
George Elman, p..... 6 2 2 0 0 0 0  
Guy McFadden, lb..... 6 0 4 7 1 0 0  
James Bellah, cf..... 5 0 1 2 3 2 0  
John Jamieson, 3b..... 5 0 3 0 0 0 0  
J. Fitzmaurice, cf..... 5 1 1 0 0 0 0  
Bert Sheore, p..... 3 3 1 2 0 0 0

45 13 20 26 16 2

Stars..... 430002221-14  
Alerts..... 120800230-18

\*Only two out in the ninth.

**Summary—** Sacrifice hits—Mahler, Barnes runs—Stars 7, Alerts 3. Two base hits—Kennedy (2), Bachus, Mahler, Hutchinson (3), Gibson, McFadden, Bell. Stolen base—Jamieson. Double plays—McKay to Barnes. Bases on balls—Off Sheore 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Finnan 3, by Sheore 3. Struck out—By Finnan 4, by Sheore 3. Passed balls—By Gunn 1, by Gibson 1. Batteries—Finnan and Gunn, Sheore and Gibson. Left on bases—Stars 3, Alerts 11. Umpire—Belton. Score—Smith. Time of game—Two hours.

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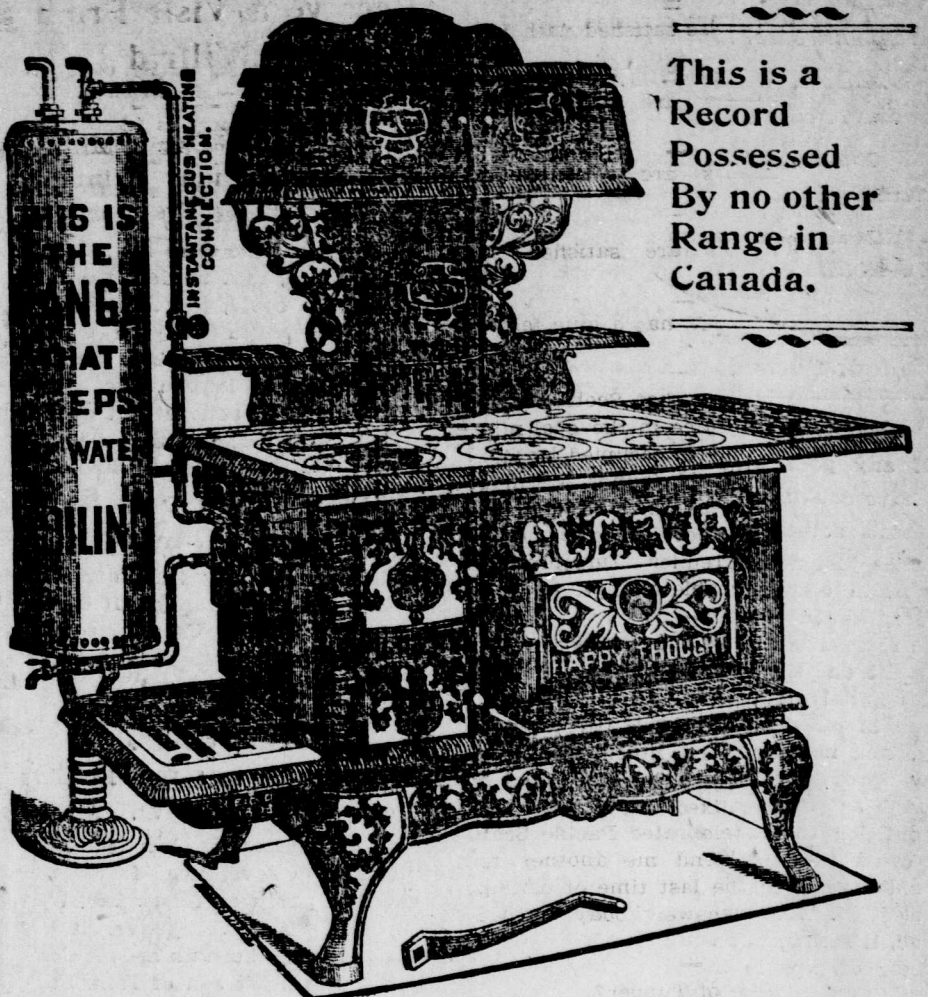
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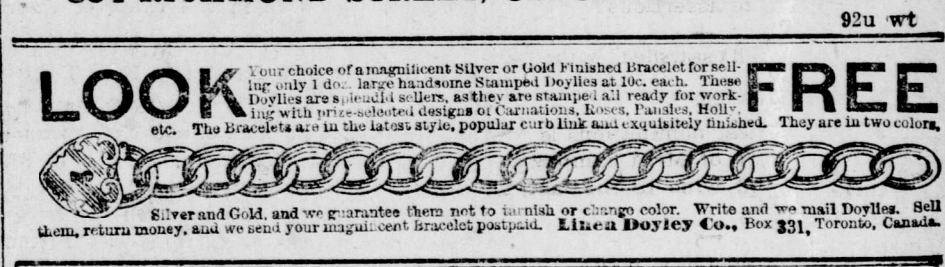
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## The State of Trade.

New York, Oct. 20.—Dun's review says: Railroad gross earnings for lines reporting for October show a gain of 5.2 per cent over 1899, and 14.9 per cent over 1898 for the same period, though the shortage of the spring wheat crop is leading to considerable losses on granger lines, which are not made up by movement of general merchandise.

Wheat has shown more weakness, due in part to the greater activity at Russian ports, and Atlantic exports for the week were only 2,647,235 bushels, against 3,270,226 a year ago. Corn also declined but it is 6 cents above last year, which may account for the loss in exports in three weeks—7,651,765 bushels, against 10,924,406 in 1899.

Few important fluctuations occurred in iron and steel.

Leather and hides are firm and selling freely because of steady improvement in demand for boots and shoes.

While woolen mills are not working at full capacity, more seasonable weather has increased buying in this line. Prices are steady and holders show no loss of confidence.

In other textile markets cotton goods are less freely bid for, and are selling well below partly within the raw material.

Liabilities of failures in two weeks of October were \$4,709,328. For the same time in 1899 liabilities were \$2,962,464, and in 1898 \$6,594,824. Failures for the week were 209 in the United States, against 145 last year, and 26 in Canada, against 20 last year. The bank clearings for the week ended Oct. 13 for the Dominion of Canada were as follows: Montreal, \$13,302,356—decrease 5.5 per cent; Toronto, \$3,986,549; Winnipeg, \$1,582,651—decrease 31.2 per cent; Halifax, \$1,097,819—decrease 7.7 per cent; Hamilton, \$774,762—decrease 18.1 per cent; St. John, N. B., \$557,316—decrease 7.1 per cent; Vancouver, \$1,113,417; Victoria, \$795,666—decrease 15.2 per cent.

Miss Sarah Orne Jewett's "The Tory Lover," the opening chapters of which appear in the Atlantic Monthly for November, takes for its theme the fortunes of the exiled Loyalists at the beginning of the American revolution. That portion of the present State of Maine which has become Miss Jewett's country as completely as Mr. Hardy has made Wessex his own domain, is rich in provincial history. The fortunes of the exiled Loyalists carry the scenes of Miss Jewett's stirring romance to England and France, but her portraits of Benjamin Franklin and John Paul Jones and other revolutionary heroes, and her narration of American bravery on the high seas, will delight the lover of his country, as well as the thousands of admirers of Miss Jewett's steadily maturing and beautifully veracious art. "The Tory Lover" will be a serial feature of the Atlantic during the greater portion of 1901.

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## Keeping His Seat Warm.

If any political Didymus continues to have doubts as to Hugh John Macdonald's actual position in Federal politics just now, the situation should be made clear by the action of his colleagues in the Manitoba Cabinet. The reconstruction of the Cabinet consequent on the retirement of Hugh John is only tentative, and is to continue in effect until the 1st of January, and no longer. Mr. Roblin, the new premier, holds no portfolio, though as president of the council he is entitled to draw a salary. Should he draw that salary, however, he would have to resign his seat and seek re-election. He does not propose to do so, it seems, but will allow the little matter of pay to stand in abeyance until the first of the year, though his Government will doubtless see that he loses nothing. By that time the Federal elections are expected to be over, and the most prejudiced Tory sympathizer must see—though whether he admits it or not is another thing—that Hugh John expects defeat and will then return to his provincial premier-ship. Hugh John is "a man of his word." He has promised to set things right in Manitoba, and he is not going to be so foolish as to break his promise and lose his official salary, as well. Not much.

## Mr. Beattie and Anticosti.

The island of Anticosti was sold to Mr. Menier in 1895, when the government supported by Mr. Beattie was in power. Mr. Beattie now reproaches the Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier for the transaction and its sequel. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had nothing to do with the sale of the island. His Government had no control over the matter. But where was Mr. Beattie when the island was sold in 1895? That was the time to protest. All the present Dominion Government has done has been to provide new homes for the squatters who were removed by Mr. Menier, under the powers contained in the deed given him in 1895, when the late Government was in power. Is Mr. Beattie ignorant of these facts, when he talks as he did in the city of London nomination? Or does he merely falsify the record in the hope that no one will expose his mis-statements, and that he can thus make political capital for the Opposition? In either case it is a pretty mean kind of business that he is engaged in.

## Mr. Tarte Traduced.

A dead set is being made, by the Opposition against the Minister of Public Works. Next to Sir Richard Cartwright he is probably the man most hated by the Opposition leaders. They have never forgiven him for refusing to condone the rascalities which disgraced the late regime, and they would rejoice beyond measure if he could be driven from public life.

Hence their persistent misrepresentation of him. Hence their emasculation of his public addresses. Hence their appeals in Ontario for political support that they may drive this representative son of the sister province from the councils of the nation. But they will not succeed. They have been found out. Their motives are known and the public refuse to be misled. Mr. Tarte has convictions, and he never fails to call a spade a spade, but it is a poor cause that requires—as does the Opposition attack on the Minister of Public Works—the falsification of the public records to support it.

Hon. Mr. Tarte spoke at a meeting in favor of the candidature of Mr. Bickerdike, the great cattle buyer, in Montreal, the other evening, and he paid his respects to his antagonists. We give his convincing statement in another column. It will well repay perusal.

## Ahead of All.

One of the servants of the people who, by implication, the Opposition leader charged with having failed to provide a proper system of cold storage, was Professor Robertson, because it is with the assistance of experts like Professor Robertson that Hon. Mr. Fisher, himself a practical farmer, has made the Department of Agriculture so great a power to promote the interests of the farmers of Canada. Well, the professor, in a recent speech to the dairymen, made this declaration: "Those who have watched the development of cold storage in other countries, as well as in Canada, recognize that Canada is ahead in the thoroughness and completeness of its cold storage system. The government of no other country has arranged for a complete chain of cold storage from the starting point at the creamery to the destination of the butter on the British markets."

There were no "busts" at the great popular demonstration in Toronto. All the speakers were live statesmen, who had a story of progress and prosperity to tell, and the people heard them gladly.

## A Contemporary in Dire Straits.

The London Free Press denounces the Liberals for reducing the duties and permitting an increase of imports from the United States, yet it praises Hugh John Macdonald for promising to fight for the removal of all duties on agricultural implements.—Hamilton Times.

Our city contemporary is indeed put to the direst of straits. It is endeavoring to convince its readers that it is in the public interest, to support in London the man who is so anxious for a high tax tariff, that he declares that he would, if he could, put the tariff so high that no person in the United States could send his good into Canada, even if shot with a Maxim gun. It is also asking men to believe that one of its leaders, who declares that he will remove all duties from agricultural implements, is a heaven-born statesman.

