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IRISH AFFAIRS.

mberlain Says Home Rule is Dead.

ze at a Belfast Meeting—Justin McCarthy's Advice.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Mr. Parnell will speak at Ennis on Sunday.

Each section of the Irish Parliamentary party will move a separate amendment to the Irish Land Bill.

In a Unionist meeting at Birmingham t night Mr. Joseph Chamberlain said ome rule was as dead as Queen Anne; very ladstone must either abandon altoowe accept all of Parnell's demands. ies a secretary Matthews dwelt on the eces of maintaining the Unionist Alance, s the Irish party would patch eir q rel some way.

ing of Mr. Sexton's supporters did in Belfast yesterday. The proings were characterized by extreme dis er. Mr. Sexton was not present. Many alyite members of Parliament were in ndance. Parnellite opponents of the ton crowd were forcibly driven from platform, some of them falling down zen steps. The speakers were continv interrupted with hisses and shouts of nt. A vote of confidence in Mr. Sexwas adopted by a large majority. Reers are excluded from the meeting. A outside the hall was frequently charged the police.

ustin McCarthy, in a speech at Manster, said he did not desire to underrate magnitude of the trouble that had been Ireland, but it need not concern the nglish people. It would pass away, and though there might still be recriminations amongst the Irish members, he did not believe in the lasting nature of any quarrel that had not roots in some real and genuine principle. Mr. McCarthy said they must be patient and hopeful, work as if nothing had happened and support the National League to the utmost of their power. He still had hopes of a speedy reunion. If they failed to reach an agreement the Irish people had better seek another Parliamentary party, but home rule was safe with Gladstone and the English democracy.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

A Rainy River Tragedy—T. B. Carrothers, of St. Marys, the Victim.

RAT PORTAGE, Jan. 28.—Considerable interest is being manifested in the Rainy River district over the death of Thomas Blake Carrothers, who came from St. Marys in June last and settled with his wife and two children in the township of Morley, in the vicinity of the Long Sault Rapids. It is said that his domestic relations were unhappy, and that he had reason to suspect his wife's fidelity. He became morose, and to his neighbors occasionally announced his intention of shooting himself. His wife tells that on the 3rd day of January, while she was down to the river for a pail of water, Carrothers shot himself, at least on returning she discovered her husband's body lying on the floor in their house, he having apparently shot himself in the head. On Jan. 8 the inquest was held, but from the evidence that was advanced the jury disagreed. From the evidence that was brought out, however, it would appear that deceased was shot in the back part of the head, about two inches anterior from the ear. Another wound indicated that a second bullet had entered the face and was found lodged in the neck. Carrothers appears to have been sitting at a table preparing to write a letter, and with his back to a cupboard, on which was found a revolver partially loaded.

His wife produced a note, which she affirmed to have found in his pocket signed by Carrothers, saying he had got to hate his wife and family, and was going to riddle his head with balls from the back and front. A warrant has since been sworn out by Constable Emmons against Mrs. Carrothers for murder.

THE WORLD OF WORK.

End of the Milwaukee and St. Paul Station Agents' Strike.

The Milwaukee and St. Paul station nts' strike has been declared off.

Tuesday afternoon the time of the convention of the International Union of Bricklayers and Stonemasons at Toronto was occupied by election of officers. The president, Mr. John Heartz, of Denver, Col., was re-elected, and Mr. Jerry Harrington, Boston, Mass., was elected first vice-president.

The Toronto Trades and Labor Council vote against the running of street cars on Sunday, "as such an innovation would practically introduce the system of seven days' work for six days' pay."

Charles Bradlaugh's Condition.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Charles Bradlaugh remained unconscious throughout the night. His condition is critical.

Gladstone Still in the Field.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The Press Association announces that the report that Mr. Gladstone intended to retire is unfounded.

William, the Peacemaker.

PARIS, Jan. 28.—Count Von Munster, the German ambassador, presided last night at a banquet given at the German Embassy in honor of the birthday of Emperor William. Count Von Munster, in toasting the Emperor, said: "Germany has at her head a young, valiant monarch desirous, for his people's good, to preserve the peace of the world. When he ascended the throne it was feared he had a war-like inclination. It is now proved that he strives to fulfill an eminently civilizing mission. No one knows better than the Emperor how indispensable peace is for this mission."

Mr. Goschen at Leeds.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Chancellor of the Exchequer Goschen, in an address before the Chamber of Commerce at Leeds said the change in foreign tariffs ought not to disconcert enterprise. There should be no scolding or complaining at foreign countries. In view of the danger of foreign competition in tariffs employers and workingmen ought to avoid quarrels. Allied they could maintain British supremacy throughout the world. The speaker expected the next budget would disclose continued prosperity in the affairs of the nation. There would not, however, he said, be much reason for congratulation if he had again to chronicle an increase in the consumption of alcohols.

The Parisian Poor.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The Parisians, now that the severe weather is over for a time at least, are pluming themselves on the care they have taken of their poor, as compared with the much greater misery in Berlin and London. No cases of starvation have been reported in Paris, and the liberality and energy of the Government, directed by President Carnot in person, have been and are effective in relieving the multitude of destitute who had flocked to the city.

In London the thousands of workingmen who have applied to the authorities for aid have received but one answer: "Come into the workhouse with your families; we will not assist you outside." From this iron rule there has been no departure and consequently the poor of London remain dependent on private charity.

POLITICAL POINTS.

An English View of Sir Charles Tupper's Trip—Nomination in Welland.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Sir Charles Tupper's sudden journey is still the subject of discussion in Canadian circles here. The semi-official statement to the effect that he could not take an active part in a general election does not remove the general impression that the object of his visit will prove to be to consult the Cabinet on the trade question before an appeal to the country. He will possibly use his influence to convert the hostile Ministers who are still anxious to keep in the old ruts. Moreover, though the High Commissioner may not himself share actively in the contest in Nova Scotia, where it is believed the Liberal party has gained ground, he doubtless hopes to be able to give a quietly useful support to the Ministry through other channels. These views are held by men here having the best knowledge of Canadian politics.

NOTES.

Major Edwards, of the Royal Military College, will likely contest Kingston against Sir John Macdonald at the Dominion elections. The major is an ardent supporter of the single tax syetem.

Mr. N. A. Belcourt, barrister, Ottawa, has been asked by the leading Liberals of Prescott to accept a nomination for the House of Commons in that county. If Mr. Belcourt accepts he will prove a strong and popular candidate.

The Yarmouth Young Liberal Club met at Yarmouth Center and elected officers: D. McIntyre, president; W. D. Pollock, first vice; Colin Smith, second vice; E. Scott, secretary; H. Hughes, treasurer; executive committee, Messrs. Doherty, Tibbetts, Wyckman and Cloes. A public meeting will shortly be held, at which Dr. Nelson, M.P., will deliver an address.

The ninth annual banquet of the Club National was held Tuesday night at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, and the event was made the more important by the attendance of Hon. Mr. Laurier, Hon. Premier Mercier and Attorney-General Longley of Nova Scotia. Six hundred guests sat down under the presidency of Mr. E. Beauset. The secretary read letters of regret from Hon. Edward Blake, Hon. Oliver Mowat, Sir Richard Cartwright, Premier Fielding, of Nova Scotia, Mr. J. D. Edgar, M.P., and Hon. L. H. Davies, of Prince Edward Island. Among the principal speakers were Hon. Mr. Laurier, Hon. Mr. Longley and Hon. Premier Mercier.

It is now reported that Sir Leonard Tilley is to re-enter public life.

There are rumors of important changes in the Dominion Cabinet. It is hinted in political circles that Mr. Haggart will take Railways and Canals, Sir John Macdonald resuming the Presidency of the Council, while Mr. Chaplean will become Postmaster-General, Speaker Ouimet stepping into the Secretaryship of State.

At the annual meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade Tuesday, Mr. D. A. P. Watt, of the Allan Line, blamed the Government for its efforts to extend trade with the West Indies, Spain and other foreign countries to the neglect of places nearer home. He also censured the Government for reducing the interest on deposits in the Government savings banks.

The chief census officers for the various Provinces have been named.

Hon. David Mill will address a public meeting in the Music Hall, Collingwood, on Friday evening next.

The Welland Reform convention yesterday nominated Mr. Wm. M. German, of Welland, for the Commons.

Mr. Frank C. Howell, county solicitor, is likely to be a candidate for the House of Commons in Carleton, which was represented by his late father.

The Conservatives of Annapolis, N. S., have nominated J. B. Mills, M.P., to contest the county for the House of Commons. It is understood he will be opposed by J. W. Longley, the present Attorney-General of Nova Scotia.

A Bad Blow-Up.

ROCK FALLS, Ill., Jan. 28.—A large straw bleacher last night blew up, killing John Myers, and severely injuring George Zimmer, John Fidas and Henry Page. Three other workmen, supposed to be in the mill, Oliver Miller, Henry Pattis and Wm. Bell, are missing. The loss is $10,000.

Opening of the Jamaica World's Fair.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—A cable dispatch from Kingston, Jamaica, says that the Jamaica World's Fair was formally opened yesterday with imposing ceremonies. It had been originally intended that Prince George of Wales, the eldest son of the Prince of Wales and the future King of England, should preside on the occasion of the opening ceremonies, but his ill-health and the opposition manifested by the Prince and Princess of Wales to his taking a sea voyage in his present condition, necessiated a change in the programme, and the Governor-General officiated in his stead.

Death of F. G. Thomas.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Jan. 29.—Mr. E. G. Thomas, the well-known Woodstock organ manufacturer, died very suddenly at 2:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon of apoplexy and failure of heart action. He had been unwell for a short time past, but was getting better, and was feeling so well that he had arranged to go for a drive with his physician. He went upstairs to dress, and becoming tired lay down on the bed to rest for a minute. He complained to his wife of feeling poorly, and passed away almost instantly. He was born in Toronto in 1853 and learned the trade of organ building in Hamilton. In 1875 he established the Thomas organ factory in Woodstock, and founded a business which has made his name familiar in most of the Provinces of the Dominion. He was formerly a member of the town council and also of the county council,

W. T. Strong, druggist, has secured the agency for Hasley Bros.' Homœpathic Remedies. These celebrated remedies have the largest sale on the continent, and can be had at W. T. STRONG'S, 184 Dundas street. 16-tf

MANGLED MINERS.

Dreadful Details of the Mine Disaster at Mammoth.

The Dead Bodies of 110 Men Recovered --78 Identified.

APPALLING SIGHTS.

YOUNGWOOD, Pa., Jan. 28.—When the volunteers entered the exploded mine yesterday a sight impossible to picture met them. Bank cars, mules, and, more terrible than all, men were piled in a compact mass against the ribs or walls of coal, and not a living thing was in the wreckage. It was almost as solid as the coal itself, so terrific was the force of the explosion. This obstruction was removed with difficulty and they then entered a

CHAMBER OF HORRORS.

The first object they discovered after leaving the main entry was a gun box. In it was the leg of a man; further on they found a human head, and after walking a distance surrounded by dangers unseen, but more terrible than can be imagined, they found the trunk. Working their way in, the band found the bodies strewn along the gangway. One unfortunate met death while on his knees in prayer with his hands clasped and eyes upturned. His body was found in this posision. The services of physicians were not needed, for every man in the headings where the explosion occurred was killed. Dead bodies were brought up every few minutes, and the crowd at the shaft mouth simply fell back to allow the men carrying the stretchers room to pass. Every corpse was covered, and no one even ventured to inquire which body it was, for they knew everyone in that part of the mine was dead.

SPECULATING ON THE CAUSE.

Supt. Keighley said: "No man living knows the cause of the accident, and it will never be known for a certainty."

John W. Bell, fire boss at Heela No. 1, said: "No safety lamps were used here. I do not know whether or not the fire boss did his duty, but there was too much work here for one fire boss anyhow. They discharged one a couple of weeks ago to reduce expenses, and one man has been forced to do the work. The last examination of the Mammoth mine by the State inspector was made Jan. 16, 1891. It shows that at the inlet which is the slope a mile or more away from the shaft there was 65,030 cubic feet of air entering. The general condition of the mine was marked fair."

Superintendent Lynch said the Mammoth Mine was long thought to be the safest mine of the 29 operated by the Fick Company. Mr. Lynch thought it possible that in drawing the ribs or pillars some miner had tapped gas. All lights were open and the gas was ignited.

SIXTY BODIES TAKEN OUT.

Up to midnight there were 60 bodies recovered. Every five minutes a corpse would be brought to the surface, and it would pass through the line of watchers without comment, save the expression "another one."

ALL HOPE GONE.

A noticeable feature of the crowd at the shaft was the absence of women. They had returned to their little whitewashed homes for they knew all hope was gone.

THE DEATH ROLL INCREASES.

YOUNGWOOD, Pa., Dec. 28.—One hundred and seven bodies had been taken from the ill-fated mine at Mammoth up to 10 this morning. It is estimated that the remains of at least seventeen more victims are still in the pit.

ONE HUNDRED AND TEN BODIES RECOVERED.

YOUNGWOOD, Pa., Jan. 28.—At 2 o'clock 110 bodies had been recovered, and of these 78 have been identified.

Mine Disaster in Missouri.

TWO MEN KILLED AND FIVE BURIED IN DEBRIS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 28.—By the caving in of the roof of a mine chamber at Amoret, Mo., yesterday, two men were killed and five buried under the debris. It is hardly probable that those buried can be rescued alive.

THE ANCASTER MURDER.

No Trace of the Assassain—A Reward of $500 for His Arrest.

[Special to ADVERTISER]

HAMILTON, Jan. 28.—There are no new developments in the Ancaster murder case to-day. No trace of the murderer has been found, although the police have been busy at work on the case investigating all sorts of clues and wild rumors.

The County Council to-day offered a reward of $300 and the township of Ancaster $200 for the capture of the criminals. The police do not believe the men belonged to Hamilton.

ANCASTER, Jan. 28.—There is as yet no clue to the murderers of John Heslop. The villains wore either masks or fluffy scarfs folded over their faces so that they could see between. Both men had dark overcoats. Mr. Heslop was about 79 years of age, a native of Cumberland, Eng. He went to live in Ancaster township in 1842. He was warden of the county when it was united with Halton county from 1853 to 1855, and was Wentworth's warden until 1858, after the two counties separated. Mr. Heslop became treasurer of Ancaster township in 1872, on the death of W. A. Cooley, and held the position with satisfaction to the township.

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 28.—An inquest was opened last evening in the matter of the murder of John Hyslop. The jury visited the scene of the murder, and Drs. Anderson and Richardson gave evidence as to the result of the post mortem examination. On the suggestion of the Crown attorney it was decided to adjourn until Tuesday evening next, when other witnesses will be examined. Mrs. Hyslop and her daughter have been totally prostrated since the sad occurrence, and were unable to appear at the inquest.

"Ex-Hostiles" in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 28.—Gen. Miles arrived here from Pine Ridge Agency last night, accompanied by 48 ex-hostile Indians. Thirty ordinary bucks were quietly run out to Fort Sheridan, where they will enjoy an indefinite stay under the influence of civilization. The chiefs were transferred to the Pennsylvania depot under guard and soon departed by train for Washington.

Indians Devoured by Wolves.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 28.—The following letter was received by the Free Press yesterday from Mr. Sottee, Indian missionary at Dynevor: "James Sinclair, Indian councilor of Jackhead, Lake Winnipeg, brings in a report that a camp of Indians hunting on the east side of Lake Winnipeg, not very far from Bloodvein River, near Doghead, was visited by a band of wolves, about 100 in number, which attacked the camp and killed many Indians and devoured them. One Indian cudgelled and killed twenty wolves. Another Indian climbed up a tree with his gun and shot down twenty wolves. One got up on a stage, which was not very high, and the wolves got him down and devoured him. There is a great panic among the Indians in that quarter. The Indians say that there are no deer, consequently the wolves are mad with hunger. What is to be done? Some step should be taken to save the poor Indians."

MARINE MISHAPS.

Fatal Collision Off the Coast of Delaware.

A Schooner That Never Returned—Loss of the Burpee.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 29.—The new three-masted schooner Albertina, of Windsor, N. S., sailed from Little Glace Bay about Christmas for New York with 10,000 tons of coal, and has not yet reached her destination.

GONE DOWN.

HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—The schooner Isabel Burpee (Capt. Haley), from New York, Jan. 15, for St. John, N. B., is a total loss, with her cargo of coal, on the rocks one mile above Petit Passage, in the Bay of Fundy. She was driven ashore in Sunday night's gale. The crew were saved with their effects.

SUNK BY A COLLISION.

LEWES, Del., Jan. 29.—The British steamer Macedonia, from Philadelphia for Hampton Roads, collided with a three-masted schooner Tuesday night ten miles off the Delaware Capes. The schooner sank immediately. The captain's son was drowned, and the captain was badly injured. The Macedonia rescued the rest of the crew. The schooner sunk is the Minnie and Gussie, from New York for Norfolk with guano. The Macedonia has a hole stove in her bow.

OVERDUE.

HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—A special from Digby says little hope is entertained for the safety of the brigantine Edmund (Capt. Crowell) from St. John, N. B., Nov. 27, for Barbadoes, lumber laden. She has not been heard from since sailing, and is believed to have met with some disaster. She was owned by St. John and Digby parties and by the commander. The crew are all foreigners.

A SMART SMUGGLER

Takes Advantage of a Young Lady's Fainting Fit.

