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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIED.

M'LAREN—UREN—On Wednesday, Sept. 23, in St. James' Church, St. Marys, by the Rev. W. J. Taylor, James A. McLaren to Alice M., daughter of Mr. T. B. Uren, London, both of St. Marys.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

CITY POOL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT at Grigg House now on. Games commence at 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock. This afternoon Ryan and Dunham are matched, and this evening Horsman and Sheere. b

MUSIC HALL—TONIGHT—AND EVERY NIGHT DURING THE WEEK PROF. W. G. ALEXANDER, IN HIS INIMITABLE LECTURES ON HUMAN NATURE. PUBLIC EXAMINATION ON THE STAGE AT THE CLOSE.
Private examinations each day from 10 a.m. at the hall. Admission silver collection. Wednesday evening, "Love, Courtship, Marriage and Jealousy." 18tf

GRAND MUSICAL EVENT—THE COMING of Anton Seidl Orchestra of 60 musicians; the greatest in America; assisted by Marie Decker, prima donna, and Julia Rene King, pianist. Subscription list at Norheimer's Agency, 183 Dundas street. 22u

$30—SECOND CABIN EXCURSIONS—Philadelphia to Liverpool via American Line, giving passengers use of first cabin staterooms, two, three or four in rooms. Particulars from FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—CLASSES as follows: Gentlemen Mondays; ladies Tuesdays, 8 p.m.; ladies and children Saturdays, 3 p.m. Circulars on application. Special reduction to former pupils. Orchestra for balls, etc. DAYTON & McCORMICK.

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

Meetings.

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

EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, I. O. O. F. meets Tuesday evening. Members are requested to attend the lodge meetings. Visitors welcome. z

Male Help Wanted.

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

WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

AGENTS—WANTED—$20 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

Domestics Wanted.

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

YOUNG GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; one preferred who could sleep at home. 775 Waterloo street. 23c

WANTED—A GOOD COOK; REFERENCES required. Apply to MRS. JOHN LABATT, 572 Queen's avenue. 23tf

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—Small family; references required. Apply MRS. FRED HEATH, 25 Marley Place, South London. 22tf

GENERAL SERVANTS—HOUSEMAIDS, nurse girls, housekeepers and girls for all kinds of work on hand at Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street. 'Phone 1121.

WANTED—25 GENERALS, ALSO dining-room girls, chamber maids, kitchen girls and cooks. ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

Lost and Found.

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

GOLD LOCKET (ENGRAVED); LOST—Address F. DUNN, London Printing and Lithographing Company. Reward. b

STRAYED OR STOLEN FROM 300 Oxford street, two 3-year-old colts; one bright bay, four white stockings; iron gray pony with one white front foot. Information rewarded. Address W. C. MAKER, 492 Ridout street, London. 21c

Agents Wanted.

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DO YOU FIND TIMES HARD?—IT'S because you handle the wrong article. Try our fast reliable sellers and you will find things different. Five new books, prices from 50c to $1 75. Don't fool away time, but get hold of something you can sell in every house. If you want to make a few hundred dollars by Christmas write us and get to work at once, but if you are making $5 per day, don't waste time writing, just remember though, we are headquarters for "hard times" books. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto. 22 tf

Educational.

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

MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and professional examinations; 808 Waterloo street. 20tf

Board and Lodging.

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

COMFORTABLE ROOMS AND BOARD for ladies at 474 Colborne street. 23tf

THREE OR FOUR GENTLEMEN CAN be accommodated with comfortable bedrooms, early breakfast and smoking-room; modern improvements, good locality, in private house. Apply for particulars to box H, Advertiser office. 22c

GOOD BOARD AND LODGING—APPLY at 465 Elizabeth street. 22u

A FEW PERSONS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with board and comfortable rooms at 447 Dundas street. 18n

Real Estate.

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

FOR SALE—FINE TWO-STORY NEW brick house at a bargain. Four acres near city limits; good house, stable, etc.; ornamental and fruit trees. A few good houses to let. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT NEAR the Grand Trunk Shops, 630 York street. Apply at 654 York street. 22tf

S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Articles For Sale.

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

APPLE BARRELS—663-671 BATHURST street, east end. C. W. SMITH. 11ba-eod

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER-CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. z

FOR SALE—BALANCE OF SUMMER goods, fly nets and dusters, at cost. J. DARCH & SONS, 377 and 379 Talbot street.

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine is in daily operation and can be seen at The Advertiser office, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

CIDER BARRELS, APPLE BARRELS and liners at lowest market price. London and Petrolea Barrel Company, London, Simcoe street east. 19bu

FOR SALE CHEAP—TWO DOUBLE roughcast cottages, corner Dufferin avenue and Elizabeth street. Apply LEWIS CLARK, 358 Rectory street.

ONE SMALL DRILL PRESS IN GOOD order. Gun, bicycle and general repairing. D. McKENZIE & Co., 388 Richmond street.

APPLE BARRELS FOR SALE—APPLY J. D. SAUNBY, London.

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

9 SECOND-HAND ORGANS BY RELIABLE makers; prices ranging from $10 upwards. Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street. H. W. BURNETT, manager.

FOR SALE—TWO BARBERS' CHAIRS, nearly new dressing case, mirrors, etc; cheap. Apply at 60½ Dundas street, London. 79tf

1 JIG SAW—ONE MELODEON—FOR sale cheap at the Ark.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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

TO RENT—440 KING STREET 9 ROOMS, double parlors, bath room and furnace. Apply next door. 23k zywt

TO LET—TWO NEW DWELLING houses, all modern conveniences, including plumbing and heating. Apply 253 Talbot street. 13tf eod

TO LET—PRETTY COTTAGE—CORNER St. James and Waterloo. Apply next door. 22n

$5.50 PER MONTH WILL RENT NEW cottage, 6 rooms, one block south of Hamilton road, on Alma and Inkermann streets. Will sell with small payment down and monthly payments to suit purchaser. Apply 389 Maitland street. 21n

TO RENT—A FIRST-CLASS NEW BRICK house, No. 244 Hyman street, hot water heating, every modern convenience. Apply 240 Hyman street. 22tf

473 COLBORNE STREET—9 ROOMS—modern, next Queen's avenue. Apply E. H. JOHNSTON, 436½ Richmond street. 22n

TO RENT—TWO LARGE ROOMS IN the Ontario Loan and Debenture Company Building, Market Lane. Heated free. WM. F. BULLEN, Manager. 10tf tzx

TO LET—359 DUNDAS STREET—SUPERIOR brick residence; modern improvements; very central; rent reasonable. A. A. CAMPBELL, Molsons Bank Building. 19n

FINE COTTAGE—SIX ROOMS—98 BRUCE street, South London. Key next door west. 18n

TO LET—246 PICCADILLY STREET—NINE rooms; seven doors east of Richmond. Apply 148 Fullarton street. 16tf

TO LET—131 MAPLE STREET—TWO-STORY brick; modern convenience; third street north of postoffice. JAS. GILLEAN, 133 Maple street. 100tf

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE TO RENT—173 Kent street, south side, near Richmond; immediate possession. Apply to E. MEREDITH, Dundas street west. 6tf

HOUSE TO LET—428 PARK AVENUE—5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; city and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREBILCOCK, 235 Dundas street. 34tf

BRICK COTTAGE—173 LICHFIELD street—7 rooms, soft and city water. Apply next door, or 292 Central avenue, J. M. LOGAN. 24tf

Business Chances.

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FOR SALE—FLOUR AND CHOPPING mill in Granton; new boiler and first-class water supply and steam power. Pump making machinery and cider press in connection, six miles nearest opposition; splendid bargain. A. IRONSIDE, Granton, Ont. 23n

GENTLEMAN WISHES TO WORK farm on shares. Address box 13, Advertiser. 21c

GROCERY BUSINESS, STOCK AND fixtures for sale; good stand; low rent; good dwelling attached; business mostly cash. This is one of the best business chances ever offered. Must be sold at once. Good reasons. Apply box 37, Advertiser. 21n

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A CORNER grocery; cheap. 925 Colborne street. 20n

Miscellaneous.

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

THE LIQUOR HABIT—INTEMPERANCE—A new home treatment whereby a perfect cure is effected in a few days and without any self denial or publicity. This is an absolutely new treatment. It is a purely vegetable medicine taken internally, and does not interfere with business or other duties. Improvement from the first dose. Perfect secrecy guaranteed. Sworn testimonials (by permission) sent on application to Dr. McTaggart, London, Ont., or A. H. Dixon, 131 Avenue road, Toronto, Ont. 10tf tz

Wanted.

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

WANTED—SIX-ROOM COTTAGE—Price not to exceed $700; East London preferred. Address box 22, Advertiser office. 23c

City of London Tax Notice, 1896

Taxpayers are reminded that Sept. 30 is the last day on which discount may be obtained on the third insallment and percentage charges on the second instalment avoided. Do not put off payment till the last day, as it may be impossible to attend to all who desire to pay at so late a date. Please bring the exact change. It will save you time.

20n D. LESTER, A. McCOUBREY, } Collectors.

A broken heart you may heal, but a crushed obect is never of any further use.

Something Hatching.

Remarkable Diplomatic Activity Between Great Britain and France.

British Evacuation of Egypt Said to be Coming.

As the Price of Settling the Eastern Question.

Leading Frenchmen Disgusted With the Franco-Russian Alliance—Disturbing News From Cairo—Khedive Scheming Against Great Britain.

SEVEN LIVES LOST.

London, Sept. 28.—Seven lives were lost yesterday at Shield by the foundering of a boat that was overloaded.

ARTIST'S SAD DEATH.

London, Sept. 28.—Fred. Barnard, the artist of Black and White, has been burned to death in bed. It is supposed that the bed clothing caught fire while he was smoking.

AFTER THE DYNAMITERS.

London, Sept. 28.—The Netherlands Government has formulated charges against the alleged dynamiters, Kearney and Haines, accusing them of manufacturing explosives within the Netherlands kingdom.

AS THEY SHOULD BE.

London, Sept. 28.—An amnesty meeting was held at Tipperary yesterday, which was notable from the fact that Messrs. Redmond, Dillon and Daly all spoke. This is the first occasion since the death of Mr. Parnell that these rival leaders have addressed an audience from the same platform.

SOCIALISTS WIN.

London, Sept. 27.—The elections for members of the Diet of Gotha, for which the second son of Queen Victoria (the Duke of Edinburgh) is the reigning duke, which were held today, resulted in a great victory for the Socialists, who won nine out of nineteen seats. Elections are to be held in some districts, and there is a possibility that the Socialists will obtain an absolute majority in the Diet.

THE DANUBE CLEARED.

London, Sept. 28.—A Buda-Pesth dispatch says: "The great engineering work of removing the obstruction in the Danube, known as the Iron Gate, between Alt-Orsovain, Hungary, and Godova, in Servia, has finally been accomplished, and today the river was opened to navigation, with elaborate ceremonies by Emperor Francis Joseph. His Majesty was accompanied by King Carlo of Roumania, and King Alexander of Servia. A large number of diplomats, Ministers of Stat, and distinguished men were present. Included in the programme was a procession of steamers through the Iron Gate, which afforded proof of how successfully the work of removing the obstacles to navigation had been accomplished.

SCHEMING AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN.

London, Sept. 27.—The Times tomorrow will publish a dispatch from Cairo, saying it is currently stated in native circles, that the Khedive, who recently started on a tour of Europe, where he traveled incognito, took with him the draft of a scheme for the independence of Egypt. The draft was drawn at the Khedive's own direction by native officials. It is added that the Khedive, while in Paris, had an interview with M. Hanotaux, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs. The Times, in commenting upon the dispatch, declares that there is no foundation for the statements contained therein, and that it causes disquiet. It adds that evidence exists of underhand attempts being made to thwart the British reforms in Egypt, and that these attempts will cause trouble, unless they are checked. The Khedive sailed from Trieste for Egypt on Friday last.

REMARKABLE DIPLOMATIC ACTIVITY.

London, Sept. 28.—There is one point where there is a possibility of the disturbance of Russia's great schemes, and that is in her relations with France. There are at least some signs that French public men are beginning to realize that they are playing the Russian game to their own serious undoing. These suspicions have by no means extended to the common people, who are as Russophile as ever, but such men as Francois Deloncle, the leader of the diplomatic and colonial group in the Chamber, have spoken out this week in emphatic language. "If England had not forced France into that unnatural and abominable alliance with Russia," he said, "an alliance which angers me so much that I mean to go away into the country to escape all the shame of these grotesque fetes which are being prepared, the situation would be very different. France is being dragged ridiculously along at the tail of the Russian bear. England, by her unlawful occupation of a portion of the Sultan's dominions in defiance of her pledged word, has lost the right to address the Mussulman world. If this wrong were wiped out the solution of the European crisis would be incredibly less difficult. The first result would be a sincerely amicable rapprochement with France, whose infatuation for Russia would immediately subside. English statesmen refuse to understand that Egypt lies at the bottom of the entire eastern question, just as Alsace-Lorraine lies at the bottom of the entire continental question." Some slight indications during the past day or two suggest that this is precisely the resort to which Lord Salisbury is now turning. He has captured Dongola. Perhaps now he is ready to name the date for the English evacuation of Egypt as the price he is willing to pay for harmony in dealing with the Sultan. If there is anything in this suggestion it will certainly be as great a disappointment to Russia as it will be a great satisfaction to France. British diplomacy for once has been working with absolute secrecy, and not one indiscreet word has been dropped at the Foreign Office, but everything, great and small, goes to show the deep gravity of the situation. The mechanical work of copying dispatches is now done by highly placed officials. Communications with the Queen, passing over a private wire from Downing steet to Balmoral, which are usually sent in plain language, are now sent in cipher. Even the ancient, trustworthy Queen's Messengers—a corps of men of gentle birth and high social standing—to whom in ordinary times is intrusted the honorable duty of carrying dispatches between the Foreign Office and the ambassadors in various parts of the world, have been temporarily superseded as far as Europe is concerned, and younger men, mostly army and navy officers of high rank and distinguished service, are intrusted with the work. When Lord Salisbury traveled to Scotland on Friday night to visit the Queen at Balmoral, he allowed himself scarcely any sleep, but read and wrote in the sleeping car almost without ceasing, and half-way down the line long telegraphic dispatches were handed to him. But perhaps the most significant movements of all have been those passing between London and Paris. It was made known early in the week that the French ambassador had paid a secret visit to Lord Salisbury at his seaside castle at Walmer, but it is not yet generally known that there has been a constant interchange of dispatches between Ambassador De Courcel in London and Minister Hanotaux, and between the British Foreign Office and the embassy in Paris. Some Englismen would fain believe that this points towards an entente between Russia, France and England.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF E. FRENCH, OF the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, fruit dealer. Notice is hereby given that the above named E. French has made an assignment to me under the provisions of Chapter 124, R. S. O., 1887, of all her estate and effects in trust for the benefit of all her creditors. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened and will be held at the law offices of Gibbons, Mulkern & Harper, London, on Monday, the 5th day of October, A. D. 1896, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitors, Gibbons, Mulkern & Harper, London, as directed by the said statute, on or before the day of such meeting. After 1st November, 1896, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not have been filed. Dated the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1896. GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, solicitors for trustee, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, trustee. 23u

Today at Ottawa.

Sir Richard Cartwright's Mission to Hon. Joseph Chamberlain

Dr. Bergin, M. P., May Live, but the Chances Are Against Him.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Dr. Bergin, M.P., who recently met with an accident, may survive, but the chances are against him.

Two Liberal members of Parliament occupied pulpits in Ottawa yesterday. Rev. Mr. Maxwell, of Burrard, and Rev. Mr. Douglas, of East Assiniboia. Large congregations, including many members of Parliament, listened to the eloquent preachers.

The Department of Marine and Fisheries has been advised that the total salmon pack on the Fraser River this year is estimated at 350,000 cases, and on the northern rivers at 238,000 cases, or a total of 588,000 cases. This total is considerably larger than the most experienced canners anticipated, as this was supposed to be an off year.

A Montreal correspondent telegraphs: Sir Richard Cartwright was here today on his way back from Boston, where he had an interview with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary. He said that the interview was quite lengthy, covered a variety of subjects and was very satisfactory, but that as it was informal he did not think it advisable to enter into details about it.

A number of senators and members of Parliament enjoyed a trip on the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway on Saturday. It goes right into the new Ontario National Park.

THE BODIES FOUND

Of Mr. and Mrs. Torrance, Who Were Drowned While Sailing—Were Woodstock People.

Severn Bridge, Ont., Sept. 28.—The body of Mrs. Torrance, the wife of Rev. Mr. Torrance, Presbyterian incumbent of Sparrow Lake, was found at 9 o'clock last evening. On Saturday the body of Mr. Torrance was found also, about a mile from where it is thought the accident occurred. Mr. Torrance was to have preached his farewell sermon yesterday to the people of Sparrow Lake. He was a son of the late Rev. Principal Torrance, of the Baptist College Woodstock. He had lived for some years in Toronto with his mother and sisters, and was a fourth year student at Knox Presbyterian College. Mrs. Torrance was a daughter of the late John Douglas, of Woodstock. They had been married three years but had no family.

Steamers Arrived.

Sept. 26.	At	From
Memphis	Father Point	Bristol
Taormina	New York	Harve
Etruria	New York	Liverpool
New York	Southampton	New York
Brazilian	London	New York
Sept. 27.	At	From
La Bretagne	New York	Havre
Labrador	Montreal	Liverpool
Numidian	Montreal	Liverpool

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

Two minutes is the longest time that Queen Victoria can stand on her feet.

A Woodstock Tragedy

Levi Gardner Found With a Bullet Through His Head.

Very Suspicious Circumstances Which Warrant an Inquest.

No Pistol in Sight—Looks Like Murder—Two Arrests Made.

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 28.—Levi Gardner, a young colored man, met death Saturday morning at his home on Oxford street under circumstances which point rather conclusively to murder. Gardner was shot through the head by a bullet from a pistol.

When first found he was lying as if some one had seized him as he was about to fall, and gently eased him down to a comfortable position. His feet were crossed, and his hands were lying diagonally across his breast. The head had no resting place other than the floor.

A pool of blood was under the head, and the man's face presented a horrible appearance, with a gaping wound marking the exit of the bullet at the right side of the nose. A hole on the right side of the head, about three inches back of the temple, would make it seem that the man was shot from behind. Mrs. Gardner was questioned closely concerning the affair, but would say little. No trace of the pistol could be found.

A man named McCombes, a rather good-looking negro, whose name has been mixed up with the affair, was arrested shortly before noon, as was also Mrs. Gardner. An inquest was called in the afternoon, but was adjourned until Tuesday night.