Fortunately, it is not probable that the electors will be called upon to submit to either unwise policy. The people are not supporting men who have one policy for one province and another for its neighbor, these days.

## Still They Come.

It is announced that Mr. Frederic Villeneuve, M.P. for St. Albert, Northwest Territories, has publicly announced his severance from the Conservative party to follow Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Mr. Villeneuve, it is stated, has always been an ardent Conservative. He is the son of Hon. Senator Villeneuve, and was formerly president of the Young Conservative Association in Montreal. Mr. F. Villeneuve rallies to the support of the Laurier Government "because," he said, "it is the most progressive government we have ever had, because its policy has given widespread prosperity to the country and because a spirit of tolerance exists in the party of which Sir Wilfrid Laurier is leader."

## Integrity, Justice and Manliness.

Mr. Gilbert Parker, the Canadian novelist, who was in the thick of the election campaign in the old country, in the course of a letter to a New York paper, refers to Lord Salisbury as "a man whom the whole world honors as a statesman of integrity, justice and manliness." Would it be possible to more accurately describe in as few words the character of Canada's Premier, and the position he holds today in the estimation of the empire and of the world? Leaving out of the question a handful of irreconcilable Conservatives, who would pick holes in the character of the Archangel Gabriel himself if he should show any leanings towards Liberalism, Sir Wilfrid Laurier is held in universal and unqualified esteem throughout the civilized world. The integrity with which he has held in all matters to a policy of national development and imperial unity, the justice with which he has dealt equitably with the many contending interests involved in the government of the country, and the manliness with which he has resisted each and every attempt, whether from within or from without, to arouse or create sectional or sectarian strife, have placed him in a position among the statesmen of the empire which has never been approached by any colonial, and seldom equaled by an imperial leader. To fight under such a chief is to start with the battle more than half won, and for Canada to refuse a renewal of confidence at the present time to Sir Wilfrid Laurier would be as inexplicable to the empire as the defeat of Lord Salisbury would be inexplicable to the world at large. Neither contingency is within the range of conceivable possibilities.

## Evidence.

"We have so administered the affairs of Canada during the last year that although we have had to build enormous public works, and have had great expenditures to make, have given \$2,000,000 to the service of the Empire, in equipping and sending out our contingents, notwithstanding all that, on June 30 our debt had not increased one copper during the last year." (Loud cheers.)—Sir Richard Cartwright at Norwich.

The veteran leader might have made the showing even more favorable to the Administration. He might have said that over \$700,000 was devoted last year to the paying off of the national debt, and that the indications are that this year the national debt will be decreased by several millions. It is a record to be proud of.

## Attacking a Sister Province.

The Hamilton Spectator, which suffers from chronic "Quebecomania," says: "One Quebec is too many in the British Empire." When Quebec supported the Conservative party, with an almost solid majority, when Sir John Macdonald's magnetic power held his party together, our contemporary had nothing but the highest admiration for the sister province. Now no language seems too strong to turn to account in misrepresenting the statesmen of that province and in trying to stir up racial antipathies. It shows the desperate straits in which the Opposition finds itself without a controlling head such as brought it victory in bygone days.

La Presse, a newspaper which has hitherto supported the Conservative party, is giving its aid in this campaign to Liberal candidates. It strongly supports Mayor Prefontaine, Liberal nominee for one of the divisions of Montreal. As La Presse has the largest circulation of any Conservative paper in Quebec its influence is strong in a campaign. Mayor Prefontaine is a winner. Of his opponent the Journal of Commerce says his candidature is the joke of the campaign.

## Results of the Preference.

From 1893 to 1897 the imports of British goods into Canada sank from \$12,000,000 to \$29,400,000.

The 1897 the British preference came into force. From 1897 to 1900 the imports of British products have risen from \$28,400,000 to \$44,600,000.

The exports of butter, cheese, eggs, bacon, ham, mutton, pork, apples, pears, wheat, flour and potatoes to Great Britain have more than doubled since 1896. Judged either by exports or imports, the preference is a solid success.

## A Shrewd Forecast.

The Dominion Presbyterian of this week says:

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier enjoys a unique popularity, not only in Canada but in the motherland. It looks as if the Liberals, under his leadership, will again sweep the country; and, indeed, to the non-partisan onlooker, there seems to be no good reason for a change. The country is prosperous, the manufacturing interests were never more so; and it is not claimed that a change of government, just now, would result in a better or more economical administration of public affairs."

## Our Fruit Across the Water.

There is more good news from over the Atlantic. The Department of Agriculture at Ottawa has received a cablegram from the secretary of the Canadian Commissioner at the Paris Exposition, announcing that the fresh fruit of this year's picking, sent forward from Canada this fall, arrived in Paris in splendid condition, and was awarded four gold medals. This is in addition to the gold medals carried off by Canada for other products sent at an early date. Another bit of information, of great moment to our readers, is contained in the following extract from the editorial columns of the London Daily Mail, the most widely circulated journal in the British metropolis today:

"Many varieties of magnificent pears, 1,000 cases in all, and numerous cases of famous Crawford and Elberta peaches have just been landed and sold at Manchester. The fruit came from London, Ont., and created quite a stir in trade circles. Many of the pears are quite what are termed giant fruit. In color, flavor and juiciness they are far superior to French pears, and met a ready sale. The fruit was packed in chambers regulated by mechanical refrigeration. This system, which has revolutionized the fruit trade of the United Kingdom, was inaugurated three years ago by Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture for Canada, and since then various improvements have been made under the supervision of Prof. J. W. Robertson. The conditions of transit are now so faultless that the most delicate Canadian fruit can be delivered in Great Britain in perfect condition."

Another cheering report is that made in the Manchester Guardian of the 2nd inst., in the following terms:

"The steamer Manchester Commerce brought to Manchester yesterday 1,000 cases of Canadian pears (Bartlett, Flemish Beauty, Duchess, Howell, Chaguan and Anjou), 25 cases of pears, and 125 cases of dessert apples. This is a special consignment, shipped under the auspices of Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture for Canada. It is the first consignment of fruit which has crossed the sea in the mechanically refrigerated chamber of the Manchester Commerce. Mechanical refrigeration on steamers running from Canada to British ports was introduced by the Hon. Sydney Fisher during the season of 1897. The system was not perfect at first, but experience has shown what are the best methods of grading and packing, and the temperatures at which the different classes of fruit should be carried. The result, as we have said, is that the most delicate Canadian fruits can be delivered in this country in perfect condition. The present consignment is due to Messrs. Simons, Shuttleworth & Co. It is to be followed by shipments of choice Canadian grapes."

These very satisfactory results have been attained under the system which the Opposition leader, in his nine-column manifesto, has informed the public does not exist! It shows how energetic the Government has been to secure the very best and cheapest means possible for the conveyance of our fruit to the British markets.

The Administration has been highly complimented on all sides on its successful efforts in this direction—efforts which have caused Prof. Drummond, of London, speaking as the candid friend of the United States, to warn the Government at Washington to wake up, as Canada is leading the Transatlantic world in both the quality and quantity of her products, the superiority being due to her progressive Government and to the use of modern scientific apparatus.

There is no standing still under the present Government at Ottawa. "Progress" is the watchword, and "progress" means "prosperity."

## Sore Hands



## ONE NIGHT CURE

Soak the hands thoroughly, on retiring, in a freely with CUTICURA SOAP. Dry, and anoint with CUTICURA Ointment; the great skin cure and purifier of eczema. Wear old gloves during the night. For sore hands, itching, burning, palms, and painful finger ends, this one night cure is wonderful.

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FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY PURCHASERS.

Men's Suits Men's Overcoats  
Boys' Suits and Reefers  
Underwear And Hats

Men's \$10 Heavy Suits  
for \$6.

Men's Heavy All Wool Canadian Tweed Suits, double breasted sack coat, well lined with Italian cloth, dark brown, also gray check color, in all sizes 36 to 44; regular price was \$10 00; marked down for Saturday and Monday to \$6 00.

Nifty Dress Overcoats  
for \$10.

Men's Black and Navy Overcoats, with deep silk-velvet collars, heavy fur mer's satin linings, haircloth sleeve linings, new style back or ordinary very rich color, equal in every particular to a \$20.00 ordered coat, perfect fit, for \$10 00.

Men's Pea Jackets, \$5.

Men's Pea Jackets, in navy beaver, brown and gray frieze, with deep storm collars, heavy body linings, very special value, \$5 00.

Big Value in  
Boys' Reefers.

Boys' Heavy Blue, Black and Gray Reefers, lined with strong warm linings, storm collars and tabs, sizes 22 to 28, at \$2 50; sizes 29 to 32, a \$2 75; sizes 33 to 35, at \$3 00 and \$3 50.

Warm Suits for Boys, \$4.50.

Boys' Three-Piece Suits, special-weight, dark and medium light shades, single and double breasted suits, sizes 28 to 33, special value, \$4 50.

Two-Piece Suits, \$2.50.

Boys' Suits, heavyweight tweeds, double breasted coats, well-lined knickers, sizes 24 to 30, special value for Saturday and Monday, \$2 50.

Very Fine Shirts and  
Drawers, \$1.25 each.

Gentlemen's Very Fine Underwear, beautiful selected lamb's wool fleecing on brown body of fine wool, splendidly trimmed and perfect fitting, price attractive enough, \$1 25 each.

Scotch Wool, 62½c each.

Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers, soft lofty finish, good medium weight, saten trimmed, in all sizes; Saturday and Monday, \$1 25 the suit.

New Hats, \$1.50.

Men's Soft Hats, select fur felt, in black, gray and brown shades, silk trimmed, Russian leather sweat band, new shape, special, \$1 50.

## Do You Want New Shoes? Our Shoe Section Awaits a Visit From You.

Ladies' Fine Boots,  
\$1.25.

Ladies' Dongola Lace and Button Boots, with sewed, flexible soles or extension soles, just as good a shape as any \$2 50 shoe, good wearing boot for fall; Saturday and Monday, \$1 25.

Splendid, Stylish, Durable,  
\$2.

Ladies' Dice Calfskin and Fine Dongola Lace Boots, with heels suitable for skating, new Boston shapes, splendid soles, and a really stylish shoe; Saturday and Monday, \$2 00.

Our \$3 00 Specialties for Men and Women Are the Top Notch of Service and Style.

## The RUNIANS, GRAY, CARRIE CO

"The choice is between Fielding's  
surpluses and Foster's deficits."

Toronto has certainly shown that it  
is well satisfied with Laurier. So is all  
Canada.

What reasonable man is there who  
wants to change from a condition of  
things so very much more favorable  
to the people of Canada than that  
propheesied in 1896 by the Opposition  
leaders?

The British trade preference is a link  
of empire of which the Government of  
Canada may well be proud, and defend  
as the citadel of Canadian nationhood.  
The Opposition, if they were put in  
power, would sweep it away.

The Opposition campaign is a "go-as-  
you-please" affair. If you are a member  
of the party and don't like your  
leader's programme, you can have a  
programme all to yourself. If it suits  
you and your locality all right, Sir  
Charles can easily repudiate it if it  
does not get votes elsewhere.

In Vancouver, B. C., the other day,  
Hon. Joseph Martin said that after a  
tour through the country he was sat-  
isfied the Liberals would win, and that  
their Government would be well sus-  
tained in the elections on the 7th of  
November. This is the view taken  
generally by the people of Canada.

Sir Charles Tupper was lost sight of  
for several days. He turned up in a  
Maritime Province snowstorm. Out in  
the constituencies his candidates are  
finding it very, very cold. But it will  
be colder for them on the evening of  
Nov. 7. The people do not desire to  
let loose the bull in the national china  
shop.