BUFFALO, Jan. 29.—Mary Whitson, a pretty Canadian girl 19 years of age, arrived here Tuesday from Toronto. She had an experience en route which is likely to be long remembered, as it led to her arrest on her arrival in this city. While crossing Suspension Bridge she was taken with a fainting fit. One of the male passengers rushed up to her and placed an elegant sealskin sack around her shoulders. The customs authorities, when they went through the train, noticed the sealskin, but thinking it was the personal property of Miss Whitson, paid no attention to it. At Niagara Falls the real owner of the article told the girl that he was going to Buffalo on another road, and took the cape. By this clever smuggling act he saved $50, which rightly belonged to the Government. When Miss Whitson explained her side of the case Commissioner Hirschbeck promptly acquitted her. It is supposed that the owner of the cape is now in the West.

British Parliament.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The Daily News declares Mr. Smith's acceptance of the Bradlaugh motion in the House of Commons last night was due to his discovery that rejection of the motion from him would result in the defeat of the Government.

Fall of a Meteor in Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 29.—Word has just reached here stating that the inhabitants of Maribille, a small town near Lathrope, Mo., on last Wednesday night were terribly frightened by a noise resembling the continued roll of artillery, followed by a horrible, grinding crash which seemed to tear the very earth assunder. There was also a slight shock as of an earthquake. The noise was heard for miles in every direction. William Apperson found that a large boulder which was on his farm had disappeared from its place and was crushed into small bits, which were scattered over his farm for several rods in each direction, in the spot where the body of stone had rested there lay what appeared to be a mass of iron ore about six feet in diameter. The body was oblong in shape and had evidently struck the mass of rock broadside on, for it was divided evenly in two pieces. The mass of ore is undoubtedly of meteoric origin and has magnetic qualities.

The Irish Leadership.

MANCHESTER, Jan. 28.—The Parnellite Leadership Committee presented to Mr. McCarthy an address, in which, while expressing admiration for him personally, they strongly protested against his assuming the leadership, and thus dividing the Irish party. Mr. McCarthy reminded the committee that the majority of the party urged him to accept the leadership. Nobody more than himself deplored the dissension in the party. He believed his hearers were actuated by patriotism alone, and he had no doubt the difficulties would vanish, and the party would again become united. He was confident the controversy would eventuate in their securing all they had striven for in the past generation.

The Dublin Express says the conferences at Boulogne-sur-Mer are simply an attempt to discover a pathway for a decent retreat of the followers of Justin McCarthy from a position too hastily assumed.

The Irish Times states that the few Irish members of Parliament who are present in the House of Commons are followers of Mr. McCarthy and they are sitting behind Sir William Vernon Hartcourt and Arnold Morley and Henry Labouchere, while the Parnellites are stumping Ireland and treating the Boulogne conference as a farce.

If you want a cool, refreshing smoke use the old reliable GOLD FLAKE or HAND-MADE cut plug smoking tobacco, manufactured by the Globe Tobacco Works Company of London (limited), of pure Virginia leaf. It is put up in packages of 1-10, 1-5 and 1 pound tins and glass jars, and for sale by all leading grocers and tobacconists. ywt

Boarding from $2 to $3 per week for men and horses. Well-patronized hotels have imitated the Temperance House, 93 King steet.

CURTLY CHRONICLED.

News of the Day Without Note or Comment.

Canadian Census Commissioners—Death of a Koch Patient.

CANADIAN.

Capt. Crangle was yesterday elected president of the Canadian Marine Association.

A young man whose identity is unknown committed suicide yesterday at Sharbot Lake.

Louis A. Prevost, drygoods merchant, Montreal, assigned yesterday, with liabilities of $29,000.

Isaac W. Myers, aged 63, has died at Los Angeles, Cal. He lived in Hamilton for 25 years, and was for six years alderman in the Seventh ward of that city.

A. Cummings, wife and three children, of Buckingham, were poisioned Monday by eating sausages purchased in Montreal. Prompt medical aid alone saved them.

Hon. Wilfred Laurier, Liberal leader, with Attorney-General Longley, of Nova Scotia, left yesterday for New York, where they will speak on reciprocity with the United States.

A Manitoba deputation will wait on the Minister of Agriculture to-day to ask that the Government devote funds to the purpose of assisting Canadians in Dakota to settle in Manitoba.

Judge Horne, of Windsor, granted bail to Stoddard, one of the men charged with counterfeiting. He is to furnish $4,000 himself and two sureties in the sum of $2,000 each.

A deputation interested in the formation of a corps of Royal Naval Volunteers was introduced to Sir John Macdonald, who promised to consider the matter fully on his return to Ottawa. The general discussion was favorable to the idea.

The body of Robert Wilson, a South Dumfries farmer, was found the other day in the cistern in his own house, and it was supposed that he had committed suicide. Circumstances attending the case, however, have caused suspicion, and the coroner's jury ordered that the viscera be sent to Toronto for analysis.

Three charges against Dr. R. Church, of Aylmer, for practizing medicine in Ontario without being legally registered, came up at Ottawa yesterday. One case, in which evidence was taken was dismissed. No appearance being entered in the other two cases a warrant for Dr. Church's apprehension was issued.

In the matter of a dispute between the Young Women's Christian Association and Young Women's Guild, of Toronto, as to which body is entitled to the $10,000 left by the late William Gooderham, to the Young Women's Christian Association building, Justice Robertson has directed that the issue be tried at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

The census officers for Ontario are Andrew Broder, A. F. Campbell, Philip McRae and Rufus Stephenson; Manitoba, H. S. Donaldson; Northwest Territories, B. F. Richardson; British Columbia, G. A. Surgiston; Prince Edward Island, R. Hunt; Nova Scotia, Jonathan Parsons; New Brunswick, Ed. Barr; Quebec, P. E. Leblance, W. E. Jones; J. M. Desblet and J. H. Charlebois.

UNITED STATES.

A big find of silver is reported near Fairport, Ia.

In joint session of the Kansas Legislature yesterday, Wm. A. Pfeffer was elected United States Senator to succeed John J. Ingalls.

The State National Bank of Atchison, Kansas, closed its doors yesterday, and will go into voluntary liquidation. The capital stock is $250,000.

Both House of the Indiana Legislature and the Assembly in New Jersey have passed resolutions against making appropriations for the World's Fair at Chicago unless the Force Bill is dropped.

FOREIGN.

The French squadron cruising in the waters of New Zealand has been ordered to Chili.

At 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Bradlaugh showed signs of returning consciousness.

The colonists of Australia have asked the Home Government to accord them the privilege possessed by Canada of negotiating commercial treaties.

A young English lady suffering from consumption, who was treated by the Koch method in Berlin for two weeks, has since died at Cannes of blood poisoning.

Gen. Booth proposes, about July, to visit Cape Colony and India to inspect peronally the condition of the Salvation Army in those regions. He will be absent about nine months.

A dispatch from India announces that Grand Duke George, commander of the Russian ironclad escorting the Czarewitch on his tour, fell from the main-top yesterday and injured his spine.

It is reported at Berlin that the German Government is about to rescind the law prohibiting the importation of American bacon and hams, at the same time directing that such imports be subjected to special inspection at the ports of entry.

In canned-essence—Preserved fruits.

Frederick Ives, the former young Napoleon of finance, is living quietly at New York, devoting his attention to acquiring another fortune. He is the same well-dressed, suave and self-confident character he was before his fall.

Gave Strength and Flavor.

"Now, what is the matter with the coffee this morning," asked Mr. Younghusband.

"Yesterday," replied the bride, "you complained of its weakness, and so I put a couple of onions in the pot."

BEECHAM'S PILLS cure Bilious and Nervous Ills.

A jeweler says snake rings are still popular.

The girl with fancy bracelets wears short sleeves.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

At this season of the year Centenelene should be used for chapped hands, face and lips. This is a lotion of superior excellence, put up in 25-cent bottles and sold on a guarantee at STRONG'S Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. 24tf

NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL (ABSOLUTELY PURE) EMULSION COD LIVER OIL

Containing 50 per cent. of pure Norway Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, pleasantly flavored.

These preparations are reasonable in price and are the best articles sold.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS. 256 Dundas street, London, Ont.

TORONTO LETTER.

The Business Outlook—A $5,000 Fire—Sir John's Departure.

TORONTO, Thursday, Jan. 29.—The Globe's review says: "There has been a moderate volume of trade during the week, with some improvement noted in hardware and groceries. The outlook is hopeful, though merchants are buying cautiously. Prices are well maintained in the leading lines. Spring drygoods are meeting with a fair demand, and the new stocks to choose from are pretty full. Millinery houses are preparing for a good trade. Hardware is fairly active, with prices firm. There is some improvement in groceries, with a heavy demand for teas, which are firmer. Boots and shoes are being ordered pretty freely, and the shipments will depend somewhat upon how notes are met on the 4th prox. The trade in wheat has been fairly active during the week, there being a good export demand for Ontario spring as well as Manitoba grades. Flour, however, is dull. Provisions quiet and featureless. Hogs are easier with the milder weather, and packers are pretty well supplied.

Sir John Macdonald yesterday afternoon attended the annual meeting of the Manufacturers' Insurance Company. He received a good many visitors during the day, and at 9:15 p.m., looking somewhat fagged out, left for Ottawa. Sir John promises to deliver an address of welcome at the opening of the International Teachers' Convention in Toronto next July.

Fire at James Harris & Co.'s fur shop on Yonge street did $5,000 damage last night.

Newton Kent, a law student, has lodged with the city solicitor a formal claim for $5, damage sustained to his hat at the hands of the corporation of Toronto. It appears that Assessment Commissioner Maughan, in the discharge of his duty, visited Osgoode Hall and—being blinded by the snow—did not see Mr. Kent's hat and sat down on it. He was sorry, but that did not mend the hat, and the city will be asked to pay for it.

The city's case before the street railway arbitrators will probably close to-day. There will, however, be some rebuttal evidence brought in by the company. The most important evidence yesterday was that of Mr. Chas. D. Warren, president of the Metropolitan Electric Railway, which runs from North Toronto to Eglinton. He stated that since changing from the horse car to the electric system last September they had experienced many advantages. The expenses in connection with the new system were perhaps as great as the old, but the traffic in so short a time had increased 100 per cent. The running cost of the road would, he believed, gradually decrease.

Ald. McMath is dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

There are injections of Koch's lymph at the General Hospital almost ever day now. Half a dozen patients are under treatment. The lupus case shows continual improvement, but the consumptives are not markedly improved. There have been 267 new patients admitted into the hospital during this month.

Timothy Connors, a disreputable character, was released from jail Tuesday and went to the house of Wm. Fitzgerald, Adelaide street west, where his wife had been living while he was serving the term, and assaulted Fitzgerald. After meeting his wife he assaulted her. At the Police Court yesterday he was committed to the Central Prison for four months.

The more quietly and peaceably we get on the better for ourselves and our neighbors. In nine cases out of ten the better course is, if a man cheat you to quit dealing with him; if he is abusive, to quit his company; and if he slander you, to take care to live so that nobody will believe it. Whoever he is, or however he misuses you, the wisest way is to let him alone, for there is nothing better than this quiet way of dealing with the wrongs we meet.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The latest invention in haberdashery is the buttonless shirt. It is the idea of a Canadian. It is not designed to take the place of the full-dress shirt, but is likely to be a strong every-day favorite with the short-around fat man who feels life's emptiness when he tries to reach the button at the back of his neck. It is said that it fits well and is the easiest garment to get in and out of that was ever invented.

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QUEEN'S AVENUE RINK ICE PALACE —open every afternoon and evening. Admission 10 and 15 cents. 35tf

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CENTRAL AVENUE RINK—GOOD ICE skating every afternoon and evening; between Adelaide and William; open air rink.

GRAND CARNIVAL AT CENTRAL avenue rink. 47k

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

EVANGELIST MACDONALD IN THE King Street Presbyterian Church Thursday and Friday evenings, Sabbath (last day) morning and evening. Everybody invited. 50c

MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS and patrons of the Thames Cheese Company will be held at Nilestown, on Feb. 4, at 1 o'clock. Financial statement and other business of the company. Tenders will be received for the different milk routes. JOHN CREIGHTON, secretary. bw 50c

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special general meeting of the members and subscribers of the City Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of London, will be held on Friday, Feb. 13, 1891, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution to liquidate and wind up the business of the company pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, and for authorizing and empowering such other acts to be done as may be necessary. By order, J. B. VINING, secretary and liquidator. London, Ont., Jan. 27, 1891. 49c

MASS MEETING FOR MEN ONLY—Sabbath afternoon at 4:15 in the East End Hall, Mayor Taylor in the chair. Subject, "Wild Oats." 50c

THE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION OF THE city will meet at the Young Liberal Club rooms, on Monday Feb. 2, at 8 p.m. Election of officers and appointment of delegates to convention in Toronto. All Liberals welcome. By order of President. 46k tywt

MALE HELP WANTED.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word

WANTED—LOCAL AND TRAVELING salesmen to sell Lubricating Oils. Apply for terms to the Dieterichs Oil Company, Cleveland, Ohio. 50u

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PANTMAKER for ordered work. BAPTY, Dundas street. 50u

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WANTED—YOUNG NURSE GIRL—APPLY 558 King street, between 5 and 7 p.m. 40k

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WANTED—A COOK AND DINING-ROOM girl at the Bernard House at once. 47n

WANTED — A PLAIN COOK IMMEDIATELY. Apply to Mrs. SIMPSON SMITH, South London. 43tf

GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS—IT IS SURPRISING how easy good girls can secure situations at Osborne's intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. You save time, trouble and expense by going there; 35 girls wanted immediately as general servants, cooks, kitchen girls, housemaids, nurse girls, laundresses, etc.

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PARTIES HAVING MONEY TO INVEST can obtain 5, 5½ and 6 per cent., according to terms of loan, on first mortgage on farm property, by communicating with us. TENNENT & MACBETH, 78 Dundas street London.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

WANTED — A SMALL FURNISHED house or rooms with use of kitchen, with private family. Address W. R., this office. 49u

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

NATURAL FLOWERS EMBALMED — Orders by mail promptly attended to. Mrs. BUTTERY, 559 Colborne street.

FLOWERS! CHOICE FLOWERS!—wedding and funeral designs, plants for sale or rent; cut flowers, baskets, table decorations made up on shortest notice. By S. S. WORTMAN, successor to Mrs. S. WOODLIFFE, 250 Dundas street, one door east of old stand.

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WM. JENKINS — REMOVED TO 377 Clarence street. Lends money on diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Cash paid for cast-off clothing; orders promptly attended to. ywt

SAINSBURY BROS., 96 KING STREET, pay the highest cash price for ladies', gents' and children's cast-off clothing. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

T. FOX, THE ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER, lends money on watches, diamonds, jewelry, etc. Cash paid for cast-off clothing. Orders promptly attended to 379 Clarence street.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

C. S. TAMLIN, VETERINARY SURGEON —Office, 359 Talbot street; residence, 366 Oxford street. Telephone (office) 422; telephone (house) 129.

J. H. WILSON & SON—OFFICE, 99½ KING street, London. Residence, 846 Richmond street. Telephone.

J. H. TENNENT — VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone. J. H. TENNENT.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word

TRAIN YOUR VOICE TO OBEY YOUR will; highest testimonials. For circular address A. C. MOUNTEER, B.E., London.

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LONDON ACADEMY OF MUSIC—WM CAVEN BARRON, formerly professor a Hellmuth Ladies' College, late of Leipsic Germany, director. Greatest attention paid be ginners; references given; terms moderate diplomas.

MRS. W. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO, organ and harmony, 526 King street.

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TO LET — A GOOD BRICK HOUSE — Pleasant location; all modern improvements. Apply PHILLIP COOK, 173 Dundas street.

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PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN ON REAL estate. at lowest rates W. G. MCDONALD, Robinson Hall Chambers, London.

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WELD & O'NEILL, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, conveyancers, notaries public, etc. Office, 90 Dundas street, London. Money to loan. Branch office Lucan, Ont. EDMUND WELD, J. D. O'NEILL.

MEREDITH, CAMERON AND JUDD—barristers, solicitors and notaries. Robinson Hall chambers. E. MEREDITH, Q.C., J. C. JUDD. E. R. CAMERON.

ALBERT O. JEFFERY, LL.B., D.C.L., Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public. Office, Ontario Loan Building (upstairs), Market Lane, London.

ELLIOT & JARVIS BARRISTERS, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. 7 Robinson Hall Chambers, London.

FITZGERALD & GLASS, BARRISTERS, Solicitors, etc., 83 Dundas street, London. Money at 5½ and 6.—W. W. FITZGERALD, Q.C.; CHAS. T. GLASS, B.A.

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A. GOODRICH, LAWYER, 124 DEARBORN street, Chicago, Ill.; 25 years' successful practice; advice free; no publicity; special facilities in many States.

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MILLS & WEEKES—BARRISTERS, ETC., London, Ont., office corner Dundas street and Market Lane, HON. DAVID MILLS, Q.C., G. N. WEEKES. Money to loan on real estate at lowest current rates.

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W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER—Solicitor, notary public, conveyancer. Money to loan on real estate at lowest rates. Office, 29 Dundas street west, London.

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GIBBONS, McNAB & MULKERN—BARRISTERS, etc., London, Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. GEORGE C. GIBBONS, Q.C., GEO. MCNAB, P. MULKERN, FRED. F. HARPER.