MRS. GARDNER'S STORY.

The dead man's wife told this story: "I was sleeping at 8:30 o'clock, when I was aroused by my husband's footsteps on the stairs. A moment later he stood by my bed, and said, holding a photograph of myself in his hand, 'Hattie, I want this picture. May I have it?'

"'O,' I replied, 'you don't care for me any more, why should you want it?'"

"'Well,' he replied, 'I am going away, and I want to take it with me,' and with this he left the room, and descended to the ground floor. A few moments later I heard a pistol shot. As soon as I could get out of bed I hurried down stairs, and found my husband lying on the floor. I did not stop, but ran screaming into my mother's house, next door."

Mrs. Gardner was questioned closely, but would say little else. She said her husband always carried a pistol. She had not, she said, been in the habit of quarreling very much with him. She was married to Gardner five years ago, and had one child.

WHAT THE SON SAID.

Frankey Gardner, the little son of the deceased, says that McCombus frequently visited their house. He had been there only the night before. The little fellow's account of the tragedy is very disjointed. One thing, however, seems to have impressed itself on his mind, and that is a theory of a quarrel between his mother and father. One of his most startling statements was: "I saw blood all over pa's clothes and I thought that ma had hurt him." The youngster was out in the yard when the shot was fired. When he went into the house he says he saw his mother bending over his father.

McCOMBUS' STATEMENT.

William McCombus, the negro under arrest, said that Gardner had been over to his place at 6:30 that morning, and complained that he was feeling unwell. Said he:

"Gardner left after spending a few moments with me, and, I suppose, returned to his home. About half-past eight I had to go down with a letter, and I jumped on my wheel. When a short distance from Gardner's house I heard screaming, and I hurried over. I just looked in, but didn't enter. Other people began to arrive, and I went on my way up town."

"Did you see any revolver lying around?" McCombus was asked.

"No. I didn't go in. I saw no revolver anywhere. In fact, I hardly saw the body. I don't know where the revolver can have got to. I own one myself, but he did not get that."

When arrested an unloaded pistol was found in the possession of McCombus. An employe of Stewart & Co., by whom McCombus is employed as a publisher, told a correspondent that McCombus had informed him that he had lent his revolver to Gardner about three weeks ago.

BRANTFORD'S COLD COMFORT.

Interview With Manager Hays Not Very Satisfactory—Some Indefinite Hope.

The mayor of Brantford, speaking of the interview with Manager Hays, in which the Brantford men pleaded to have the car shops remain, said: "Our visit to Montreal was not as satisfactory as it might have been. The deputation consisted of Hon. A. S. Hardy, Hon. W. Paterson, Mr. Henry, M.P., any myself. We met General Manager Hays and Mr. Bell, solicitor for the road, and discussed the car shops matter pretty fully. The deputation assured Mr. Hays that the corporation would not be satisfied with the $32,000 penalty, but would demand incidental and consequential damages in event of the shops being moved. Mr. Hays took the position that he was simply carrying out the arrangements made by his predecessors, and declined to take any responsibility. However, negotiations are now under way by which, if carried to a conclusion, the shops will continue in operation indefinitely, with a staff of workmen equal to that now employed. The shops continue, as at present, for some seven months, and after that time any changes contemplated will be made. In the meantime, it is to be hoped that the arrangements referred to above will be satisfactorily settled."

For lunch, afternoon tea or evenings, we have Carr & Co.'s celebrated English Biscuits. The following kinds: Wheaten, Nursery, Water Wafers, Metropolitan, Kindergarten, Colonial, Epine, Ledger, Shamrock, Nicknack, Clifton, Lemon Rings, Oswego, Animal, Sugar Wafers, and Cafie Noir. Call and see samples of these. T. M. SHOEBOTHAM & CO., The Newmarket Grocery. zxv

Ladies:

FOR PRESERVING,
PURIFYING AND
BEAUTIFYING
THE SKIN UNDER ALL
CIRCUMSTANCES
OF SUMMER EXPOSURE
NOTHING SO PURE,
SO SWEET,
SO SPEEDILY EFFECTIVE
AS HAZELINE.

Price 25c. For Sale By

Cairncross & Lawrence,
CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.
216 Dundas St., London, Ont
Branch—Corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

Airy Millions.

A Cincinnati Photographer Has a Good Thing in Sight.

Claims to be Heir to the Title and Estates of Earl Ludlow—Value of the Pick-Up Placed at $20,000,000.

Cincinnati, Sept. 27.—John Lee Spohn, a photographer here, claims to be the fifth Earl of Ludlow, Viscount Preston and Baron of Ludlow of Ardsalla, in the peerage of Ireland, and Baron Ludlow in that of the United Kingdom. Today his brother left here for Shropshire, Wales, to claim the right and titles of the elder brother. John Lee Spohn is poor, but his brother, W. H. Spohn, who lives in Hamilton, Canada, is wealthy, and has corresponded with English attorneys until he is satisfied he can establish his elder brother's titles by lineal descent. The estate embraces Shropshire county, Wales, and is valued at $20,000,000. The earlship has been extinct since 1846. W. Spohn has secured the old manuscript of the family tree. He has numerous relics of the last recognized earl, who died in 1840. The title and estates then descended to the earl's uncle, John G. Ludlow, the earl dying without issue. His uncle was dead, and the uncle's son, Peter R. Ludlow, lived at Albany, N. Y., and from there went to Hamilton, Ont., where he died two months after reaching the place. His only child, a daughter, being poor, made no claim. Her eldest son is John Lee Spohn, who is now making the claim. John Lee Spohn married Miss Lastor. Their children are Mrs. L. E. Ryan, Mrs. Maud Vanhort and Mrs. Ada Moeschl, all of this city.

TORONTO'S GROWTH.

Slight Increase in Population—Fictitious Land Values Swept Away.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—The assessment commissioner gave out the figures of the third ward assessment Saturday, completing the assessment of the city. The change in land values has been enormous. About $11,000,000 of fictitious land values have been swept away, and the valuation put upon a sound and stable basis. The value of buildings has not been materially changed, and almost a million in personalty has resulted from the efforts of the assessors to secure a fairer assessment of great corporations and mercatile establishments. The population increase is not nearly so great as anticipated at one time. The central wards are distinctly disappointing, the second, third and fourth all showing decreases. The west end is forging ahead at a rapid rate, the fifth and sixth wards showing increases of population that not only make up for the decreases in the central districts, but add 1,227 to the total population of the city, as shown in last year's assessment. The department is satisfied that the reductions made this year just about meet the case, and that the land values of Toronto are now very little, if at all, over-assessed on the rolls. The assessment now stands at $142,464,000, as against $132,530,000 last year, and the population 178,185, as against 176,958 last year.

EATEN BY RATS.

Horrible Fate of a Baltimore Baby—A Father's Find.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 27.—Three big rats attacked the 2-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Asher, 1,150 Low street, last night, and gnawed its face, head and neck to such an extent that the infant died in a short time. Mr. Asher lives over his store. He was looking after his business, and Mrs. Asher had gone to market, when the rats attacked the helpless infant, which was snugly tucked in its crib in the second story of the dwelling. Hearing the child crying, the father hurried upstairs, and as he entered the room in which the infant was lying, three large vicious-looking rats jumped out of the crib and scampered off. The horrified father found the flesh had been torn from the babe's tender face, head and neck. Before a physician could be summoned the child died.

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Local Oarsmen Again Defeat the Hamilton Leanders.

The London Rugby Football Club Getting in Trim.

Australian Cricketers' Soft Snap—Toronto Hunt Club Races—Baltimore's Cinch on the Pennant—Heaps of Sporting News.

AQUATIC.

THE LONDONS WIN AGAIN.

The laurels won by the London Rowing Club in their race here a few weeks ago with the Leanders, of Hamilton, were freshened on Saturday, when the return race was rowed on Burlington Bay. In the four-oared race the visitors won with the greatest ease, finishing four or five lengths ahead and fresh. This was a more decisive defeat than was given the Leanders here. The first defeat was ascribed to the fact that the losers were on strange water, in a strange boat, and a second-rate crew. Saturday, the conditions, excepting the latter, were reversed. The Londons were in a shell, on rougher water than accustomed to, and had pitted against them an entirely new crew, the best oarsmen the club produces. The short, quick stroke of the Leanders secured them the lead at the start. A foul occurred 100 yards away, and both crews were called back. The Leanders again took the lead and kept it to the quarter mile, when the effect of the long, steady stroke of the London oars became evident. The two shells were neck and neck for a short distance, but gradually the Londons gained the lead, which they maintained to the finish. Each of the winning crew was presented with a handsome silver medal.

The London crew were the same as rowed against the Leanders here, except that Norman Dinnen was stroke in place of Dahlgren, who dropped out. P. McKenzie, Ed. Morris and E. Rechnitzer (bow), with Willie Southam as coxswain, were the crew. The Leander crew were E. Simpson (stroke), G. Hemming, R. Jarvis and A. Hemming (bow). D. M. Cameron was starter, and P. D. Crerar judge. The distance was one mile, and the time 5:11.

The single scull race went to Ed. Wark, of the Leanders. Dinnen was the London's representative, and was behind to the turn, but on the stretch took the lead, and was two lengths ahead when he reached one of the flag boats near the finish. He quit, thinking the race was over, and Wark passed him, winning by half a length. Among the Londoners who witnessed the races were Capt. A. D. Huff and ex-Ald. Ed. Weld.

POOL.

THE LOCAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Two games of pool were played at the Grigg House Saturday afternoon. The first, between Sheere and Nealon, was not a startling exhibition of skill. The former played a fair game, and was an easy winner. That the game was his was a foregone conclusion at any stage. Nealon made a better showing than in Friday's game. Following is the score:

Sheere.	Nealon.	Sheere.	Nealon.
6	9	8	7
7	8	6	9
10	5	10	5
14	1	9	6
7	8	12	3
4	11	10	5
13	2	6	9
7	8	2	7

Scratches—Sheere, 6; Nealon, 7.
Totals—Sheere, 125; Nealon, 96.

The game between James and Crabb was an exciting one, and resulted in a victory for the former. James got a good lead at the beginning, but Crabb, who was a little rattled at the start, pulled himself together, and at recess was one point ahead of his opponent, whose score was then 74. After recess James pulled away. Crabb was neglectful in the matter of technical fouls, and of noticing fouls made by his opponent. There was not an equal distribution of luck, James seeming to get the majority. The good playing was about equally distributed. Following is the score:

James.	Crabb.	James.	Crabb.
13	2	7	8
9	6	10	5
11	4	12	3
9	6	10	5
9	6	10	5
3	12	6	9
7	8	3	12
6	9	4	x
2	13		

Scratches—James, 6; Crabb, 4.
Totals—James, 125; Crabb, 109.

Seven games have now been played in the tournament, and the standing of the players is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.
James	2	0
Sheere	2	0
Dunham	1	0
Barrows	1	1
Crabb	1	1
Horsman	0	1
Ryan	0	1
Scott	0	1
Nealon	0	2

BASEBALL.

BALTIMORE'S GOOD LEAD.

There are one or two games yet to be played by some of the National League teams, but the season is practically ended. The New Yorks finished in front of the second column. The standing of the clubs is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	P'ct.
Baltimore	90	39	.698
Cleveland	80	48	.625
Cincinnati	77	50	.606
Boston	74	57	.565
Chicago	71	57	.555
Pittsburg	66	63	.512
New York	64	67	.489
Philadelphia	62	68	.477
Washington	58	73	.446
Brooklyn	58	73	.443
St. Louis	40	90	.308
Louisville	38	93	.290

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—SATURDAY.

New York	10	Brooklyn	13
Baltimore	1	Philadelphia	10
Boston	9	Cleveland	3
Washington	1	Louisville	2
St. Louis	7		
Pittsburg	1		

PRINTERS HANDY WITH STICKS.

The postponed tie game between the Printers and Hyman's was played on Saturday afternoon on Wolseley Barracks grounds, resulting in an easy victory for the Printers, they hitting both pitchers freely. The game was called at the end of the sixth inning on account of darkness. Score:

Printers .... 5 3 1 0 1 *—10 12 3
Hyman's .... 0 0 1 0 1 1— 3 4 5

Batteries—Howell and Stein; Quinn, Webb and Tierney. Umpire, Hill.

PLANNERS VS. EXECUTORS.

The architects and builders of the city played a second game of ball, specially adapted and with the latest improvements, at Tecumseh Park on Saturday, and the builders were again defeated. The wily architects had all the plans and specifications of the match drawn up in advance, and carried them out to the letter. The crowd of spectators was not large, but those who witnessed the match richly enjoyed the fun. Mr. Ed. Martyn umpired and still lives. The rules of the game were touched up, making three strikes a put-out whether or not the ball was caught. In the first inning Bridgman, catcher for the architects, while at bat was struck by a pitched ball, and so painfully injured as to require assistance from the field. Following were the players and positions:

ARCHITECTS.	POSITIONS.	BUILDERS.
Bridgman	Catcher	Irwin
McLaren	Pitcher	Cook
F. Farncomb	First base	Colerick
Ironside	Second base	Jeffery
Murray	Third base	Bawden
E. Farncomb	Left field	Thompson
McBride	Right field	Pring
Cooper	Center field	Fitzgerald

Score by Innings—
Architects .... 6 3 1 1 0 0 1 7 *—19
Builders .... 1 1 4 2 0 1 0 0 1—10

FLYS.

Cleveland and Baltimore will play the Temple cup series in their respective cities. The first three games will be played in Baltimore on Oct. 1, 2 and 3, and the next three, if necessary, in Cleveland on Oct. 7, 8 and 10.

The Detroit Free Press says Frank Snyder, the Alert catcher, will be one of the Detroit League club backstops next season.

The Maple Leafs have been paid off at last. Roberts, Gallagher, Sullivan, Lauer and Dark have left for their homes in the States.

Fred Pfeffer has brought suit against the New York club for $800 in salary. John M. Ward is handling his case.

If Manager Nash could make a deal, he would undoubtedly take Stafford from the New Yorks to play short field for the Quakers.

Ehret and Dwyer lead the league pitchers in the percentage of earned runs per game made off their delivery in the National League.

Ganzel will probably be released at the close of the season.—Boston Post. There are eleven clubs in the league that would try to get him in such a case.—Cleveland Recorder.

THE TURF.

TORONTO HUNT CLUB RACES.

Toronto, Sept. 26.—Damp weather greeted the spectators who gathered at the Woodbine this afternoon to see the first day's races of the Toronto Hunt Club's autumn meet, but it did little real damage beyond laying the dust and softening the steeplechase course, parts of which had hardened a good deal under the fierce sun of the previous few days. An excellent attendance, considering all things, and an enthusiastic one, too, filled the stands. The programme, which was a good one, and well filled, was run off smartly. Some of the contests were foregone conclusions in the eyes of the talent, who were nevertheless hard hit once or twice, notably when Lochinvar was beaten out in the green hunters' flat. Lion Heart ran a good race, and won in a walk. Following are the results:

First race, the Country plate, open, flat; purse $250; 6 furlongs—Alamo 1, Kapango colt 2, Music 3. Time, 1:17 1-2. Glen Gowrie, Belcourt, Somnambulist and Lawyer also started.

Second race, green hunters, flat; purse $150; 1 1-8 miles—Lawrence 1, Lochinvar 2, Sleight of Hand 3. Time, 2:[illegible] 1-2. Mettle and Fairie Queen also started.

Third race, 5-8 mile; purse $200—Dumbarton 1, Rideau 2, Cardinal 3. Time, 1:03 1-4. Tone K. also started.

Fourth race, open steeplechase, 2 1-2 miles; purse $200—Lion Heart 1, Burr Oake 2, King Can 3. Time, 7:09. Also started: Spectator (fell), Prize (refused second jump.)

Fifth race, 1 mile; the Brush purse; open, flat; purse $300—Kapanga colt 1, Arab 2, Ogdensburg 3. Time, 1:46 1-2. Peytonia, Stark, Springal, Mallard also ran.

Sixth race, special, flat, 1 1-8 miles—All Blue 1, Everett 2, Clark 3. Time, 2:09 1-2. Chester, Prima March, Van Dyke and Strathclip also ran.

A GREAT EVENT.

New York, Sept. 28.—A match between celebrities in the world of trotting horses, representing widely separated portions of the globe, is now on the tapis. In a recent issue of the Chicago Horseman, George M. Slate, of Sydney, Australia, offers to match his trotters Fritz (2:14 1-4, made on a grass track at Melbourne in March, 1896), against any trotting horse in the world for $10,000 a side. The challenge has been taken by Banker Lewis T. Tewksbury, of this city, who owns Robert J. (2:01 1-2), Mascot (2:04), Paul (2:07 1-4), and other flyers.

WINNERS AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 27.—Following are Saturday's results:

First race, 13-16 mile—Design 1, Sagwa 2, Bona Schoenfeld 3. Time, 1:23.

Second race, 4 1-2 furlongs, 2-year-old maidens—Vankirkman 1, Barney Adler 2, Princess Maud 3. Time, :56 3-4.

Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs (purse)—Wang 1, Fay Belle 2, Shuttlecock 3. Time, 1:07 1-2.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs, 2-year-olds—Leoncie 1, Harry S. 2, Marry Chimes 3. Time, 1:02.

Fifth race, 1 1-8 miles (purse)—Rey Del Mar 1, Lord Nelson 2, Stanza 3. Time, 1:54 1-2.

Sixth race, steeplechase, about 2 miles—Brother Bob 1, Colonist 2, Martinet 3. Time, 2:37.

GREAT RACING AT PORTLAND.

Portland, Me., Sept. 26.—The day was fine at Rigby, but none of the fast pacers started for a record. In the 2:23 trot there was a great fight. Last night Eddie B had two heats to his credit, and Maple Valley one. Maple Valley won the first heat today, making two to his credit. Then Nicola went in and won the race in three straight heats. Merrill was favorite in the 2:12 race, but after taking the first heat Roan Wilkes proved too much for him, and won in three straights. Celaya won the 2:12 trot easily, and Mocking Bird took the 2:34 pace with no trouble at all. Summaries:

2:23 class, trotting, purse $2,000—Nicola 1, Maple Valley 2, Eddie B 3. Best time, 2:14 3-4.

2:12 class, pacing, stake $2,000—Royal Wilkes 1, Merritt 2, Josie B 3. Best time, 2:08 3-4.

2:12 class, trotting, purse $2,000—Celaya 1, James L 2, Silver Plate 3. Best time, 2:11 1-4.