THEY CLEANSE THE SYSTEM  
THOROUGHLY—FARMER'S VEGETABLE  
PILLS clear the stomach and bowels of  
bilious matter, cause the excretory ves-  
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blood into the bowels and expel the de-  
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do this without pain or inconvenience  
to the patient, who speedily realizes  
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A philosopher may ignore the voice  
of his heart, but who forgets the  
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HAVE YOU TRIED HOLLOWAY'S  
CORN CURE? It has no equal for  
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A WITTY RED MAN.

In "Travels in New England and  
New York," President Dwight, of Yale  
College, tells a good story of Indian  
wit and friendship.

In the early days of Litchfield, Conn.,  
an Indian called at the tavern and  
asked the landlady for food, frankly  
stating that he had no money with  
which to pay for it. She refused him  
harshly, but a white man who sat by  
noted the red man's half-famished  
state and offered to pay for his sup-  
per.

The meal was furnished, and the In-  
dian, his hunger satisfied, returned to  
the fire and told his benefactor a story.

"You know Bible?" said the redskin.  
The man assented.

"Well," said the Indian, "the Bible  
says, God made world, and then he  
took him and look at him and say, He  
good, very good. He made light, and  
he took him and look at him and say,

"He good, very good." Then he made  
dry land and water and sun and moon  
and look at him and say, 'He good, very  
good.' Then he made beast and birds  
and fishes, and took him and look at  
him and say, 'He good, very good.' Then  
he made man, and took him and look at  
him and say, 'He good, very good.' Then  
he made woman, and took him and look at  
him and say, 'He good, very good.' Then  
he made man and woman, and took him  
and look at him and say, 'He good, very  
good.' Then he made man and woman,  
and took him and look at him and say,  
'I that Indian. Now my turn pay.  
I see you home. Come with me.  
And the redskin guided the man  
back to Litchfield.



## "Every Well Man Hath His Ill Day."

A doctor's examination might show that kidneys, liver and stomach are normal, but the doctor cannot analyze the blood upon which these organs depend.

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**Rheumatism**—I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla has no equal for rheumatism. It has done me more good than any other medicine I have taken. Mrs. PATRICK KENNEY, Brampton, Ont.

**Bad Cough**—"After my long illness, I was very weak and had a bad cough. I could not eat or sleep. Different remedies did not help me but Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and I am now able to attend to my work." MINNIE JACQUES, Oshawa, Ont.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
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Hood's Pills cure liver life, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## THE MARKETS

### Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT

London, Saturday, Oct. 20.

Wheat, white, per bu. 44c to 45c

Wheat, red, per bu. 44c to 45c

Oats, per bu. 23c to 24c

Peas, per bu. 43c to 44c

Barley, per bu. 33c to 34c

Rye, per bu. 42c to 43c

Buckwheat, per bu. 41c to 42c

Beans, per bu. 75c to 76c

Today's grain deliveries were fairly good and the demand steady. Wheat was easier; red and white selling at \$1.06 to \$1.07; the bulk of the red at \$1.05, and that of white at \$1.06.

Oats sold from 70c to 75c and were in good demand; the bulk of the trade was done at 72c.

No barley or corn offered.

Peas—Delivered light and confined to three or four loads of poor quality, which sold at 80c to 85c.

Several lots of beans came in and sold at 80c to \$1.

Hay deliveries were light at \$7.50 to \$8; demand limited.

Dressed hogs were easier at \$7.50 to \$8, a decline of 40c to 50c. Current reports say that live hogs will only bring \$5.50 to \$5.75 next week, the influence being lower eastern markets.

Young pigs, \$4.50 to \$5 a pair.

Quotations:

**GRAIN.**

Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1.06 @ 1.08

Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs. 1.06 @ 1.08

Oats, per 100 lbs. 23 @ 24

Peas, per 100 lbs. 43 @ 44

Barley, per 100 lbs. 33 @ 34

Rye, per 100 lbs. 42 @ 43

Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. 41 @ 42

Beans, per 100 lbs. 75 @ 76

**HOGS.**

Hogs, light, per 100 lbs. 57 @ 58

Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs. 57 @ 58

Pigs, young, per pair. 4.50 @ 5.00

Sows, per pair. 5.00 @ 5.50

Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs. 5.50 @ 5.75

Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. heavy. 5.50 @ 5.75

**HAY AND SEEDS.**

Hay, per load. 7.50 @ 8.00

Straw, per load. 3.00 @ 3.50

Timothy, per load. 6.00 @ 6.50

Cloverseed, red, per bu. 0.00 @ 0.00

Cloverseed, alsike, per bu. 0.00 @ 0.00

Timothy seed, per bu. 0.00 @ 0.00

For Housekeepers.

Needless to say, the grand weather that we are now enjoying has much to do with the unusual size of the Saturday markets. Every portion of the offerings were abundant. The fact that Thursday was a holiday and everything to do with the number of buyers who attended, Tuesday's market was not large, and consequently there was a heavy drain on the stocks of retail grocers and private individuals. Hence business today was brisk.

It is improbable that there will be any radical change in the prices of dairy produce until the very cold weather sets in.

Today the supply was large, the demand very good, and prices were firm. Butter in the crack showed a very slight upward tendency.

The offerings of poultry were quite sufficient for the demand, which was fairly strong, emanating more from private buyers than from storekeepers. Prices remained unchanged.

Probably on no other day of the fall season has the supply of grapes been more profuse. The quality was very good. Prices ranged from 20 cents to 30 cents per basket, and exchanges were effected rapidly. Apples and peaches were offered quite freely, as quoted.

Vegetables, as usual, were very much in evidence, and as prices were quite low, little trouble was experienced in effecting sales.

Meats were largely supplied. As will be seen in the quotations, mutton in the quarters was a little easier.

**PROVISIONS.**

Eggs, single, per doz. 12 @ 13

Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen. 14 @ 15

Butter, No. 1, large rolls or crocks. 18 @ 21

Butter, pound rolls, retail. 22 @ 23

Butter, creamery. 24 @ 25

Lard, per 100 lbs. 10 1/2 @ 11

Eggs, store lots, doz. 14 @ 15

Butter, pound rolls, basket. 19 @ 20

Butter, cream. 17 @ 18

Butter, store lots, per lb. 22 1/2 @ 23

Turkeys, per lb. 10 @ 11

Geese, per lb. 5 @ 6

Ducks, per pair. 51 @ 55

Chickens, spring, per pair. 30 @ 35

Hens, per pair. 30 @ 40

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**FRUIT.**

Apples, per bu. 30 @ 40

Apples, per bu. 25 @ 30

Peaches, per basket. 20 @ 25

Pears, per bu. 25 @ 30

Grapes, per basket. 20 @ 30

Chickens, per bu. 30 @ 40

**VEGETABLES.**

Potatoes, per bag. 30 @ 40

Turkey, new, per bag. 30 @ 40

Celery, dozen. 30 @ 40

Carrots, per doz. 20 @ 30

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London Street Railway.....	126 1/2
Domestic Savings and Invest.....	126 1/2
Harbor and Erie L. & S.....	126 1/2
London and Ontario.....	126 1/2
London and Ontario.....	126 1/2
Ontario Loan and Debenture.....	126 1/2

### New York Stocks.

Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	3 p.m.
Amalgamated.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Atchafalca.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Atchafalca Pld.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
B. & O.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Brooklyn Trans.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
C. & B. & Q.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
C. F. I.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Gen. Electric.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Jersey Central.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
K. & T. Pld.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
L. & N.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Manhattan.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Metropolitan Ed. & L.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
M. P.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
N. Y. Central.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Norfolk and W.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Ont. and Western.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Pennsylvania.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
People's Gas.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
R. I.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Reading.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
St. Paul.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Southern Ry. Pld.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Southern Pacific.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
T. C. I.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
U. Pacific.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
W. I.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2

### American Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 23,324 bbls.; sales, 2,500 pkgs.; state and western market was inactive and barely steady, at yesterday's prices. Rye—Dull. Wheat—Receipts, 197,500 bu.; sales, 975,000 bu.; options weaker at first, because of predicted heavy world's shipments, bearish cables and local unloading; later it rallied on prospects of rains in the Northwest. Dec. 2011-16 to 79 1/2; March, 82 to 82 1/2; May, 81 1/2 to 82 1/2. Rye—Easy; western, 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; soft, 55 to 56. Corn—Receipts, 104,925 bu.; sales, 35,000 bu.; options generally steady and rather featureless, deriving stability from cooler cash demand and light speculative offerings; Dec. 42 1/2 to 43 1/2; May, 42. Oats—Receipts, 116,000 bu.; options slow but

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### Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Oct. 20—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Southeastern and southerly winds; fine.  
Sunday—Increasing southeasterly and southerly winds; fine and warmer.

### REGISTRATION

Be sure and register tonight. Last chance, unless you wait for supplementary sittings, when you will have to give good reasons for delaying. Better do it now, and save the trouble. The total number of names added to the list up to noon today was about 1,600.

### Mills and Mulock

Great interest is being taken in the big Liberal mass meeting on Monday night, in the city hall. Besides a desire to hear Hon. Senator David Mills, citizens are anxious to hear the postmaster-general and minister of labor, Hon. William Mulock. Workmen will be especially interested in hearing what Mr. Mulock has to say to them, as he has championed their cause in a very able manner and with beneficial results to every class of workers in the Dominion. The hall will no doubt be taxed to its utmost capacity on Monday night.

### LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Miss Kate Fraser, Central avenue, is the guest of Miss Marian Skinner, Guelph.  
—Mr. W. J. Helm, of Bank of Toronto, spent Thanksgiving day in Detroit.

—Miss Ellen Claypole, of Whitby, a former resident of this city, is visiting friends here.

—Miss Bertha Sadler, of Stratford, is the guest of Miss Edna Durand, of 414 Madison street.

—Don't lose your vote. If you have not registered, remember the booths are open tonight.

—The opening services of the new Methodist Church at Lambeth, will take place tomorrow.

—Mr. R. H. Packham has reopened his dancing academy at 35 Richmond street, formerly Catholic Club.

—Rev. Prof. Burgess, of Huron College, will preach Thanksgiving sermons on Christ Church, Chatham, tomorrow.

—Mr. Walter Forbes, formerly with R. M. Millar, electrician, of this city, left this afternoon to take a position in Detroit.

—Rev. Dr. Hannon, of Chatham, will occupy the pulpit of Dundas Street Center Methodist Church at both services tomorrow.

—The annual field day of the Western University Athletic Association takes place on the afternoon of Oct. 23, on the university grounds.

—Owing to the presentation of medals for 1896, at the drill shed on Monday evening next, the proposed route march has been postponed. The medals will be presented by Col. Holmes.

—Mr. Wm. Bruce, of Watford, died this morning at a typhoid fever patient. The remains will be shipped to Watford. He was aged 34 years.

—Anniversary services will be held in St. James' Church, South London, tomorrow. Rev. C. M. Gunn, M.A., will preach at both services. Excellent music is being prepared by the choir.

—Miss Rose Allen and Miss Maggie Kams, of the East End, leave today for Vancouver, B. C. The former will proceed to San Francisco on an extended visit to her brother, Mr. E. T. Allen.

—All the members did not attend yesterday's meeting of the Hospital Trust, and the only matter of business other than routine, a petition complaining of the cost of the hospital chimney, was laid over.

—The death occurred in this city this morning of Mrs. Herbert Williams, at the age of 23 years. Deceased had been ailing for some time, and a few weeks ago underwent an operation. The remains will be taken to Toronto for interment.

—Mrs. Sarah Ann Butler, widow of the late Charles Butler, passed away this morning at her late residence, 108 Clarence street, aged 65 years. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon. Services will be held in the S. A. Cathedral.