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DR. WELD, B.A., L.R.C.P., LONDON, ENG—328 Dundas street. Telephone 210. ywt

DR. CAMPBELL, 380 DUNDAS STREET—Physician, surgeon and gynecologist. Hours 10 to 12 a.m., 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m.

J. MACARTHUR, B.A., M.D., 485 DUNDAS street. Special attention given to the diseases of women and children.

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DR. ROOME (LATE OF NEWBURY)—office and residence 300 Wolfe street; special attention paid to diseases of the lungs. Telephone, 289.

DR. WOODRUFF, EYE, EAR, NOSE AND Throat. Hours, 12 to 4. No. 185 Queen's avenue.

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M. L. BUFFY, ARCHITECT—OFFICE, Hunt's Block, Richmond street, London.

JOHN M. MOORE, P.L.S.,
ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER, Albion Building, - - - London, Ont.

PETERS JONES & McBRIDE—ARCHITECTS, Surveyors and Civil Engineers, 215 Dundas street, London, Ont. S. F. PETERS, C. A. JONES, P.L.S. and C.E., H. C. McBRIDE.

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J. G. CONSTABLE—GRIGG HOUSE Barber Shop — First-class workmen; baths in connection with shop

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

QUIET, COMFORTABE ROOM ON Dufferin avenue, well furnished, with self feeder, will be let to gentleman; only a few minutes' walk from Postoffice; no other lodgers; references exchanged. Addres McD., ADVERTISER office. 28tf

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FOR SALE—GOOD MERCHANT TAILORING business and stock of goods; in a live town, in Western Ontario; two railroads; also business property. For particulars address box 409, Lapeer, Mich. 40bu

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

W. A. FRASER—PROPRIETOR OF THE Hub restaurant, 203 to 205½ Dundas street. European plan, choice liquors and cigars.

THE OLD RELIABLE CLARENCE HOUSE —Next to central fire hall; $1 per day. HARRY RYAN, proprietor, London, Ont.

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THE MIDDLESEX HOTEL — RIDOUT street, opposite the Court House (formerly the American); choice liquors; good accommodation. MATTHEW GLASS, proprietor.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL (FORMERLY Horsman House), corner Dundas and Wellington streets, has been remodled and is now one of the leading houses in the city. JAMES FRAWLEY, proprietor.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES AT J. G. SHUFF'S Drug Store, 634 Dundas street east, or at residence, northeast corner Dundas and William streets. No witnesses required.

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Special engagement of the world-renowned actress.

MISS LYDIA THOMPSON

And her own company of Comedians, in the Three Act Musical Farce-Comedy, by Thomas Addison.

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(ALL SMILES.)

Full of new and catchy music, singing, medleys, etc. Grotesque and unique dancing, gorgeous and expensive costumes. A laugh from start to finish.

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Ready-made clothing	$5,846 71	
Shop furniture	152 00	
		$5,998 71
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Tweeds and cloths	3,458 31	
Tailors' trimmings	1,133 69	
Gent's Furnishings	1,915 99	
Shop furniture	283 00	
		6,790 99
Total		$12,789 70

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of "The London and Petrolea Barrel Company" has been dissolved as of the 1st of January, 1891. The business will be continued by the undersigned Wm. Hockin and John Forristal, under the same firm name. Dated Jan. 13, 1891. Witness (signed) Geo. C. Gibbons. (Signed) W. HOCKIN, JOHN FORRISTAL, E. V. TAYLOR. 45n

RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO JAN. 1, 1891.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

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

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:23 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	5:05 a.m
Chicago L't'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:10 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

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

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

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Going East.

DEPART—			
London	4:05 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m
Woodstock	4:55 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:28 p.m
Galt	6:02 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:55 p.m
Peterboro	11:38 a.m.	......	12:13 a.m
Kingston	......		
Ottawa	5:45 p.m.	......	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7.55 p.m.	......	8:15 a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	......	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me	9:30 a.m.	......	8:35 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	......	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S.	10:35 p.m.	......	......

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 6:50 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	8:15 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	7:00 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	11:15 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:50 p.m
Detroit	......	2:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	......	10:15 p.m.	7:20 a.m
St. Louis	......	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	......	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 4:00 a.m., 12:15 noon, 5:25 p.m.

E. M. PEEL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, No. 1 Masonic Temple.

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (A)	4:15 a.m.	4:35 a.m
Mail	......	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	11:05 a.m.	11:30 a.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
St. Louis Express (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 78 Freight (C)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (A)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
West End Mixed	......	6:45 a.m
St. Louis Express (A)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
Erie Limited	12:05 p.m.	
Accommodation	12:45 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:45 p.m.	
Accommodation		7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (B)	4:30 a.m.	......
Atlantic Express (B)	11:25 a.m.	......
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	......
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	......
Erie Limited (B)	11:35 p.m.	......

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (B)	......	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	......	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (B)	......	12:10 p.m
Accommodation	......	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	......	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

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

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mail	......	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	2:50 p.m
Accommodation	5:35 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:50 p.m.	......
Mail	11:15 p.m.	......

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	11:20 a.m.	7:35 a.m
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:20 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—							
a.m. *7:00	a.m. 9:15	a.m. 10:50	p.m. 12:25	p.m. 4:10	p.m. 5:40	p.m. B*7:00	p.m 9:25
Hamilton—Arrive—							
a.m. †12:30	a.m. 8:45	a.m. †9:00	p.m. B†1:45	p.m. 4:00	p.m. 6:25	a.m 12:30	

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
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Sarnia (G. T. R.)	....	5:10	7:40	....
Courtright	....	5:45	8:20	....
M. C. R. Junction	....	....	8:22	....
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	....	7:45	10:35	3:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	7:45	....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:10	....	11:05	5:20
Blenheim arr	8:22	....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Blenheim dep	8:30	2:30	5:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:43	2:45	5:55
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:08	3:20	6:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	9:13	4:40	.....
M. C. R. Junction	11:20		.....
Courtright	11:25	7:05	.....
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MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL.

The Financial Situation—Standing Committees Appointed.

WEDNESDAY'S SESSION—MORNING.

The County Council met at 11 o'clock with a full attendance, Warden Robson in the chair. Reeve Smith, of Strathroy, opened the proceedings with a complaint that the seats occupied by the Strathroy delegation last year in the chamber were occupied by the gentlemen from Ekfrid, and he and his colleagues were practically unseated.

Mr. W. Scarrow said in view of the eagerness of the gentlemen around election time to get into the Council chamber, one would not think they wouldbe particular about the seats they got. He thought the seats should be arranged in alphabetical order. The matter was settled after a half hour's discussion by Reeve Smith and Deputy Cox taking a seat in the alley temporarily.

Communications were received from the township of McGillivray asking aid for two bridges constructed there. Board. From the Council of East Williams, asking aid in building bridge over the Aux Sauble River. Board. From the township of Nissouri, giving notice that the bridge on concession 2 must be rebuilt and asking statute contribution from Council. Board. From P. Kelly, county jailer, asking increase of salary. Finance. From the matron of the House of Refuge, asking increase of salary. Finance.

The financial statement of Treasurer McEvoy, from January, 1890, to the same date 1891 showed receipts of $168,50 88, including the balance of $2,704 34 carried over from 1889. The most important items in the list were the county rate, $84,860 44; wild land taxes, $2,929 49; Government grant for administration of justice, $7,434 20; city of London, remaintenance of prisoners, $3,638 61; Government grant to public schools, $6,234; county grant to public schools, $7,605; proceeds of note discounted, $4,000; on account East London debt, $1,240; proceeds of sale of debentures, $40,000. The disbursements, including $26,254 47 cash on hand, totalled up to the receipts. The principal items were debentures redeemed $27,000; wild land taxes paid $3,037 58; coupons redeemed, $30,725; paid for services connected with juries, $1,155 73; paid to jurors, $4,718 30; paid re administration of justice, $6,989 56; county constables, $3,294 17; maintenance of prisoners in jail, $3,293 19; jail officials salaries, $3,590 79; legislative grant to public schools, $6,234; county grant to public schools, $7,605; county grant to high schools, $3,508 83; county patients in City Hospital, $4,322 47; maintenance House of Refuge, $5,349 50; municipal government, $4,163 30; miscellaneous, $1,913 77; to redeem notes discounted, $4,000; erection and repairs to bridges, $12,982 72. The report was referred to the Finance Committee.

The report of the committee appointed to strike the standing committees for 1891, was submitted by Chairman D. Leitch, as follows:

Finance—Messrs. Gilmour, Gibb, Bennett, Cluness, J. A. Leitch, Augustine, Currie, Stanley, T. C. Hodgins, Abray, Johnston, Scarrow, Young, T. Campbell, McDougald, Rosser, Sinclair, Archer, Taylor, McMillan and Smith.

Board of Road Directors—Messrs. C. C. Hodgins, McLeod, Cox, Dreaney, D. Leitch, McArthur, Coughlin, Robertson, Stinson, McFarlane, Reckard, Duffin, Brown, Corbett, Wyatt, Scates, Calvert and Platt.

Jail—Messrs. McLeod, Ardiel, Drummond, Sinclair, Cox, Calvert, Wyatt, Scarrow, T. C. Hodgins, Courtis, McDougald, Murray and Wood.

Petitioning—Messrs. Gilmour, Riddle, J. H. Hodgins, Campbell, Platt, McFarlane, D. Leitch, Stanley, Calvert, Taylor and Gibb.

Printing—Messrs. Rosser, Cox, McLeod, Scates, Corbett, Ardiel, J. A. Leitch, Brown, Courtis, Sinclair, Archer and Cluness.

Agricultural—Messrs. Augustine, McArthur, J. H. Hodgins, McDougald, Campbell, Young Currie, Wood, Gibb, Duffin and Coughlin.

Education—Messrs. J. A. Leitch, Augustine, C. C. Hodgins, J. H. Hodgins, Johnson, Robertson, Gilmour, Wyatt, Stanley and Murray.

House of Refuge—Messrs. R. P. Smith, Dreaney, McLeod, D. Leitch and McArthur.

Committee on Destitute Insane—Messrs. Gilmour, McDougald, Corbett, D. Leitch and Coughlin.

Equalization—The reeves of the several municipalities; Jas. Gilmour, reeve of Dorchester, conven er.

The first report of the special bridge committee, J. Rosser, chairman, stated that the committee had met the joint committee from Elgin and Kent to examine the superstructure of the Bothwell bridge, and found it in a satisfactory condition, and further recommended that the Middlesex proportion of the contract price be paid. It was also recommended that the secretary, L. E. Vogler, receive $4 50 for his expenses. Adopted.

The statement binding the various treasurers was referred to the Finance Committee. The warden and County Clerk D. G. McKenzie were appointed auditors of criminal justice accounts for 1891. It was voted that the clerk have 100 copies of the names of the members of the standing committees printed.

Moved by R. P. Smith and J. A. Leitch that the Ontario Legislature be petitioned to amend sec. 13 of 51 Vic., chap. 28, by inserting after the word "publish" in the fifth line the word "summarized" statement instead of "detailed" statement. Referred to Petitioning Committee. Adjourned.

WEDNESDAY'S SESSION—AFTERNOON.

Robert Marsh and John Schneider, jail turnkeys, wrote asking $50 each increase of salary. Finance Committee. The communication of Wm. Ryan, head jail turnkey, asking increase of $100 in salary, was also referred to the Finance Committee.

In regard to seating arrangements, A. C. McDougald moved, seconded by M. McArthur, that the question be referred to Messrs. Gilmour, Scarrow and Calvert to report. Lost. S. Gibbs moved that Messrs. Gilmore, Calford and the warden designate what benches the representatives of each municipality should warm, and that the front of the desks be labeled accordingly. This was also lost, and meantime the Strathroy delegation will sit in any seats they can get.

W. S. Calvert moved that Messrs. T. Campbell and S. Gibb be transferred from the Finance Committee to the Board, and that Messrs. Wyatt and Stinson take their places on the Finance Committee. Lost.

S. McLeod's motion, that the reeve of East Williams be placed on the Board of Road Directors and the deputy reeve on the Finance Committee, was carried.

On motion of D. Leitch it was decided to have a night session to discuss the amendments to the Municipal Act regarding bridges 100 feet in length or over, the county solicitor to be present. Adjourned.

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TO BE WOUND UP.

The City Mutual Company Will Liquidate.

Annual Meeting of the Shareholders—The Causes Detailed—Discussion on the Premium Notes.

The annual meeting of the City Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held in the head office, Richmond street, Tuesday afternoon, an important feature in this connection being the consideration of the recent decision of the directors to dissolve business and go into liquidation. Among the managers and agents present were Messrs. James Cowan, Angus Campbell, D. C. Macdonald, D. Black, Jas. Armstrong, J. B. Vining, P. Pocock, M. McBlack, G. Roach (St. Thomas), G. C. Elliott, James Cameron (Strathroy), J. C. Judd, W. J. McDonough, French, of Glencoe, and others.

Mr. Jas. Cowan occupied the chair and Mr. J. B. Vining acted as secretary.

The chairman explained the action of the Board in taking the course they had. The City Mutual began under very favorable auspices. In the first year the losses were very small; in the second year the report showed a loss of about $5,000; in 1888 the loss amounted to $10,000; 1889 showed about $14,000 in arrears; and in this year the losses had also been very heavy, owing to the Toronto University fire. "We might have got along," said Mr. Cowan, "but I think it was wise to take steps before we become actually bankrupt. It was thought prudent by the directors, when they were able to pay every dollar of the liabilities, to wind up the business."

The secretary (J. B. Vining) read the following report:

To the members of the City Mutual Fire Insurance Company of London:

Your directors regret very much to say that this will probably be their last annual report to the members, and for causes hereinafter explained they cannot congratulate you on the success of the company, but must present you with a picture just the reverse. On the 6th inst. your Board with great reluctance decided to place the company in voluntary liquidation in order to wind up the business, and with this in view named Mr. J. B. Vining as liquidator, and ordered that the notices required as necessary by statute should be given to the Provincial Treasurer and the Inspector of Insurance, also in the Ontario Gazette to the public. It only remains for the members, therefore, to either indorse or disallow the action of your Board. A brief review of the facts connected with the history of the company will be in place here, and from the financial statements appended to the report, it will be found that misfortune pure and simple, and not mismanagement or extravagance—for no company in Canada has been more economically conducted—has been the cause of the company's suspension. In the year 1888, owing to a combination having been formed by the proprietary and one or two other companies to raise the rates of insurance to an aggressive point, and this combination becoming aggressive, endeavoring to boycott all companies that would not enter their ranks, a number of business men formed the idea of starting a company that would bring down, or rather keep rates at a fair standard. With this view the City Mutual was established in June, 1886, and started out with every prospect of a successful career, and business appeared bright. The losses in the year 1886 amounted to $349 24, in 1887 to $5,667 56, in 1888 to $10,218 91, in 1889 to $14,718 75; and although the amounts were high for a young company, yet the volume of business increased month by month of a favorable character until we were overtaken by the calamity of the burning of Toronto University in February, 1890—a fire occasioned by the almost criminal carelessness of the servants of that institution. This in itself would not have affected the company seriously but it had its effect; it afforded the combine and its agents a pretext to raise the cry against a youthful company—a feeling of distrust took place in the public mind, which distrust extended to many of its agents, so that business began to fall off rapidly, old members deserting us and very few new members coming in. Add to this the fact that losses kept on accumulating so that for the year 1890 claims paid amounted to $29,680 76; unpaid, $8,009 80; unadjusted and resisted, $4,700; making $42,450 50 to be met for the year, and since the beginning of the present year losses have amounted to $1,367 66, or a total of $74,772 68 in a little over four years. Such being the state of affairs, your Board in October last decided to levy a special assessment in order to place the company on a sound footing. This assessment is now being collected, but the making of the same appeared to open up objections to that extent that an already falling off business dwindled down to almost nothing. Therefore, with the chance of further losses occurring, and to avoid inevitable bankruptcy, the directors took what they thought the wisest alternative—to wind up the company. This is much to be regretted. If the public had displayed proper magnanimity, and came forward to the assistance of the company, the institution could after a time have fulfilled its original mission, namely to give cheap and fair insurance. The statement of assets and liabilities will show assets, $53,568 71; liabilities, $34,904 16. This should enable the liquidator to pay off all claims and to return the unearned premium to cash insurers without great expense to the general members. In the meantime your Board would recommend that policies be sent to the liquidator, and that members should seek insurance elsewhere.

Mr. James Cowan moved the adoption of the report.

Mr. Jas. Armstrong seconded the motion. He regretted exceedingly to have to take that course. The City Mutual had reduced the rate of insurance, despite the attempts of the combine to keep the rates up, and was now needed less than before it began its good work.

Mr. D. C. Macdonald said there were promises made to the City Mutual that were not kept. They had started out with fair prospects until the university fire. Previous to that every month showed a large increase in the volume of business. The confidence of the people had been abused by that, chiefly owing to the clamor made by Toronto papers, the misrepresentations in which were copied broadcast over the land. The strongest company in the world could not liquidate better and pay off its liabilities with as little loss to the shareholders as the City Mutual. It could pay 100 cents on the dollar.

Mr. Gilbert Roach, of St. Thomas, asked if in talking of paying 100 cents on the dollar it was intended that the money was at hand or that it could be raised on premium notes. He thought that policy-holders should be returned their premiums on risks made out in November and December, or since the shareholders knew they were going into liquidation.

Mr. Armstrong explained that the premium notes would be collected.