2:34 class, pacing, purse $2,000—Mocking Bird 1, Beresford 2, Nordica 3. Best time 2:14 3-4.

CRICKET.

At Philadelphia on Saturday the wickets went down so fast before the Australian bowlers, Jones and McKibbon, that the latter were taken out to allow the Americans to do some hitting. The Philadelphians in the second inning, with the confidence of despair, hit more freely, and showed much better form than in the first inning. When stumps were drawn for the night Wood and Coates were at the bat, and the former hit 11, and Coates 30, which he put together by hard hitting. Six thousand people were present.

THE WHEEL.

HOW COOPER BEAT JOHNSON.

As already published, the final heat of the important race of the year, to determine the actual championship of 1896, took place at Waverley, N.J., on Thursday, when Tom Cooper beat out John S. Johnson by a matter of inches. In the earlier heats, ridden at Manhattan Beach, on the Saturday previous, Tom Butler, Bald, Gardiner and Macdonald were beaten off. The New York Times describes the final heat as follows:

The big race between Cooper and Johnson, which was the final heat of the one mile, invitation, resulted in a victory for the former, to the sorrow of the sharps. Judging by Johnson's form in the heats at Manhattan Beach on Saturday, the knowing ones predicted a comparatively easy win for him over Cooper, particularly as the Detroit flier has not been at his best for weeks past. Single pacing was given to the two fliers, Goodman and Ray Macdonald doing the work. Cooper caught the pace, having the best of the start. Johnson hugged his rear wheel with more or less fervor for three-quarters of the distance, when the rivals cleared from the pacers, and set sail for home. With Cooper on the pole, and Johnson at his elbow, the pair fairly flew to the tape from the head of the stretch. Up to that point the race, in spite of the pace, had not been a fast one, but from there to the tape there was nothing slow about either man. Cooper pedaled like a piece of machinery, going straight and true as an arrow. Johnson worked like a demon, swaying from side to side under the force of his work. He gained, too, and 50 yards from the finish seemed to be overhauling the green-suited rider at a rate that would bring him first prize. But Cooped had "something left." He saw Johnson creeping up at his right, and he pushed his pedals a bit harder. This was ten yards from the tape, and Johnson's front wheel lacked about 15 inches of being even with Cooper's. In this manner they passed over the strip of white tape laid across the track, each doing his utmost at the moment the timers stopped their watches. It was a stubbornly fought contest, and the fastest rider won.

SPOKES.

Among the crack riders who are now racing on the big circuits on Stearns bicycles are Charley Murphy, Harry Wheeler, William Randall, Louis Callahan, Nat Butler, Harry Madox, Tedy Goodman (the New York State champion), Frank Eberhardt (the Kansas State champion), Barney Oldfield (the Ohio State champion), George N. Adams (the southern champion and holder of the ten-mile paced, flying start, world's record), Ralph Samberg (the Michigan State champion), E. D. Fichtner (the Kentucky State champion), John Green (the Wyoming State champion), Charles Hadfield, C. J. Lewis, Harvey D. Hutchings, H. Liepold, Louis B. Arnold, L. C. Johnson, E. C. Johnson, Bertie J. Banks, F. J. McCall, J. M. Holister, E. E. Mockett, L. E. Holton, Oscar Trimmer, R. L. Wehrle, Carroll B. Jack, E. S. Acker, W. W. Williamson, Clinton W. Davis, W. F. Hanks, E. E. Anderson, E. Stade, Fred Hicks, J. M. White, J. W. Conkling. Among the leading amateurs may be mentioned: Walter Humes, of Green Bay, Wis.; Will Coburn, of St. Louis; E. L. Lefevre, of Dayton, Ohio, the well-known road rider; Fred. H. Plaice, of Lima, Ohio; Charles M. Fry, of Rochester, Pa.; E. F. Walters, of Philadelphia, Pa.; R. Parker Rich, of Harrisburg, Pa.; W. S. Slavin, of Paterson, N. J.; W. A. Barbeau, of New York; L. M. Sullivan, of New Haven, Conn.; F. A. Gately, of Boston; J. Bolting, of Providence; C. H. Drury, of Winchendon, Mass.; W. E. Tenzier, of Springfield, Mass.; Frank L. Trappe, Andrew J. Pendergast, of Syracuse; S. Harold Stone and Harry Link, of Syracuse; William Conolly, of Rochester; W. H. Connery, of Savannah, Ga.; F. B. Maxwell, of Anderson, S. C.; Fred. F. Eberhardt, of Salina, Kan.; W. P. Felix, of Salina, Kan.; John Greene, of Cheyenne, Wyo.; F. P. Gustadler, of Williamsport, Pa.; C. H. Wolfert, of Toledo; L. L. Miner, of Jamestown, N. Y.; C. D. W. Munder, of Warsaw, N. Y., and a host of other lesser lights.

Cooper won the one mile open at Plainfield, N. J., Saturday, Bald being second. In the half mile Bald won, with Cooper fourth.

For competing at unsanctioned races at Hensall, Sept. 7, the following riders are suspended till Oct. 12: C. Galloway, Mitchell; J. Livingston, Goderich; Clay Manville, Clinton; A. McIvor, Goderich; G. Emerson, Clinton, and Fred Jewett, Bayfield.

T. B. McCarthy is sojourning at Orillia. He has given up the idea of going south to race, and will probably go out of training.

It is expected that more than a hundred Toronto wheelmen will go up to London on Saturday next to view the trophy race, and ride on the century run following it.—Toronto Mail Empire.

FOOTBALL.

THE LONDON RUGBY CLUB.

The London Rugby Football Club start practicing in earnest today for their match with Petrolea on Oct. 10. They will keep at it every day. The club has secured the services of four more good men—Anderson, a splendid half-back and good punter, who formerly played with Osgoode Hall; Ransford, an old Upper Canada College boy, who is said to be a "corker"; Worsley, of the Bank of Montreal here, who has played in Halifax, and "Billy" Hobbs, a brother of Jack Hobbs, of 'Varsity fame, a hard and strong player. The club regrets losing the services of Arthur Little, its secretary, who sails for England on Monday, but his work will be looked after until his return.

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One of the latest heroines to appear upon the horizon is Miss Minnie F. Mickley, of Mickleys, Penn., a young lady born and bred in luxury, but who, in the turning of fortune's wheel, suddenly found herself facing the problem of earning her bread and butter and supporting a father and mother. At once the question presented itself to Miss Mickley:

"What can I do to meet the exigencies of the case?" She was a college-bred girl, having been educated at Elmira, but though possessed of abundant ability, was without practical training. She applied for several positions that seemed suitable, but was unsuccessful in obtaining them.

Miss Mickley began to despair, when providence, who always keeps a weather eye on the people who are trying to help themselves, came to her rescue, and the gentleman who had purchased her father's farm proposed that she run the creamery on her own responsibility. Here at last was something she could do.

The offer was instantly accepted, and she set about in a business-like way to put the dairy in working order. At first it was uphill work, as most enterprises are at their inception; but persevering with a cool head and steady hand, today fortune smiles upon her efforts.

Hitherto an almost untried field for the gentler sex, Miss Mickley avers that her new calling is well suited to womankind, and she advises her sisters on the outlook for a lucrative career to try it. Her creamery is the Bellevue, situated at Mickleys, a district named for her family. At the outset Miss Mickley leased the creamery for one year, and began to work up from the lowest round of the ladder. The creamery had a capacity for 5,000 pounds of milk, but as her father's cattle had been sold from his dairy farm, she was forced to apply to her neighbors for supplies, and started a boy on a milk route, beginning with 400 pounds. Increasing the business, there is now such a demand for her butter that she is unable to supply her market, though this is her first year's experience, and she charges a high price for her wares.

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"I hope," she adds, "to lease the creamery for five years, and eventually buy back our old homestead and farm."

Meanwhile this active young woman of affairs finds time to retain her office of the regent of Liberty Bell chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Her revolutionary ancestor, John Jacob Mickley, was intrusted, during the great struggle for liberty, with the removal of the bells from the churches of Philadelphia and from the State house—this last the famous liberty bell—to a place of security in Allentown, where they were buried under the Moravian Church floor.

Miss Mickley is working hard to achieve her project of having the New York State "Daughters" found a chair of American history at Elmira College.

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Strathroy, Sept. 26.—The Fair is now but a pleasant memory. It was concluded yesterday, to the entire satisfaction of all concerned, with the exception, of course, of those unfortunates who failed to secure the prizes they supposed they were entitled to, but were not, and the directors will be able to enjoy a well-merited rest, which no one with a spark of conscience will begrudge them. It has been nothing but rush day and night for weeks. The weather was so variable that the second day was not patronized as well as the attractions warranted, though visitors were as numerous as on previous years on Friday, and they all had a treat in the form of a splendid track, made almost perfect by a light shower of rain, and in some of the most spirited races ever seen in Strathroy. The traveling attractions looked rather seedy, and commenced to move early in the afternoon to fresh pastures, where they will continue to amass the fortune of which the foundation was laid here. The exhibits were seen to better advantage today. The parade of the prize animals in the ring was the main feature, and a better aggregation of stock it would be hard to find than was exhibited to the spectators by the proud owners. Exhibits moved out rapidly when the allotted time had expired.

THE SPORTS.

There has been considerable said regarding the breaking of the law by the Fair managers, in allowing horse racing on the grounds, thereby leaving themselves liable to forfeit the Government grant. They wish it to be distinctly understood that there was no racing tolerated, and never will be, so long as the present law remains in operation. There were some trials of speed, which were much enjoyed, and that was only permitted to allow purchasers to judge of the style and action of the various animals. It must be borne in mind there is a vast difference between racing and speeding. Some people cannot see it, but as the directors ought to know, their statement will be accepted by all who have the interests of the Fair at heart. The starter yesterday was J. W. Prangley. Ex-Mayor Cox was timer, while Dr. Whitehead and E. A. Griffith were judges. Their work was faultless.

NOTES.

The same old crowd annoyed the starter by crowding the track. When someone is injured the foolish practice will perhaps be abandoned.

"Billy" Bernard, London, was an interested spectator.

It rained just enough.

The practice of mounting drivers too young to control the horse is rather unprofitable. A little weight, added to more strength, would earn more prizes.

The tall girl (?) who graced the Western Fair with her charming presence was here distributing circulars, and wearing signs on her back. She created quite a furore among the impressionable young men.

Hon. G. W. Ross was kept busy shaking hands with his hosts of friends.

THE PRIZE LIST.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Best and largest collection, six of each—Thos. Luscombe. Peck Monarch of Kansas—1 T. A. Gregory, 2 Thos. Luscombe. Peck Elephant—1 T. T. Adair, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 H. Wickerson. Peck Rural New Yorker, No. 2—1 J. G. Frank, 2 H. Wickerson, 3 T. A. Gregory. Peck Early White Beauty—Thos. Luscombe. Peck Empire State—1 T. T. Adair, 2 T.A. Gregory, 3 Alex. Campbell. Peck Burpee's Extra Early—1 T. A. Payne, 2 H. Thompson, 3 H. Wickerson. Peck Queen of the Valley—W. S. Cockerill. Peck Early Mayflower—1 T. Luscombe, 2 W. S. Cockerill. Peck any other variety—1 T. T. Adair, 2 W. S. Cockerill, 3 John Winters. Half peck best four varieties, properly named—1 T. T. Adair, 2 A. Gregory. Six Swede turnips—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. Benstead, 3 H. Wickerson. Six Yellow Aberdeen turnips—T. Luscombe. Six turnips for table use—1 J. McIntyre, 2 T. A. Gregory. Six field carrots, red—1 T. Luscombe, 2 A. E. Wallace, 3 G. E. Barclay. Six field carrots, white—1 T. T. Adair, 2 W. S. Cockerill, 3 H. Wyatt. Six garden carrots for table use—1 A. E. Wallace, 2 John Dalton, 3 Thos. Luscombe. Six Globe mangolds, best and largest—1 W. Elliott, 2 Thos. Benstead, 3 T. Luscombe. Six Golden Grant intermediate mangolds, best and largest—T. Luscombe. Six long red mangolds, best and largest—1 T. Luscombe, 2 W. Moore, 3 W. Elliott. Six long yellow mangolds—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. Benstead. Six Golden Tankard mangolds—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. Benstead, 3 W. Elliott. Six parsnips for table use—1 John Dalton, 2 J. Walker, 3 W. Bolton & Sons. Six long blood beets for table use—1 T. T. Adair, 2 H. Wickerson, 3 T. Benstead. Six turnip beets for table use—1 W. S. Cockerill, 2 J. D. McIntyre, 3 T. Benstead. Six sugar beets—1 J. D. McIntyre, 2 W. Elliott, 3 T. Benstead. Two red cabbages—1 H. Wyatt, 2 T. Luscombe, 3 J. Petch. Two best cabbages for winter—1 J. J. Condon, 2 W. S. Cockerill, 3 W. Atkinson. Two best cabbages for summer—1 J. Petch, 2 A. E. Wallace, 3 T. Luscombe. Half peck Brussels sprouts—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. Benstead. Two cauliflowers—1 A. E. Wallace, 2 H. Whyte, 3 J. D. McIntyre. Best quart white pickling onions—1 T. Benstead, 2 T. Luscombe, 3 H. Whyte. Twelve seed onions, yellow—1 T. Luscombe, 2 J. J. Condon, 3 J. A. Anderson. Twelve Prizetaker onions—1 H. Wyatt, 2 T. Luscombe, 3 T. Benstead. Best and largest collection of onions, six of each—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 T. Benstead. Best quart top onions—1 J. J. Condon, 2 J. Dophin, 3 T. Luscombe. Best quart multiplier onions—1 T. Luscombe, 2 J. D. McIntyre, 3 T. A. Gregory. Best twelve white onions—1 and 2 T. Benstead. Two pumpkins, common field, best and largest—1 L. R. Wilton, 2 W. Bolton & Sons. Two squashes, field, best and largest—1 H. Thompson, 2 C. Evoy. Two Hubbard squashes, best and largest—W. S. Cockerill. Two squashes, any other variety, for table use—1 W. S. Cockerill, 2 J. Buttery, 3 H. Whyte. Three melons, musk—1 J. Buttery, 2 W. S. Cockerill, 3 J. Buttery. Three melons, water—1 W. S. Cockerill, 2 D. James, 3 J. Buttery. Three citrons, best and largest—1 D. James, 2 J. Dolphin, 3 A. Zavitz. Best three heads of celery, white—1 H. Wyatt, 2 C. Evoy, 3 A. E. Wallace. Best three heads celery, golden—1 C. Evoy, 2 T. Benstead, 3 A. E. Wallace. Best three heads celery, pink—T. Benstead. Six ears sweet corn—1 T. Luscombe, 2 T. Benstead, 3 H. Wyatt. Best and largest collection garden vegetables, three of each variety—1 T. A. Gregory, 2 H. Whyte. Six tomatoes, any variety—1 J. D. McIntyre, 2 W. S. Cockerill, 3 H. Whyte. Best and largest collection of tomatoes, three of each, properly named—W. S. Cockerill. Six red peppers—1 H. Wyatt, 2 T. A. Gregory. Six yellow peppers—1 H. Wyatt, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 H. Whyte. Best collection peppers, three of each, properly named—1 J. D. McIntyre, 2 Mises Richardson. Three specimens of egg plant, purple—1 T. Benstead, 2 T. Luscombe. Bushel Yellow Danver onions—T. Luscombe. Half dozen Paris Golden celery—C. Evoy. Dozen celery, White Plume—T. Benstead. Peck Ponderosa tomatoes—J. Petch. Peck New Imperial tomatoes—J. D. McIntyre. Three best and largest Yellow Globe mangolds—W. Elliott. Dozen celery, Improved Dwarf Golden Heart—T. Benstead. Three cauliflowers and best peck Prizetaker onions—J. D. McIntyre (cauliflowers), T. Luscombe (onions). Two musk melons—J. Buttery.

Judges—G. J. Griffin and W. H. K. Talbot.

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Judges—A. W. Smith and John Wiley.

Southdowns.—Aged ram—1, 2 and 3 T. A. Gregory. Yearling ram—1, 2 and 3 T. A. Gregory. Ram lamb—1, 2 and 3 T. A. Gregory. Pair aged ewes, having raised lambs in 1896—1, 2 and 3 T. A. Gregory. Pair yearling ewes 1 and 2 T. A. Gregory. Pair ewe lambs—1, 2 and 3 T. A. Gregory. Pen of sheep (diploma)—T. A. Gregory.

Shropshire Downs.—Aged ram—R. Gibson. Yearling ram—1 and 2 R. Gibson. Ram lamb—1, 2 and 3 R. Gibson. Pair aged ewes, having raised lambs in 1896—1 R. Gibson. Pair yearling ewes—1 R. Gibson. Pair ewe lambs—1 R. Gibson. Pen of sheep (diploma)—R. Gibson.

Judge—Francis Woodward.

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Five yards white flannel (farmers')—1 R. Morgan & Sons, 2 D. Leitch. Assortment of yarn (coarse wool)—1 J. Richardson, 2 D. McNeill. Assortment of yarn (fine wool)—Mrs. J. Morgan. Rag carpet—1 R. Morgan & Sons, 2 T. G. Kearney. Homemade wool carpet—R. Morgan & Sons. Rag mat—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Mrs. J. Morgan. Mat, any other kind—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Mrs. E. Rosser. Woven coverlid—1, Duncan McNeill, 2 D. Leitch. Counterpane crochet—1 Miss McLarty, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Counterpane, knitted—Mrs. R. Pincombe. Quilt, white quilted—1 Mrs. J. Morgan, 2 Mrs. J. Ferguson. Quilt, patched in silk—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Miss McLarty. Quilt, patched in cotton or wool—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Miss McLarty. Quilt, log cabin, silk or worsted—Miss B. Collins. Quilt, any other kind—1 B. Collins, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Quilt, outline—Miss McLarty. Men's socks, fine wool—1 Miss Pincombe, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Men's socks, woolen—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Miss Pincombe. Ladies' stockings, fine wool—1 Mrs. A. C. Johnston, 2 Mrs. R. Stevenson. Men's mitts, fine wool—Mrs. R. Stevenson. Men's mitts, coarse wool—1 Mrs. R. Stevenson, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Men's fine shirts—1 R. Haldane, 2 Mrs. R. Stevenson. Men's coarse shirts—1 R. Haldane, 2 Mrs. J. Ferguson. Best darned socks or stockings—1 Mrs. A. C. Johnston, 2 Mrs. J. W. Dodd. Best homemade blankets—1 R. Morgan & Sons, 2 D. Leitch.

Judges—Mrs. L. W. Shipley and Mrs. P. Carmichael.