—A companion court of the Independent Order of Foresters was organized last evening in East London. The name of the new court is "Companion Court Welcome." Officers were elected and installed, and the court sets out under the most encouraging circumstances.

—Hans Kroull, a Swede, was arrested last night, charged with stealing \$213 from his employers, the Canada Lacking Company. Kroull was given the money by his boss for the company, but it is alleged that he spent it otherwise. He appeared before Squire J. B. Smyth, and was remanded till Friday next.

—The jury empaneled to inquire into the death of the late Mrs. Joseph Swerick, who was killed at the Waterloo street crossing of the G. E. R., viewed the remains this morning and ordered a postmortem. Adjournment was then made until Thursday night next, to meet at the police station at 7:30.

—Mr. J. J. Wright, the proprietor of the well-known "Point Farm," Godrich, has been in the city the past few days visiting his son, Mr. T. C. Wright, of the Nordheimer Piano and Music Company. "Point Farm" had one of the best seasons in its history this year, and Londoners are appreciating its beautiful location by an increased attendance every year.

—The funeral of the late Wm. McLaughlin, formerly of this city, and who died in Chicago recently, took place this morning from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. John Tierney, 355 Chesapeake street. Requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father M. Keown. Deceased was a member of the Independent Order of Foresters, and Mr. O. C. Schumann, on behalf of the society, accompanied the remains to this city.

ROSSER-HUGHES.  
Mr. F. C. Rosser, of Winnipeg, and

### FAMILY RECIPES CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED

A. J. LOGAN,  
DRUGGIST,  
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Miss Lizzie Hughes, of this city, were wedded on Thursday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's mother on Talbot street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Jas. Coutts (Sarnia), only the immediate relatives of the families being present. The bride, who SHOT THE DOG.

On Thursday night, while patrolling his beat, P. C. Richard Courney was attacked by a savage dog on Dundas street. He endeavored to drive it off with his baton, but the brute was so determined in its attacks that he was compelled to shoot it.

was unattended, was becomingly gowned in a traveling suit of navy blue cloth, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. After the wedding breakfast was served, Mr. and Mrs. Rosser left on the evening train for their future home, Winnipeg.

POLICE COURT.  
At the police court this morning Warren H. Jenkins was charged by John McDonald with fraud. The complainant claims that Jenkins gave him a bogus note, Jenkins was committed for trial, and bailed, with securities of \$400.

The charge of keeping a vicious dog made against Robert Brenner was dismissed, the dog having been disposed of.

The case of George McClure, charged with perjury, was adjourned for a week. McClure is said to have sworn to false statements in order to get his name on the voters' list. He was fined with two securities of \$1,000 each.

Reuben Pugsley, a drunk, was fined \$5 or twenty days.  
Frank Pudney rode his bike on the sidewalk and it cost him \$2.

Alex. Bunyan and Henry Smith, charged with being drunk and disorderly, will come up on Monday.

PRESENTED WITH A GOLD WATCH.  
The office staff of the Bell Telephone Company in this city yesterday afternoon testified to the high esteem in which they hold Mr. S. J. T. Brown, late manager of the local branch, and now a distinguished superintendent of construction, by presenting him with a valuable gold watch, handsomely engraved.

Mr. Karl Wilder, chief inspector, made a neat speech, and the watch was handed to Mr. Brown by the company's representatives. Several others made short speeches, and Mr. Brown's reply bespoke the pleasant nature of the surprise to which he had been subjected.

PEANUT POLITICS.  
Why should London be represented in parliament by a non-resident, who cannot vote for his own election?—London Free Press.

That is a sample political argument wherewith a party party seeks to influence intelligent voters. What earthly difference can it make to London if Mr. Hyman is a resident of the city or not?—London Free Press.

His business interests are bound up in this city, and where his treasure is there will his heart be also, as the good book says. There are dozens and dozens of Canadians in Canada today contesting constituencies in which they do not reside. To be consistent, the Free Press should use its mighty influence to have every Conservative non-resident candidate rejected. Will it use that influence? We rather guess not.—London News.

OFFICERS FOR 1900-01.  
At the afternoon session of the Teachers' Association the election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mr. R. A. Little, B.A.; vice-president, Miss Tolhouse; secretary-treasurer, Miss E. Johnson; management committee, Misses Althouse and McKenzie, and Messrs. W. H. Ferguson, George King and Wm. Wallie; auditors, Messrs. C. B. Edwards and W. D. Eckert; delegates to Ontario Educational Association, the president and vice-president.

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friends in London and throughout the province during his stay, and the officers, soldiers and friends deeply regret his being removed. His future appointment will be St. John, New Brunswick. A large attendance is expected at the farewell services tomorrow.

A HAPPY EVENT.  
The home of Elder R. C. Evans was the scene of a pleasant occasion last evening, when a large gathering of the members of the latter day saints church met to celebrate the anniversary of his birthday. During the evening Elder Evans was the recipient of a dressing case and an address. Wm. Flagg, president of the church, read the address and the presentation was made by little Mamie Constable, of the Sabbath school. Elder Evans made a feeling reply, thanking the members for their kindness and for the esteem which they have shown for him. A short programme of vocal and instrumental music and speeches was carried out. Many reminiscences of Elder Evans' early life and ministerial labors were related, and thus a pleasant evening was spent by all. Elder Evans leaves on Monday on an official trip to California, British Columbia and the Northwest. His return is expected early in 1901. Wm. Flagg acted as chairman on the pleasant occasion.

"HELLO, BILL!"  
The "funniest ever" is certainly a sweeping verdict to apply to a play in these days of funny shows, but it will be difficult to find a number of the audience who witnessed "Hello Bill" at the London Opera House last night, who would dispute the application of such a verdict to this play. Even the most experienced of London playgoers may rack their memories in vain for a piece which possesses greater laughter-producing qualities than does this. The management would be quite safe in offering a very large reward to anyone who could witness the performance, and not indulge in fits of laughter, for they might tour the country from end to end without forfeiting their money. The author, Willis Maxwell Goodhue, has constructed a farce that ranks with the best work of Broadhurst, Gillette and other masters of farce. From the time that William Fuller comes on the stage, with his heavy ulster, concealing the evidences of his disgrace, through his brilliant record of splendid infamy, to the moment when he drives Leopold Thompson ignominiously from the scene, the piece is simply a whirlwind of laughter. Blaise Blakemore, as Wm. Fuller, the cheerful liar; George Macomber, as Gen. Wm. Fuller, the frascable soldier, who seemed to have lost his identity; Aubrey Noyes, as Christopher Cutting, the friend who fixes things; Dr. Eliza P. Hastings, who devoted his life to the scientific study of how to live without work; and Isabella divided between love of her recent husband and fear of the return of her supposedly deceased spouse, all took their parts to perfection, while the minor parts were excellently filled. The production is under the personal direction of the author, who is a genial and jolly good fellow. The London public should not miss this play, as such an opportunity for hearty laughter does not present itself many times in a decade. The matinee and evening performance today should be crowded.

MADE IT MANSLAUGHTER.  
Petrolia, Oct. 20.—The second day's trial of James Clarke on the charge of murdering his brother Joseph came to an end yesterday, with the result that at the request of the crown the charge was reduced to manslaughter.

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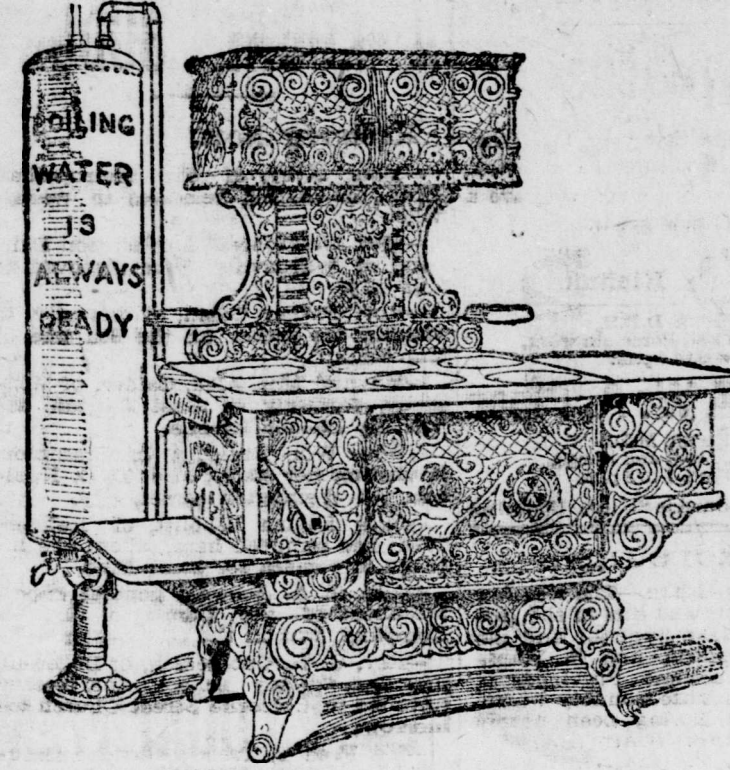
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## They Met No Resistance

Entry of the Allies Into Pao Ting Fu.

British Report of the Operations—Defeat of Chinese Rebels by Admiral Ho's Force.

London, Oct. 20.—A Hong Kong dispatch says: The military mandarin at San Chun reports that Admiral Ho has defeated the rebels, killing 100 of them and driving the survivors into the Northeast River.

ALLIES ENTER PAO TING FU.  
Tien Tsin, Oct. 20.—Reliable unofficial reports say the advance guard of the allied forces entered Pao Ting Fu on Wednesday. The city was practically deserted, and offered no resistance. The British column captured seventeen imperial soldiers at We Nan Sen Oct. 16, who were part of the force of 2,000 men sent to disperse the Boxers in that region. The captives assert that they killed 200 Boxers, and were returning to Pa Chow, when they were fired upon and dispersed by the French. The British confiscated their arms and horses and released the imperial soldiers. Runners report that many Chinese are burning the villages in the path of the German-French column.

London, Oct. 19.—The secretary of state for India, Lord George Hamilton, has received the following from Major-General Campbell in relation to the Pao Ting Fu expedition: Wang Chia Fou, Tuesday, Oct. 16.—Arrived here without opposition. Two thousand Chinese cavalry retreated southwards. Lieut. King sent with a communication to the French general officer, Left Me Nam Hien at 2 p.m. yesterday and returned here at 5 p.m. today with orders, having ridden 80 miles on one horse. Gaseles is at Sun Lin Tien, six miles southwards of Chee Chow. The Chinese regulars are retreating. The local government appears to be trying to suppress the Boxers. Thirteen heads

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Two Rivers. ROBERT ROSS.

of boxers were hanging on the gate of Chee Chow when we entered.

TE CHOW TAKEN.  
London, Oct. 19.—A special dispatch received here today from Shanghai says that 1,000 French troops have taken Te Chow, on the northern border of Shan Tung province.

TO RESTORE PEACE.

FRANCE ASKED.  
Paris, Oct. 20.—M. Delcasse, the minister of foreign affairs, has received a message from the Chinese emperor, asking France to assist in the restoration of peace, and expressing the hope that nothing will occur during the negotiations to cause a rupture of the peace proceedings.  
Berlin, Oct. 19.—A semi-official note asserts that the diplomatic body at Peking will collectively acquaint Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching with the conditions on which the powers will negotiate for peace.

FEELING IN BERLIN.  
A Berlin dispatch says: The joint note of Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching has not made a good impression in government circles here. The general comment is that the note reads more like conditions imposed upon the conqueror than the reverse.  
Statements have appeared in the press charging that the Chinese imperial edict regarding Prince Tuan was a forgery. The German foreign office leans to the belief that it was genuine.