Mr. Roach said that Mr. Blackstock, while canvassing with him in St. Thomas, had assured the policy-holders that they would not have to pay over 20 per cent. of the premium note in any event.

Mr. Armstrong wished to know the use of making premiumno tes more than 20 per cent. if that was all that could be collected. He did not believe that any such assurance had been given as mentioned by Mr. Roach.

Mr. Vining said that Mr. Blackstock denied giving any promise to that effect. The cash policy men would be returned their unearned premiums.

Mr. D. C. Macdonald said that all holders taking out policies later than November would be specially considered.

The report was then adopted unanimously.

It was moved by P. Pocock, seconded by D. Black, that the motion of the president and directors of the City Mutual to liquidate and wind up the City Mutual Insurance Company be passed, and that a special general meeting be called for Friday, Feb. 13, for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution required by the act for that purpose. Carried.

Mr. W. McDonough affirmed that he had been deceived by the company's agent, Smith. He had agreed to pay a premium of $15 60 each year for three years and then gave his note for $72 as the security of the payment—such was the only purpose of the note, he had been told.

Mr. Pocock said the difficulty had to be faced in some manner. He would support any motion made by Mr. McDonough to get the company out of the position.

Mr. Cowan said a policy was rendered void by a refusal to pay premium notes, while the liability of the note-maker was not affected.

French, of Glencoe, one of the agents, expressed his regret at the wind up of the company's affairs. The premium note business was the backbone of the company, and every man who read his note saw that he was fully responsible for the amount when the company assessed him.

A policy holder present said he had insured about six weeks ago, paying $20, and wanted to know if he would be assessed on the premium note.

Mr. James Cowan—You will be assessed in a few months time.

The policy-holder—I'll show you that you got that money under false pretenses. Why did you take it when you were bankrupt?

Mr. Vining—Not bankrupt—we are solvent.

The individual in question was assured that he would receive justice.

Mr. D. C. Macdonald said that all policyholders would be held responsible for losses until Feb. 13.

This ended the general meeting. Messrs. Armstrong and Pocock were re-elected to the Board of Directors and the old officers also re-elected.

A SOURCE OF TROUBLE.

Meeting of the Water Commissioners—Dissatisfaction with Water Meters—Complaints Before the Board—Tests to be Made.

"I cannot understand that one never could get water properly by meter," exclaimed Water Commissioner Davis last evening. "The meter is the proper plan, but to save this trouble I am willing to dispense with it."

The remark arose out of a communication received at the meeting of the Board last evening from the Protestant Orphans' Home pointing out that in the July quarter the institution was charged a water rate of $18 40, in October $49 88, and in the last quarter only $28 07, and further hinting that a refund would not be amiss.

Mayor Taylor—Well, I'll move that the October bill be reduced to $30.

Commissioner Davis—I will support the motion in this instance. If there is anything wrong with the meters or in the reading, this Board should rectify it at once.

Inspector Plastow made the statement that the matron of the home had informed him of the improvements recently made in the plumbing, and her belief that last quarter's rate would be lower than the previous one on that account.

Martin O'Meara represented that he had only one service for his hotel and livery stable. The Board decided that he should be placed on the same footing with other liverymen.

"It's a regular robbery," were emphatic words contained in E. McKay's communication. Never before had his bill been more than $6 57, but the present one was $20 40, notwithstanding that there was no carriage washing this season.

Commissioner Davis—There it is again.

Engineer Tracy said if a concession were made in this case there would be a general kick. The best plan was to test the meter, and if found correct, make them pay.

Chairman Jones approved of the suggestion.

Commissioner Davis—The best thing is to settle it definitely. Let us have all the meters tested, and a report on the result.

The Board decided to have all the meters that had been objected to tested.

The petition of Mary Godfrey for remission of water rate, owing to destitute circumstances, was referred to the inspector. Similar requests from J. Fox, 570 Pall Mall street, and Mrs. Aldridge, 626 Dufferin avenue, were granted on the inspector's recommendations. Commissioner Davis expressed the opinion that the city, in cases of indigent circumstances, should supply the water and not have the Board remit.

A document signed by a number of liverymen was read, asking the reduction of the water rate from 20 to 15 cents per 100 cubic feet, as the manner in which the water meters worked was very unsatisfactory.

The secretary was instructed to prepare a list of the respective rates in several American and Canadian cities for the purpose of comparison, meanwhile the meters in question to be tested according to the previous resolution. The business concluded with the passage of a number of accounts.

PROGRESS IN SCIENCE.

The method of treating wine by electricity, devised recently in France, destroys the fermentation. It is thought that light wines that cannot be exported, owing to being ruined by fermentation, can by this process be sent abroad without danger.

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INOCULATED.

Miss Clara Eveland Subjects the Koch Lymph to a Test at the Hospital.

The first of a series of experiments with the Koch consumption remedy, which it is proposed to make at the City Hospital, took place at that institution yesterday afternoon. An invitation was extended to the local physicians as well as to the students of the Western Medical College, and was generally accepted, the college students turning out en masse. Among the physicians present were Messrs. Arnott, Eccles, Gardiner, Wishart, Hodge, Campbell and Mitchell.

The inoculation was performed in the new wing on the ground floor, and by 2 o'clock about 100 interested spectators had gathered there to witness the operation. In the center of the ward was a small stand, upon which was arranged a threatening array of bottles, phials and saucers. Dr. Balfour presided at the table and explained how the lymph was prepared for injection. He exhibited a quantity of it in a small phial which he said was a 10 per cent. solution. The diluting fluid was made from distilled and sterilized water, added to which was sufficient carbolic acid to make up half of the solution. Shortly before 3 o'clock the patient was led in by a nurse and assigned a chair in the center of the room. Dr. Balfour then took up a small syringe with a needle point, which he had previously filled with the minimum dose of lymph—.001 c.c.—and assisted by Dr. Hodge, injected it into the lower portion of the patient's back. The inoculation was the work of a minute, and when completed the young woman rose from the chair and walked out of the room without giving any evidence of pain.

The name of the young woman who consented to have the lymph injected into her system as a test is Miss Clara Eveland. She has been an inmate of the institution since December, having been admitted while suffering from inflammation of the lungs. Dr. Hodge attended her, and after a long siege of illness, she was restored to health again. On inquiry it was made known that she came of a consumptive family, her mother, aunt and younger brother having died of that disease. It occurred to the enthusiasts of the Koch remedy that she would be a favorable subject on which to test the efficacy of the lymph, and when the matter was broached she readily consented to have the operation performed. If tubercule is latent in the patient she will give evidence of a reaction in the shape of a fever some time during the following twelve hours, but if not the lymph will have no effect whatever.

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BURGLARS.

The Ancaster tragedy is not without its moral. A retired farmer and the treasurer of the township is aroused at the dead of midnight by the advent of burglars in his rural home. His first thought is to defend himself and his property regardless of consequences. He meets the thieves on the stairway leading to the upper rooms of his residence, and assails them with a heavy chair. They are prepared for such resistance, for one of the villains draws a loaded revolver and shoots the old man dead, and overawing the women of the household, complete the robbery of the premises at their leisure.

It is an old story that in a struggle with a burglar the average householder is at a serious disadvantage. It may be hard to bring oneself to the resolution, but really the only reasonable method for dealing with a midnight intruder is to keep as few valuables in the house as possible, and if thieves do break through and steal observe a policy of masterly inactivity, trusting rather to close observation, with the view of subsequent identification, than to meeting force with force.

Thieves naturally get the idea into their heads that township treasurers and men accustomed to handle large sums of money are apt, at certain seasons, to have a surplus in their possession. That must have been the idea of the men who murdered the Ancaster treasurer because he stood in their way. But in nine cases out of ten treasurers of municipalities get rid of their money as soon as they get it. The murdered man seems to have done so, for the plunder obtained by the thieves was hardly worth running the risk of being hanged for murder to secure. Better far, under such circumstances, for the householder to let the scoundrels have their way than to enter into an unequal combat that almost invariably results in grievous injury or death to any person suddenly placed on the defensive.

The best way to put down outrages of this sort is to deal with severity with the burglar fraternity. No mercy should be shown to the Ancaster thieves, if they are captured. But there is another way in which the murderous thief can be combatted, and we trust that the law-makers and law-dispensers will aid in carrying it out. Any known thief who is found with a firearm or other murderous weapon in his possession should be treated as meditating murder, and should be placed beyond the reach of ability to carry out his felonious designs. He is a murderer in his heart, and should be treated as such.

TUPPER TO THE RESCUE.

The Ottawa Government again makes confession that it cannot get along without Sir Charles Tupper. After days of bickering, the Conservative leaders have been unable to reach a decision whether it is better to try to save their political necks by rushing on an election now, or to delay till the eleventh hour, and risk the exposures of another session of Parliament, the settlement of the Northwest schools question, and an exhibition of their contradictory policy regarding trade encouragement and tax reduction.

Tupper is therefore asked to come to the rescue. He will endeavor to reconcile the warring elements of the Cabinet, and no matter how the interests of the people are affected, it is probable that his counsel will be followed. Until then, we suppose, the public will be kept in the dark as to what the Government really intends to do. The fact is, the members of the Cabinet do not know which way to turn to save themselves from the defeat which they know they justly merit. That they are solemnly pledged to delay the elections till the voters' lists are again revised is nothing to them.

Hon. Mr. Laurier, in his speech at the Club National banquet last night, said that if an immediate election were determined on, the Liberals would accept the issue, and prepare for the event. But the Liberal leader rightly pointed out that an election now held would be grossly unfair to thousands of young men who have qualified for the franchise since 1889, when the last revision of the lists was held. It is a gross misrepresentation to say that a desire to let these young men vote is an evidence of fear regarding the result. Probably as many Conservatives as Liberals would be disfranchised if an election were held on the old lists, and therefore the fair-minded electors in both parties cannot be expected to take kindly to the suggestion that the Government should break faith with the people and go to the country on the incompleted lists. The pledge was not lightly given. When the partisan, unnecessary, and expensive Dominion voters' lists were devised to replace the annual lists compiled by non-partisan municipal officials, it was provided that the lists should be revised in June each year. In April last, in discussing amendments to the Franchise Act, Hon. Mr. Chapleau, speaking for the Government said:

"If in July, 1891, the census shows that the representation must be changed it will become necessary to have new elections shortly after the census, and those elections should take place in the beginning of 1892 by the natural death of this Parliament according to the constitution. The question which presented itself to me was this: By the experience of the past, could a revision, beginning in June, 1891, be satisfactorily made, and would it be ready for the eventuality of elections in 1892? I have no reason to doubt it."

There is nothing ambiguous about that proposition. If it is thrown to the winds now, there can be but one interpretation of the conduct of the Ministry. That it is meditated, the delay in calling Parliament together, the summoning of Tupper, the quasi-defense by the organs of the breach of the guarantee given by the Ministers, all portend.

If postponement of dissolution is finally agreed to, it will not be from desire to act constitutionally and according to the solemn pledge of the Secretary of State, but because the political gamesters are not prepared to stake their all at the present time, dark and ominous though their future outlook may be.

THE QUESTION OF MARKETS.

Canadian farmers are told by badly informed advocates of trade restriction that they cannot compete in commerce with the farmers of the United States on equal terms on this continent, and that therefore they should ship their products to England. But what follows when our farmers do send their produce across the Atlantic? Have they not to compete on equal terms with American farmers in the British market — American farm produce being admitted into Great Britain on precisely the same terms as Canadian produce? If Canadian farmers cannot compete against American trade rivals on even terms on this side of the Atlantic how are they going to do so in England? This is a problem which those who are howling about the advantages of the British market would do well to explain. — [Northumberland Enterprise.

Another consideration is that in the markets of the old world the produce of Canada has to meet the products of the poorly paid laborers of India, Egypt and continental Europe. Even our hens have to compete with the pauper hens of Italy and France when our eggs are sent over the Atlantic. The true policy is to have trade as unrestricted as possible, permitting the producer, in selling as well as buying, to take the market that lies nearest to him—if it pays him the best. If it does not, he will trade elsewhere. All trade is dictated by self-interest, unless arbitrarily interfered with by Government exactions and combine influences established through Government regulations.

COTTON AND RECIPROCITY.

It was the national policy which established our cotton industry, and directly caused this demand for raw material obtained from our neighbors. The Grit Opposition would close these factories, and necessarily cut off the importation.—[Toronto Empire.

Nonsense. The cotton industry was firmly established and doing well long before the "N. P." was heard of. The Dundas mills, for example, were giving steady employment to a full complement of workpeople and earning fair dividends when the policy of high taxation was invented. This winter, those employes have been walking the streets and have reluctantly been forced to accept food and clothing from the townspeople to save themselves from starvation, while the shareholders have been compelled to whistle for their dividends, and the market value of their stock has gone down far below par. On the other hand, the Moncton, N. B., cotton factory, started on the strength of the ill-advised speculative boom, has collapsed, and the shareholders are being paid the munificent dividend of 4 cents on the dollar!

What an impotent aid high taxation has been.

As to the condition of the industry under reciprocity, Senator McInnes, who has large interests in cotton factories, affirmed during the first "N.P." campaign that reciprocity would be welcomed by the cotton manufacturers. They could, he said, hold their own if they had entry into the markets of the States. And why should they not? They have surely as much brains as their New England rivals. They have cheaper labor than their States competitors, and they would be as near the great markets of the continent. Senator McInnes was right; the Toronto organ of the combines is doubly wrong.

PERSONAL AND GENERLA.

—There are 3,021 lawyers in Canada and nearly one-half of them find a living in this Province.

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—The railways will sell tickets at a fare and a third to those intending to participate in the Provincial Liberal Convention in Toronto next month. A large and representative gathering is already assured, and the district conventions are still meeting and electing delegates.

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—It is said that the island of Cuba may break in two at any moment. Recently returned travelers say that great crevasses have been discovered in the interior which betoken such an uncomfortable episode, and that many fear that the land will then sink into the ocean. Most of the South Sea Islands have coral foundations.

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—A remarkable article by Professor Joseph Rodes Buchanan is promised by the Arena magazine management in the February issue of that periodical. Professor Buchanan writes on the nature of consumption of the lungs and the alleged discovery of Professor Koch. Dr. Buchanan regards the lymph craze as another of the numerous medical fads which spring up from time to time like mushrooms, only to as readily pass away, because he believes the professor is proceeding on an unscientific hypothesis. He praises, however, the progressive spirit of investigation evinced by Professor Koch.

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St. John, N. B., Telegraph.

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AS TO CHURCH UNITY.

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It was a good thing for the Presbyterians to discuss "Church Unity" at their meeting last week; and it was a wise thing and fortunate that Bishop F. D. Huntington was present to take a leading part in the discussion—especially so as the Bishop has been largely instrumental in preparing the famous four articles of agreement put forth by the House of Bishops as a basis for eternal union. The discussion may not lead to its objective Church Unity, but beyond any doubt it will promote Christian Unity, and that must be perfected before we see the other. In his discussion on the subject the Bishop strongly insisted upon the Historic Episcopate; but we were not told—and perhaps wisely so—just what Historic Episcopate was meant. There is a Historic Episcopate which has its base in history; but there is still the open question as to who was the creator of the Episcopate—Christ and the Apostles, or later church usage. Probably, though, the same difference of opinion would be allowed on this subject in the New United Church that exists in the Episcopal Church to-day. We cannot but think if all were animated by the spirit of Bishop Huntington, three of the non-episcopal bodies would move swiftly in the direction indicated. But God, as well as man, is moving in this matter, and we cannot doubt we shall see the manifestation of the Divine will in the result and the processes leading to it.

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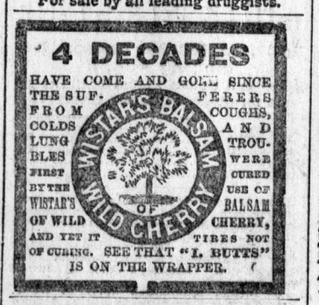
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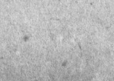


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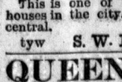
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THE LONDON TOURNAMENT—THIRD DAY—WEDNESDAY.

Good weather continues to favor the shooting tournament, and as a result the finances of the enterprise are in a promising condition. The scheduled programme was first taken up.

EVENT NUMBER TEN.

For cash prizes guaranteed to the amount of $25—Entrance, $1 50, including targets; 10 Keystones; rapid firing. Prizes, 1, $5; 2, $5; 3, $5; 4, $5; 5, $5. The scores made were as follows:

J. Duffy	1111111010	8
J. J. Moore	1101011011	7
Fairbairn	0110001010	4
Brinhorhoff	1110111111	9
J. E. Brigden	1111011011	8
T. Lewis	1011110101	7
Charles	1111011101	8
B. F. Webster	0001101011	5
Edwards	1110111111	9
W. Eustus	0001101000	3
E. Andrews	1101001111	7
C. W. Tuttle	1110110001	6
Glover	1101011111	8
H. C. Frey	0001001000	2
J. E. Overholt	1100101101	6
C. R. Hunt	1110101100	6
Smith	1000011010	4
W. J. McPherson	1100110101	6
C. Grant	1010010001	4
McDowel	1111101111	9
Bowran	1010110111	7
George Corning	0110101100	5
C. Scane	1101011011	7
D. E. Denham	1000111111	7
W. Jeannette	1010001101	5
E. W. Wolcott	1101110111	8
R. Baugham	1101010111	7
Bang	1110111111	9
J. Pierser	0100111111	7
Drouillard	1000111110	6
Thompson	1011000000	3
J. Parker	1111011111	9
Henry	1111111101	9
Wakefield	1101010111	7
D. Leitch	1111111110	9
Miller	1100111101	7
Redpath	1100100011	5
Tymon	0110100110	5
Sutherland	1010001111	6
Campbell	1111011011	8
Lockard	1101011011	7
W. L. Cameron	1001101000	4
A. Forest	0110101010	5
C. Sutherland	0010010101	4
Gen. Grant	0010011000	3

EVENTS NUMBERS EIGHT AND NINE.