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London's Good Name.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review editorially prints a paragraph from a contemporary, in which it is stated that "at the reception to Lord and Lady Aberdeen in the City Hall on Thursday evening a member of the London City Council presented himself at the door for admittance and sent in the names of 'A Man and His Family,' on a scrap of brown paper, such as is used by butchers for wrapping up meat in. The alderman, it is said, was attired in the roughest of clothes, such as he would expect to do chores in." There is absolutely no truth in this statement. No London alderman insulted the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen, as alleged, and no member of the City Council would be guilty of such conduct.

The fact that this story is unfortunately going the round of the Canadian papers, which are appending all sorts of unfavorable comments on Londoners, shows how careful people ought to be to obey that commandment which says, "Thou shalt not bear false witness." The good name of London should not be aspersed.

The Sultan had the full text of Gladstone's famous speech on the Armenian atrocities telegraphed to him. But no one outside of the Sultan's palace will ever read that noteworthy, soul-stirring deliverance, unless a newspaper containing it is surreptitiously imported into Turkey. The orders given by the Sultan prevent the publication of the speech in any Turkish paper, and prohibit the importation of all foreign papers containing it. This is Turkish ideas of liberty! The Turk has remained too long on European soil.

Outlook for Cheese.

Dairymen have been jubilant over the recent favorable outlook for cheese. The Trade Bulletin informs us that never before have factorymen sold their makeup closer than at present for this season of the year, and consequently they are in a better position to hold their long keeping cheese, although if any further weakening of the market manifested itself, they would no doubt rush in to realize like a flock of sheep, in which case shippers would have a better show in getting in on a safer basis, as it must be admitted that the price of cheese is above the parity of values of other provisions. Another factor which should not be lost sight of in discussing the cheese question is the reported short make in Great Britain, which is estimated by acknowledged authorities on the other side to be 25 to 30 per cent short of a good average production. If this should turn out to be true, it will mean a deficit of from 1,000,000 to 1,200,000 boxes. That there is a material shrinkage on the other side seems to be borne out by the small pitches of cheese in the provincial markets of England of late. The extent of this shortage is accounted for not only by the drought during the past summer producing poor pastures, but also from the fact that many farmers throughout England have given up cheese making, as they found it more profitable to send their milk to the large cities and towns for daily consumption. The shipments of cheese from Canada during the present season up to the close of last week were 1,058,172 boxes, against 1,052,593 boxes in 1895, showing an increase of about 5,600 boxes; but it must be remembered that stocks here are very light, as almost all the make up to August has been exported, while it is well know that last year at this time the cold storage room was filled to repletion with summer goods. The shipments from New York for the present season up to the close of last week were, 390,176 boxes, against 283,495 boxes for the corresponding period in 1895, showing the large decrease of 106,681 boxes. The combined shipments from New York and Montreal, therefore, show a decrease of 101,102 boxes, as compared with the same period last year, while prices are fully 1c higher.

After a period of low prices for this prime product of the Canadian farmer, the prospects now seem to be most cheering. The appreciation of cheese values should help the other farm products.

The dangers of canoe-sailing are once more emphasized by the tragedy on Sparrow Lake, Muskoka, in which two valuable lives were lost. The canoe is no vessel in which to sail stormy waters. It is dangerous even in river navigation.

A Lesson to the Czar.

Is the Outburst of Affection for Queen Victoria—Reign of Terror in Constantinople — Will Russia and France Aid in Settling the Armenian Question ?—The Soudan Campaign — British Poets Humiliated—Paris Preparing for the Czar—Bavaria Bicycle Mad.

London, Sept. 27.—British poets have clearly fallen upon evil days. It has become an open secret that Alfred Austin is practically under an injunction to preserve silence. Sir Edwin Arnold recently burst forth in a long, exuberant ode on the subject of the Queen's reign having exceeded in length all others in English history, and he sold it unconditionally to the man who manages a publication called the Salon. This person, however, has other strings to his bow, and he used the poem as a centerpiece for a big page collection of advertisements of cigars, carpets, sewing machines, etc., which he published on Thursday in every London daily. Sir Edwin denounces the publicity as a literary outrage.

GLADSTONE'S SPEECH.

Word comes from Berlin that the anti-Turkish speech delivered by Mr. Gladstone at last Thursday's mass meeting in Liverpool has been widely published at the German capital, and generally commented upon by the newspapers, a majority of which speak of the address unfavorably. The Vossische Zeitung is the most indulgent of any of the leading journals in its criticisms, and goes no further than to express hope that the words of the former Prime Minister of Great Britain will have a sobering effect upon the Sultan and the palace clique behind him. At the same time, the Vossische Zeitung suggests the possibility that the almost violent language employed by Mr. Gladstone may reawaken the fanaticism of the Moslems and the Armenian revolutionists and their followers, leading to the very results which he so strongly denounced. Among other leading German papers the concensus of opinion is that the speech is more likely to do harm than good. The suggestion made by Mr. Gladstone of a severance of the diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Turkey is regarded by the papers as fantastic, and only likely to encourage a renewal of the massacres in the Sultan's dominion.

PARIS PREPARING.

Paris has begun the task of decorating for what it regards as the principal event in the history of the Republic, and both there and at Versailles and at Cherbourg the work will be on a scale that will be unprecedented. Frenchmen conduct their party and personal difference so much out of doors that perhaps we get an exaggerated notion of the bad blood which this visit of the Czar is stirring up. The most furious jealousies seem to be raging in all directions. The failure to call the Chamber of Deputies together in extra session for the great event is ascribed by some to fear that it would throw the Meline Ministry out headlong, and by others to President Faure's unwillingness to share his honors with the Presidents of the Senate and Chamber, who are, constitutionally, his ceremonial equals. There is a general and very familiar discussion as to the part which M. Faure's wife and daughter ought to play in the festivities. The prevalent view is against their participation, but a considerable minority of those who debate the matter ascribe this feeling to the mean envy of the women folk of Ministers and Deputies, who are furious over their own exclusion.

RUSSIA'S RULERS IN BRITAIN.

Despite the great tension of the European crisis upon the public mind England has given much attention this week to the royal gathering at Balmoral. The Czar is not a particularly pleasing figure just now in English eyes for obvious reasons, but the country has insisted upon observing in an informal way the occasion when the Queen's reign became the longest in English history. The popular tribute of love and loyalty has been overwhelming, and must also have had a special significance in the eyes of the young autocrat, who witnessed its many forms of expression. The press of the country has printed uncounted columns testifying to the personal affection of Great Britain for her gracious sovereign, and reviewing the marvelous record of the Victorian age. There is one little incident mentioned in Sir Edwin Arnold's long personal reminiscences which suffices to give an idea of the measure of the world's progress during Queen Victoria's beneficent reign. He notes the fact that on the day of her coronation the sidewalk peddlers on Fleet street were selling, as the latest novelty, lucifer matches at a half-penny each. The Queen has confessed with gracious tact that she has been deeply touched and gratified by the expression of the loyalty and affection of her subjects in recognition of the length of her reign. The spontaneity of these manifestations of respect has been a most characteristic feature, and the whole empire has been thrilled with the touch of sympathy. Her services to monarchical sentiment in Europe can only be silently recognized by reigning houses with which her personal influence is very great.

ANTI-TURKISH CONCERT POSSIBLE.

There is a reviving notion that Russia and France may be brought round to act with England in the Turkish trouble. Of course, the circumstance that the Czar is at Balmoral, and that Lord Salisbury is there also under the same roof, gives a natural impetus to this idea. How malleable Nicholas may prove in the hands of those who now have hold of him is, however, not the most important question. It is of more vital interest to know to what extent Nicholas is truly master of the forces over which he nominally presides, and as to that we can only guess. Englishmen are buoying themselves up with the hope not only that he can be convinced, but that he can throw Russia and France into the scales with his convictions. This hope is so attractive that for the moment even the most skeptical are tempted to share it. The French are plainly in a state of doubt as to whether this change of front is not what is really going to happen. Their leading journals are all visibly drawing back towards neutral ground, and poising themselves in readiness to jump in the new direction if the Czar gives the word.

A REIGN OF TERROR.

All correspondents save one agree that the reign of terror in the Turkish capital continues, and the tension of public apprehension has become intolerable. The exodus of Europeans is taxing the facilities of the railways and steamships, and business is completely at a standstill. The entire press of Europe, including the newspapers which oppose interference with the status quo, admit that the situation is as above described. The important summary of the massacres and deportations in Constantinople has been received here. The total Armenian population of Constantinople is, or rather was, 53,000, of whom about one-third were able-bodied males, a large proportion being unmarried. Of these 53,000 about 4,000 have been massacred, 1,000 have disappeared, 4,000 have escaped by consular aid, and at least 20,000 have been deported by the state, so that the male population of Constantinople is reduced by over one-half—from 53,000 to 24,000. The effect of the Gladstone Liverpool speech has been to give a great impetus to the agitation against the inhumanity of the Turks, but the same careful moderation characterizes the public expression of the national indignation. Almost everywhere the newspapers find it impossible even to mention all the public meetings which are being held daily throughout the country. The movement is still secretly non-partisan, and all the more significant on that account, but there is an evident expectation on the part of the agitators that the Government will soon do something effectual. If this expectation is disappointed there is little doubt that the tone of public comment will soon change to one of criticism.

MAHDISM SHATTERED.

Under ordinary circumstances all Europe would be humming now with eager speculation about Egypt. The English are not only in possession of Dongola, but they have proved by practical test that only the merest rotten husk of Mahdism remains in Equatorial Africa. If the Dervishes could make a stand anywhere it would be at Dongola, but their earier pretenses of resistance were quite fatuous, and at the final pinch they ran like rabbits, without a show of fight. This, contrasted with their extraordinary devotion and ferocity of a dozen years ago, is as remarkable in its way as is the practical evolution in the same period of the native Egyptian troops from a cowardly rabble to a splendid soldiery. If considerations of expense were not of first importance, there would seem to be nothing to prevent the Sirdar from going to Khartoum, Omdurman, or wherever else he pleases on the road to Uganda. This expansion of what is to all intents British territory would in ordinary times create a lively international hubbub, but the crisis at the gate of the Dardanelles is too exciting to allow even this to make a diversion. One or two of the Paris papers cry out that the moment is opportune for forcing England's hand on the whole subject of the Nile, but not even in Chauvinist quarters is there any sympathetic response. It is understood that bigger things even than Egypt are at stake.

CELEBRATING TRAFALGAR.

A project is afoot for a grand national demonstration of patriotism on Oct. 21, which is the anniversary of the battle of Trafalgar, when Nelson whipped the combined fleets of France and Spain. The project appears to be in competent hands. Among other things it is proposed to have a great mass meeting a Trafalgar Square, with the famous Nelson Monument crowned with laurel and guarded with a body of naval pensioners in uniform. Nelson monuments are almost as plentiful as blackberries in this country, and each is to be the center of a similar simultaneous display of patriotic fervor.

BAVARIA BICYCLE MAD.

Bavaria has gone bicycle made, and the manufacturers of Europe cannot satisfy the demand. The strong prejudice against ladies appearing on wheels has altogether disappeared in Munich and other cities, and now all the women are enthusiastic advocates of the sport. The roads of Bavaria are magnificent.

RUSSIAN OCCUPATION DISCUSSED

The English Liberal press discusses with equanimity a permanent Russian occupation of Constantinople, accompanied with "guarantees" of free passage of the Dardanelles. With Russia in possession of Constantinople and the straits, and Europe only in possession of guarantee, there would soon be war cataclysms. The Balmoral conferences cannot go that way. The real Salisbury lead is a European protectorate over Turkey. Lord Salisbury and M. de Staal, the Russian ambassador, are both at Balmoral for the purpose of consulting with the Czar. M. de Staal is a strong Anglophile, and will give great assistance to the British Government in the direction of convincing Russia of the disinterestedness of the Turkish policy of Great Britain. Many prominent Conservatives are strongly opposed to any plan which would hand Constantinople over to Russia. The eminent foreign expert, Frederick Greenwood, published an article in the Pall Mall Gazette yesterday, in which he predicted that if the European powers should give Constantinople to Russia that empire would become in a few years the irremovable master of Europe.

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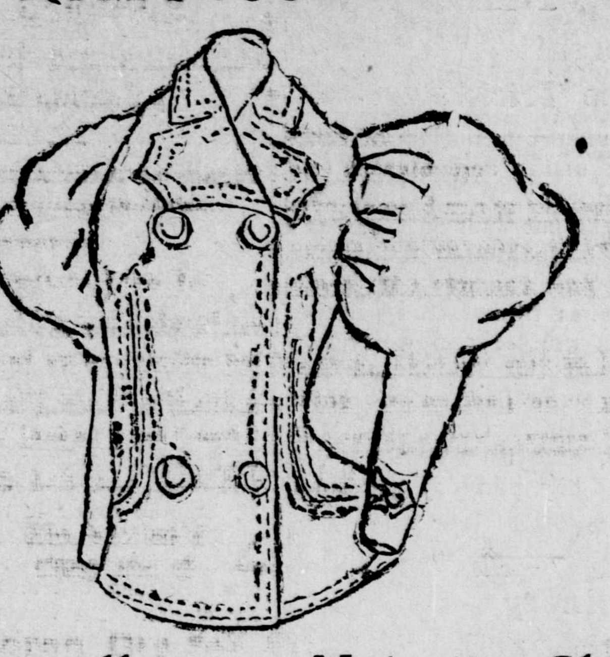

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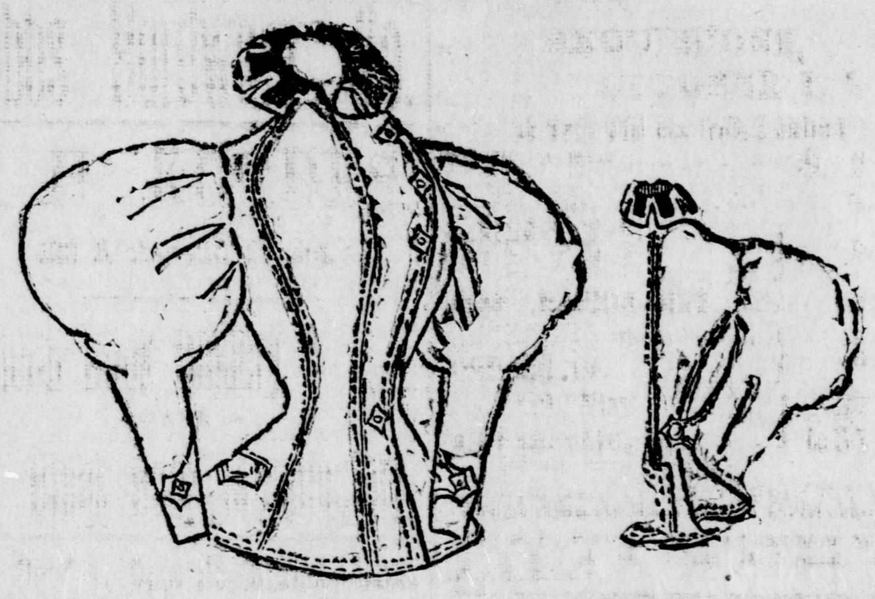

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Wm. Cochrane Interfered With a Girl on the Street,

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The police magistrate's court was a good-natured place this morning, and even the police magistrate smiled at the comical remarks of some of the accused.

Thos. Trebilcock was charged with immoderate driving. He crossed Richmond street on King going at a rate of nine or ten miles per hour, it was alleged.

Mr. Trebilcock said he did not think he was going too fast, as it was only the natural gait of the team.

The Police Magistrate—Yes, I know he has a couple of horses which are not very slow.

The case was dismissed.

William Cochrane, a respectable-looking young man, was charged with molesting a young lady on Richmond street opposite Mrs. Hyman's residence. He pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and disorderly. Chief Williams said the young man had urn after the girl and grabbed her by the wrists. She got one arm free and smashed away at Cochrane's frontispiece with great severity. He appeared in court with a somber optic.

The police magistrate said he would consider whether or not he would send the case for trial to a higher court. The molestation of a girl on the public highway was a very serious matter. A girl who was respectable and worked for her living had the same right to the protection of the law as the gentleman's daughter, or any other class of girl.

The young fellow was sorry, and wished the case settled as soon as possible.

"Well," said the police magistrate, with emphasis, "the sentence is that you pay $10 or ten days."

Alex. Robertson, of East London, was summoned for immoderate driving. P. C. Twohey said that Mr. Robertson had allowed his horse to run from Ontario street to Lyle street almost as fast as its legs would carry it.

"It wasn't going fast," said Mr. Robinson. "You could run as fast yourself. It looked to be going much faster than it was, on account of its peculiar gate."

The policeman started to explain just how fast the horse was going, and that on the return trip Mr. Robertson had been upset.

Mr. Robertson—The horse has an equine eccentricity. He trots on two legs and gallops on the other two.

He then looked at the smiling policeman, as he saw everyone enjoyed the conversation, and said: "You shouldn't get into the box and tell such stuff as that."

"Has Mr. Robertson ever been up before?" asked the police magistrate.

"No," was the reply.

The Police Magistrate—Well, it will be $1.

"One dollar!" said Mr. Robertson, in a surprised tone of voice. "Trebilcock was going faster than I."

With these remarks, he pulled a dollar out of his clothes and said: "Here, give me a receipt."

Thos. Hill was charged with allowing his cow to run at large. He stated that he was not guilty of the charge, but admitted that the cow had been at large, but had broken the fence of the pasture field in order to get out.

The police magistrate did not consider this a contravention of the law, and dismissed the case.

Rev. Mr. Softley was charged with a similar offense, and offered the same defense as Mr. Hill, that he was not subject to the allegation, and was also discharged.

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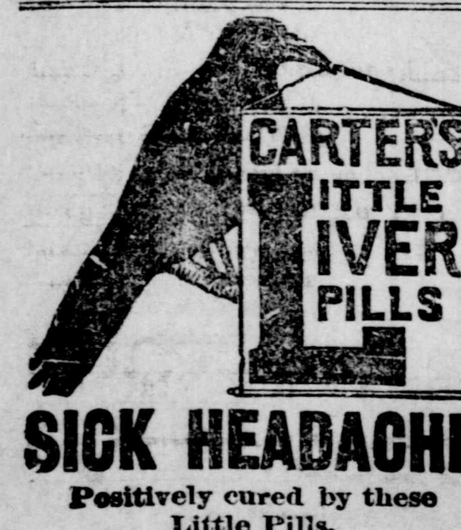

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Distinguished Visitor.

Former Middlesex Man Returns From New Zealand.