AT WASHINGTON.  
Washington, Oct. 20.—The cabinet meeting yesterday was devoted principally to the consideration of the Chinese situation. After the meeting the members seemed impressed with the favorable turn matters had taken, and the prospect of a satisfactory adjustment. The government has received the proposals of Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching, offering indemnity and guarantees and considers that the Chinese government, in admitting that it has been in the wrong, has placed itself in the proper position, and opened the way to negotiations for a complete settlement. For the present the negotiations will proceed through Minister Conger.

The Chinese government has made a request upon Secretary Hay that negotiations begin today at Peking looking

to a settlement of the Chinese question. Mr. Conger will be wired an outline of the course he is to pursue in furtherance of the plans already committed to his care. The United States government does not regard the necessities of the case. It is gathered that the American objection is based on a lack of guarantees for the present safety of United States citizens at the legation in China, as well as for the protection of missionary and trade interests in the future.

NOTES.  
M. De Giers, Russian minister to China, left Tien Tsin for Peking on Wednesday.  
A dispatch from Shanghai says Kan Yi (who was president of the board of education and strongly anti-foreign) is reported to have committed suicide.

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TELL THE DEAF.—Mr. J. F. Kellock, druggist, Perth, writes: "A customer of mine having been cured of deafness by the use of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, wrote to Ireland, telling his friends there of the cure. In consequence I received an order to send half a dozen by express to Wexford, Ireland, this week."

## Western Ontario.

High Constable Nantais has determined to prosecute the pool room men at the Windsor driving park.

Mr. Mel McLean, of the Merchants' Bank staff, has been transferred from Windsor to Walkerton. He takes Mr. Farmer's place there as teller. Mr. Farmer goes to Ottawa.

Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, of Stratford, has returned from Paris, where he spent a month or six weeks as honorary commissioner of the Dominion at the Paris Exposition.

W. L. McLaws, of the St. Thomas law firm of Farley & McLaws, was united in marriage Thursday evening to Miss Alice Williams, daughter of Hugh Williams, M. C. R. dispatcher.

John Hyland, a well-known and highly esteemed farmer of Colchester North, near Edgar's Mills, has died as the result of a runaway accident. His horse shied and he was thrown out of his heavily-loaded wagon, which passed over him.

It is said that Harry Clayton, 18 years of age, of Barrie, was trying to steal a ride on an M. C. R. freight train at the Milwaukee Junction, near Detroit, on Monday afternoon, when he fell between the cars and was fatally crushed.

At Ixliwid, Sand Hill, the residence of the late Henry Gray, Mr. Vaughan L. Francis, proprietor of the Woodstock Times, was on Wednesday afternoon married to Miss Healer Gray, Rev. Charles Langford, of Laurel, and Rev. Mr. Haines, of Mono, officiated.

Mrs. Ann Hughes, relict of the late Thomas Hughes, of Dresden, died on Tuesday morning after about fifteen years' illness. Deceased was 84 years old, and was a pioneer of Dresden, her husband having lived there many years ago as first royal dean of Kent. He was a missionary to the negroes of the institution when that place was in government charge.

Word was received on Tuesday by Mrs. W. C. Smith, who lives some four or five miles east of Tavistock, confirming the report that her daughter had met her death at the hands of the Boxers in China. Miss Smith went to China about a year and a half ago to take the place of her sister, who had been engaged in mission work there, but who had just died. She was working in the interests of the China Inland Mission.

A double wedding occurred Wednesday night at the residence of John Lambert, Howard avenue, Windsor, when his two daughters were united in marriage. Wm. Lamb, of Mason, Mich., was wedded to Miss Ella Lambert. The supporting couple were Miss Smith and Alonzo Dean, of Mason. Mr. Dean was united in marriage with Miss Mary Lambert. The supporting couple were the sister of the bride and groom. Rev. James Livingstone officiated at both weddings. The bridal couples left for Mason to reside.

At the Lambton assizes action was brought by Mrs. Saunders against Wm. J. Bradley, the executor of the estate of the late R. I. Bradley, of Petrolia. The action was to compel the return of \$2,000 insurance on the life of the plaintiff's deceased first husband, which money was invested by deceased Bradley for the plaintiff's benefit in a land mortgage debenture in the Crown Loan

Company, of Petrolia. Judgment was given in favor of plaintiff with costs, also official guardian's costs to be paid out of the estate of the late R. I. Bradley.

R. Nelson Peck died Monday at his residence, the old Peck homestead, in Raleigh township, in his 88th year. Mr. Peck, who was a great uncle of Mr. W. R. Peck, of the Rankin House, Chatham, was a member of one of the most noted families in Kent county. His father, John Peck, was a soldier in the English army, who came to Canada with the forces sent out to capture Quebec. After the taking of the French citadel Mr. Peck left the army and came west. For a few years he resided on Hamilton Heights. He then came further west and settled on the River Thames about the year 1850. He was the first settled in the county of Kent, and he reared a large family of boys. They were William, the grandfather of W. R. Peck; John, Joseph, Alexander, Angus and Nelson. Nelson was not born until the year 1814, but John Peck and the sons old enough turned out in the war of 1812, and fought at Queenston Heights and on the Thames. Nelson was closely associated with the history of Kent county. He was actively engaged in suppressing the rebellion of 1837-38, and except when away at his country's call, had resided on the homestead all his life. In politics he was a Reformer. Mrs. Peck and eight children survive. They are: Frank, Theresa and Alice, at home; Oliver and Walter, Windsor; Emily, of Detroit, and Mrs. Watson, Dresden.

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In the parish of Runwell, Essex, England, an apparatus has been lately invented by the rector for ringing the church bells by electricity. Manufacturers of birch beer have been detected cutting down birch trees in Van Cortland Park, New York, to get the bark to flavor the liquor with.

In Scotland all licensed premises, except hotels, are closed Sundays, and one must be at least technically "a traveler" before he can obtain liquor.

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## METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 19—8 p.m.—The weather today has been fair and cool in the Dominion between Lake Superior and the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and in Manitoba and the Maritime Provinces it has been fine and unseasonably warm, the temperatures having been nearly 70 in many localities. Sharp frosts occurred last night in Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick, but higher temperatures are now probable. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Kamloops, 46—52; Calgary, 34—54; Battleford, 48—52; Qu'Appelle, 48—54; Winnipeg, 48—53; Port Arthur, 36—50; Parry Sound, 28—46; Toronto, 30—41; Ottawa, 20—46; Montreal, 30—38; Quebec, 24—36; Halifax, 36—46.  
Local temperatures—Oct. 19.—Highest, 51 degrees; lowest, 27 degrees.  
Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 6:38 a.m. and sets at 5:28 p.m. The moon rises at 3:52 a.m. and sets at 3:55 p.m.

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—The St. James' Presbyterian Sabbath School Literary Society held a very successful debate on Monday evening. The subject was: Resolved, "That the Public Library has done more harm than good." Rev. A. J. McGillivray, who acted as judge, decided in favor of the affirmative. Next Monday evening Mr. W. C. Ferguson, of the Collegiate Institute, will lecture on Tennyson's "Locksley Hall."

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## A LOCAL BUDGET

REGISTER NOW.

—Miss Avey, of the Metropolitan Hotel, is visiting relatives in Wardsville.

—Mrs. McEachern and her son Danbert, of Wardsville, have removed to this city.

—Rev. Father Tobin, of this city, is visiting his father on the 6th line of Enniskillen.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Calder, of Winnipeg, formerly of East London, are visiting London friends.

—Mrs. Wm. Rutledge, of Brampton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. O. Rums, 634 Wellington street, city.

—Miss LeVina Tebbutt, of Holmesville, has removed here, where she intends to remain for some time.

—Mrs. J. A. Boswell, general superintendent of the Dominion Express Company, was in the city yesterday.

—Rev. G. H. Cobbleddick, of Bothwell, preached Sunday school anniversary sermons in Coburne Street Church tomorrow.

—Mr. Fred T. Trebilcock has returned from Dawn township, where he spent four days, and bagged nearly 100 partridges and quail.

—A change has been made in the time of departure of the train leaving London for Chatham, Detroit, Chicago, etc., viz., from 4:50 to 5:30 p.m.

—Mrs. George Donnelly, 881 Baffin avenue, left this morning for Vancouver. Miss Allen accompanies her en route for San Francisco. They go via the C. P. R.

—Mrs. George Donnelly, of No. 881 Baffin avenue, leaves this week for Vancouver, B. C. and will be accompanied by Miss Allen, who goes on to San Francisco.

Cards are out for the wedding at Baltimore next Tuesday of Miss Minnie Cullen, eldest daughter of the late Rev. Thomas Cullen, of this city, to a prominent banker.

—Rev. Thomas Wilson delivered his illustrated lecture on the South African war in Knox Church, Acton, before a very large audience, on the evening of Thanksgiving Day.

—Miss Joan R. Laidlaw, of this city, attended a meeting of the board of directors of the Ontario Educational Association, held in Toronto on Thursday, to arrange a programme for the next convention.

—Mr. George M. Millar, who was with C. Struthers & Co., of this city, for some years, and from the year with a Chicago firm, has returned to this city to take a position on the business staff of The Advertiser.

—Miss Louisa, with her niece, Miss Florence Mitchell, have just returned from an extended trip through the Rockies to the Pacific coast. On their return they went to Montana and remained several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Dawson, of Butte.

REGISTER! REGISTER!

—Mrs. Wm. Barker died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. Jacobs, of Titonburg, the other day, aged 68 years. Deceased leaves 4 daughters and 1 son—Mrs. Bundy and Mrs. Jacobs, of Titonburg; Mrs. Mary Carver, Rev. C. Meyer; Mrs. A. Jordan, of this city, and William, who has not been here for many years.

—Mr. Henry A. Rendell and his eldest daughter, from Weymouth, England, are here on a visit. Mr. George Rendell and his sister, Mrs. Jabez Harwood. The latter he had not seen for nearly 46 years. They sailed from Southampton on the 6th inst, per the steamer St. Paul, arriving in New York last Saturday, after a fairly pleasant voyage, except that during the last two days very rough weather was experienced. One lady and her infant died on the passage, and were buried at sea.

—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wesley Shobottom, on the Grade road, London township, was the scene of a grand harvest festival in connection with Emmanuel Church, on Thanksgiving Day evening. Rev. C. Richardson opened with a brief thanksgiving service. Then followed the supper, for which the members of the church made abundant provision of good things, and which was served by a large committee of ladies. A programme of music, readings, recitations was given, and shortly before midnight, after the National Anthem had been heartily sung, the company dispersed.

—Referring to a patriotic concert in St. Thomas on Thursday evening, the Journal says: "Miss Inez Ethelyn Smith, of London, each time she appears here, is becoming more a favorite. Her rich, well-cultivated soprano voice and distinct articulation always make it a pleasure to hear her. She was encored for both her numbers, responding after 'When the Boys in Khaki All Come Home' with a touching soldier's song, and to 'The Absent-Minded Beggar' with the last stanza. Mr. Thomas Martin, of London, a pianist of marked ability, was encored after his three numbers, but simply bowed his acknowledgments."

—A very pretty and quiet home wedding took place on Wednesday, Oct. 19, 1900, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shier, Woodland Farm, Kirkton, when his eldest daughter, Clara, was united in marriage to Mr. George Elliott, of this city. Rev. J. Ball, of Kirkton, officiating. Only the immediate friends and relatives were present. After the ceremony a very dainty wedding breakfast was partaken of at a few hours spent pleasantly together. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott left for Buffalo and other eastern cities amidst a shower of rice and good wishes for their future welfare.

—Legislation against drunkenness in Belgium dates from 1887. It deals with the drunk, drugged, supplying liquor to a drunken person or to a child under 18.