Amalgamated event for guaranteed cash prizes amounting to $150—Entrance fee, $7 50 (including birds); ten pigeons from five traps; money equally divided into five purses.

The generosity of the management in doubling up these two events for a single entrance fee was fully appreciated by the shooters, and as a result a lengthy list of competitors was shown on the scorer's black-board. The shooting commenced early in the morning and was continued far into the afternoon. Although but three of the competitors made their possibles, the shooting was on the whole of a very satisfactory nature. The scores are attached:

George	2212212222	10
Glover	1111221111	10
Tymon	1112112222	10
Bang	2212212201	9
W. Tuttle	1122101222	9
Leitch	2111110222	9
Cameron	2111211102	9
Corning	1021122021	8
"No Good"	0121112011	8
Windsor	2101021111	8
W. Grigg	1121220210	8
Blea	1020122211	8
Teekay	2112120100	7
Wakefield	0202221110	7
Denham	2111000221	7
Thomson	2101022022	7
Lockhart	1211011100	7
Henry	2022221010	7
Edwards	2002022122	7
Miller	2101202120	7
Charles	1100022201	6
Jaynes	2220120010	6
Davey	0201011201	6
McDowell	0221010120	6
Evans	1022002011	6
Fairbairn	0202021120	6
Margetts	1110120010	6
Redpath	0000111222	6
Grant	0100111101	6
Moore	0012210102	6
Rapley	1100010210	5
Brinkerhoff	0210020210	5
Winters	0020020100	3

EVENT NUMBER ELEVEN.

For a guarantee purse of $100—Entrance, $3 50 (including targets); 30 Keystones; rapid firing. Prizes, five purses of $20 each.

Redpath carried off the honors in this event, breaking 28 birds out of a possible 30. His nearest competitors, five in number, were two birds behind him. The scores were:

Redpath	1111111111	1111111111	1011011111	28
Glover	1111111111	0111110101	1111111110	26
J. P. Evans	1100001111	1111111111	1111111111	26
Andrews	1111011111	1111111111	0110110111	26
Brinkerh'ff	0111111011	1111111011	1111111011	26
Woolcott	1110111011	1111101111	1111111101	26
Edwards	1100111011	1111111111	1111111100	25
Charles	1011111101	1111111111	0101111101	25
Bang	0101011111	1111101111	1101111111	25
Parker	1111111111	1111101011	1111110110	25
Bridgen	0111111101	1111101001	1111111011	24
Duffy	1111111110	1011011100	1110111101	24
Tuttle	1110010111	0111111101	1111111110	24
E. Smith	1101111110	1111011111	1011011110	24
Campbell	1110111101	1111111101	1010111001	23
Bangham	1111101001	0111101111	0111111011	23
Webster	0101011111	1101111110	1111110110	23
A. Forest	1111011111	0110111100	1011111110	23
Bowran	0010111100	0111111101	1110111111	22
Leitch	1001111001	1111001111	1110011111	22
Teekay	1110101111	0110111101	1110110101	22
McDowell	1111011011	1111101111	0010101011	22
Miller	1111111101	0100001101	1111100111	21
Lockhart	0001011111	1110001110	1111101111	21
Andrews	0101110111	1110001110	1111001110	24
Jaynes	0110110001	1111111000	0111011011	20
Ward	0101101101	0101101111	0110111101	20
Lewis	1110110110	0111010111	1100000111	19
Smyth	1100000101	0111111010	1011111110	19
Corning	0011101111	0110011111	1010101100	19
W. Grigg	0000011101	1111110111	0000111101	18
Sutherland	0101111101	1111100010	1001010011	18
Jeannett	0010001101	0111011000	0111101111	17
Frey	1010101110	1111101000	1010100011	17
Smith	0101011011	0100000010	0000101011	12
Fairbairn	0010000101	1001000001	1011010100	11

EVENT NUMBER TWELVE.

For cash prizes guaranteed to the amount of $25—Entrance $1 50 (including targets); 10 Keystones, from five unknown traps. Five prizes of $5 each.

Messrs. Smith and Nichols divided first money, each getting nine birds. The scores were recorded as follows:

E. H. Smith	0111111111	9
Nichols	1110111111	9
Wakefield	1110101111	8
D. Miller	1011101111	8
Parker	1101111011	8
J. P. Evans	1111111010	8
George	1101111010	7
Edwards	1110111100	7
S. Glover	1011110011	7
Charles	1111100110	7
McDowell	0011101111	7
J. Pierser	1010110111	7
Baughan	0011011111	7
Denham	1001010111	6
Geo. Corning	1111001100	6
Brigden	1101011010	6
Teekay	1011001101	6
M. Ward	1110011001	6
Lockhart	1011011010	6
Andrews	0100111011	6
Brinkerhoff	1111100001	6
Henry	0110010011	5
E. Grigg	0010101110	5
D. Leitch	0011011001	5
W. Grigg	1001110001	5
C. W. Tuttle	0100011011	5
Bang	0100101101	5
W. L. Cameron	1101001001	5
B. Webster	1001100100	4
Fairbairn	0100111000	4
Tymon	0011001100	4
J. W. Campbell	1001001001	4
H. C. Frey	0001010101	4
Duffy	1010100010	4
J. E. Overholt	1110001000	4
C. R. Hunt	0100111000	4
Ralph	1000011000	3
Gen. Grant	0000001101	3
Jaynes	0000111000	3

NOTES.

A complimentary shoot open to those who have contested previous events will be added to to-day's programme, in which $100 in prizes are guaranteed. An entrance fee of $1 will be charged; 25 Keystones; rapid firing.

Two sets of traps were kept going yesterday.

THE KENNEL.

At the annual meeting of the Hamilton Kennel Club the following officers were elected: W. Hendrie, patron; A. D. Stewart, president; Andrew Murdoch, first vice-president; Charles W. Ricketts, second vice-president; C. W. Mulligan, secretary; George T. Tuckett, treasurer. The club has 76 members.

THE TURF.

Cleveland will give $3,000 for a special team race during the Grand Circuit. Horses with records better than 2:30 will be barred.

There were 534 nominations to the Horseman's stake for foals of 1890 to be trotted in 1894. Of these, 404 made their second payment and the stake is now $9,380. The guarantee is $12,500 and the stake will in all probability exceed in value any trotting stake ever known.

At the sale of Palo Alto bred trotting stock in New York yesterday the highest price, $2,950, was brought by the 3-year-old stallion Almoneer, by Alban. He has a 2-year-old record of 2:31½. A full sister to Gov. Standford sold for $2,300, and $1,100 was the price of the 2-year-old filly Sylvia, by Piedmont.

SKATING.

The ice on Spy Pond, near Boston, was in a rather soft condition Saturday, but the skating carnival of the New England Skating Association drew a crowd of several thousand spectators and developed some good sport. In the figure skating Moses Rubenstein, Victoria Skating Club, Montreal, was an easy winner with 402 points to his credit; J. F. Bacon, Arlington Boat Club, second, with 352 points. Miss Rachel Rubenstein, of Montreal, was the only lady skater to appear, and was given the first prize. Moses is a brother of Louis Rubinstein, the champion of the world.

CURLING.

The national bonspiel of curlers began under the most favorable auspices in St. Paul, Minn., on Tuesday, the first contest being for the Gordon medal. Seven rinks contested. St. Paul won the bye and the first draw resulted: Chicago 20, Waupaca 9, Portage 15, Minneapolis 14, Cambria 16, Milwaukee 13. The second draw resulted: Chicago 18, St. Paul 14, Cambria 16, Portage 13. Third draw: Cambria 24, Chicago 11. This was the preliminary day, the great contest being set for Wednesday and Thursday.

BASEBALL.

At a meeting of the directors of the New York State Baseball League at Troy, Albany, Utica, Johnstown, Rochester, Syracuse and Troy were represented. L. T. Fassett, of Albany, was elected president and C. D. White secretary and treasurer. Mr. White was appointed a committee on applications. The League, it is thought, will be made up of clubs from Troy, Albany, Utica, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Toronto and Johnstown-Gloversville.

THE WHEEL.

The Scottish Cyclist is authority for the statement that Tommy Euge, a well-known London cyclist, will bring over a team of racing men to America during next summer.

George R. Broadbent, the best long distance rider of Australia, is alleged to have ridden 100 miles on Nov. 9 in 6 hours and 20 minutes, riding a full roadster, solid tired safety, weighing 43 pounds.

CRICKET.

J. J. Ferris, the Australian cricketer and famous bowler, is going to settle in England and play for Gloucestershire.

Horace Hamilton, the Irish cricketer, who dropped dead the other day in Dublin, was the first man to vault the pole at 10 feet 6 inches in Canada. He accomplished the feat at Rosedale on the occasion of the first visit of an Irish cricketing team to Toronto.

HOCKEY.

BANK OF COMMERCE VS. BANK OF MONTREAL.

Teams from these two banks met in a friendly game of hockey to decide the Forest City championship. After being allowed the sole use of the ice by the proprietors of the Simcoe street rink the teams faced one another at 5:30 p.m. as follows:

BANK OF MONTREAL.		BANK OF COMMERCE.
Scatcherd	Goal	Roy
Robbin	Point	Complin
Watson, capt.	Cover point	Stevenson, capt.
Widder	Right wing	Buckland
Massey	Left wing	Furness
Connell, Sheriff	Forwards	Smith, Verchere

Watson and Smith faced off and Smith got away with the puck. After a very few minutes' play the puck was deftly placed between the Bank of Montreal posts by F. M. Smith amidst the cheers of onlookers. Such a sudden reverse for the Montreal boys, who were confident of victory, made them put forth all their energies to score, but to no effect against the stone wall defense of the Commerce backs. Smith, who was playing a grand fast game, kept the puck hovering round the Bank of Montreal goal, until Verchere, by a neat play, scored again. Furness now came to the front and soon the Commerce added another game to their fast increasing score. Hereupon the Montreal boys made a determined effort to equalize events. Massey, bringing his stalwart form to bear upon his lighter opponents, succeeded in obtaining the first and last game for his side. After a few minutes' more play half time was called, 3 to 1 in favor of Commerce.

On resuming play Smith and Massey faced off, and the puck for awhile hung around the Commerce goal till Stevenson, with some of his old-time skill, carried it through the whole of the opposing team, and with a beautiful shoot once more scored for the Commerce. This feat he shortly repeated, making the score 5 to 1 in favor of Commerce. The Bank of Montreal, although evidently outplayed, pluckily made a determined effort to make things more equal. Robbin, Sheriff and Massey played a grand combined game, and shot after shot was made at the Commerce goal, but Roy and Complin had no idea of letting them accomplish their purpose. Roy here made a grand pass to Buckland, who ran the puck down the whole length of the rink and made a beautiful pass to Smith, who neatly scored again. For the remaining ten minutes of play the game was very even and rough, and although the Commerce could not score again they held their own against their heavier opponents. Massey, Robin and Sheriff played well for the losers, and the Commerce team all did well. Roy and Stevenson shone conspicuously. The game was by no means so one-sided as the score looks. At some near date the teams will likely meet again. Mr. Hume Cronyn kindly acted as referee to the entire satisfaction of both teams. Messrs. Kilgour and Parsons officiated as umpires.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Leamington will vote on local option on Feb. 12.

The voting on the bylaw for a new town hall for Raleigh was defeated by 116 majority.

Thomas Squire, a gay lothario of 86 summers and a resident of Leamington, married Mrs. Fishall, who gave her age as 76.

A boy named Kurbetz, aged about 17, lost his life the other day at Berlin. He was stealing a ride on the cars, and while attempting to get off fell in between the cars, his foot catching in a frog.

The house of Isaac Lundy, near Brantford, was broken open the other morning and $80 stolen. The Brantford police arrested Wm. Lawrence, of that city. Part of the money was recovered.

Wm. H. Giles, of Saugeen, and Wm. Clements, of Elderslie, cut for George Giles, on lot 7, Saugeen, on Saturday, Jan. 24, 23 cords of 20-inch wood in 9 hours and 45 minutes, and Harry Marshall, of Paisley, split and piled it.

Charles B. Watts, of Brantford, has been appointed to purchase the grain required by the members of the Dominion Millers' Association. Mr. Watts will move to Toronto within the next two weeks, and begin operations as soon as possible.

Judge of Probate Black has been called to Strathroy by the serious illness of his sister. The probate office will be closed until next Monday. Mrs. Francis Martin has received a telegram from Arkona, Ont., announcing the death of her sister.—[Port Huron Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Southcomb, of St. Marys, and Arthur Clark, of Sparta, were driving across the L. and P. S. track on Talbot street, St. Thomas, Tuesday afternoon when the buggy was struck by the engine of an express train. The occupants of the buggy were thrown out, but escaped without broken bones.

Postmaster Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, has received a dispatch from Hagarstown, Maryland, stating that Jackson Johns, a young man aged 23 years, died there in Bellevue Hospital from typhoid fever, and that on his deathbed he said he came from St. Thomas, Ont., where his aunt resides. He is not known in St. Thomas.

The annual banquet given by the officers of the 22nd Battalion, Oxford Rifles, was held in the O'Neil House, Woodstock, Tuesday night. About 100 guests were present, among them being Lieut.-Col. Smith, D.A.G.; Lieut.-Col. Aylmer, brigade major; Capts. McGlashan and Wilkes, 38th Battalion, Brantford; Major Cowan, 39th Battalion, Waterloo; Capt. Ross and Col. Cowan, Woodstock.

At the assizes in St. Thomas the charge of burning the Eden Hotel, at Bayham, against three residents, viz., A. S. Stilwell, Boughner and Ball, was tried. They were acquitted. On Tuesday Franklin Gray, the complainant or prosecutor in the former case and the keeper of the hotel at the time, was arrested and brought to St. Thomas, charged with the crime himself, and is now lodged in jail there.

A fatal accident happened near Dundee on Sunday. Amos Hallman and a number of young men were returning home from Blenheim Church, when they were overtaken by a large box sleigh. They asked for a ride and all got in and were standing up when the horses started off. The sudden jerk threw them all off their feet, and Hallman, who was at the very end of the sleigh, was thrown out, sustaining fatal injuries. Deceased was 21 years of age and a brother to Abram S. and Eli S. Hallman, grocers, of Berlin.

Mr. Joseph Gosnell has received a telegram announcing the death of his father, George Gosnell, in the township of Norwich, county of Kent, Ontario. The deceased resided in Victoria with his son for seven months about seventeen years ago, and at the time of his death was 80 years of age. He was born in Ireland, and was one of the pioneers of Western Canada some 60 years ago. He leaves a family of four sons and six daughters. Mr. J. Gosnell, of this city, the eldest of the family, came to Victoria some 29 years ago.—[Victoria, B. C., News.

Thorndale.

The pleasant village of Thorndale, lying midway between London and St. Marys, enjoys the enviable reputation of being a thoroughly total abstinence town. For the past five years there has been no open bar. The consequence is there is a generation of intelligent, reliable young men just stepping upon the stage of action. A number of prosperous retired farmers have located here to give their families better advantages than they could enjoy in the country.

The Royal Templars of Temperance, No. 271, hold their council every Friday evening and are doing a good work. The officers just installed are: Benjamin Harding, S.C.; Bert Uren, P.C.; Villers Walker, V.C.; Alonzo Vining, Chap.; Mrs. (Dr.) Murray, Rec. Sec. (re-elected); Wentworth McGuffin, Asst. Sec.; Miss Ida B. Griffith, Treas.; Walter Ramsey, Fin. Sec. (re-elected); Robert Wright, herald; Miss Louisa McKenzie, deputy herald; Miss Jenny McGuirk, guard; Ebenezer Vining, sentinel; Mrs. L. P. Griffith, Cor. Sec.; trustees, Wm. Heuston, sen., Villers Walker, Benjamin Harding.

Lobo.

Mr. R. Sharpe has moved into his fine new store. Before leaving the old store he gave an oyster supper, at which about 200 guests were present, and a very enjoyable and social evening was spent.

Mr. T. S. Edwards, late of St. Thomas, has arrived with a fine stock of goods for his store. Opposition is the life of trade.

A very pleasant time was spent at the residence of Mr. R. Boston on Thursday evening, the occasion being a farewell oyster supper for Mr. Geo. Shaw, who leaves in a short time for the Northwest. He is a great favorite with the young people, and will be greatly missed in their circle.

Mrs. (Dr.) Kierstadt, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Nilestown.

Mrs. George Wilson, of Manistee, Mich., has been making a call upon Nilestown, her old home.

Miss Eva Wilson, of the village, has been testing the hospitality of the Forest City for a goodly share of the past week.

Thomas Rumble, of Flesherton (95 miles north of Toronto), was in town Saturday night.

C. Blodget has been apprised of the illness of his brother William, of Manistee, Mich. His ailment is quinsy.

At the oyster supper recently held at Wm. Pack's a cap, costing $10, belonging to a gentleman of Ingersoll was lost.