Interesting Experiences in That Far-Off Land.

Mr. Robert Dodds, of Gore, New Zealand, son of the late A. Dodds, sen., of North Dorchester, is now paying a visit to his relatives and many old friends in Canada, prior to which he spent some time in the United States, England and Scotland. He came via Australia, Ceylon, the Suez Canal and the Mediterranean, to London, Eng., making a journey of some 13,000 miles. Some 27 years ago he left for the distant island colony now his home, and with characteristic Scottish energy and intelligence, achiever an unenviable success, being now the possessor of some five hundred acres of fertile, well-stocked and highly improved lands, together with a wife and family of five sons and two daughters. Mr. Dodds has always taken a keen and active interest in the public affairs of New Zealand, which he regards as one of the most favored portions of the empire, naturally, and which is now making steady progress. For a long time it suffered from land monopoly and other ills, the result of misgovernment on the part of those who exploited legislation for their personal aggrandizement. However, some six years ago the people were sufficiently awakened to throw off the yoke, and a Liberal Administration, under the late Premier Ballance, ushered in some radical, but greatly needed reforms, substituting a land and income tax for the old property tax, which bore with great severity upon small farmers and laboring men. It also passed the Land Purchase Bill, by which private individuals and companies, who had possessed themselves of large tracts of valuable land, were compelled to sell the lands at a reasonable valuation to the Government, which in turn put them within reach of settlers upon very reasonable terms. This, with more equitable taxation, has encouraged settlement, and inaugurated an era of progress.

New Zealand was confronted with the Chinese problem, and to avoid an alien race and other evils, found it necessary to check immigration by a heavy per capita tax (100 guineas, if Mr. Dodds is not mistaken). The New Zealand tariff is somewhat high partly of necessity in self-defense because of the stiff "protective" system in vogue in the Austrian colonies. Law and order are well observed, and the temperance question, as in Canada, is a live one. At general elections, voters have the opportunity of saying whether, in their respective districts, the number of licenses shall remain the same, be reduced, or wiped out entirely, a three-fifths vote being necessary to carry the latter, and the same to repeal it, once carried. At the last election one district carried prohibition. The drink bill is not increasing. New Zealand agriculture is progressing, and the Government is doing a great deal to encourage high class production in danrying and other lines, and to stimulate the export trade. Special care is taken by means of inspection, etc., that nothing but the very choicest products shall go abroad, thus creating and preserving an enviable reputation.

BERTHA JOHNSTON

The Young Thief Turned Over to the Children's Aid Society.

Bertha Johnston, the 15-year-old girl who stole the eggs and jam from the house of Thomas Jackson, on con. 3, London township, over a week ago, was brought before Judge Edward Elliott this morning, and admitted her guilt. The Children's Aid Society took the case up and interceded for her. The judge commented upon the action of the Children's Aid Society as in a great degree superior to sending the girl to the reformatory, as crime must be punished, especially when it was of such a character as this. He then handed the girl over to the inspector, as she had been on several occasions forced to beg. Her little brother, who told Mrs. Jackson the yarn regarding the illness of his mother and the death of his father, is under the care of Inspector Sanders, and will be brought up, likely in the course of a week. Their parents reside on the Wharncliffe road. The society will endeavor to obtain a first-class home for the girl and give her a new start in life.

FRANCES WILLARD'S APPEAL

To the Women of the United States—On Behalf of the Armenians.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—A cablegram from London says that from the international offices of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union, in that city, Miss Frances E. Willard has sent out the following call to the 10,000 local unions in the United States:

"My Comrades,—The cup of wrath is full. In these two terrible years, when the massacre of the innocent has gone on under the eyes of our paralyzed rulers in Christian lands, we have thought that men alone could help. But it is women who are dying two deaths in the bloody East, and we, their sisters, cannot longer wait. You have nobly responded to my earlier appeal, and in the name of Christ and humanity, of the home against the harem, I earnestly and tenderly call upon you to organize meetings in every locality, urging our Government to co-operate with England in putting a stop to the massacres and giving protection henceforth to Armenian homes. Let these meetings be addressed by the pastors, the business men, and the most capable women. Let money be raised by systematic visitation, as well as by collection, and forwarded to our national treasurer, Mrs. Helen M. Barker, the Women's Temple, Chicago.

"And may God deal with us at last as we all deal with our Armenian brothers and sisters and their little ones in this hour of overwhelming calamity.

"Yours for God and home in every land, "Frances E. Willard."

Mrs. Seleste Coon, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Parmelee's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat anything I choose without distressing me in the least." These pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required.

Lille's Ghent gate and Roubaix gate, the last remnants of military architecture belonging to the time of the Spanish occupation, are to be torn down to make room for the city's growth eastward.

The 7th Band Trouble.

Letter From a Veteran Member of the Organization.

He Discusses the Duty of the Band and the Faithfulness of Bandsmen.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Noticing a report in your paper of Saturday regarding some trouble in the Seventh Band, I beg to inform you that I was in nowise connected with the said disorders, and had severed my connection with the Seventh Band previous to the said disorders or disobedience of orders, not mutiny. You ought to look at a dictionary and see what "mutiny" means. It means more than refusing to comply with an order. I have served a long and faithful career, it being 45 years since I first donned the red jacket. During my long service of eighteen years in the British army I served in all parts of the world—England, Ireland, Canada, Barbadoes, West Indies, and Bermuda—and was never once brought to the notice of an afficer for disobedience of orders, a thing that few soldiers can say when you consider the unhealthy climate I have served in. I served in India during the trying times of the Indian mutiny, from November, 1857, until June, 1859, marching in rains as well as in the scorching summer of 1858, and although only a boy, did my work cheerfully, and it is not at this time of life that I am likely to be disobedient to any officer. I was eighteen years in the Seventh Fusiliers Band, and I always did the work required of me cheerfully. I was brought up in the wrong institution—the Royal Hibernian Military School—to have any disobedience or mutiny in me—a school which, with its sister school in London, known as the Royal Military Asylum, Chelsea, S. W. (alias the Duke of York School)—is known to have put through some of the brightest non-commissioned officers, schoolmasters and commissioned officers that are serving in the British army today.

Now, sir, as far as the officers are concerned that gave you the information about the Seventh Band and their learning certain movements, what movements does a band require? I can tell Mr. Officer that if he looked up his drill book he might learn certain movements that he and others are greatly in need of. I should ask this officer what great privileges the band has? Going out with the regiment every Monday night and marching the muddy or dusty streets, as the case may be, is certainly a great privilege! As far as the marching is concerned, let anyone go and look at the beautiful floor of the drill shed, and I will ask if it is fit for anyone to march on—all in holes? The saluting incident was gotten up to find out the tale carrier of the band, which was a successful ruse. I remain, sir, yours,

GEO. O'FARRELL,
Late Seventh Fusiliers Band.

The Advertiser report of the unpleasantness in the Seventh Band did not mention the word "mutiny." It gave a fair report of both sides of the trouble, and in this letter, it will be observed, Mr. O'Farrell does not impugn its good faith. As to the merits of the dispute, our readers can judge them from the statements given.—Editor Advertiser.

SHOT A BOY DEAD.

Shocking Tragedy as the Result of Fooling With a Gun in Three Rivers.

Three Rivers, Que., Sept. 26.—A boy named Francoeus, aged 13, was shot dead yesterday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of a companion named Dubord. They were returning from shooting birds on the outskirts of the town, and when near home Dubord stopped to examine his gun, when it went off, the ball passing through the body of Francoeus, who was walking ahead.

FORT WILLIAM SAFE.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—A dispatch from Fort William states that the bush fires have burned out, and all danger to the town is past for the present, the wind having fallen.

THREE DANCERS DROWNED.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Word has been received here of a sad drowning accident at Notre Dame du Pont Maria, near Buckingham. A party of three, two young women and a man, were returning from a dance in a bark canoe, when it upset and all three were drowned. The victims are Leonora Vincent, Emma Roy and Peter Grenier. The body of Miss Roy has been recovered.

SUDDEN DEATH AT RIDGETOWN.

Ridgetown, Sept. 28.—Robert Gardiner, aged 45, a farm laborer living in the township of Harwich, came to town on Friday evening with his wife to secure medical advice with regard to his physical condition, and almost immediately after arriving at the doctor's office fell forward and expired. Heart failure is said to have been the immediate cause of death. He leaves a widow and eight children.

FURS AND GOLD IN CANADA.

Over $30,000 worth of furs came into Edmonton this week, says the Calgary correspondent of the Manitoba Free Press. The traders from the far north get spot cash for their wares from Edmonton dealers, and after enjoying the excitements of city life, including a couple of dramatic performances and the stimulating effects of potheen for a week, leave again for the land of fur and the midnight sun. Some $200,000 worth of furs are brought in each year, exclusive of the Hudson Bay Company's take.

Gold digging goes steadily on. Upwards of $100,000 is annually sifted from the sandbanks of the lordly Saskatchefan. Only one or two "grizzlies" can be seen at work within the town limits. Judge Rouleau's gold cleaning machine has been voted a great success, provided the proper sand is worked on. It was unfortunate that a landslide covered the parts the machine was to make its debut upon.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

A cold shake—Chills.

Easily seen through—Glass.

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

Sir Richard's Return.

Satisfactory Interview With Hon. Joseph Chamberlain.

The Minister of Trade and Commerce Had a Long Conference With the Colonial Secretary.

Special Telegram to The Advertiser.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Sir Richard Cartwright returned last evening from his trip to Boston. He had an engagement to meet Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Colonial Secretary, at the Vendome House in that city on Friday last. When he arrived there a letter was waiting him from Mr. Chamberlain, asking him to go to Danvers, which is about 30 miles from Boston, and where Mr. Chamberlain's father-in-law, Mr. Endicott, has a very large farm and country home. Sir Richard at once left for Danvers, and had a long interview with Mr. Chamberlain. Beyond stating that the interview was very satisfactory, Sir Richard has nothing further to say for publication.

CASTING A BRIDE INTO THE NILE.

Survival of an Ancient Ceremony Performed When the River Dam Is Opened.

Pall Mall Gazette.

Usually Egypt makes a regular Fourth of July of the ceremony known as the Cutting of the Khalig—the canal that is to Cairo what the Nile is to Egypt, or the Gran Barranca to Funchal, which, indeed, it strikingly resembles in that portion which runs beneath mediaeval gables and quaint old bridges, on its setting out for what was once Heliopolis. When the Nilometer justifies the heirs of all the ages in believing that the Nile will bear bleeding the dam is cut, and the symbolical bride (made of mud) thrown in. She used to be real flesh and blood till the followers of the Prophet took over the country, but they are said to have stopped the custom as being a willful waste of scarce women. This year Cairo is to be robbed of its Bank Holiday. Time was when the Caliph himself got up early to see it, and spent a matter of £40,000 or £50,000 on the festivities, while the Nile blazed with light like the Crystal Palace. Twelve hundred years ago the Copts told Amru, the first Moslem ruler, that on the thirteenth day of their month Baouneh they were accustomed to search for a young and handsome maiden, tear her from her home by force, and, dressing her as a bride, throw her into the Nile at Rhoda. Amru ordered a rude statue to be substituted, and even Napoleon kept up the practice. But because of the cholera the wedding won't come off this time with any splendor. The fleet of lantern-lit boats, and the music parties, and all that, will be arrested if they try it on in defiance of the sanitary autocrats. The Khedive will just send a deputy assistant help to wave his hand to the man who cuts the dam, and that is all. The sternwheelers are passing up in penn'orths to the end of the Lower Egypt line, and will be put together by Arab artificers, who only get quadruple pay for doing it.

The middle of this month, probably, will witness the formal inauguration of the electric tramways—hideous as useful, and the donkey boy will find his occupation largely gone. It is rather a shock, aesthetically speaking, to think of being motor-carried to Saladin's stronghold and other classic places; but when one takes rail to Jerusalem it seems no less incongruous.

TEA, COFFEE AND SUGAR

Differences in the Averages of Consumption in Various Countries.

Twenty ounces a year for each inhabitant has been the unvarying average of tea consumption in the United States for 25 years. Egland's average for the same period has been 80 ounces for each inhabitant, or four times greater. Tea drinkers, as a rule, use more sugar than coffee drinkers do Tea drinking countries are the greater consumers of sugar. In Spain, where chocolate is more popular as a drink than tea, and in France, where coffee is proverbially popular, and supposedly best made, sugar is, relatively, less used.

The annual consumption of sugar in the United States is now 2,100,000 tons, which is about 65 pounds a person. Of the total the United States produce 350,000 tons, 1,800,000 being imported. The United States pay annually over $108,000,000 for foreign sugar and $20,000,000 for the domestic article. The American product of sugar has increased 50 per cent in twelve years. The English consumption of sugar is at the rate of 70 pounds per capita, the average of Holland and Denmark being 30 pounds, and of France and Switzerland 23 pounds.

The expression "enormous" often erroneously used by statisticians intent upon establishing a proposition or destroying an adverse contention, is correct in the case of Holland as a coffee-consuming country, for the total consumption of coffee in a year amounts to 40,000 tons, and the total area of Holland is 12,000 square miles—less than half the size of West Virginia. On the basis of the population the coffee consumption of Holland is 325 ounces yearly for each inhabitant, and the other countries with which a comparison is made have the averages following: United States, 150; Germany, 90; France, 70; Austro-Hungary, 35; Italy, 17; Great Britain and Ireland, 15; Spain, 9, and Russia, 3.

The English taste for tea has never extended to the United States, but, oddly enough, in those portions of Canda, in which the inhabitants are of English descent, the consumption of tea is just as large as in England or Ireland. In tea and coffee drinking the United States follow rather France and Germany than England, though the reason for this preference is not altogether clear.—New York Sun.

EYES OF A PORTRAIT.

How often one has felt annoyance and even awe at being followed by the eyes of a portrait. Wollaston accounts for this phenomena in this way: He says that by changing the direction of the lower features the direction of the eye is changed, and by changing our position the eyes of the portrait apparently follow us.

REMINDED.

Trivvet—Should one say, "Here is that $10 I borrowed from you," or "Here are those $10 I borrowed?"

Dicer—Here is that $10 I borrowed from you.

Trivvet—Thanks, old man, I was afraid you had forgotten it. But where is the money?

"Father and Greatest of Chieftains," is how Sekombo addressed Mr. Cecil Rhodes after the surrender had been agreed to.

Town and Country.

Plover Mills Postoffice has been closed.

Mr. Bert Scott, for several years connected with the Bank of Commerce at Belmont, has been promoted to a position in the Galt agency. His place is taken by Mr. Dickson, late of Simcoe.

GRANTON.

Granton, Sept. 26.—Individuals anxious for work are inquiring why our trustee board, or some member thereof, failed to materialize on the evening they advertised for letting contracts on the school grounds. Perhaps the chairman of the board can make satisfactory explanation.

Mr. Ironside is offering his grist mill and site for sale at a very reasonable figure. This is a splendid chance for a miller with two or three thousand dollars' capital.

Mr. Jas. McGowan and family intend moving into town shortly.

The Presbyterian Church choir go to Bryanston tomorrow to lead the praise services in connection with Bryanston church anniversary.

W. Brown has commenced the erection of a residence on his farm, north of the village.

Our Methodist people have their harvest home services and entertainment billed for next Sunday and Monday, Dr. Lang to preside on Monday evening.

Our agricultural exhibition will be held this year on Oct. 12 and 13.

BRYANSTON.

Bryanston, Sept. 28.—Yesterday was a red letter day in connection with Ebenezer Methodist Church on the Bryanston circuit. It was anniversary day. Spirited and spiritual sermons were preached by Revs. R. A. Miller, in the morning, and A. G. Harris, London, in the afternoon and evening. The crowds exceeded the capacity of the church in the afternoon and evening. The excellent choir in connection with the Siloam Methodist Church favored with some of their choicest selections. A number at the evening service expressed their desire to consecrate themselves more fully to God. These services will long be remembered.

COREA'S SEVEN WONDERS.

According to Chinese authority, Corea, like the world of the ancients, has its "seven wonders." Briefly stated, they are as follows: First, a hot mineral spring near Kin Shanta, the healing powers of which are believed by the people to be miraculous. No matter what disease may afflict the patient, a dip in the water proves efficacious. The second wonder is two springs situated at a considerable distance from each other; in fact, they have the breadth of the entire peninsula between them. They have two peculiarities—when one is full, the other is always empty; and notwithstanding the fact that they are connected by a subterranean passage, one is bitter and the other pure and sweet. The third wonder is a cold wave cave—a cavern from which a wintry wind perpetually blows. The force of the wind from the cave is such that a strong man cannot stand before it. A forest that cannot be eradicated is the fourth wonder. No matter what injury is done to the roots of the trees, which are large pines, they will sprout up again directly, like the phoenix from her ashes. The fifth is the most wonderful of all. It is the famous "floating stone." It stands, or seems to stand, in front of the palace erected in its honor. It has an irregular cube of great bulk. It appears to be resting on the ground, free from supports on all sides; but strange to say, two men at opposite ends of a rope may pass it under the stone without encountering any obstacle whatever. The sixth wonder is the "hot stone," which from remote ages has lain glowing with heat on the top of a high hill. The seventh and last Corean wonder is a drop of the sweat of Buddha. For 30 paces around the temple in which it is enshrined not a blade of grass will grow. There are no trees or flowers inside the sacred square. Even the animals decline to profane a spot so holy.

AN IDEA

comes slow to a person with a headache. Brighten up on a dose of "ONE MINUTE" HEADACHE CURE; 10 cents; three doses in each package Send 10c in stamps for a package to

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Because in the Light of the Testimony Given Anything Else

WOULD BE FOLLY.

All Through the Provinces—Ontario, Quebec, St. John, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Manitoba—Munyon Has Sent His Healing Tide, and Everywhere He Finds Naught but Praise.

As it is in London, so it is everywhere. Munyon's Advanced Homeopathy has proved itself—compelled recognition—entwined itself around the hearts of the people, and is today the sole reliance in hundreds of homes, when sickness makes its appearance.

The Munyon specialists at 11-13 Albert street are the busiest men in Toronto, and the good they are doing is beyond all calculation, or estimate.

CURED OF
BILIOUSNESS.

MISS MINNIE MAXWELL, A SALESLADY IN EATON'S STORE ON YONGE STREET, AND RESIDING IN PARKDALE, TORONTO, SAYS: "For several months I suffered with general debility and biliousness. I did not get any better, although I tried a number of different medicines. A few bottles of Munyon's Debility Cure effected a complete cure, and I have had no further trouble since using these remedies."

CURED OF
RHEUMATISM.