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## ICE STOVES

A NOVELTY

Curious Devices by Which They Will Be Used for Heating Purposes.

Ice used for heating purposes is one of the most curious devices mentioned in a bulletin soon to be issued by the weather bureau at Washington on the subject of protecting perishable goods in transportation. A new kind of car is being built in which the ice is stored in the floor to near the top. In summer these cylinders are filled with ice and salt, stamped down hard, and it is claimed that a refrigerator vehicle thus equipped does not need any removal of its stock of ice on a journey clear across the continent.

The remarkable point, however, is that the car is used in winter just the same for the purpose of preventing freezing. Ice is normally at about 32 degrees Fahrenheit, and it is very reluctant to give up any of its temperature. Hence, when it is zero weather outside the cylinders of relatively warm ice act as stoves, helping to keep up the thermometer inside. Another novel device by which ice is employed for protection against cold consists in throwing up the car which the weather is near the zero point a stream of water, which promptly freezes and forms a complete coat all over the vehicle. This prevents radiation of heat from the car, and so tends to keep up the temperature inside. It is a plan frequently adopted in the transportation of bananas, which are particularly susceptible to cold. Fruit is put in a fresh fruit box and covered with salt hay when the temperature is dangerously low.

Large shippers of fruit in the south have found out by experience that it does not do to take fresh fruit, especially peaches and cantaloupes, and load it upon the cars without chilling it first. Accordingly one railroad in that part of the country is about to establish a large cold storage room, in which along its lines cooling rooms, in which the perishable merchandise may be put for a while before sending it on its journey. Oranges on the trees will freeze at 28 degrees in an hour or two, but in four hours will freeze inside.

One recommendation made by the weather bureau in regard to lemons is that in large hotels and other places where quantities of them are used for lemonade and other purposes they shall not be taken from the cold storage room to a heated room, but shall be squeezed in the cold storage room. They will keep quite well after being taken out of cold storage.

One very curious fact that has been ascertained is that perishable produce, such as fruit and vegetables, will stand lower temperatures when the car is in progress than when it is at rest. No theory has been suggested to account satisfactorily for the phenomena, which is certainly interesting. It is suggested by the weather bureau that growers may derive suggestions as to the utmost value from the weather reports and predictions, thus avoiding the shipment of their goods when a cold wave in winter or a hot spell in summer is imminent.

They ought to learn at what points on the railroad transportation is liable

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to be blocked by snowdrifts, and from the United States geological survey they can find out as to the altitudes of the country traversed by shipping routes. Of course the temperatures encountered in crossing mountain ranges are apt to be much lower than in the valleys.

The use of paper for protection against cold is increasing very much, and its effectiveness in this way is wonderful. Fruit wrapped in heavy brown paper will endure 15 degrees more cold than without it. Potatoes are sometimes packed in barrels lined with paper, and when the weather is unusually severe the barrels are covered with paper also.

Clams and oysters are similarly shipped in paper lined barrels, to keep them from freezing, and cars for transporting perishable merchandise are quite commonly lined with paper. There is said to be nothing like it to keep out frost. Eggs shipped in crates with separate pasteboard divisions and covered with a layer of oat chaff will endure a very low temperature. It is observed by the way that potatoes and eggs are injured by cold more quickly than fresh ones.

Thick or fat clams or oysters do not freeze as readily as lean ones, and oysters resist cold better than clams. "Shucked" oysters, kept in their own liquor in tight barrels, will not spoil if frozen in transit. When clams or oysters in the shell are frozen, they should be thawed gradually in a cool place.

Oysters in the shell can be kept two months in a dark place, when the temperature is a little above freezing. If they are sprinkled from time to time with the water. It has been noticed, by the way, that clams and oysters in transit through a snowstorm do not freeze as readily as when the weather is fair. Fish may be kept sound and marketable for thirty days after being caught, provided that they are cleaned soon after captured. They are shipped by express in barrels with wheels.

Ever so many little points of value have been ascertained by shippers of perishable produce through long and hard experience. For example, it is now known that sweet potatoes and turnips must not be put together, because the proper temperature for the former (50 degrees) is too high for the latter. Potatoes do best in double walled cars, heated by stoves to keep out the frost. Thirty-two degrees will not injure them for eating, but will prevent them from sprouting in the spring. On the other hand, all sorts of tree seeds, including peach, plum and walnut sprout better in the spring if frozen in the winter—Washington correspondence New York Herald.

Mark Twain Declares

For Anglo-Saxon Pact

Mark Twain will leave London on Sunday to make his home in the United States, after a nine-years' residence in Europe, says a London dispatch to the New York Herald. He returns, he says, feeling like a boy, rejuvenated in body and inspired in mind. The great humorist will spend the winter in New York and will go back to his old home at Hartford, Conn., in the spring.

He avers that nine years' contact with Englishmen and continentalers has assured him that the Anglo-Saxon pact exists. "Britain," said he, "is the best friend we have got in Europe, and we are the only friend she's got on earth. No one ventures to suggest a formal offensive and defensive alliance, but it is so our mutual interest that sentiment along that line should grow in the hearts of our people. The time is coming when each of the two great peoples will need it in their business."

"It is out of my line to be pessimistic, but I think that the Chinese concert, which has already become a comedy, is likely to end in tragedy. When the crash comes it will be best for Britain, best for America, and best for the world that the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes should wave together."

During the years he has made his home abroad Mr. Clemens has been at times reported as slowly starving to death, and at other times as banqueting sumptuously with dukes, earls and emperors. In 1897 and 1898 Mr. Clemens was feted in Vienna as no other American had been feted. On one of these occasions he addressed his audience in the German language. The great humorist is now 65, but has not yet laid aside his pen. His recent work shows no signs of decrepitude. His financial prospects are good.

THE SITUATION.

Judge—"Prisoner do you desire to say anything in your defense?"

Prisoner—"Well, your honor, it was this way. The governor said it was time to take stock, and I took all I could. Then he went back on me and had me arrested for stealing."

## SNAIL GARDENS.

Nearly 100,000 pounds of snails are sold daily in the Paris markets to be eaten by dwellers of that city. They are carefully reared for the purpose in extensive snail gardens in the provinces, and fed on aromatic herbs to make their flavor finer. One snailery in Dijon is said to bring to its proprietor seven thousand francs a year. Many Swiss cantons also contain large snail gardens where they are grown with much pains. They are not only regarded as a great delicacy, but are reckoned as very nutritious. Hygienists say that they contain 17 per cent of nitrogenous matter, and that they are equal to oysters in nutritive properties.

The locomotive works of the United States last year turned out 2,195 locomotives, valued at about \$23,000,000. Of the total number 480 were sent abroad.

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## HOMeward Bound

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The Idaho at St. Vincent With All Well on Board.

Deaths at Pretoria and Johannesburg—Names of Heroes Gazetted.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 19.—A cable was received yesterday from St. Vincent, signed Chaplain Fullerton, giving the names of 21 islanders on the Idaho, and stating that they are all well.

**MORE INVALIDS.**  
London, Oct. 19.—Yesterday another detachment of invalided Canadians sailed by the steamship Dominion for Quebec. Those in the party were:

Pte. E. D. Bartlett, 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles, Ottawa company, first contingent.

Pte. W. Edwards, 71st York Battalion, a recruit of the first contingent.

Pte. D. Davidson, 12th York Rangers, Toronto company, first contingent.

Pte. H. B. Travers, 2nd Regiment Canadian Artillery, Montreal company, first contingent.

Pte. Geoffrey H. Aston, N. W. M. P., second battalion, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

Pte. George Campbell, R. C. R. L. New Brunswick and P. E. I. company, first contingent.

Pte. F. Brown, G. G. B. G., Toronto, A squadron, Canadian Mounted Rifles. He was wounded at Brantford.

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Melbourne MacDowell has been sued for absolute divorce by his wife, Wilhelmina Maria MacDowell. In her complaint Mrs. MacDowell asserts that since she married the actor at Norfolk, Va., in June last, she has been treated with great cruelty. While on their honeymoon trip to Europe on the Staatendam, she alleges that not alone did her husband drink heavily, but that he flirted prodigiously with some of the pretty women passengers.

## BRITISH AND BOER ARTILLERY

Some Respects in Which the Latter Did Better Work.

A Hollander in the Free State Artillery writes in the "Algemeen Handelsblad," of Amsterdam, an article in which he compares the artillery work of Boer and British during the war. The good shooting of the artillery (he says) depends first and foremost on the excellent eyesight of the Boers, who can distinguish a friend from foe at a great distance, and who very seldom make the mistake of firing on positions where there is no enemy, a mistake often made by the English. Then most Boers are excellent judges of distance, and are extremely quick at finding the correct range. They have a marvelous eye for the "line of the land" and can so speak "feel" the contour of the ground hidden from them by an intervening hill, and so follow the movements of an enemy even when out of sight. In general, artillery practice is more thorough than in Europe. The ground is drier and dustier. Thus at Wepener I was firing at a trench which lay on a slope, on to which I looked from a higher level. I could see every bullet, and my shrapnel, which exploded high in the air, strike the ground just in front of and behind the parapet of the trench, and after two shots could be absolutely certain that I had the range correctly.

### ABUNDANT AMMUNITION.

We have had an abundant supply of artillery as of small-arm ammunition, and ammunition for the captured English guns were very quickly turned out from the Transvaal. From this abundant supply of ammunition, a Transvaal or Free State gun has often been able to hold its own against a whole English battery, because such a battery, unless in a fixed position, from one position with black powder and by a well-directed fire (on the empty position) was kept out of action.

The twelve Boers spread themselves over a couple of ridges, and six of them were advanced close to the front, led by General Botha, brother of the commandant-general so that the enemy imagined they had a large force to deal with. I am curious to know what was made of this action by Lord Methuen, who was, I am told, with the column, more particularly because he was entirely surprised by the Boers, whose second shot landed right among the eight guns that were left unlimbered and at rest.

Again, our Krupp shrapnel is better than the English. The latter is not by any means well made, as I hope to show in a later article. We have no lyddite shells, chiefly because we did not use them. We could not obtain from the government a gun with which the experiment with lyddite, with the quite probable result of destroying the gun, and without trying we did not want to send lyddite to the front, for the chance of its bursting a gun at the critical moment of a fight. The faults which, in my opinion, are possessed by the English lyddite shells, as far as state when they are fired. Only once has any great effect been produced by them. I am informed on very credible authority that the relief of Ladysmith is to be ascribed to a lyddite shell which fell among a group of burghers, killing and terribly maiming several of them, wounding two others, and putting the whole troop to flight. Their position was immediately occupied by the enemy, from which it was able to render a second position untenable, from that a third and a fourth, so that at last a whole line of defense had to be given up. Such lucky shots are quite the exception. All day long positions have been bombarded without a single man being killed.

THE BOER NOT A FIGHTING MAN.  
Our artillery is more effective than the English because the English soldier is much more of a "fighting man" than the Boer. The latter runs no more risk than he is obliged to. To add one's ground under artillery fire he thinks very fine, but he doesn't do it himself, except in trenches or behind a ridge—seldom, very seldom, in the open. As soon as the enemy's artillery begins to produce a definite effect the Boer "stands not upon the order of his going." He killed it, more than he cares for in the ordinary way. The English hold their ground better and do not leave their positions unless their losses are severe. For the opposing artillery this method is much more convenient than the Boer way.

SHOOTING AGAINST EMPTY POSITIONS.  
In drawing a comparison between our artillery and the English, I must not omit to say that the English artillery often made excellent practice from an antiaircraft point of view. This good shooting, however, has by means seldom been directed against empty positions. Again and again I have been told by gun commanders whose cannon had become the target of the English gunners, and who had removed their piece to a safer position, that the English shells continued for some time to rain on the abandoned position. This was antiaircraft good, but tactically bad, shooting.