The death of Frank Barrows, a young man formerly of this place, later of London, and finally traveling for some firm of Detroit, Mich., was reported Saturday night. No particulars beyond the bare announcement are to hand. Relatives here are prosecuting inquiries.

The new Methodist Church shed is likely to be built soon.

On an invitation issued by D. McIntyre, of Waubuno, a number of this neighborhood went with their teams to help him haul brick from London with which to construct a house.

At the late meeting at London of the East Middlesex Agricultural Society A. R. Rowat was made secretary and one of the directors of the township (Dorchester). Here, here, for Nilestown!

Mr. F. Barrows and daughter have returned from Delmer. Mrs. C. Wilcox bore them company.

Miss A. Watts, of Gladstone, is here at present.

Mrs. Walter Edwards is laboring under an attack of the grippe.

Good work is declared in progress at the Oliver appointment revival.

No preaching here Sunday next—quarterly meeting at Dorchester Station.

Fingal.

Fulton Bros., lumber dealers of this place, have their yards filled with logs, and will commence sawing in a few days. They have already received orders enough to keep them busy for some time.

Mr. Thomas Carrie, of New Westminster, British Columbia, is visiting George Sutherland. George A. Marlatt, M. D., has been appointed medical health officer for the township of Southwold. Miss Laura and Maggie McDonald, of Stratford, and Miss Parkinson, of Detroit, are visiting Mrs. John Timewell.

Miss Thomas Kildea is again very ill and fears are entertained as to her recovery.

Mr. John Conn, of Alvinston, is spending a few days in town.

South Oxford.

There are a number of aspirants for the sheriff's office in this riding. James Brady, of Ingersoll, seems to have the inside track, and it is believed will win in the race. There are other good men on the course, and it will not be an easy matter for our esteemed Premier and his confreres to decide who is most entitled to the office. It's certain that only one can be appointed, and we are going to stand by the Grand Old Man in his decision.

The township of Dereham is being most thoroughly canvassed in the interests of the temperance cause, and very interesting and profitable evenings are be held at Salford this week. Petitions and prayers are the order of the day.

What about the banner township (West Oxford) on the temperance question—when will it take the vote on the local option question?

Look out, farmers, for the shoddy peddlers hereabouts. Whole suits with cottons, table linen and spreads, etc., thrown in. No more need for stores now.

Delaware.

The annual meeting of the Delaware Cheese Company, was held at the factory on Wednesday, Jan. 14. A large number of stockholders and patrons attended. The annual report of the secretary shows the business is increasing and the past season a very successful one. Pounds of milk manufactured, 1,291,647; pounds of cheese manufactured, 120,186; tons of cheese manufactured, 60; average selling price of cheese per pound, 9.17 cents; average pounds of milk to make one pound of cheese, 10.66; amount paid patrons per 100 pounds of milk, 65 cents; amount received for cheese during the season, $11,028 80; amount paid patrons, $8,316 61; amount charged for making cheese at 2¼ cents per 100 pounds, $2,704 16; amount paid cheesemaker at 85 cents per 100 pounds, $1,021 55; amount paid for drawing milk, $1,045 81. The following were elected directors for 1891: G. Decker, J. M. Kaiser, Jas. Howlett, H. J. Smith, J. Uptigrove, D. Ryckman, T. Adams, M. Wyier and A. Bodkin. Officers: President, J. M. Kaiser; secretary, H. J. Smith; treasurer and salesman, G. Decker; cheesemaker, J. Dutton.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Cattle—Only a carload of fresh receipts on sale. Market steady and not quotably changed. Calves in fair demand. Top veals, $6 60 to $7.

Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 20 cars. Market quiet with weak undertone; too many here. Good to choice sheep, $4 75 to $5; extras quotable up to $5 40; lambs, good to extra, $5 75 to $6 40; Canadas generally $6 to $6 25.

Hogs—Offerings, 32 carloads; a shade lower, but steady; mixed, medium and heavy, $3 80 to $3 95; Yorkers, $3 85 to $3 90; pigs, $3 75; roughs, $2 90 to $3.

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Haddo House, Aberdeen, Scotland, Dec. 1, 1890.

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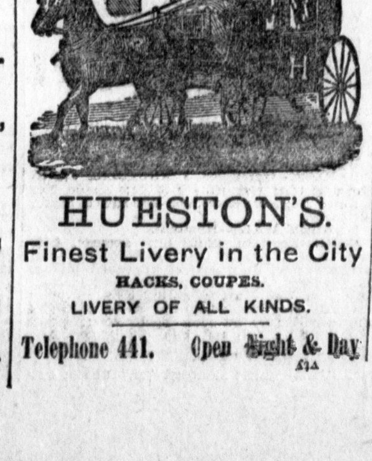
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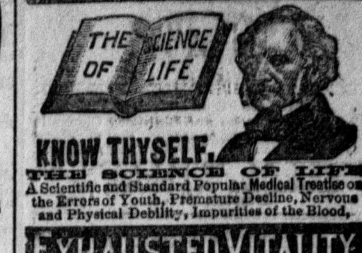
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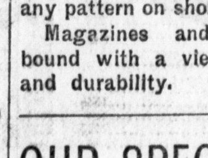
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Great Cotton Sale at Kingsmill's.
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IT IS WHISPERED

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

The Bank of England has already arranged for the return, in the middle of next month, of the £3,000,000 borrowed of the Bank of France, and yet money remains at 1 per cent. in London for bankers' balances. So far as can now be foreseen, there is little reason to doubt that money will continue very abundant there, and that the demand for investments will increase.

In the United States, says the New York Post, the strain to provide money to pay the increased duties on the large increase of imports is over, speculation in commodities, especially in grain, has run its course and the absorption of money in those directions will diminish. On the 1st of next September nearly $58,000,000 of the 4½ per cent. United States bonds will mature and that will bring out of the Treasury all the surplus that may have accumulated and make an additional demand for other investment for the capital. So that altogether there is a prospect of lower rates of interest in 1891 than for several years past.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Jan. 28—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97⅝ for money, 97⅞ for account: U. S. 4½s, 122¼; U. S. 4½s, 105¼; St. Paul, 55¾; Erie seconds, 101¼; Erie, 20¼; Pacific Central, 53¾; Reading, 16½; Canadian Pacific, 72¼; ex-div.; New York Central, 104; Illinois Central, 102; Bank of England rate, 3½ per cent.; open market discount, 1⅞.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28—1 p.m.—Stock market firm and strong: American Express, 115; Canadian Pacific, 73; Canada Southern, 50; Delaware and Hudson, 135; Delaware and Lackawanna, 138½; Lake Shore, 108; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 29½, preferred, 72½; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 54½; preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 74⅛; Western Union, 79⅞.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 28.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	226	224
Ontario	114	112½
Molsons	160	—
Toronto	222	217
Merchants'	142	140
Commerce	127	126½
Imperial	—	151½
Dominion	227½	227
Standard	—	146½
Hamilton	153½	152
British America	106	103½
Western Assurance	143¾	143½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Company	74	73½
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	74	73¾
Farmers Loan & Savings	—	121½
London and Canada L. & A.	127½	126
London and Ontario	—	110
Huron and Erie	—	158
Dominion Savings and Loan	—	88
Ontario Loan and Debenture	130	125
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Northwest Land, 6 at 74; C. P. R. Stock, 100 at 73⅝.

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COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Wednesday, Jan. 28.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The past week has been a moderately good one for business on this market, the receipts and demand for all lines were good and prices mostly firm.

Wheat fluctuated between 92c and 91c and closed at 92c and 93c.

Oats were strong all week, but closed off weak; sales, $1 26 to $1 27 to-day.

Peas in good demand and competition keen; feed grades, $1 10 to $1 15; Prince Alberts sold at $1 20 per 100 lbs, and mummies at $1 25, equal to 75c per bu.

Feeding grades of barley sold from $1 to $1 05, and malting at $1 10 to $1 20.

Rye sold for $1 05 per 100 lbs; demand good.

Hand picked beans sold at $1 25 to $1 30; common lots at $1 to $1 10.

Buckwheat quiet, at $1 02.

No corn offered; nominally, $1 05 to $1 10.

Dressed hogs were easy and closed at a decline of 50c per 100 lbs under last week, ordinary loads selling at $5 75 per 100 lbs; rough at $5 to $5 50, and choice single hogs at $6.

Beef steady and quiet at 4½c to 6½c, according to quality.

Tallow rendered in good demand at 5c to 5½c.

Turkeys higher at 9c and 10c per lb.

Butter, pound rolls, steady at 18c for the best; poor lots sold down to 12c; crocks brought from 12c to 16c.

Eggs very weak; fresh sold at 18c by the basket.

Hay about the same as usual, and prices fluctuating between $6 and $7.

Dried apples sold from 7c to 7½c.

Potatoes 75c to 80c by the load.

No other alterations of any note.

Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 92	to	$0 93
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 52
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 45	to	1 50
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 05
Buckwheat	1 00	to	1 05
Oats	1 25	to	1 27
Corn	1 10	to	1 15
Pease	1 10	to	1 20
Beans, per bush	1 10	to	1 30
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 20
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	17	to	18
Eggs, basket	16	to	16
Eggs, store lots	14	to	14
Butter, pound rolls, basket	18	to	20
Butter, crock or large rolls	14	to	16
Butter, tub or firkin	10	to	12
Cheese	9½	to	10
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	5 50	to	6 00
Turnips, per bush	25	to	52
Carrots, per bush	20	to	35
Potatoes, per bag	75	to	90
Parsnips, per bush	50	to	50
Onions, per bush	50	to	70
Apples, bag	80	to	1 00
Beef, per lb	4 50	to	6 50
Mutton, per lb	6	to	8
Lamb, per lb	8	to	9
Veal, per lb	0	to	0
Chickens, per pair	40	to	70
Ducks, per pair	60	to	1 00
Turkeys, each	70	to	2 00
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	3 00
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 40	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	2 25	to	2 40
Buckwheat flour	2 00	to	2 25
Oatmeal, standard	2 50	to	2 60
Oatmeal, granulated	2 60	to	2 70
Oameal, rolled	2 90	to	3 30
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	18 00	to	20 00
Clover seed, per bush	4 00	to	4 50
Timothy seed, per bush	1 25	to	1 60
Alsike, per bush	6 00	to	6 50
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 28.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 97c to 97c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 86c to 87c; spring, No. 2, 90c to 91c; red winter, No. 2, 97c to 98c; fall, No. 2, 98c to 99c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 63c to 63c; No. 2, 58c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 54c to 54c; No. 3, 50c to 51c.

PEAS—No. 2, 66c to 68c.

OATS—No. 2, 45c to 45½c.

CORN—61c to 62c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 75 to $3 80; straight roller, $4 05 to $4 10; superfine, $3 25 to $3 50; fine, $3 00 $3 20.

Market quiet. Sales—Straight roller flour, at equal to $4 15; No. 2 fall wheat outside at 92c; No. 2 spring outside at 88c; No. 2 red winter outside at 92c; oats on track at 45c, and to arrive at 45c; extra No. 3 barley on track at 52½c to 53½c; peas outside at 62c to 63c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Jan. 28.

FLOUR—Receipts, 1,300 bbls; sales reported none. Market quiet at unchanged rates. Quotations are as follows: Patents winter, $5 00 to $5 25; spring, $5 25 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 60; extra, $4 10 to $4 20; superfine, $3 00 to $4 00; strong bakers, $4 50 to $4 75; Ontario bags, $1 50 to $2 00; city bags $5 00 to $5 10.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 97c to 98c; corn, 72c to 73c; peas, 72c to 74c; oats, 43c to 46c; barley, 50c to 70c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 75 to $5 00; cornmeal, $3 25 to $3 25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15½c to 16c per lb.; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 11c to 12c; cheese, 8½c to 10c; butter, townships, 17c to 20c; Morrisburg, 17c to 20c; Western, 14c to 16c; creamery, 20c to 23c; eggs firm, limed, 22c to 24c; fresh, held 23c to 25c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Jan. 28.

Floating cargoes—Wheat none; corn strong.
Cargoes on passage—Wheat firm; corn strong.
Mark Lane—English wheat firm, foreign firmer; corn American strong, Danube firm; flour firm.
French country markets quiet.
Liverpool—Spot wheat easier; corn quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 28.

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

	Jan. 26.				Jan. 27.				Jan. 28.			
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Spring	7	7½	7	8	7	8	7	8½	7	8	0	0
Red winter	7	6½	0	0	7	7	0	0	7	7	0	0
No. 1 Cal	7	11	0	0	7	11½	8	0	7	11½	8	0
Corn	5	6	0	0	5	6	0	0	5	6	0	0
Peas, per c.	5	8	0	0	5	7½	0	0	5	7½	0	0
Pork	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0
Lard	30	3	0	0	30	6	0	0	30	3	0	0
Bacon, s. c.	28	0	00	0	28	0	28	0	27	6	00	0
Bacon, l. c.	28	0	28	0	28	0	00	0	27	6	27	6
Tallow	25	0	00	0	25	0	00	0	25	0	00	0
Cheese, wh.	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0	51	6	00	0
Cheese, col.	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0	51	6	00	0

Wheat steady, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn steady, demand poor.

American Markets.

OSWEGO, Jan. 28.

WHEAT—Quiet; white State quoted at $1 04½.

CORN—Market dull; No. 2 yellow at 63c.

BARLEY—Unchanged; nominal; No. 2 Canada at 81c; No. 2 extra Canada at 86c; No. 1 Canada at 91c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—Jan., 91½c; May, 96⅝c; July, 92c.

CORN—Jan., 49c to 49½c; Feb., 49⅝c; May, 52⅝c.

OATS—Jan., 44c; May, 45⅝c; June, 44½c.

MESS PORK—Feb., $9 60; March, $9 80; May, $10 12½.

LARD—Feb., $5 70; March, $5 80; May, $6 07 to $6 07½.

SHORT RIBS—Feb., $4 62½; March, $4 77½; May, $5 12½.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 91½c to 92c; No. 2 red, 93⅝c to 94c; No. 2 corn, 49½c; No. 2 oats, 43⅝c to 44c; No. 2 rye, 71c; mess pork, $9 62½; lard, $5 67½ to $5 70; short ribs sides, $4 50 to $4 65; dry salted shoulders, $4 05 to $4 10; short clear sides, $4 90 to $5.

Receipts—			
Flour, bbls	17,000	Wheat, bu	17,000
Corn, bu	134,000	Oats, bu	108,000
Rye	17,000	Barley	63,000
Shipments—			
Flour, bbls	13,000	Wheat, bu	30,000
Corn, bu	123,000	Oats, bu	123,000
Rye, bu	4,000	Barley, bu	25,000

TOLEDO, Jan. 28.

WHEAT—96⅝c cash, 99½c May, 91½c July, 90⅝c asked Aug.

CORN—52c cash, 53½c May.

DETROIT, Jan. 28.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 97c cash; No. 2 red, 97⅝c cash, 99½c bid May, 91½c July, 90c Aug.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 28.

WHEAT—86⅝c cash, 90⅝c May 88⅝c July.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.

FLOUR—Firm; fair business.

WHEAT—Receipts, 18,000 bu; exports, 164,515; sales, 1,760,000 bu futures; 23,000 bu spot; spot ⅛c higher, with options quiet, No. 2 red, $1 07⅞ to $1 07⅞, elevator; No. 1 Northern, $1 13; No. 1 hard, $1 17; options moderatively active; advanced in part ⅛c to ⅜c; No. 2 red, Jan., Feb. and March, $1 07⅞; May, $1 04⅞; June, $1 02⅞; July, 98⅝c; Aug., 95⅝c; Dec., 98c.

RYE—Quiet; 81c to 82c.

BARLEY—Quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 81c to 82c; ungraded western, 76c to 90c; Canada, No. 1, 93c to 95c; No. 2 extra, 90c; two-rowed State, 81c to 83c.

BARLEY MALT—Nominal.

CORN—Receipts, 22,750 bu; exports, 4,648 bu; sales, 368,000 bu futures; 39,000 bu spot; spot stronger; dull; scarce; ungraded mixed, 61½c to 64c; options ⅛c to ⅜c higher; firm; Jan., 62½c; Feb., 62c; May, 59⅝c; July, 59⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 32,000 bu; sales, 35,000 bu futures; 112,000 bu spot; spot firmer; quiet; options, dull; Jan. and Feb., 51½c; May, 51⅝c; spot, No. 2, 52c to 53c; mixed western, 50c to 54c; white do., 51c to 65½c.

SUGAR—Quiet; standard "A," 6 1-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 6½c; powdered, 6½c; granulated, 6¼c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Hogs—Receipts, 51,000 quality not quite so good; left over, 7,600; market active on packing and shipping account; feeling weak; prices, 5c to 10c lower. Sales ranged: $2 50 to $3 25 for pigs, $3 25 to $3 50 for light, $3 35 to $3 45 for rough packing, $3 35 to $3 55 for mixed, $3 45 to $3 60 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 14,500; quality fair; market moderately active on local and shipping account; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $5 10 to $5 60 for choice to fancy shipping steers; $4 40 to $5 for good to choice do, $3 25 to $4 25 for common to fair do, $2 75 to $3 60 for butchers' steers, $2 25 to $2 50 for stockers, $2 10 to $2 70 for Texans, $2 70 to $3 25 for feeders, $1 25 to $2 75 for cows, $1 50 to $3 for bulls, and $3 to $5 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; quality fair; demand active; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $3 50 to $5 for Westerns, $3 75 to $5 10 for natives, $4 75 to $6 for lambs.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Jan. 28.—Oil to-day opened and closed at $1 30.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. Bernard Brown, of Morriston, is visiting friends in the city.