MR. JAMES H. BROWN, EMPLOYED AT THE STANDARD SILVER WORKS, HAYTER STREET, TORONTO, SAYS: I was laid up with a very severe case of inflammatory Rheumatism, and was kept in bed seven weeks. It was so bad I could not bear to be touched, not even with the bed clothing. Medicines that I tried gave me no relief until I began using Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. In a short time the swelling went down, the severe pains in my limbs disappeared, and I recovered so rapidly that I was able to go back to work again in a few days."

CURED OF
KIDNEY
TROUBLE.

MR. H. B. TAYLOR, TORONTO'S WELL-KNOWN DRAPER, IN BUSINESS AT 119 KING STREET WEST, TORONTO, SAYS: "I was troubled with a pain in my kidneys, superinduced by a sudden chill while in the water. I began using Munyon's Kidney Cure, and as I took the medicine the pain got less each day. It is certainly a great medicine."

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Personal letters answered with free medical advice for any disease.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

"SHALL" AND "WILL."

There is probably no more confusing part of the English language than that which regulates the proper use of "shall" and "will." James Russell Lowell once replied in the following fashion to a young woman who wrote: "I would be very much obliged for your autograph":

"Pray, do not say, hereafter, 'I would be obliged.' If you would be obliged, be obliged, and be done with it. Say, 'I should be obliged,' and oblige, yours truly, "James Russell Lowell."

An additional hint is that of the old verse which runs:

"In the first person simply 'shall' foretells;
In 'will' a threat or else a promise dwells;
'Shall' in the second or third doth threat:
'Will' simply then foretells a future feat."

Stormy Days won't matter...

when you have clothing that keeps you warm in any weather. Just a layer of **Fibre Chamois** through your coats, vests or wraps provides a healthful comfort that will last all winter, no matter how severe the weather. The waterproof Rigby process makes it impenetrable to rain or sleet, its light weight leaves you free and unburdened so that any exercise is possible and its non-conducting properties keep out every whiff of cold air or frosty winds. It only costs a few extra cents, so for health and comfort's sake have it put in all ordered clothing and only buy the ready-to-wear garments which bear the **Fibre Chamcis Label.**

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MINING QUOTATIONS:

War Eagle	$1 70	California	$ 15
Jumbo	1 10	Mayflower	17½
Iron Mask	85	St. Elmo	15
Josie	63	Deer Park	14
Cariboo	40	Poorman	13
Virginia	32	Big Three	10
Evening Star	30	Monarch	10
Monte Cristo	20		

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Commerce and Finance.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 28.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	226	223
Ontario	..	35
Molsons	..	..
Toronto	236	226½
Merchants	167	164½
Commerce	127	126
Imperial	180	178
Dominion	230	..
Standard	165	162
Hamilton	152	149
British America	117	115
Western Assurance	156½	150
Canada Life	..	..
Confederation Life	..	..
Consumers' Gas	202	199
Dominion Telegraph	123	121
Montreal Telegraph	..	..
Northwest Land Company, pref	50	..
Northwest Land Company, com	..	..
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	58¼	57
Commercial Cable Company	147	146¾
Postal Telegraph	80	79⅜
Bell Telephone Company	156	154
Montreal Street Railway	217	215
Montreal Street Railway (new)	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	70⅞	69¾
Dominion Savings and Invest't	..	76
Farmers Loan and Savings	100	..
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent	65	..
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	160
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	150
London and Canada, L. and A.	95	..
London Loan	..	102
London and Ontario	102	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	164½	163½

SALES—1 p.m.—Com. Cable, 4 at 146½; Postal Tel., 75 at 79¾. 11:15 a.m.—Com. Cable, 4 at 146½.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Sept. 28.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific, xd	58½	57¼
Duluth common	5	4⅝
Duluth preferred	12	11
Commercial Cable, xd	147	146¾
Wabash common	..	..
Wabash preferred	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	165	164
Richelieu and Ontario	93	84½
Montreal Street Railway	217	215½
Montreal Street Railway, new	..	..
Montreal Gas Company	188	186½
Bell Telephone	160	154½
Royal Electric, xd	110	..
Toronto Railway	70½	70⅜
Bank of Montreal	225	223
Ontario Bank	..	..
Banque du Peuple	..	..
Molsons Bank, xd	..	..
Bank of Toronto	..	225
Banque Jacques Cartier	..	..
Merchants Bank	167	165
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	164	157
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	..	..
Bank of Commerce	130	125½
Northwest Land preferred	..	..
Montreal Cotton Company	120	116
Canada Colored Cotton	..	40
Dominion Cotton	95	85
Postal Telegraph	80	78½

SALES—Duluth, pref., 50 at 12; Com. Cable, 25 at 147, 100 at 147¼, 35 at 147; Bank of Mont., 2 at 223½, 12 at 224; Merchants Bank, 5 at 166, 40 at 165.

London Money Market.

London, Aug. 28—4 p.m.—Closing—Consols, for money, 109⅝; do for the account, 109⅝; Canadian Pacific, 60½; Erie, 14⅛; Erie, seconds, 31½; Illinois Central, 93½; Mexican ordinary, 21; St. Paul, common, 75½; New York Central, 96; Pennsylvania, 53½; Reading, 9½; Mexican Central, new 4's, 68½; bar silver, 30 5-16d; money, 1½ to 1¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 2⅜ per cent; do for three months' bills, 2⅜ to 2½ per cent.

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.
London, Monday, Sept. 28.

Wheat, per bu	60c	to	66c
Oats, per bu	16c	to	20c
Peas, per bu	30c	to	40c
Corn, per bu	40c	to	45c
Barley, per bu	22c	to	35c

The receipts were light, as usual on Monday.

No change from Saturday.

Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 10
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	100	to	1 10
Oats, per 100 lbs	40	to	60
Peas, per 100 lbs	50	to	70
Corn, per 100 lbs	60	to	70
Barley, per 100 lbs	40	to	60
Rye, per 100 lbs	50	to	60
Beans, bu	40	to	55
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	70	to	75
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	15	to	30
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	50
Carrots, per bu	20	to	30
Turnips, per bu	15	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	30	to	35
Onions, per bu	60	to	60
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	12
Cheese, per lb	9	to	10
Eggs single dozen	14		15
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz	13	to	14
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	12	to	12½
Butter single rolls per lb	14	to	16
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	14	to	15
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	12	to	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	to	14
Lard, per lb	9	to	9
Ducks, per pair	60	to	80
Chickens, per pair	$ 30	to	50
Turkeys, per lb, 7½c to 9c; each	75	to	60
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	3½	to	5½
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	3	to	5
Lamb, quarter	7	to	9
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	5 00	to	6 25
Live hogs	3 25	to	3 40
Calfskins, dry, each	25	to	25
Sheepskins, each	00	to	00
Lambskins, each	35	to	35
Wool, per lb	20	to	20
Tallow, rendered, per lb	3	to	4
Tallow, rough, per lb	2	to	4
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	2
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	2
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	3
Calfskins green	5	to	6
HAY AND SEED			
Hay per ton	7 50	to	8 00
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 50
Clover seed, red per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	0 00

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Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—Wheat—There is a better demand, but the deliveries are small and holders are firm; red and white are quoted at 66c, bid, north and west, with sellers at 67c; Manitoba wheat is firm; No. 1 hard is quoted at 67c afloat, Fort William; No. 2 hard at 64c, and No. 3 hard at 60c; No. 1 hard is quoted at 76c, Toronto and west; No. 2 hard at 74c, and No. 1 northern at 75c.

Flour—There is a good demand for Ontario grades, but business is not active, as buyers are not inclined to pay the advance asked; cars of straight roller are quoted at $3 30, west, with $3 20 bid; Manitoba flour is in active demand and firm; millers say that it is easier to sell it now at the advance than it was before prices were put up; cars of patents are quoted here at $4 25, and strong bakers at $3 75.

Millfeed is dull and prices are unchanged; cars of shorts are quoted west at $8 and bran at $7; the city mills are selling ton lots, delivered, at $10 for shorts, and $9 for bran.

Barley is nominal at 34c for No. 1, 36c for No. 1 extra, and 20c for feed outside.

Buckwheat is quoted at 32c to 33c, outside, but the offerings are small.

Rye is firmer, with sales, middle freights west, today at 33c.

Corn is easier, and was offering west today at 26c for mixed, and 27c for yellow.

Oats are steady, with two cars of mixed, west, today, at 17 1-2, and white at 18c; cars on the track here are quoted at 21 1-2c.

Oatmeal is quiet, at $2 40 for cars here and $2 60 for broken lots.

Peas are in good demand and firmer, with sales today at 42 1-2c and 43c, north and west.

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The Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.

Petrolea, Sept. 28.—Oil opened and closed at $1 50 today.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Sept. 28.—Oil $1 17 bid at 12:30 p.m.

Dairy Markets.

LONDON CHEESE BOARD.

The cheese market on Saturday was slow and weak, with a general inclination on the part of sellers to hold off for higher prices. What few bids there were ranged from 8 1-2c to 9 5-16c, the former being for 118 boxes of last half of August make of Cedar Vale factory, and which was finally sold at 8 5-16c. This was the only sale effected out of the twelve factories represented, which boarded 1,394 boxes. The cable price of cheese in the English market on Saturday was 42 shillings for white, and 44 shillings for colored. There were 310 boxes of white offered from two factories. The following are those represented:

Proof Line	91
Cedar Vale	40
Glanworth	118
Devizes	125
White Oak	100
Geary's	110
Blanchard	75
Avonbank	200
Ridgetree	160
North Street	100
Bryanston	100
Belmont	175
Total number of boxes	1,394

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 26.—Butter firm; State dairy, 10c to 14 1-2c; creamery, State dairy, 11c to 14 1-2c; do, creamery, 11c to 15 1-2c; western dairy, 7 1-2c to 11c; do, creamery, 11c to 16c; do, factory, 7c to 10 1-2c; Elgins, 15 1-2c to 16c; imitation creamery, 9c to 11c. Cheese quiet; large, 7c to 9c; do, small, 7c to 9 1-4c; part skims, 3c to 6c.

CANTON, N. Y.

Canton, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Eighteen hundred cheese sold; large 9c to 9 1-2c; latter ruling; trying to get 16c for butter.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.

Watertown, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Sales on the Board of Trade today, 2,2850 at 9c; 1,000 at 9 1-8c.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Sept. 26.—27 lots, 1,900 boxes, chees offered; bidding slow at 9c; no sales; may sell afterwards on street.

The Apple Market.

The latest cables from Liverpool state that the excessive supplies are compelling sellers to accept lower figures, but the condition of fruit would not allow of holding for a recovery. Unfavorable weather has limited demand; market lower. Sales have been forced, to get stocks out of the way of the large incoming receipts, to prevent a total collapse. The following prices ruled: Colverts, 8s to 10s; Jennetings, 7s to 9s; Gravensteins, 15s to 17s; Ribston Pippins, 10s to 12s; 20 oz., 11s to 13s; Kings, 14s to 16s; Snows, 14c to 16s; Baldwins and Spies, 10s to 12s. Fruit out of condition, 3s to 4s less than above quotations.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1,278.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Dec.	65⅝	68	65⅝	67⅜
May	69⅞	71¼	69	71
Corn—Dec.	22	22⅜	21⅞	22¼
May	25¼	25⅞	25	25⅝
Oats—Dec.	17	17¼	17	17¼
May	19½	19⅝	19½	19⅝
Pork—Oct.	6 00	6 15	5 95	6 10
Jan.	7 05	7 15	7 05	7 15
Lard—Oct.	3 75	3 80	3 75	3 77
Jan.	4 10	4 15	4 07	4 12
Ribs—Oct.	3 20	3 22	3 17	3 20
Jan.	3 52	3 55	3 52	3 52

Puts, 66⅝; calls, 70.

English Markets.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 28—12:45 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; demand poor; futures steady; near and distant positions ¼d lower.

Corn—Spot quiet; futures steady; near and distant positions ¼d lower.

Bacon—Firm; demand fair; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 30s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs 29s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 27s; long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 25s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 21s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 29s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 lbs, 24s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 44s 6d.

Tallow—Fine North American, 18s.

Beef—Extra India mess, 48s 9d; prime mess, 37s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 45s; medium western, 38s 9d.

Lard—Steady; prime western, 20s 6d; refined, in pails, 23s 6d.

Cheese—Dull; demand poor; finest American white, 42s; finest American colored, 44s.

Butter—Finest United States, 80s; good, 60s.

Turpentine spirits—19s 6d.

Rosin, common—4s 10½d.

Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 3d.

Linseed oil—16s 9d.

Refrigerator beef—Forequarter, 3½d; hindquarter, 5½d.

Bleaching powder—Hardwood, f. o. b., Liverpool, £7 2s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £1 15s.

London, Sept. 28.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat nothing doing; corn, nothing doing.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat dull; 3d lower; corn quiet, but steady.

Country markets—English, firm; French, firm.

Liverpool, Sept. 28, 4:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; demand poor; No. 2 red spring, 5s 10½d; No. 1 Cal., 6s ½d; futures closed steady, with near and distant positions ¼d lower; closed steady, with near positions ¼d to 1d lower, and distant positions 1d to 1¼d lower; business about equally distributed; Sept., 5s 8d; Oct., 5s 8d; Nov., 5s 8½d; Dec., 5s 8½d; Jan., 5s 8½d; Feb., 5s 8½d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 2s 10½d; futures opened and closed steady, with near and distadt positions, ¼d lower; business about equally distributed; Sept., 2s 10d; Oct., 2s 10d; Nov., 2s 10½d; Dec., 2s 10d.

Flour—Firm; demand fair; freely supplied; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s 6d.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 8½d.

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Wheat was lower today on heavier offerings to realize profits. Corn was firm. Oats dull.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Sept., 65⅝c; Dec., 66½c; May, 69⅝c.

Corn—No. 2 Sept., 21⅛c to 21¼c; Oct., 21⅛c to 21⅜c; Dec., 22⅛c; May, 25⅛c.

Oats—No. 2, Sept., 16⅛c; Oct., 16⅜c; Dec., 17⅛c; May, 19⅛c to 19⅜c.

Mess pork—Oct., $6 05; Jan., $7 15.

Lard—Oct., $3 75; Jan., $4 10.

Short ribs—Oct., $3 22½; Jan., $3 55.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour strong; No. 2 spring wheat, 65½c to 66⅝c; No. 2 red, 67½c to 69⅝c; No. 2 corn, 21⅛c to 21⅛c; No. 2 oats, 16⅛c to 17⅛c; No. 2 rye, 34⅛c; No. 2 barley, 33c; mess pork, $6 05 to $6 10; lard, $3 75 to $3 77½; short rib sides, $3 25 to $3 55; dry salted shoulders, $3 50 to $3 75; short clear sides, $3 50 to $3 62½.

Receipts—			
Flour	9,000	Wheat	134,000
Corn	437,000	Oats	463,000
Rye	13,000	Barley	55,000
Shipments—			
Flour	9,000	Wheat	25,000
Corn	363,000	Oats	413,000
Rye	43,000	Barley	5,000

DETROIT

Detroit, Sept. 28.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 69½c; No. 2 red cash, 69½c; Sept., 69⅝c; Oct., 70⅜c; Dec., 74½c.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, Sept. 28. — Wheat — Cash 70½c; Oct., 72⅜c; Dec., 75⅜c.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, Sept. 28.—Wheat — Cash, 63⅜c; Oct., 65⅛c.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Sept. 28.—Spring wheat, higher; offerings very light; No. 1 hard, old, spot, 71½c to 71½c; No. 1 northern, 70½c. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 2 red, 73½c; No. 3 red, 69½c.

Corn—Very unsettled; No. 2 yellow, 27½c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 23c to 23½c; No. 3 white, 20c; No. 4 white, 18c; No. 2 mixed, 19c; No. 3 mixed, 16c to 17c; No. 2 white in store, 22½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 28, noon.

Flour—Receipts, 18,500 bbls; sales 2,500 packages; state and western market steadier but quiet; city mills patents, $4 40 to $4 65; winter patents, $3 70 to $4; city mill clears, $4 to $4 10; winter extras, $2 25 to $2 75; Minnesota patents, $3 65 to $4 10; winter straights, $3 40 to $3 45; Minnesota bakers, $2 30 to $3 20; winter low grades, $2 to $2 25; spring wheat, low grakes, $2 10 to $2 30; rye flour, steady; sales, 300 bbls; superfine, $2 60 to $2 70; fancy, $2 75 to $2 90.

Wheat—Receipts, 292,100; sales, 1,170,000; options opened weak under bearish foreign news and heavy spring wheat receipts but later rallied sharply on covering; May, 74½c to 75c; Dec., 71⅝c to 72 7-16c.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 western, 41½c to 42½c, c.i.f.

Corn—Receipts, 93,600 bu; sales, 165,000 bu; options opened weaker on large receipts and country selling, but rallied with wheat; May, 30⅝c to 30⅞c; Dec., 28⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 245,700; options dull track, white, state and western, 18c to 28½c.

Beef—Steady; family, $8 to $9.

Pork—Quiet; mess, $7 75 to $8 25; family, $10 50 to $11 50; short clear, $7 75 to $9 50.

Lard—Firmer; prime western steam, $4 15 bid.

Butter—Receipts, 8,606; steady; state dairy, 10c to 14½c; state creamery, 11c to 16c; western dairy, 7½c to 11c; Elgins, 15c; factory, 7c to 10½c; imitation creamery, 9c to 11c.

Cheese—Receipts, 5,233; quiet; state large, 7c to 9c; small, 7c to 9½c; part skims, 3c to 6c; full skims, 1½c to 2c.

Eggs — Receipts, 8,439; market steady; state and Pennsylvania, 18½c to 19c; western, 14c to 17½c.

Sugar—Raw, market steady; fair refining, 2½c; centrifugal, 3 1-16c.

Petroleum—Firm; refined, all ports, $6 85 to $6 90.

Coffee—Dull; No. 7, 10⅛c.

Hops—Steady.

Lead—Steady.

Tallow—Steady; city, 3½c; country, 3⅜c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 35,000; left over, 2,000; light hogs 5c higher; others were generally steady at Saturday's prices; light, $3 to $3 50; mixed, $2 90 to $3 45; heavy, $2 55 to $3 35; rough, $2 55 to $2 75.

Cattle—Receipts, 21,000, including a few Texans and 7,000 westerns; best natives steady; others 5c to 10c lower; beeves, $3 20 to $5 10; cows and heifers, $1 20 to $3 70; Texas steers, $2 45 to $3 10; westerns, $2 80 to $4; stockers and feeders, $2 70 to $3.