The English field artillery has throughout the war had to do work for which it was entirely unsuited. The best field artillery is of very little use against good schanzes and trenches. This responsibility for the ineffectiveness of the English artillery on this ground, however, lies more with the government at home than with the artillery in the field.

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Grant me to become beautiful in the inner man, and that whatever outward things may have may be at peace with those within. Most of the wise man rich, and may I have such a portion of gold as none but a prudent man can either bear or employ.—Plato.

Probably the happiest period in life most frequently is in middle age, when the eager passions of youth are cooled, and the infirmities of age not yet begun, as we see that the shadows, which are at evening and evening so large, almost entirely disappear at midday.—T. Arnold.

He that gives good advice builds with one hand; he that gives good counsel and example, builds with both; but he that gives good admonition and bad example, builds with one hand and pulls down with the other.—Bacon.

The difference between a devil and a saint is easily expressed. The former knows how to do right, and yet does wrong; the latter knows how to do wrong, and yet does right.—Donald Bruce.

He that speaks ill of another, commonly before he is aware, makes himself such a one as he speaks against; for if he had civility or breeding he would forbear such kind of language.—John Selden.

We have no gratitude for those reformers who would force upon us a doctrine which has not sweetened their own tempers or made them better men than their neighbors.—W. E. Channing.

A man that does not know how to be angry, does not know how to be good.—Now and then a man should be shaken to the core with indignation over things evil.—H. W. Beecher.

The slave has but one master, the ambitious man has as many as there are persons whose all may contribute to the advancement of his fortunes.—Bryce.

Life was not given for indolent contemplation and study of self, nor for brooding over emotions of piety; actions and actions only determine the worth.—Fichte.

Absence lessens moderate passions and increases great ones, as the wind

extinguishes the taper, but kindles the burning, swelling.—Rochefoucauld.

Do not let want of success depress you, but struggle on. Labor hard continuously, and you will win in the end.—George Macdonald.

The business of the head is to form a good heart, and not merely to rule an evil one, as is generally imagined.—Sir A. Hume.

Nothing can bring peace but yourself. Nothing can bring you peace but the triumph of principles.—Emerson.

We always like those who admire us, but we do not always like those whom we admire.—Rochefoucauld.

Few men are admired by their servants.—Montaigne.

Not failure, but low aim, is crime.—J. R. Lowell.

### A Man uv Peace.

I do not hold with war myself, I think it's bad an' wrong. An' would not prod my frens to strife w' fiery speech an' song. I'd sooner see 'em till the soil, an' sow, an' reap, an' build, an' die o' somethin' nat'ral, 'stead uv goin' an' gettin' killed. But of my country does git roused, I plunges inter sin.

An' don't care what she's fightin' for—I want to see her win! It isn't zactly what you'd call a real angelic plan, But man is not an angel—an' he wunt be while he's man.

I stud out dead an' the war, but once it wuz begun, I thrilled tew read each gallant deed my countrymen had done; An' now, I git that warm within tew see the en'my scoot, I itch tew take a gun myself an' go an' hev a shoot! There's other peaceful men like me improve my wrath an' frown, But when my country's dander's up, mine wunt keep yin' down.

Es long es airth is simply airth, an' men ain't more than men, It seems tew me there's bound to be some fightin' now an' then. Fer what is wrong or right depends upon yer point uv view. The en'my's alwis convinced he's jest as right as you.

An' so, in such a sinful world, there ain't no kind uv doubt, Ye've got tew figt fer what you want, or want an' go without! It isn't zactly what you'd call a real angelic plan.

But an' is not an angel—an' he wunt be while he's man. —Hosea, Jun., in The Spectator.

### MONUMENT TO A DOG.

Considerable human interest is being found by the Italian press in the ceremonies that recently attended the erection of a monument on the Mountain of St. Bernard to the memory of a famous dog that belonged to the convent there. Barry was the dog's name, and in ten years he saved the lives of forty persons who had lost their way on the glaciers of Mount St. Bernard.

What is considered his most remarkable achievement was performed about three years ago, when he found a child to whose death he was due to the influence of the fatal slumber which precedes death. Barry, with curious comprehension of the needs of the situation, first warmed the child with his breath, and then aroused it by sleep by licking its face.

Such an accomplished, Barry, by lying down by its side, gave the child an obvious invitation to get on and ride. The child did so, and was carried by Barry to the convent. This episode, like his other achievements, is recorded at the convent, and to the truth of its circumstances several witnesses have subscribed.

The death of the dog was due to the timidity or rascality of some unknown man who perhaps fancied that Barry was approaching him with evil intent. The stranger killed the dog by hitting it on the head. These two events in the career of the useful animal are commemorated on the monument, which represents in bas relief the St. Bernard carrying a child on its back while underneath is the following inscription: "Barry, the Heroic, Saved the Lives of Forty Persons and Was Killed by the Forty-first."—New York Times.

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We think with awe of Jefferson, For Thomas isn't here. Ah, what a splendid height he won—Poor Thomas isn't here! With pride we name the debts we owe To this great man of long ago—'Tis safe to say we wouldn't, though, If Thomas still were here.

You do your best, but win no praise—Ah well, keep striving on! You still walk here in pleasant ways—The great are always gone! With all your might you try to climb—Today no man deems you sublime—'Take heart! you, too, will die some time.

And then your day may dawn! —S. E. Klier.

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## CHAPTER X.

It was the evening before his journey and Sir Karl sat alone in his library. He would not go to bed. He could not forget his irritation and annoyance at what Dolores had told him of the manner in which his choice of the red rose had been taken; it was an incident so trivial that he had not thought it worth remembering. That the happiness or misery of two lives, his own and Dolores', should have depended upon such a trifle was almost incredible to him. While occupied with his sad thoughts he heard the sound of wheels. It was quite late in the afternoon, and he marvelled much who could be calling at that hour. He was still more surprised when the servant came to say that Miss de Ferras would be glad to see him for a few minutes; she had been shown into the morning room.

"You have forgotten these books, Sir Karl," said Lola, as the baronet entered the room. "Mamma thought, as I was driving past, that I might leave them here—she meant at the lodge; but I thought I might take the opportunity of saying good-bye."

She spoke in a careless tone; but as he took the books from her hand, he saw that the usual brilliant bloom had left her face and that it was very pale; there was even a quiver of pain in it.

"I have something to say to you," she went on presently, then paused; and added impetuously, "You are not angry? If I had thought you would be angry I would not have come."

"Why should I be?" He was touched by her emotion. "You would not seek me, I am sure, unless you had something very particular to say."

But she seemed to be in no hurry to speak. Her lips parted once or twice, but the words died on them. He looked at her in wonder. Why should she ask to speak to him and then stand silent, as though she had nothing to say? At last, in a low voice, she resumed—

"You said, when you were at Beaune, that you would come over to say good-bye to us, that you would see me again before you started on your journey. Yesterday you wrote to mamma, saying that you would not have time to call. Why did you change your mind? What is the reason? Why are you leaving without coming near us?"

"I had a reason," he answered, his face flushing; "besides which, I wrote the simple truth. I had no time. I am leaving England sooner than I intended."

"What was the reason?" she asked. "I cannot explain," he said proudly. "Do you think any reason would justify your going away without saying farewell to old and true friends like mamma and myself?"

"My farewell was none the less genuine for being written instead of spoken," Miss de Ferras said.

She came nearer to him, and with a passionate cry of pain held out her hands.

"Do you judge me by yourself?" she exclaimed. "Do you think that a few coldly written words of farewell would suffice for me, even if they did for you? They did not; therefore I am here."

He had not one word to say. The beautiful, passionate face and ringing voice bewildered him. He was not prepared for a scene of this kind.

She laid her hand upon his arm as though she would compel his attention.

"Do you think so little and so lightly of our friendship that you could go without having seen me again? I could not let you go so; I could not even bear the thought that you should leave England without my having seen you again. How could you do it? Oh, Sir Karl, how could you do it?"

The dark eyes were drowned with tears. Although he did not love her, and never would, he could not help being touched by her sorrow. That man could read the beautiful face shadowed with grief and lovely eyes dimmed with tears for his sake? Sir Karl was but human; he took the white hand from his arm and held it in his.

"I am afraid," she said, smiling through her tears, "that even if I had not had the books for a pretext, I should have come, just the same. Do you think it is very wrong for me to have come?"

Sir Karl looked uncomfortable.

"What am I to answer?" he said, with a forced smile. "I cannot say that it is right, and it seems unkind to say that it is wrong."

"Promise me this, at least, that you will forget what you may think of the imprudence, and remember only the interest in yourself which prompted me to come. Will you promise me that?"

"Yes," he replied. "I may safely promise that. I am sure you meant it kindly."

He seemed to treat the whole matter as a friendly interview, and this did not please Lola.

"Kindly!" she repeated bitterly. "What a word to use to me! I am not kind to you. In coming to say good-bye to you I have been kind to myself."

She drew a little nearer to him, her warm, white hand lying still in his.

"How could you, Sir Karl, be so cruel as to write that note? Tell me, honestly, had you no idea of the trouble and sorrow it would give me?"

"I know you are always good to me," he replied; "but I could not possibly think that the going or coming of a mere acquaintance like myself would be of any moment to you."

He said this purposely, to show her that this was no love scene in which she forced him, as it were, to take a part. She withdrew her hand suddenly from his clasp and stood before him erect and haughty.

"Do you mean that you look upon yourself as nothing but a mere acquaintance—nothing nearer or dearer? Is that the end of all our happy hours together—a mere acquaintance—white I have been so proud and happy in thinking you my friend?"

He was again somewhat embarrassed. The passion in her face and voice startled him. What was he to do with this impetuous girl. He looked gravely at her.

"The word 'friend' is a sacred one," he said; "it implies a great deal—affection, fidelity, forbearance and loyalty."

"And will you not give those to me?" she asked.

There was silence for some moments. He found that, so far from having exalted himself from a false position, he had increased his difficulties.

"That is much to ask," he answered gravely. "I must consider the question in all its bearings."

"What!" she cried, "do you hesitate when I ask you?"

"I do not hesitate. I say it is a very serious question. A pledge of friendship given and taken in that fashion is as grave a matter as—"

"He paused, for the words that rose to his lips would, he knew, lead him into greater complications.

"I know what you mean," she said, with a sigh and a smile that were irresistible—"you mean that it is as grave a matter as a promise of marriage."

The splendid dark eyes, raised suddenly to his face, seemed to suggest the idea. Why did he not make that? He read the question in one glance, and he felt afraid of himself.

"Of course it is a serious pledge," she continued, "but it is one that I think you need not be afraid of. What can one wish for more than to have a true friend? A man who rejected an offer of friendship would not be wise."

"I do not reject it, Miss de Ferras," the smile that flashed back to him from the girl's beautiful eyes rendered him almost speechless.

"You say, Sir Karl; but you do not seem to be in any hurry to accept it."

There is something in a lovely face, in tender pleading eyes, in lips that look made to be kissed—something that a man can not resist. If, at this juncture, Lola had shed tears, if she had

cried, "I love you," he would have been lost. But she said nothing more.

"Always Tell Mother."

Always tell mother. She's willing to hear. Willing to listen to tales of despair. Tell her when trials and troubles assail.

Seek her for comfort when sorrows prevail. Take mother's hand when temptations entice. Ask her for counsel; seek mother's advice.

Always tell mother. In mother confide; Foster no secrets from mother to hide; Train your thoughts nobly, nor let your lips speak words that would kindle a blush on her cheek;

Mother stands ready her aid to impart. Open to mother the door of your heart.