—Mr. Samuel Chadwick, of Montreal, was at the Tecumseh to-day.

—Miss Nora Clench, the famous young Canadian violinist, will appear in this city shortly.

—Rev. W. J. Clark will address the young men's meeting in Victoria Hall Sunday afternoon.

—William Marshall and Sarah Ann Langdon were removed from the jail to the asylum yesterday afternoon.

—R. E. Ardiel, V.S., Thorndale, Ont., has gone on a holiday trip to Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, for a couple of weeks.

—The case against William Fulton, charged with stealing lumber from Hugh McWilliams, of London township, has been dismissed.

—Rev. J. W. Clarke, from Ingersoll, will (D.V.) preach in Middlemiss at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 1; also in Melbourne at 3 p.m. and in Appin at 7 p.m. the same date.

—The Young Liberal Minstrels returned from Chatham at an early hour this morning in their special car. The Grand Opera House was packed last night with even a larger audience than that which opened the minstrels' season in this city. The performance was well put on and more than delighted the enthusiastic Chathamites. Several hundred were present from Sarnia, Dresden, Wallaceburg and other points.

—Tuesday night's meeting in King Street Presbyterian Church was the largest attended of any week night meeting yet held. Mr. Macdonald delivered the address, taking as his text Luke, iv., 18-20. He was assisted in the opening and closing exercises by Rev. Messrs. J. Allister Murrey and the pastor, Rev. Walter M. Roger. A song service prior to the opening of the regular meeting was largely attended, and was under the leadership of Miss Bella Cole.

Who Is Jackson Johns?

Postmaster Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, has received a letter from W. H. Nesbitt, of Hagerstown, Washington county, Maryland, inclosing a notice of the death, from typhoid fever, of Jackson Johns, of St. Thomas, aged 23 years, at Bellevue Hospital there, on Jan. 3. He was interred in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. Mr. Nesbitt says before Mr. Johns became delirious he told him he had an aunt in St. Thomas, but did not mention her name. W. Johns was for many years a mill owner at Orwell, and afterwards bought the Turville mills in London township, where he died. It is very probable that he is a near relative of the deceased.

Inspector Boyle Dead.

The well-known Inspector of Public Schools for this city, Mr. J. B. Boyle, died suddenly last night at his office in the Central school buildings. Mr. Anderson, son-in-law of deceased, and School Trustee Johnston found him sitting dead in his chair at about 12 o'clock, he having left his house early in the evening to perform some work at his desk. Mr. Boyle was a man of remarkable vigor for one over 80 years old, and had been with London's schools since 1855. He leaves two daughters—one married. This sad intelligence will be received with both surprise and regret by many Londoners and former Londoners.

Farce-Comedy.

A musical farce-comedy entitled "The Dazzler" will be presented by Lydia Thompson's company at the Grand Friday evening. The New York Mirror of Saturday says: "It would seem as if the gods did not bestow all of their love on those who die young. Here we have Lydia Thompson, who was wont to draw our forefathers to the playhouses, capering about at the New Park this week like a sweet young thing in her teens. Mulligan, of Bally Mulligan, pursues Kitty Starlight, an actress, throughout the performance, and finally induces her to marry him, as he declines to be rejected under any circumstances. Miss Thompson personated Kitty Starlight with amusing vivacity, and Thomas J. Grady proved as wild and uncouth an Irishman. Max Miller was capital as Tannauser Bock, and Joe A. Ott and Sherman Wade were also quite funny in their respective roles. R. S. Nodine and Jessa Hatcher sang various popular numbers in a pleasing manner, and Annie Carter was quite captivating in a music hall selection. With the exception of a portion of the first act, the performance was lively and entertaining throughout."

The young woman who proposes marriage to a man is only trying to make a name for herself.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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Preparing for the Rush.—Anticipating a greater demand than ever at house-cleaning time for wall paper, window shades, cornice poles, etc., I am preparing to meet it by laying in a large and well selected stock of the above; and in order to make it to your interest to deal with me, we will offer some genuine bargains in the above lines. Don't fail to inspect our line before making your purchases. E. N. HUNT, 190 Dundas street. ywt

TELEGRAMS IN A NUTSHELL.

The Russian Government has increased the import duty on unrefined petroleum.

A soup kitchen will be started at Kingston, Ont., by the Woman's Christian Association.

Mme. Bernhardt sailed from Havre for New York Tuesday, accompanied by 45 trunks.

An extensive phosphate deposit has been discovered in the township of Loughborough, Frontenac.

Three thousand telephone subscribers in New York city have had no telephone communication since Sunday's storm.

The Anglo-American Archæological Society is in session in Rome under the presidency of the Earl of Dufferin, British Ambassador.

The United States barbed wire manufacturers have decided to form a Columbia patent company to handle and control the barbed wire.

The Indiana Senate has adopted the House resolution not to make an appropriation for the World's Fair if the Force Bill becomes a law.

The bark Crown Jewel left Sydney, C. B., on Nov. 24 loaded with coal for New York, and has not been heard from since. Ed. Graffan was her captain.

A Fairport, Iowa, telegram says: A. C. Brandt, while drilling a well on his farm near here, found at the depth of 320 feet a vein of silver 16 inches thick.

In the House of Commons Under Secretary Fergusson stated that the weather was bad for seal fishing in Behring Sea, but the seals were as plentiful as ever.

The following telegram has been received at Winnipeg: "There is no truth in the rumor that 100 Bloods have left their reserve and gone on the war path."

While coupling cars at Moosomin, Man., on Tuesday, K. H. Skinner slipped and fell and was crushed between the cars. His injuries will probably prove fatal.

The Chippewa Indians on the Red Lake reservation are dancing, and the people living on the borders of the reservation are greatly alarmed. Troops have been asked for.

The Portuguese press and landowners are becoming alarmed at the dearth of cultivators, and demand that the Goverment shall put a stop to emigration, as husbandry is suffering.

The school attached to the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral at Garden City, L. I., has been closed to stamp out an epidemic of scarlet fever which has broken out at the institution.

Advices from Zanzibar state that the Portuguese on that river are rigorously boycotting the British, and do not permit the natives to sell even the necessaries of life to English vessels.

A Shanghai dispatch says that the Imperial Government is seriously considering the abolition of export duties on tea, which has lately injured Chinese competition with Japanese and Ceylon teas.

At Windsor, Ont., on Tuesday, Jessie Bain, Michael Lee, Charles Williams, Mike McDonnell and Charles Johnston were each fined $4 50 by Magistrate Bartlett for disturbing the Salvation Army.

The committee appointed by the Italian authorities to investigate and report a plan to connect the city of Rome by a ship canal with the sea have reported that the project would cost 80,000,000 lire.

The new C. P. R. steamer Empress of India, which recently made a successful trial trip, will leave Liverpool on Saturday with 170 passengers on her world-girdling trip, for which every berth is engaged.

Alfred Gre[illegible] and another workman named David Clark were seriously injured at Hamilton on Tuesday by a derrick falling on them while they were working on the excavation for a foundation for the inclined railway.

There is a report afloat that Robert Ray Hamilton, of New York, who was reported to have been drowned last June while hunting, is alive and well, and that he has probably left the United States under an assumed name.

The Gladstone newspapers claim that some of the utterances in Parnell's Waterford speech indicated a willingness to truckle to Tory ideas, and especially a remark in which he admitted the Queen's right to veto a bill passed in Parliament.

Andrew Stevenson, one of the victims of typhoid at Knox College, Toronto, has been afflicted by a paralytic stroke, the result of the fever. The other typhoid patients have recovered. Mr. John McCrae, one of those who was on the sick list, returned to college last week.

The Department of Public Works at Ottawa has received conscience money of $250 through a Toronto priest.

The Present Belongs to Man.

A great writer says: "The moment past is no longer; the future may never be; the present is all of which man is the master."

The man or woman who is mentally and physically afflicted with any of the brain and nerve troubles now so very prevalent, can gain no advantage or relief by brooding over past sufferings; nor can the future safely be counted on as to what results it will bring. The present is theirs alone, and demands immediate work and action. If you look for the future, you must prepare yourself for it. That nervous feeling and fearful trembling sensation must be banished; that feeling of extreme irritableness, that sleeplessness and state of exhaustion must be got rid of; your indigestion and dyspepsia must banish before you grasp at the future and what is dimly seen in the distance.

Act at once; be decisive, be noble to yourself. Despair never enters a brave heart; your condition is not hopeless while Paine's Celery Compound can be procured. It is the only remedy that can give permanent relief; its results are sure and unfailing in all cases. The weak and nervous are made steady and strong; the sleepless obtain sweet repose; the irritable are made happy and joyous, and years added to existence on earth.

The Fulton, Ky., gourmand who undertook to eat three quails a day for 30 days, stumbled at his 29th bird on the tenth day of his task.

Mothers

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

A tourmaline ledge, recently discovered on a farm near Auburn, Me., is said to have already yielded $7,500 worth of gems.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

Gossip has it that Den Thompson will retire from the stage at the end of this season.

Mrs. Langtry is said to have accepted Justin McCarthy's dramatic adaptation of "Carmen."

"The People's Idol" having failed, Wilson Barrett has revived "The Silver King" in London.

Patti has arranged for a tour to Russia. She has also signed with Sig. Lago to sing in opera next season.

Mme. Modjeska was not allowed to play in Warsaw for fear her reappearance there would stir up Polish patriotism that would be inimical to Russia.

Marie Wilt, the opera singer, has just endowed the city of Gratz with a fund of 100,000 florins, to be used in the support of students of music who are poor.

L'Allemand and Emma Juch are singing "Carmen" against each other at opposition theaters in California, with L'Allemand in the lead with critics and public.

Hugh Fay, the Irish comedian, who left the stage to try Dr. Koch's lymph and found that he did not need it, has decided not to act again. He is now in Colorado.

It seems odd enough, but it is nevertheless true, that there are not half a dozen managers in the whole profession worth $500,000, yet there are certainly five women who manage their own companies who can boast of wealth even exceeding this amount, namely: Lotta, Sarah Barnhardt, Lilly Langtry, Modjeska and the late Emma Abbott.

In "The Volunteer," now running in San Francisco, the hero and heroine make an ascent in a balloon to the top of the stage, while the air-ship is shot at by soldiers. The other night the balloon was struck by some missile accidentally loaded into a cannon, the gas escaped and the people came down with a thump.

Distress after eating, heartburn, sick headache and indigestion are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It also creates a good appetite.

Mrs. Eva B. Hart, who died near Syracuse N. Y., recently at the reputed age of 113, smoked as far back as her children can remember.

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

There are six Siamese students at Westminster College, a small institution at New Wilmington, Pa.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Sugar manufacturers ought to move in the most refined society.

The average number of hairs on the human scalp is from 90,000 to 120,000.

After all, getting grapes from your neighbor's vines is only a matter of pluck.

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Railway Wreck.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 28.—The New York and New England train that left Boston for Providence at 5:30 yesterday afternoon on the side of Franklin ran into three log cars loaded with manure. The passenger train was badly wrecked and everybody shaking-up. John Sanler, of Medford, Mass.; Gred A. Wood, Adams express agent, and Chas. Oakes, of Providence, were injured.

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

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London, Thursday, January 29.

Desperate Remedies

By Thomas Hardy,

AUTHOR OF "A PAIR OF BLUE EYES," "THE TRUMPET-MAJOR," ETC.

"Pooh—lead on," she said cornfully, "and don't lose your principal actor for the sake of torturing a poor subordinate like me."

He loosened her hand, gave her his arm, and dragged her out of the grove—making her run beside him until they had reached the rectory. A light was burning here, and an auxiliary of the detective's awaited him; a horse ready harnessed to a spring-cart was standing outside.

"You have come—I wish I had known that," the detective said to his assistant hurriedly and angrily. "Well, we've blundered—he's gone—you should have been here as I said! I was sold by that woman Miss Aldclyffe—she watched." He hastily gave directions in an undertone to this man. The concluding words were, "Go in to the rector, he's up. Detain Miss Aldclyffe. I, in the meantime, am driving to Troominster with this one, and for help. We shall be sure to have him when it gets light."

He assisted Anne into the vehicle, and drove off with her. As they went the clear dry road showed before them between the grassy quarters at each side, like a white riband, and made their progress easy. They came to Churchway Bower, where the highway was overhung by dense firs for some distance on both sides. It was totally dark here.

A smash; a rude shock. In the very midst of its length, at a point where the road began to drop down a hill the detective drove against something with a jerk which nearly flung them both to the ground.

The man recovered himself, placed Anne on the seat, and reached out his hand. He found that the off-wheel of his gig was locked in that of another conveyance of some kind.

"Hoy!" said the officer.

Nobody answered.

"Hey! you man asleep there," he said again.

No reply.

"Well, that's odd—this comes of the folly of traveling without gig-lamps because you expect the dawn. He jumped to the ground and turned on his lantern.

There was the gig which had obstructed him, standing in the middle of the road; a jaded horse harnessed to it, but no human being in or near the vehicle.

"Do you know whose gig this is?" he said to the woman.

"No," she said, sullenly. But she did recognize it as the steward's.

"I'll swear it is Manston's. Come, I can hear it by your tone. However, you needn't say anything which may incriminate you. What forethought the man must have had—how carefully he must have considered possibilities and contingencies. Why he must have got the horse and gig ready before he began shifting the body."

He listened for a sound among the trees. None was to be heard but the occasional scamper of a rabbit over the withered leaves. He threw the light of his lantern through a gap in the hedge, but could see nothing beyond an impenetrable thicket. It was clear that Manston was not many yards off, but the question was how to find him. Nothing could be done by the detective just then, encumbered as he was by the horse and Anne. If he had entered the thicket on a search unaided, Manston might have stepped forward from behind a bush and murdered him with the greatest ease. Indeed, there was such strong reasons for the exploit in Manston's circumstances at that moment that, without showing cowardice, his pursuer felt it hazardous to remain any longer where he stood.

He hastily tied the head of Manston's horse to the back of his own vehicle, that the steward might be deprived of the use of any means of escape other than his own legs, and drove on thus with his prisoner to Troominster. Arrived there, he lodged her in the police station, and then took immediate steps for the capture of Manston.

CHAPTER XX.

TWENTY HOURS.

I. March the twenty-third. Mid-day.

Thirty-six hours had elapsed since Manston's escape.

"It was market-day at Troominster. The farmers outside and inside the corn-exchange change looked at their samples of wheat, and poured them critically as usual from one palm to the other, but they thought and spoke of Manston. Grocers serving behind their counters, instead of using their constant phrase, "The next article, please?" substituted "Have you heard if he's caught?" Farmers and drovers standing beside their sheep and cattle-pens, spread their legs firmly, readjusted their hats, thrust their hands into the lowest depths of their pockets, regarded the animals with the utmost keenness of which the eye was capable, and said, "Ay, ay, so's; they'll have him afore night."

Later in the day, Edward Springgrove passed along the street hurriedly and anxiously. "Well, have you heard any more?" he said to an aquaintance who accosted him.

They tracked him in this way," said the other young man. "A vagrant first told that Manston had passed a rick at daybreak under which this man was lying. They followed the track he pointed out and ultimately came to a stile. On the other side was a heap of half-hardened mud, scraped from the road. On the surface of the heap, where it had been smoothed by the shovel, was distinctly imprinted the form of a man's hand, the buttons of his waistcoat, and his watch chain, showing that he had stumbled in hurrying over the stile, and fallen there. The pattern of the chain proved the man to have been Manston. They followed on until they reached a ford crossed by stepping-stones—on the farther bank were the same footmarks that had shown themselves beside the stile. The whole of this course had been in the direction of Budmouth. On they went, the next clue was furnished by a shepherd. He said that wherever a clear space three or four yards wide ran in a line through a flock of sheep lying about a ewe-lease, it was a proof that somebody had passed there not more than half an hour earlier. At 12 o'clock that day he had noticed such a feature in his flock. Nothing more could be heard of him and they got into Budmouth. The steam-packet to the Channel Islands was to start at 11 last night, and they at once concluded that his hope was to get to France by the way of Jersey and St. Malo—his only chance, all the railway stations being watched.

"Well, they went to the boat; he was not on board then. They went again at 10:30; he had not come. Two men now placed themselves under the lamp immediately under the gangway. Another stayed by the office door, and one or two more up East street—the short cut to the pier. At 10:45 the mail-bags were put on board. Whilst the attention of the idlers was directed to the mails, down East street came a man as boldly as possible. The gait was Manston's, but not the clothes. He passed over to the shaded part of the street; heads were turned. I suppose this warned him, for he never emerged from the shadow. They watched and waited, but the steward did not reappear. The alarm was raised—they searched the town high and low—no Manston's. All this morning they have been searching, but there's not a sign of him anywhere. However, he has lost his chance of getting across the Channel. It is reported that he has since changed clothes with a laborer."

During this narration, Edward, lost in thought, had let his eyes follow a shabby man in a smock-frock, but wearing light boots—who was stalking down the street under a bundle of straw which overhung and concealed his head. It was a very ordinary circumstance for a man with a bundle of straw on his shoulders and overhanging his head to go down the High street of Troominster. Edward saw him cross the bridge which divided the town from the country, place his shaggy encumbrance by the side of the road, and leave it there.