Sheep—Receipts, 26,000; quiet, but steady.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Sept. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, all consigned through today, except one car; market closed steady to firm.

Hogs—Receipts, 20 cars; market fairly active. Yorkers, good to choice, $3 65 to $3 70; roughs, common to good, $2 75 to $3 10; pigs, common to fair, $2 25 to $3 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5 cars; market steady. Lambs, good to choice, $4 35 to $4 50; culls and common, $3 25 to $3 75; Canada lambs, good to choice, $4 50 to $4 80; sheep, good to choice handy weight wethers, $2 60 to $3 75; culls and common, $1 50 to $2 25.

Closing report—Cattle quiet; a car of 935-lb Texan steers were sold at $3 10, closing firm; through run heavy today, 145 cars. Hogs—Receipts 20 cars on sale; closed firm and 5c higher; choice York weights, $3 70; mixed and heavy, $3 60; pigs, $3 50 to $3 60. Sheep and lambs, 17 cars, including 6 cars of Canadas; fair clearance at advanced values for Canadas; all the Canadas sold, mostly at $4 70 to $4 75; natives steady, at yesterday's prices. The close was rather weak for natives but firm for Canadas, and choice would have sold at 10c advance closing.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Sept. 26.—Since Monday cables from Glasgow have been received which were weak in tone, and noted a further decline in prices, choice Canadian cattle being quoted at 9c, and the sales reported were very discouraging to shippers, as the bulk of them showed big losses. On the other hand, a private cable from London today reported the market steady for cattle, and quoted choice States at 11½c, and Canadians at 10½c, while for sheep it reported the market stronger, at an advance of 1c since Monday, quoting best Canadian sheep at 11c. Another private cable reported a sale of 530 Canadian sheep at an average of 21s 6d each, and a lot of cattle at £13 per head, which figure, the shipper stated, showed no profit.

At the east end abattoir market this morning the offering of live stock were 700 cattle, 600 sheep, 600 lambs and 150 calves. As usual, the supply of cattle was far in excess of the requirements, and this had a depressing effect, but as there is very little room for any further abatement prices showed no material change, as compared with Monday. The attendance of buyers was large, but the demand for cattle, except for choice steers, was limited, for which 3½c was paid, and about 50 head at this figure were picked up on export account. Good stock sold at 3c to 3¼c, and lower grades ranged all the way from 1½c to 2½c per lb. There was a fair demand for sheep for export, and prices were steady, at 2⅜c to 3c per lb, live weight. Lambs met with a good sale, at from $1 50 to $3 50 each as to size. The demand for calves was active, and choice sold at $7 to $10 each, good at $4 to $6, common at $1 50 to $3 each.

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Local Brevities.

—Mr. J. E. Waterous, of Brantford, is at the Tecumseh.

—Mr. F. W. Pook, of the G. T. R., is relieving baggageman at Thamesville.

—The city engineer will take posession of his new office on the ground floor tomorrow.

—Another batch of statute labor tax delinquents have been summoned for not paying up.

—Mr. Job Cook, Wellington street, showed The Advertiser sample of second crop potatoes.

—Miss May Cater, William street, is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Collison, Detroit.

—The semi-annual meeting of the Baptist Home Mission Board will be held in Toronto on Oct. 15 next.

—Mr. J. W. Clark, of this city, brother of the actor, John L. Clark, has been appointed treasurer of the Opera House here.

—The many friends of Miss Lalla Smith, Central avenue, who has been seriously ill, will be pleased to hear that she is now convalescent.

—Two more building permits have been taken out, one by James Winslow, of 575 Hill street, for the erection of a two-story frame house on the east side of Marmora street, in the fifth ward. The other was ganted to S. S. Armitage to erect a dwelling and store on the Wharncliffe road, to cost $700.

—Windsor Record: Kid Rochford, otherwise Billy Sugden, of opium smuggling notoriety, yesterday surrendered himself to the chief of police. He was wanted on a charge of seriously assaulting a London life insurance man named Keenan, who was soliciting business on Elliott street.

—The 15-year-old daughter of Mr. John Barney, of Lambeth, died very suddenly on Saturday at the farm of Mr. David Nichols, of Westminster. The girl was at work at the farmhouse, when she suddenly fell over and was dead before relief could be afforded her. Deceased was highly thought of by those who knew her.

—The Sunday School Era, of Toronto, has commenced a series of illustrated articles on Ontario Sunday schools. It begins with the Dundas Center Methodist School, of London, one of the largest in the Province. The sketch is embellished by fine cuts of the new church, and of the superintendent, Mr. D. A. McDermid.

—The services in the Presbyterian Churches throughout the Dominion yesterday were termed "Children's Services," and the adresses of the clergymen were devoted to the youthful members of the congregations. An official list of hymns and responive readings were printed for the guidance, of all, and distributed gratis to the congregations.

—George Hughes was arrested on Saturday last by Detective Ward, on the charge of stealing two wheels and some whips from a farmer in Westminster, who employed him as a laborer. Hughes claims that his wages were not paid, and he took the wheels and sold them as a means to obtain his money. He was brought before Squire Lacey and remanded until Monday next.

—The Waterloo Street Presbyterian Mission was packed to the doors last night. The occasion was the last service of Mr. P. Scott, B.A., who has labored in the district for the past six months, and made a host of friends. The sermon was plain, earnest and impressive. The text was Job, i., 9: "Doth Job serve Jacob for nought." Tonight a farewell meeting will be held in the same place, at which Revs. W. J. Clark and Mr. Scott will address the people.

—Mr. James H. Pope, Bruce street, South London, has just returned from England, where he has been sightseeing for the past few months. One of his pleasantest recollections is a visit to Hawarden, the residence of Hon. W. E. Gladstone. There was a band competition there at the time, and the Grand Old Man distributed the prizes, and made a speech lasting three-quarters of an hour. "He is a hale, strong man, despite his 86 years," says Mr. Pope. The return voyage was a very rough one.

LADY PALL-BEARERS.

The funeral of the late Miss Tilly Buckingham took place to Mount Pleasant Cemetery yesterday afternoon, and was attended by very many friends and acquaintances of the deceased. Rev. Mr. Cuthbertson officiated, and the pall-bearers were young ladies, dressed in white, and wearing white crowns. They were Miss Buckingham's fellow-employes of the Tecumseh House. There was a large number of very fine floral tributes. The young lady was a general favorite, and very highly esteemed by all with whom she came in contact. Her sudden demise is universally regretted. The interment will not take place until Thursday, awaiting the arrival of her brother.

RALLY SUNDAY.

Yesterday was "Rally Sunday" at the Dundas Street Center Methodist Church, and was the largest attendance in the history of Sunday schools in this city. The object of the scholars of this school is to raise $1,000 of the $2,000 necessary for the erection of a new primary class room. The attendance yesterday was 681. Each of the scholars was presented with a "Rally Sunday" souvenir, which outlined the order of the afternoon's special services. The opening preliminaries were conducted by R. R. Goulding and I. Webster. Words of welcome were addressed to the children by Mr. W. Yates, assistant superintendent, and the pastor's greetings were conveyed by Rev. H. J. Uren. Superintendent D. A. McDermid set forth the object of the primary building society in a few well-chosen remarks. Mr. William Bowman extended the greetings of the church. The secretary's report, read by C. E. Cowley, was an interesting part of the proceedings. The closing exercises were conducted by Rev. J. G. Laird.

McLAREN—UREN.

The St. Marys Argus of Thursday says: "A very interesting event took place yesterday morning, 23rd inst., in St. James' Church, the occasion being the marriage of two popular young people of the town, Mr. James A. McLaren, of the firm of D. McLaren & Son, merchant tailors, and Miss Alice M. Uren, daughter of Mr. T. B. Uren, 720 Dundas street, London. At 9 o'clock the bridal party arrived at the church. The bride, leaning on the arm of her father, Mr. Thomas B. Uren, and accompanied by her bridesmaid, Miss Helen Brunner, of Detroit, passed up the center aisle to the chancel, where the groom and his attendant, Mr. Robt. McLaren, awaited them. The bride was charming in an elegant traveling dress, an artistic combination of riziere and kola brown cloth, with satin and pearl trimmings, and becoming hat of similar shades. The rector of the church, Rev. W. J. Taylor, then proceeded with the impressive and beautiful marriage service, at the conclusion of which, to the strains of Mendelssohn's 'Wedding March,' played by Miss Mabel Clark, the party proceded to the vestry, where the register was duly signed. On leaving the church the happy couple received the congratulations of numerous friends who awaited them, and left for the station amid hearty good wishes and showers of rice. Mr. and Mrs. McLaren will visit London, Sarnia, Detroit and Chicago before returning to their future home on John street."

Wore the White Gloves.

Did Chancellor Boyd at the Opening of Middlesex Fall Assizes.

The Grand Jury Sworn In—The Chancellor's Address—Should be More Provision for Lunatics.

The Middlesex fall assizes opened this morning before Chancellor Boyd, who wore the white gloves as a symbol of the absence of crime in the county. There were a number of ladies present, and not the usual number of men.

The following prominent legal gentlemen are present at the court: J. J. McLaren, Q.C., of Toronto, who will conduct the cases for the crown; Mr. Folinsbee, of Strathroy; Chas. R. W. Biggar, Q.C., Toronto; Chas. Moss, Q.C., Toronto; W. H. Beatty, Q.C., Toronto, and B. B. Osler, Q.C., Toronto.

The following grand jury were empaneled: John Cawrse, lot 39, con. 1, Westminster, foreman; James Bell, farmer, lot 12, con. 18, London township; David Bogue, farmer, Westminster; Chas. E. Bateman, lot 4, con. 2, Caradoc; James Dewar, lot 7, con. 16, East Williams; A. K. Hodgins, lot 22, con. 3, Biddulph; Dugald McArthur, lot 2, con. 9, Lobo; Dugald McPherson, lot 22, con. 2, Delaware; Samuel Pardy, lot 4, con. 5, West Nissouri; Arthur Waspe, painter, city; Walter Westlake, lot 16, con. 6, London township; Thos. Watson, harness-maker, Parkhill; Arthur W. White, manufacturer, city.

THE CHANCELLOR'S ADDRESS.

Chancellor Boyd addressed the jury briefly. He was glad to say that their duties were today comparatively light. He had been informed by the sheriff that the county had been almost free from crime. He had been given a pair of white gloves by the sheriff, which was an evidence that he had no criminal cases in his keeping. There were one or two criminal cases, but these were allowed out on bail. It was not necessary, he said, in this enlightened country, to say much regarding instruction as to their duty. He drew attention to the changes in the acts governing criminal courts, which increased the number of grand jurors from twelve to thirteen, thereby making it possible to arrive at a conclusion more readily. Another change was the provision made for the accused man to give evidence in his own behalf. He complimented them upon the fact that in the county jail there were no tramps or aged persons. He could not say the same of many other places in the country. It was a great hardship that people who were thus so unfortunate should be cast into jail and there confined. This was a matter to which attention should be drawn, and homes should be provided for this class. There was one class, however, which appeared in the jail, and that was insane persons. These seemed to be greatly increasing. New asylums and additions to asylums had been built, and were going up in all parts of the country, but notwithstanding this fact there was a general and prevalent inadequacy in the provision made for these cases. He expressed the opinion that some means should be taken to find accommodation for such unfortunates in the London Asylum to prevent lunatics being confined for such a long term in the jail, as he understood some in the jail at present had been awaiting removal to the asylum for some time. After charging them with the solemn importance of their task, he dismissed them.

The first case called was Robinson vs. Pollock, an action between two partners. Adjourned by consent to January next. Gibbons, Q.C., for plaintiff; Moss, Q.C., Toronto, for defendant.

The next case taken up was Dobie vs. McIntyre. Osler, Q.C., Toronto, and Blackburn & Cox for plaintiff; Gibbons, Q.C., London, for defense. Case in progress.

NOTES.

Nelson R. Butcher is doing the reportorial work, which comes to him as naturally as his breath. He gained his initial experience in court work in this city sixteen or seventeen years ago, and has been writing court proceedings ever since.

THE UNKNOWN DEAD.

Many Inquiries Concerning the Toronto Suicide—A Resemblance Found.

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—Many inquiries are coming into the police department relative to the body of H. Nanta, who suicided at the Queen's Hotel. A letter from New York gave a description of Herman Tralinger, a brother of the writer, 65 Nassau street, who, it was thought, might be the suicide, but the description does not tally with the features of the dead man. A photo was received from Mrs. A. Michaels, 54 Marfield Place, Brooklyn, which bears a clear resemblance to Nanta.

A CHANGE OF TONE.

In the Russian Press—Things Are Now Going Great Britain's Way.

London, Sept. 28.—The morning papers devote some attention to the sudden change in the attitude of the Russian press towards Great Britain. Of these the Bourse Gazette and the Novosti warn the Government to beware of forcing England to join the Dreibund, hinting that Germany is annoyed at England's keeping aloof from that alliance, and is trying to sow discord between England and Russia. The newspapers make a note of the fact that this change of face on the part of the Russian press is coincident with Lord Salisbury's arrival at Balmoral for a conference with the Czar.

MORE VICTIMS COMING.

Montreal, Sept. 28.—A team of eight has been entered by the New York Athletic Club for the annual championships of the Amateur Athletic Association of Canada, which takes place here next Saturday.

Sober for Five Years.

For His Self-Restraint Crocker Gets a Prize of Half a Million

Under His Dead Father's Will—It Was Not Until September of 1889 That George Started in to Win.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 27.—By keeping sober for five consecutive years, George Crocker, son of the late Charles Crocker, has earned $500,000.

His good fortune was given publicity in a friendly suit begun recently by Charles F. Crocker and William H. Crocker, as trustees of the trust created by Charles Crocker.

Harriet V. Alexander and George Crocker are children of the late Chas. Crocker, and the other defendants are his grandchildren.

On April 22, 1887, Charles Crocker made his wife and two sons, who are plaintiffs in the present action trustees of 490 bonds of the Southern Pacific Branch Railway Company. They were to collect the interest on them and invest the money in good securities, and if necessary collect the principal of the securties so held. The bonds and accruing interest were to be held by them for George Crocker, with the provision that if at any time within fifteen years after the death of his father, Charles Crocker, they were satisfied that George had not taken any intoxicating liquor for a period of five years all trust property was to go to him. If George did not survive or abstain from liquor the property was to be divided between the children of the trustees.

Charles Crocker died Aug. 14, 1888, and his will contained a clause providing for carrying out the provisions of the trust. It was also provided in the will that if George paid any part of the principal or interest on the obligation due by him and John W. Taylor and M. B. Burford to Charles Crocker, that amount was to be returned to him from funds of the estate.

Mrs. Crocker died on Oct. 27, 1889, and the plaintiffs in the action are the sole surviving trustees of the trust property.

It appears that George Crocker did not overcome his bibulous tendencies until 1891. In September, of that year, he resolved to win the $500,000 trust. That he succeeded was evidenced on Tuesday, when he made application for the property, claiming that he has carried out the terms of the trust by abstaining from intoxicants from Sept. 22, 1891, to Sept. 22, 1896.

The trustees do not want to dispute or contest his claim, but they feel that they should receive an order of the court directing them to distribute the trust property. In their complaint they say they are willing and anxious to make an accounting of the trust, but in order to prevent any possible litigation by provisional legatees of the trust they desire an order of court to make them secure in the disposal of the property.

George Crocker is receiving the felicitations of his friends on the fortune he has gained by "bracing up."

ONLY SEVEN YEARS OLD.

And a Murderer—Killed His Friend With a Shot Gun

Wooster, Ohio, Sept. 28.—Thomas Kidd, 14 years old, the son of W. K. Kidd, of Cleveland, was murdered at Dalton, near here, by Carl McIlheney, 7 years old. The Kidd boy, who was a cripple, was visiting at the McIlhiney home. The boys were left together while the McIlhineys were at church, and they quarreled. Young Kidd struck Carl with his crutch. The latter went to an adjoining roof, procured his father's gun, and shot Kidd, blowing off the top of his head. The young murderer admitted the killing, and he was placed under arrest.

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CHAPTER IX.

Joanna's wedding occurred at the beginning of the winter and the winter festivities. But amid the dining and dancing and skating there was a political anxiety and excitement that lessened strongly every social and domestic effort. The first Colonial Congress had passed the three resolutions which proved to be the keynote of resistance and liberty. Joris had emphatically indorsed its action. The odious Stamp Act was to be met by the refusal of American merchants either to import English goods or to sell them upon commission until it was repealed. Homespun became fashionable. During the first three months of the year it was a kind of disgrace to wear silk or satin or broadcloth; and a great fair was opened for the sale of articles of home manufacture. The Government kept its hand upon the sword. The people were divided into two parties bitterly antagonistic to each other. The "Sons of Liberty" were keeping guard over the pole which symbolized their determination; and the New York Gazette, in flaming articles, was stimulating to the utmost the spirit of resistance to tyranny.

And these great public interests had in every family their special modifications. Joris was among the two hundred New York merchants who put their names to the resolutions of the October Congress. Bram was a conspicuous member of the "Sons of Liberty," but Batavius, though conscientiously with the people's party, was very sensible of the annoyance and expense it put him to. Only a part of his house was finished; but the building of the rest was in progress, and many things were needed for its elegant completion which were only to be bought from Tory importers, and which had, therefore, nearly doubled in value. When Liberty interfered with the private interests of Batavius, he had his doubts as to whether it was Liberty. Often Bram's overt disloyalty irritated him beyond endurance. For since he had joined the ranks of married men and householders, Batavius felt that unmarried men ought to wait for the opinions and leadership of those who had responsibilities.

Joanna talked precisely as Batavius talked; all of his enunciations met with her "Amen." There are women who are incapable of but one affection—that one which affects them in especial, and Joanna was of this order. "My husband" was perpetually on her tongue. She looked upon her position as a wife and housekeeper as unique. Other women might have, during the past six thousand years, held these positions in an indifferent kind of way; but only she had ever comprehended and properly fulfilled the duties they involved. Madam Van Heemskirk smiled a little when Joanna gave her advice about her house and her duties; when she disapproved of her father's political attitude; when she looked injured by Bram's imprudences.

"Not only is wisdom born with Joanna and Batavius; it will also die with them, so they think," said Katherine, indignantly, after one of Joanna's periodical visitations.

A tear twinkled in madam's eyes, but she answered, "I shall not distress myself over much. Always have I said, 'Joanna has a little soul. Only what is for her good can she love.'"

"It is Batavius, and a woman must love her husband, mother."