Always tell mother. Your joys let her share. Lift from her shoulders their burdens of care; Brighten her pathway, be gentle and kind;

Strengthen the ties of affection that bind. Tell her you love her; look up in her face; Tell her no other can take mother's place.

Always tell mother. When dangers beside. Mother, if need be, will be by your side.

Though you be sunk in sin and disgrace. Mother will never from you turn her face.

Others may shun you, but mother, your friend. Stands, ever ready to shield and defend.

Mother's devotion is always the same. Softly, with reverence, breathe mother's name.

—Lawrence Porcher Hext, in Leslie's Weekly.

## QUEER KINDS OF BREAD.

The Mexicans make bread of the eggs of three kinds of insects. For this purpose the natives cultivate in the lagoon of Chalco a sort of carex, on which the insects readily deposit their eggs. The eggs, after being separated from the husks and floating carex, are then cleaned and sifted, put into sacks like flour, and sold to the people for making a kind of cake or bread, called "hauile," which forms a tolerably good food, but has a fishy taste and is slightly acid. Bread has been made from wood and sawdust. In Kamchatka pine or birch bark, well macerated, pounded, and baked, frequently constitutes the native bread. The ice-lander scrapes the Iceland moss off the rocks and grinds it into flour, which serves both for bread and puddings. In Africa powdered dry locusts are mixed with flour or bread, and during the Indian famine small stones are said to have been ground and mixed with meal for bread. On the western shores of England a certain kind of seaweed (*Phosphora laminaria*) is gathered, boiled, and then baked with oatmeal flour for bread.

## BURN THE BRIDE'S TOYS.

The burning of the bride's playthings is part of the wedding ceremony in Japan. The bride lights a torch, which she hands to the bridegroom, who with it lights a fire in which the toys are destroyed.

## THE COMPANIONABLE WIFE.

A Frenchman said recently: "Let every woman have two hours a day of serious mental occupation, during which the faculties of her mind will be systematically, her tired head will be rested, and her good sense and judgment will regain their empire and peace will dwell in her agitated heart."

Every housekeeper knows the truth of this words. The care of the home may be a delightful occupation, but it ought not to exclude every other interest. There can be no happiness for a woman with brain and imagination in a life that limits her to mere domestic drudgery. Every housekeeper should study herself and learn her "one talent."

sighed, wept, looked unhappy, or reproached him, he would have turned from her disgusted. But she said just at the right time, and a weight of care and anxiety seemed to be lifted from his heart. Anything but misery and tears! He began to ask himself if, after all, his treatment of this girl had not been just a little childish. She was fond of him, and wished to be his friend. Why should he assume that she meant more? It was possible that he could misjudge her. What she said was quite true; they had spent many hours together. If she wished it, why not be friends?

The dark, brilliant eyes seemed to read his thoughts; they were watching now with half-laughing scorn in their liquid depths. There came to him as he stood there the memory of the words Dolores had sung:

"Good-bye, lost friend! The time will come when thou wilt stand Where I am standing now, Thinking of our friendship and its end, With a longing yearning for thy brow, 'Too late, too late!' I say with tearful eye, Good-bye, good-bye!"

Would it be with Lola as it had been with Dolores? Must he refuse this friendship proffered to him in all sincerity, and afterwards regret it?

"You are thinking, Sir Karl," she said, "whether you will accept my proffered friendship. You are undecided between inclination to accept and the prudence of refusal. Let inclination, not prudence, win the day. Prudence is an adorable virtue, but between us it is just now out of place. Let inclination win."

It was against his better judgment that he yielded to her wishes; yet how could he refuse a friendship so strongly pressed so kindly offered? It would be unmanly and childish. But he had no intention of ever making her his wife or letting any sentimental friendship grow up between them. The one love of his life was already given; and, even had it not been, Lola had no great attraction for him. She was not the type of woman he admired. Still it was hardly in human nature to see a beautiful woman pleading with sighs, tears, and entreaties for friendship, and refuse it, for no reason but the fear that she should love too much. He said to himself that he might accept it; but there must be a clear understanding upon what footing they were to meet.

(To be Continued.)

## AROUND THE LAMP.

## Always Tell Mother.

Always tell mother. She's willing to hear. Willing to listen to tales of despair. Tell her when trials and troubles assail.

Seek her for comfort when sorrows prevail. Take mother's hand when temptations entice. Ask her for counsel; seek mother's advice.

Always tell mother. In mother confide; Foster no secrets from mother to hide; Train your thoughts nobly, nor let your lips speak words that would kindle a blush on her cheek;

Mother stands ready her aid to impart. Open to mother the door of your heart.

Always tell mother. Your joys let her share. Lift from her shoulders their burdens of care; Brighten her pathway, be gentle and kind;

Strengthen the ties of affection that bind. Tell her you love her; look up in her face; Tell her no other can take mother's place.

Always tell mother. When dangers beside. Mother, if need be, will be by your side.

Though you be sunk in sin and disgrace. Mother will never from you turn her face.

Others may shun you, but mother, your friend. Stands, ever ready to shield and defend.

Mother's devotion is always the same. Softly, with reverence, breathe mother's name.

—Lawrence Porcher Hext, in Leslie's Weekly.

## QUEER KINDS OF BREAD.

The Mexicans make bread of the eggs of three kinds of insects. For this purpose the natives cultivate in the lagoon of Chalco a sort of carex, on which the insects readily deposit their eggs. The eggs, after being separated from the husks and floating carex, are then cleaned and sifted, put into sacks like flour, and sold to the people for making a kind of cake or bread, called "hauile," which forms a tolerably good food, but has a fishy taste and is slightly acid. Bread has been made from wood and sawdust. In Kamchatka pine or birch bark, well macerated, pounded, and baked, frequently constitutes the native bread. The ice-lander scrapes the Iceland moss off the rocks and grinds it into flour, which serves both for bread and puddings. In Africa powdered dry locusts are mixed with flour or bread, and during the Indian famine small stones are said to have been ground and mixed with meal for bread. On the western shores of England a certain kind of seaweed (*Phosphora laminaria*) is gathered, boiled, and then baked with oatmeal flour for bread.

## BURN THE BRIDE'S TOYS.

The burning of the bride's playthings is part of the wedding ceremony in Japan. The bride lights a torch, which she hands to the bridegroom, who with it lights a fire in which the toys are destroyed.

## THE COMPANIONABLE WIFE.

A Frenchman said recently: "Let every woman have two hours a day of serious mental occupation, during which the faculties of her mind will be systematically, her tired head will be rested, and her good sense and judgment will regain their empire and peace will dwell in her agitated heart."

Every housekeeper knows the truth of this words. The care of the home may be a delightful occupation, but it ought not to exclude every other interest. There can be no happiness for a woman with brain and imagination in a life that limits her to mere domestic drudgery. Every housekeeper should study herself and learn her "one talent."

for she surely has one—and turn to its development as a relief. By so doing she brings added happiness to her family as well as to herself. The least companionable wife is the one wholly occupied by household cares, as all men know in their souls.

## A CURIOUS STREET.

Canton, China, possesses the queerest street in the world. It is roofed in with glazed paper fastened on bamboo, and contains more signboards to the square foot than any street in any other country. It contains no other shops but those of apothecaries and dentists. Physio street is its appropriate name.

## TAKING CARE OF THE SICK.

When hot applications are ordered, let them be hot, not warm. Put your piety into your nursing as well as into your prayers.

Smooth off with a fine file the rough end of the glass drinking tube, and let no drinks be brought in large tumblers or glasses; little ones are far more acceptable.

Use finest old linen, if linen at all, for the cloth of the mouth and lips; nothing is so grateful to the strongest of "equal parts of the strongest tincture of ginger, sal volatile, and chloric ether." Temperance people have had the recipe printed on cards and distributed with the injunction: "Pass it on!"

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## A WONDERFUL MECHANICAL TOY.

Of all the toys at Windsor Castle—and they are many—it is said that the Queen is most fond of a beautiful working model of the heavens. This ingenious piece of mechanism shows the whole of our system, with the celestial poles and the sun. There is a tiny model of the moon, which revolves about the earth, and all the planets with their satellites are properly represented. For the study of astronomy, and for a right understanding of the celestial globe, there could be nothing finer than this model. It shows our earth turning upon its own axis, and moving round the sun. It gives a perfect idea of the relative positions of the ordinary planets, and it works by the cleverest arrangement which is the perfection of ingenuity.

## HIS GIGANTIC INTELECT.

She—What are you thinking about, Harry?

He—Nothing.

She—And you afraid of overtaxing your brain, dear?

## WHEN EDISON WAS A BOY.

Edison was, as a boy, a great reader. He set to work methodically to read through the Detroit Free Library from one end of it to the other; and had devoured "great solid feet of literature" before he was interrupted. Before he was twelve he had polished off "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," "The Anatomy of Melancholy," "Newton's Principia," and other learned works of which most twelve-year-old boys have scarcely ever heard.

## A STRANGE TREE.

In the village of Millback, near Kewick, England, is a most curious freak of nature. Two trunks rise on each side of a spring of clear water, and join together three feet above, forming one tree.

## RINGS TO SUIT PERSONS.

As to rings, they are now chosen to suit the individual, and are no more delicate trinkets. A lady who has long fingers can wear the long narrow marquise ring with an oval "bezel," but the owner of a small, short hand chooses an all round ring, the jewels of which are set a four. The ring of the most delicate is going out, and a greenish turquoise is no longer abjured, while an opal set with small brilliants is among the most popular of rings.

## COUNT TOLSTOI AT HOME.

Count Tolstoi, the famous Russian novelist, neither drinks, smokes, nor eats meat. It is his boast he has not



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## A GOOD SUBSTITUTE.

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## Light and Shade.

"Man was not made to mourn!" Ah, yes, how true! How true! And yet we cannot help but see that some men somehow, seem to be Glad only when they do.

Watts—There are two broken-hearted chappies in two office buildings down my way.

Potts—And why?

Watts—They have been flirting with each other across the street for a week from their windows. Even thought the other was a girl.

"Jimmy!" exclaimed the first boy, "teacher jumped on you pretty quick. Yanked you up and walloped you like lightning, didn't he?"

"No," replied the other boy, ruefully, "not like lightning. He hit too often in the same place."

Freddy had been repeatedly told he must not ask people for money. One day he met an old gentleman who could never resist an appeal from the small boy. "Mr. X," said Freddy, "do you ever give three-penny bits to little boys who don't ask for 'em?" He got the money.

"Mister!" called the master of the house from beneath the bedclothes. "Well?" asked one of the burglars, gruffly.

"Would you fellows mind carrying off that ornamental watchdog of mine in the front yard?"

Teddy—I wish I hadn't liked Jimmy Brown this morning.

Mamma—You see how wrong it was that you, dear?

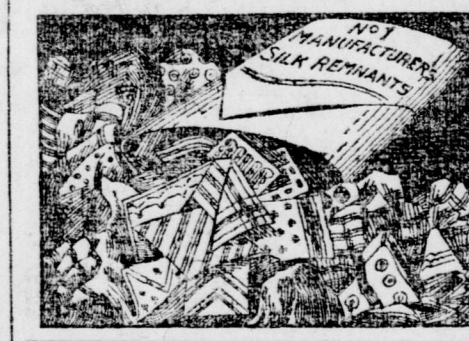
Teddy—Yes, 'cause I didn't know till noon that he was going to give a party.

"Did you ever think what you would do if you had Rothschild's income?" said Seedy to Harpidge.

"No, but I have often wondered what Rothschild would do if he had mine."

"And for what else was Julius Caesar noted?" asked the teacher.

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