(To be Continued.)

Their Name is Legion.

There is no lack of so-called cures for the common ailment known as corns. The vegetable, animal and mineral kingdoms have been ransacked for cures. It is a simple matter to remove corns without pain, for if you will go to any druggist or medicine dealer and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor and apply it as directed the thing is done. Get "Putnam's," and no other.

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Even the preachers are not averse to a joke that lies in the line of the professional funny man. One of them told the following in a city church lately when he was invited to speak: A traveler discovered a man lying on the ground one warm day within a foot or two of the shade of the tree. "Why don't you lie in the shade?" he inquired. "I did," replied the man, "but it has moved away from me and I can't afford to follow it." "Well, if you are not the best specimen of a lazy man I have seen yet! Make me another remark on a par with that and I'll give a quarter." The man said. "Put the quarter into my pocket." He got it.

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BORDER STATE BRIEFS.

Capt. Belknap has introduced a bill for a $100,000 public building at Ionia.

John Woodbeck, a soldier of the war of 1812, died lately at Pewamo, Mich., aged 101 years.

Cynthia Matthews, vice E. G. Bennett, removed, has been appointed postmistress at Yankee Springs, Barry county.

Dr. W. M. Edwards has been selected to run the Kalamazoo Asylum, vice Dr. Palmer, resigned. He has been with the institution eight years.

Eddie, the little 3-year-old son of Ernest Bublitz, Bay City, died from being scalded by falling in a tub of boiling water on Wednesday afternoon.

Bert Noble, son of Jacob Noble, of Battle Creek, fell through the ice on Willis Lake Thursday afternoon while skating and was drowned. His age was 14.

The Houghton Board of Supervisors have passed a resolution to submit to the voters the question of bonding Houghton county for $45,000, to build a new bridge across Portage Lake.

The Western plaster works, at Alabaster, is a new concern with $400,000 paid-in capital. The capacity of the works will be 125,000 barrels yearly. Alabaster is a coast town in Iosco county.

Eddie Budlitz fell into a tub of boiling water at Bay City and was scalded to death. He was alone in the house at the time, his mother having stepped over to a neighbor's just for a moment.

Allie Bedford, the lad who escaped from jail at Coldwater by crawling through a hole less than six inches wide, is still at large. Before leaving the premises he appropriated a gun and overcoat belonging to a young son of the sheriff.

Hon. Joel Carpenter, Blissfield, died suddenly of heart disease while at his breakfast table Thursday. Mr. Carpenter was 73 years of age. He had been a resident of Michigan since 1836 and a member of many Legislatures during and before the war.

A Bay City item says: As the pine comes to the Saginaw Valley in less and less quantities, other qualities of wood will increase in a still larger proportion. During the past year over 28,000,000 of hard and hemlock lumber has been manufactured on this river.

Three shallow lakes near Gobleville have been drained into a big canal and over 1,000 acres of swamp land reclaimed. When connection was made between the lakes and the ditch the water rushed out like a flood, and two men were nearly drowned in the torrent.

Fred Frankel, a well-to-do farmer of Waterloo township, Jackson county, was found hanging by the neck from a stanchion in his cow stable Thursday morning dead. Mr. Frankel was about 60 years of age. Last fall his wife left him, since which time he has been subject to fits of despondency.

At Weston, Lenawee county, the postmaster is being boycotted by his political enemies. They do it thus: The postmaster's revenue is from cancellation of stamps. The railroad runs through the heart of the town, so the people patronize the railway mail service and drop their letters into the car.

The body of Abram Kinnie, a farmer living in Webber township, about six miles from Baldwin, was found in his barn Friday. He had apparently been dead about 30 minutes, when discovered and cut down by one of his sons. No reason for the commission of the act could be gleaned, more than that he was despondent and gloomy. Mr. Kinnie was about 60 years old, and leaves a large grown-up family.

Saturday night Henry Clay, a man about 62 years old, was killed by a train on the Michigan Central Railroad, about half a mile east of Inkster. He was going toward Inkster on the railroad track. His body was terribly mangled, being cut in two. Clay lived about a quarter of a mile from where he was found. His body was taken to Wayne. Mr. Clay was one of the early settlers. He leaves a wife and several grown-up children.

The Attorney-General has decided that no bounty is payable on maple sugar produced prior to July 1, 1891. It is understood that the law takes effect April 1, 1891, so far as getting ready for the operation of the law is concerned—that is applying for and procuring licenses, filing the required bonds, etc.—and this must be done between April 1 and July 1, 1891, for the season beginning in the spring of 1892. The blanks will be ready for distribution to sugar-makers applying for them about April 1.

J. B. Ford & Co., the operators of the largest plate glass plant in the world, commenced drilling for salt in Wyandotte some time ago. The object of the company was that if salt in large quantities was found that chemical works would be established for the manufacture of soda ash and other ingredients used in the manufacture of plate glass. The other day the drill penetrated through a strata of salt 48 feet in thickness, and another lies below at a depth of about 1,200 feet of a thickness of more than 100 feet. This is eminently satisfactory to the promoters of the concern in Wyandotte, and it is expected that more than $1,000,000 will be invested. This is as great a supply of salt as has ever been found in Michigan.

Fishing through the ice is a booming winter industry at Bay City. A village has sprung up on the ice at the mouth of the Saginaw River. It is a gathering of huts, sheltering from one to six people each. When a fisherman arrives at the village with his hut, which is on runners, he preempts a claim and proceeds to business. First he cuts a hole in the ice near the middle of his shanty and, after throwing in a quantity of bait to attract the fish, he sits upon a box or barrel and patiently awaits a victim. The fish are speared or hooked, and sometimes with a rapidity that soon fills the little hut. There are about 100 of these fish shanties on the bay, and upwards of 300 men and boys hard at work.

The crop report of the United States Department of Agriculture for the month of December and the year 1890 shows that Michigan had a corn acreage of 977,188; the yield was 26,589,000 bushels, valued at $14,618,733. Michigan's wheat acreage was 1,501,561, the crop 20,271,000 bushels and the value $18,243,967. Michigan had 941,088 acres of oats, yielding 25,003,000 bushels, valued at $11,014,494. Of the condition of winter grain the Michigan State agent says the area of wheat sown is largely increased over last year, and it is looking remarkably well. The corn crop of 1889, like the two preceding years, was a light one, but the average price is larger. A correspondent from Grand Traverse county writes: "The greatest income our farmers have had is from potatoes, and as a result they are getting out of debt and general good feeling prevails." The hay crop is a good one and is bringing a fair price.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

TORONTO, Jan. 28—11 p.m.—It is moderately cold in the St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley; elsewhere the weather is comparatively mild. A depression from the Southwest States is nearing the lakes. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 8°—46°; Qu'Appelle, 10°—30°; Toronto, 24°—30°; Kingston, 12°—28°; Winnipeg, 18°—25°; Montreal, 10°—22°; Quebec, 8°; Halifax, 16°—34°.

Local temperatures—Highest, 32°; lowest, 18°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Jan. 29—10 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Mostly cloudy and mild, with east to south winds and some rain, or in the northern portion, sleet or snow.

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—Alfred street reports another case of scarlet fever.

—The young lady who advertised a bracelet lost may obtain it at this office.

—Miss Fanny Walker, from Detroit, is visiting Mrs. Lewis on Wharncliffe road.

—The young men's rally at Victoria Hall Sunday afternoon will be addressed by Rev. W. J. Clark.

—The north Wellington street cut-off looks less isolated now that it is supplied with electric light.

—Mr. John Wilson, of New York, formerly of this city, spent Tuesday with former acquaintances.

—Misses Emily and Nellie Allinson, of Horton street, are visiting friends in Hensall and Clinton.

—Mr. J. W. Davis, of Toronto, brother of the water commissioner, spent his birthday in the city Tuesday.

—Residents in that vicinity are hoping for an electric light at the corner of St. James and George streets.

—The Mail's Ottawa correspondent again suggests the probability of Hon. John Carling taking the Ontario Governorship.

—The 21st annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in Kingston, Feb. 5 to 8. It is desired that London be represented.

—Bernard Dunn, living near the Asylum, was remanded for a week by the police magistrate yesterday, on a charge of insanity.

—Mr. Stevens, of Stevens, Turner & Burns, and Mrs. Stevens, returned this morning from a visit to Ontario.—[Winnipeg Free Press.

—Bishop O'Connor delivered the inaugural address at the formal opening of the Young Men's Catholic Club of Peterboro on Monday night.

—Mr. Frank Kirchmer, manager of the Grand Opera House, has received word of the death of his father at Dayton, Ohio, aged 73. The manager is the only near relative of deceased.

—The regular Tuesday evening prayer meeting at the North End Mission was conducted by Rev. Geo. Boyd. These meetings are proving a source of much interest in that previously-neglected neighborhood.

—Mr. Dick, of this city, returned a few days ago from Spokane. He says the Winnipeg residents of that new town are doing well. David Glass is the owner of a large town site of 600 acres, and assisted by his son Chester is making lots of money.—[Winnipeg Tribune.

—At Osgoode Hall Tuesday the case of Elson vs. Elson came up for adjudication. Purdom (London), for the plaintiff, moved for judgment in an action for administration upon the consent of the adult defendant. F. W. Harcourt for the infant defendants. Judgment reserved.

—The many friends of Mr. Thomas R. Parker, city agent of the C. P. R., will be pleased to learn that since his arrival in England his health has very much improved, and his medical advisers there state that ere long he will be fully restored and able to resume his duties.

—As the early morning passenger train for the west was being shunted down the C. P. R. yard Tuesday it was struck by an east going freight at the Maitland street crossing. Two of the passenger coaches were badly smashed and the locomotive of the freight was also considerably damaged. None of the train men were seriously hurt.

—The next concert in the series arranged by the Young Men's Christian Association will be an English national concert, and will be given on Feb. 17. Mrs. Celeste V. Keltie and other well-known singers will take part. On St. Patrick's Day, March 17, a grand Irish national concert will be given, when Mr. Fred Warrington, Toronto's favorite baritone will take a leading part. These national concerts are proving very successful indeed, the Scotch concert having been well attended by Scotia's sons and daughters. The remaining number of the series will be even better than the others and should be well patronized.

—Sergt. Thomas English, the present license inspector of this city, has decided to accept the chieftainship of the Calgary police force, offered him by the council of that town. Sergt. English is a native of London, Ont., but has been a resident of Winnipeg since the winter of 1881-2. In January, 1882, he was appointed a member of the city police force, and was promoted to the rank of sergeant in 1883. He continued in the position till April, 1886, when he retired and was appointed license inspector. The sergeant had the reputation of being a good policeman, and as license inspector has given satisfaction to the council.—[Winnipeg Tribune.

The New Officers for 1891.

The Epworth League connected with the Askin Street Methodist Church held its annual meeting in the school room of that church Tuesday evening. There was a large number of the members present, and the reports from the several committees, each showing its respective department to be in a flourishing condition, were received with applause. The election of officers resulted as follows: N. W. Rowell, president; Wm. Copp, first vice-president, chairman of the Christian work department; Miss Watt, second vice-president, who will look after the literary pursuits of the league; A. D. Westman, third vice-president, to whom will be committed the social interests of the members; Miss Cosford, fourth vice-president, who will superintend all the league's entertainments; Harry Harding, fifth vice-president, on whom will devolve the attention of the correspondence; and Mr. W. Greenwood, sixth vice-president, who will look after the finances.

Foresters Enjoy Themselves.

A pleasant time was spent Tuesday night by the members of Court Brighton, A.O.F., in their hall. When "Good and Welfare of the Order" was reached in the business of the meeting, an extension of time was given for the reception of the members of the juvenile branch of the court, who were also accompanied by the members of Forest Home Circle, No. 67, Companions of the Forest. After an address of welcome was presented to the visitors, the following programme was rendered for their entertainment: Selection, Harmonica Band; reading, Bro. W. Anderson; reading, Miss Dolly Peacock; recitation, Miss Lily White; musical selection, Harmonica Band; speech, D. C. R. Bro. Bartlett; speech, Bro. W. Richards, P. C. R., and secretary Court 7,544; speech, Bro. R. Taylor, P. C. R. Court 5,660; speech, Bro. Wallace, president of juvenile branch, who stated that the branch numbered 31, and was only a little over one year old. All debts were paid and a good cash balance was on hand; musical selection, Harmonica Band; speech, Miss Lily White, chief companion Forest Home Circle 67, in which she stated that the circle numbered 43 and was in a prosperous condition; Scotch recitation, Bro. W. Anderson; and selection, Harmonica Band.

The Schubert Concert.

The large audience at Victoria Hall Tuesday night were evidently well pleased with their evening's entertainment. It would probably have been still better appreciated had the air of the room been kept a little fresher. The Schubert Quartet met with a favorable reception. The opening quartet, "Comrades in Arms," was probably their best, though the incidental Southern bit, "Dixie," thrown in as an encore, was unusually dainty. Hatton's setting of Tennyson's "Bugle Song" has been heard lately from Mr. Birks' male quartet, and though it was given well last night by the "Schuberts," we prefer Mr. Birks'. Miss Baldwin is a singer of admirable capabilities, in different styles, as for example, in the classical airs and variations of her first selection, as well as in "The Beating of My Own Heart," later on. Considerable interest was evinced in the violin playing of Mr. George Fox, regarded by many as our coming Canadian violinist. There is no reason why our young friend should not return from his European studies, if they are rightly pursued, a very promising artist. But we think it was hardly fair to so young a performer to permit of three recalls—making six appearances in all. It was neither fair to young Mr. Fox nor to the audience. We regret to say that the Encore Hog was rampant all the evening, rooting his way persistently throughout the programme. This custom of a few enthusiasts or partisans wearing out the palms of their hands to force additional selections, even though the judicious majority would prefer the carrying out of the programme as it stands, is one not to be encouraged. We must not forget to mention the excellent accompanists, Miss Georgiella Lay and Miss Quita Moore.

Gratefully Remembered.

The members of Adelaide Street Baptist Church held a special meeting Tuesday evening chiefly to deal with business matters left over from the recent annual gathering. Not the least pleasing part of the proceedings was the public and tangible recognition by the church of the obligations which the members feel they owe to their faithful and indefatigable treasurer, Mr. Thomas Woodburne. In the course of the evening Mr. Woodburne was surprised by being called before the meeting, when Pastor H. C. Speller, on behalf of the church and himself, presented the treasurer with a kindly-worded address. The address referred to the fact that while words or acts of appreciation often reached a faithful worker after he had dropped out of office or left the place, Mr. Woodburne's associates in the church wished during his term of actual service to make known their heartfelt appreciation of his unselfish and painstaking performance of the responsible, arduous and often onerous duties of treasurer. While they felt justly thankful for their church's financial standing and record, and the success which had attended its building operations and the conduct of its business affairs generally, they felt that under God, this marked measure of success was largely due to the patient, systematic and untiring efforts of Treasurer Woodburne. The fact that he had year after year been re-elected without a dissenting voice, and that during his long term of service (nearly ten years) he had held the uninterrupted confidence of the church, might be regarded by him as strong proof of their gratitude and trust; but they wished in a more marked and tangible way to show their recognition of his self-denying, patient, diligent service on their behalf. They were not unmindful of the personal inconvenience to which he had frequently been subjected; of the extra hours of labor entailed upon him, of the demands upon a strength too often overtaxed, and the excellent spirit in which he had met and borne all. They requested their treasurer, therefore, to accept a purse of money, which was proffered him as a token of their high esteem and regard, with the prayer that he might long be preserved to his family and the church. The address was signed on behalf of the church by the pastor, H. C. Speller, and Deacons W. Irvine, H. Edwards, G. F. Robertson, A. J. Watson, F. Reed and W. Gurney. Mr. Woodburne was entirely unprepared for such a demonstration, but in a few feeling and appropriate words voiced his heartfelt pleasure at the expression of confidence and Christian sympathy which the address and its accompanying present betokened.

W. C. T. U.

At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. Tuesday afternoon the following ladies joined the temperance ranks: Mesdames Tibbs, Cook, Vining, Morphy, White, Millar, Burgess, Howie, Somerville, Webster, Hodson, Ruse, Williams, Chambers, Showley, Crowther, McGaffin, Misses Tibbs, Macdonald, Moore, Somerville, Bryant and Brown. Mr. C. F. Colwell and Mr. F. C. Somerville were nominated as honorary members. The union now numbers 224 members. Cash receipts for tickets sold for Rev. Anna Shaw's lecture were $97 80; expenses, $36 50: clear profits, $61 30. It was decided that $20 be donated to the Y. M. C. A. on account of the loss sustained by them through the Stanley lecture, and in acknowledgment of kindness shown by them to the union. Moved and seconded, and carried, that the corresponding secretary be authorized to correspond with Mrs. Zerelda Wallace (the mother of Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur") to learn her terms, and whether the union can have the pleasure of expecting her here to lecture for them. It is deemed advisable to ascertain just how many persons appear before the police magistrate each month, charged with drunkenness. During the month of December, 1890, 63 persons, charged with being drunk, or drunk and disorderly, were brought before the city police magistrate. Some eight or ten were guilty of disorderly behavior, or of fighting, and, though not sufficiently intoxicated to justify the charge of drunkenness, they had all undoubtedly indulged in strong drink. A feature of the meeting was a paper on "Heredity," by Miss Ethelwyn Wetherald, which will be published in the ADVERTISER at an early date.

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