"That is the truth—first and best of all, she must love him, Katherine; but not as the dog loves and fawns on his master, or the squaw bends down to her brave. A good woman gives not up her own principles and thoughts and ways. A good woman will remember the love of her father and mother and brother and sister—her old home, her old friends; and contempt she will not feel and show for the things of the past which often for her were far better than she was worthy of."

"There is one I love, mother—love with all my soul! For him I would die! But for thee also I would die. Love thee, mother? I love thee and my father better because I love him! My mother, fret thee not, nor think that ever Joanna can really forget thee. If a daughter could forget her good father and her good mother, and with the women who sit weeping in the outer darkness God would justly give her her portion. Such a daughter could not be!"

Lysbet sadly shook her head. "When I was a little girl, Katherine, I read in a book about the old Romans how a wicked daughter over the bleeding corpse of her father drove her chariot. She wanted his crown for her own husband, and over the warm, quivering body of her father she drove. When I read that story, Katherine, my eyes I covered with my hands. I thought such a wicked woman in the world could not be. Alas! myn Kind! often since then I have seen daughters over the bleeding hearts of their fathers and mothers drive and frown and scold, and be much injured and offended if once, in their pain and sorrow, they cry out."

"But this of me remember, mother; if I am not near thee, I shall be loving thee, thinking of thee, telling my husband, and perhaps my little children, about thee—how good thou art, how pretty, how wise. I will order my house as thou hast taught me, and my dear ones will love me better because I love thee. If to my own mother I be not true, can my husband be sure I will be true to him, if comes temptation strong enough? Sorry would I be if my heart only one love could hold, and ever the last over the strong love."

Still, in spite of this home trouble, and in spite of the national anxiety, the winter months went with a delightsome peace and regularity in the Van Heemskirk household. Neil Semple ceased to visit Katherine after Joanna's wedding. There was no quarrel and no interruption to the kindness that had so long existed between the families; frequently they walked from kirk together—Madame Semple and Madame Van Heemskirk, Joris and the Elder, and Katherine and Neil. But Neil never again offered her his hand. And such conversations as they had was constrained, and of the most conventional character.

Very frequently, also, Dominie Van Linden spent the evening with them. Joris delighted in his descriptions of Java and Surinam; and Lysbet and Katherine knit their stockings and listened to the conversation. It was evident that the young minister was deeply in love, and quite equally evident that Katherine's parents favored his suit. But the lover felt that whenever he attempted to approach her as a lover, Katherine surrounded herself with an atmosphere that froze the words of admiration on entreaty upon his lips.

Joris, however, spoke for him. "He has told me how truly he loves thee. Like an honest man he loves thee, and he will make thee a wife honored of many. No better husband can thou have, Katherine." So spoke her father to her one evening in the early spring, as they stood together over the budding snowdrops and crocus."

"There is no love in my heart for him, father."

"Neil pleases thee not, nor the Dominie. Whom wilt thou have, then? Surely not that Englishman, now? The whole race I hate—swaggering, boastful tyrants, all of them. I will not give thee to any Englishman."

"If I marry not him, then will I stay with thee always."

"Nonsense, that is! Thou must marry like other women. But not him! I would never forgive thee! I would never see thy face again!"

"Very hard art thou to me—I love Richard! Can I love this one and then that one? If I were so light of love, contempt I should have from all—even from thee."

"Now I have something to say. I have heard that someone—very like to thee—someone went twice or three times, with Mrs. Gordon, to see the man when he lay ill at the King's Arms. To such talk my anger and my scorn soon put an end, and I will not ask of thee whether it be true or whether it be false. For a young girl I can feel."

"Oh, father, if for me thou could feel!"

"See, now! If I thought this man would be to thee a good husband, I would say, 'God made him, and God does not make all His men Dutchmen'; and I would forgive him his light, loose life, and his wicked wasting of gold and substance, and give thee to him, with thy fortune and with my blessing. But I think he will be to thee a careless husband. He will get tired of thy beauty. Thy goodness he will not value. Thy money he will soon spend. Three sweethearts had he in New York before thee. Their very names, I dare say, he hath forgotten ere this."

"If Richard could make you sure, father, that he would be a good husband, would you then be content that we should be married?"

"That he cannot do. Can the night make me sure it is the day? Once, very much I respected Batavius. I said, 'He is a strict man of business; honorable, careful, and always apt to make a good bargain. He does not drink nor swear, and he is a firm member of the true church. He will make my Joanna a good husband.' That was what I thought. Now, I can see that he is a very small, greedy man; and like himself he quickly made thy sister. This is what I fear if thou marry that soldier; either thou must grow like he is, or else he will hate thee and make thee miserable."

"Just 18 I am. Let us not talk of husbands. Why are you so hurried, father, to give me to this strange Domini? Little is known of him but what he says. It is easy for him to speak well of Lambertus Van Linden."

"The committee from the Great Consistory have examined his testimonials. They are very good. And I am not in a hurry to give thee away. What I fear is, that thou wilt be a foolish woman and give thyself away."

Katherine stood with drooped head, looking apparently at the brown earth and the green box borders and the shoots of white and purple and gold. But what she really saw was the pale, handsome face of her sick husband—its pathetic entreaty for her love, its joyful flush when with bridal kisses he whispered: "Wife, wife, wife!"

Joris watched her curiously. The expression on her face he could not understand. "So happy she looks," he thought, "and for what reason?"

Katherine was the first to speak.

"Who has told you anything about Captain Hyde, father?"

"Many have spoken."

"Does he get back his health again?"

"I hear that when the warm days come, to England he is going. So stays Jacob Cohen. What has Mrs. Gordon told thee? for to see her I know thou goest."

"Twice only have I been. I heard not of England."

"But that is certain he will go, and what then? Thee he will quite forget; and never more wilt thou see or hear tell of him."

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Four varieties, pears, three of each—1 Geo. Buttery & Sons, 2 H. Wickerson, 3 T. T. Adair. Six Bartlett pears—1 Geo. Buttery & Sons, 2 Wm. Dowding. Six Flemish Beauty pears—1 W. Dowding, 2 Geo. Buttery & Sons. Six Louis Bon de Jersey pears—Jas. Bogue & Sons. Six Buerre Clarigeau pears—1 H. Wickerson, 2 T. T. Adair. Six Duchess de Angouleme pears—1 W. S. Cockerill, 2 H. Wickerson. Six Sheldon pears—1 W. J. Buttery, 2 H. Thomson. Six Sickel pears—1 H. Wickerson, 2 J. W. Bryan. Six largest pears, any variety—1 W. J. Buttery, 2 G. Buttery & Sons. Six pears—1 J. W. Bryan, 2 H. Wickerson.

Three varieties grapes, three bunches of each—1 W. J. Buttery, 2 T. A. Gregory. Niagara grapes, three bunches—W. J. Buttery. Concord grapes, three bunches—1 W. J. Buttery, 2 W. S. Cockerill. Delaware grapes, three bunches—W. J. Buttery.

Half bushel fall pears—H. Thomson. Bushel winter apples—T. H. Payne. Bushel apples—H. Thomson.

Judge—B. Gott.

POULTRY.

Pair turkeys, old—Wm. Quirie. Pair turkeys, young—1 John Hord & Son, 2 Wm. Quirie. Pair Toulouse geese, old—1 and 2 John Hord & Son. Pair Toulouse geese, young—1 and 2 John Hord & Son. Pair Bremen geese, old—1 and 2 C. G. Frank. Pair Bremen geese, young—John Hord & Son. Geese, any other kind, young—1 and 2 J. Hord & Son. Pair Pekin ducks, old—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 G. E. Barclay. Pair Pekin ducks, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 G. E. Barclay. Pair Rouen ducks, old—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 J. Hord & Son. Pair Rouen ducks, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 T. Bogue. Pair ducks, any other kind, old—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Jas. Bogue & Sons. Pair ducks, any other kind, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair White Dorkings, old—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair White Dorkings, young—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Dorkings, gray or colored, old—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Dorkings, gray or colored, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Roland & Charlton. Pair Light Brahmas, old—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair Light Brahmas, young—1 Wm. Quirie, 2 J. Ackland. Pair Dark Brahmas, old—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Dark Brahmas, young—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Buff Cochins, old—1 and 2 Hugh Wyatt. Pair Buff Cochins, young—1 and 2 Hugh Wyatt. Pair Black Cochins, old—A. & D. Bogue. Pair White Cochins, old—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair White Cochins, young—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Langshans, old—1 Geo. E. Barclay, 2 Jas. Bogue & Sons. Pair White Leghorns, old—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 Wm. Quirie. Pair White Leghorns, young—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair Brown Leghorns, old—1 Boland & Charlton, 2 A. E. Doan. Pair Brown Leghorns, young—1 Boland & Charlton, 2 A. E. Doan. Pair black-breasted Red Game, old—1 and 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair black-breasted Red Game, young—1 and 2 Thos. Fitzpatrick. Pair Pyle Games, old—Chas. Demary. Pair Games, any other kind, old—1 Thos. De Graw, 2 John Hord & Son. Pair Games, any other kind, young—1 Thos. Fitzpatrick, 2 Geo. Brothers. Pair Barred Plymouth Rocks, old—1 Wm. Quirie, 2 John Ackland. Pair Barred Plymouth Rocks, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 G. E. Barclay. Pair White Plymouth Rocks, old—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 Wm. Quirie. Pair White Plymouth Rocks, young—1 J. Bogue & Sons, 2 Wm. Quirie. Pair Spangled Polands, old—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Spangled Polands, young—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Polands, any other kind, old—1 J. Hord & Son, 2 E. J. Wright. Pair Polands, any other kind, young—A. & D. Bogue. Pair Gold or Silver Spangled Hamburgs, old—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair Gold or Silver Spangled Hamburgs, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair Gold or Silver Penciled Hamburgs, old—A. & D. Bogue. Pair Gold or Silver Penciled Hamburgs, young—A. & D. Bogue. Pair Houdans, old—1 and 2 A. & D. Bogue. Pair Houdans, young—A. & D. Bogue. Pair Silver Wyandottes, old—1 J. Bogue & Sons, 2 J. Hord & Sons. Pair Silver Wyandottes, young—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair White Wyandottes, old—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair American Dominiques, old—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair White Wyandottes, young—1 Hugh Wyatt, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair Wyandottes, any other kind, old—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair Wyandottes, any other kind, young—1 and 2 J. Bogue & Sons. Pair American Dominiques, young—J. Bogue & Sons. Pair Black Minorcas, old—1 Boland & Charlton, 2 G. E. Barclay. Pair Black Minorcas, young—1 and 2 Hugh Wyatt. Pair White Face Black Spanish, old—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair White Face Black Spanish, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Boland & Charlton. Pair Game Bantams, old—1 G. Brothers, 2 A. E. Doan. Pair Game Bantams, young—1 G. Brothers, 2 A. E. Doan. Pair Bantams, any other kind, old—1 and 2, A. & D. Bogue. Pair Bantams, any other kind, young—1 A. & D. Bogue, 2 Boland & Charlton.

Judge—W. McNeill.

HORSES.

Draught brood mare—1 and 2 J. Stewart. Foal—1 and 2 J. Stewart. Three-year-old mare or gelding—1 and 2 J. Stewart. Two-year-old mare or gelding—J. Stewart. One-year-old colt or filly—J. Stewart. Best animal, any age (diploma)—Wm. Campbell. Span horses, mare or gelding—1 Wm. Campbell, 2 J. Miner.

Agricultural.—Brood mare—1 J. A. Stewart, 2 R. Pettit, 3 D. W. Graham. Foal—1 D. W. Graham, 2 D. D. Campbell, 3 N. McVicar. Three-year-old mare or gelding—1 Cline Bros., 2 D. W. Graham, 3 D. H. McFarlane. Two-year-old mare or gelding—Wm. Moore. Span horses, mare or gelding—1 J. D. Campbell, 2 N. McVicar, 3 Cline Bros. Best animal, any age—J. D. Campbell.

Judge—A. Aikman.

General purpose.—Brood mare—1 A. Lamont, 2 J. A. Stewart, 3 D. G. Graham. Foal—1 Fred. Rapley, 2 J. Pitch, 3 A. Lamont. Three-year-old mare or gelding—D. D. Campbell. Two-year-old mare or gelding—D. D. Campbell. One-year-old colt or filly—Ed. McCling. Span horses, mare or gelding—1 A. Graham, 2 D. Moore. Best animal, any age (diploma)—A. Graham.

Judge—G. A. Scott.

Carriage.—Brood mare—1 B. Kennedy, 2 J. Brook, 3 R. Pettit. Foal—1 R. Pettit, 2 W. Dinning, 3 B. Kennedy. Three-year-old mare or gelding—1 J. Bowman, 2 J. Richardson & Son, 3 John Sinclair. Two-year-old mare or gelding—1 J. Bowman, 2 G. Thompson, 3 P. Downing. One-year-old colt or filly—1 J. Bowman, 2 G. Thompson. Single carriage horse, mare or gelding—1 J. G. Raymond, 2 and 3 B. Kennedy. Span horses, mare or gelding—1 W. J. Clark, 2 J. A. Hill, 3 G. Buttery & Sons.

ROAD HORSES.

Brood mare—1 Henry McClurg, 2 W. Hawken, 3 Percy Denning. Foal—1 Henry McClurg, 2 Wm. Mawken, 3 Percy Denning. Three-year-old mare or gelding—1 and 2 M. S. Campbell, 3 B. Kennedy. Two-year-old mare or gelding—1 E. McClurg, 2 B. Kennedy, 3 W. Hawken. One-year-old colt or filly—E. McClurg. Single roadster—A. Graham, 2 J. Cuddy, 3 P. Fitzpatrick. Saddle horse, mare or gelding—1 G. Buttery & Sons, 2 W. Hawken, 3 G. D. Robotham. Span horses, mare or gelding—1 Norman Zavitz, 2 Thorne & Neham, 3 Fred Rapley. Best animal, any age (diploma)—M. S. Campbell.

Judge—John McKericher.

Judge—W. J. Clark.

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Butter 20 pounds and upwards—1 T. Bogue, 2 P.G. Handsford & Son, 3 Wm. E. Duncan. Butter in rolls, not less than 10 pounds—1 D. M. McNeill, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 Mrs. T. W. Crealy. Five pounds butter, in prints—1 Mrs. T. W. Crealy, 2 John McCarthy, 3 Mrs. J. Sinclair. Basket of ornamental butter, quality to be considered—1 R. Haldane, 2 T. Bogue, 3 Mrs. J. Sinclair. Homemade cheese (extra)—Mrs. J. Ferguson. One factory cheese—1 W. T. Galloway, 2 D. Leitch. Assortment canned fruit—1 John McCarthy, 2 T. H. Payne, 3 Mrs. J. N. Dodd. Loaf homemade bread, baker's excluded—1 T. Bogue, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 Mrs. (Sergt.) Wilson. Loaf baker's bread—1 R. G. Wilhelm, 2 W. M. Smith, 3 W. E. Todd. Jar maple syrup—1 T. A. Gregory, 2 J. Buttery, 3 D. Leitch. Display of extracted honey—J. McCarthy. Ten pounds of comb honey—1 Wm. Dowding, 2 C. Demaray. Ten pounds extracted honey—1 C. Demaray, 2 G. E. Barclay. Beeswax, 5 pounds or over—1 J. McCarthy, 2 W. Elliott. Display of implements used in apiary—R. S. Williams. Roll of butter—Mrs. T. Bogue. Fifteen pounds crock butter—Mrs. T. W. Crealy. Roll butter—Mrs. P. Carmichael. Judge—John Ivor.

Specials—Loaf home-made bread—T. A. Gregory. Three-layer plain cake—Ella Thomson. Three-layer plain cake—Mrs. J. Sinclair. Three-layer plain cake—1 D. Leitch, 2 Mrs. J. Sinclair. Display fancy cakes—R. C. Wilhelm.

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Imported Yorkshires—Aged boar—1 J. Hord & Son, 2 C. Demaray, 3 T. O. Currie. Boar under 1 year and over 3 months—1 J. Ackland, 2 and 3 J. Hord & Son. Aged sow—1 and 2 J. Hord & Son, 3 J. Ackland. Sow, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 J. Hord & Son, 2 C. Demaray, 3 J. Ackland.

Chester Whites.—Aged boar—1 J. Richardson & Son, 2 T. O. Currie. Boar, under 1 year and over 3 months—1, 2 and 3 J. Richardson & Son. Aged sow—J. Richardson & Son. Sow, under 1 year and over 3 months—1, 2 and 3 J. Richardson & Son.

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Berkshires.—Aged boar—1 John Ackland, 2 G. Parker, 3 J. Hord & Son. Boar, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 John Ackland, 2 and 3 T. J. Bond. Aged sow—1 John Ackland, 2 J. Hord & Son. Sow, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 and 2 S. J. Bond, 3 J. Ackland.

Duroc Jerseys.—Aged boar—1 H. McCutcheon, 2 and 3 J. Petch. Boar, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 H. McCutcheon, 2 and 3 J. Petch. Aged sow—1 J. Petch, 2 H. McCutcheon, 3 J. Petch. Sow, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 H. McCutcheon, 2 and 3 J. Petch.

Tamworths.—Aged boar—A. Clark. Boar, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 J. Hord & Son, 2 A. Clark, 3 Adam Clark. Aged sow—1 and 2 A. Clark. Sow, under 1 year and over 3 months—1 J. Hord & Son, 2 J. Ackland, 3 J. Hord & Son.

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Grades.—Cow—1 J. Morgan & Sons, 2 and 3 J. Welsh & Son. Cow, 3 years old—1 and 2 J. Welsh & Son. Two-year-old heifer—1 T. Douglass & Sons, 2 J. D. McIntyre, 3 J. Welsh & Son. Yearling heifer—1 A. Dell, 2 and 3 J. Welsh & Son. Heifer calf, under 1 year old—J. Welsh & Son. Best herd of three females (diploma)—J. Welsh & Son.

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Jerseys.—Bull, two years old—1 R. B. Smith & Son, 2 J. McCarthy. Bull calf under 1 year old—1 J. McCarthy. Cow—1 and 2 J. McCarthy. Cow, 3 years old—1 J. McCarthy, 2 G. Weekes, 3 J. McCarthy. Two-year-old heifer—1 and 2 R. B. Smith & Son, 3 J. McCarthy. Yearling heifer—1 R. B. Smith & Son. Heifer calf, under 1 year old—1 G. Weekes, 2 J. McCarthy, 3 R. B. Smith & Son. Best herd of one male and three females (diploma)—R. B. Smith & Son.

Holsteins.—Cow—Roach & Young. Yearling heifer—Roach & Young. Heifer calf, under 1 year old—1, 2 and 3 Roach & Young.

Judge—W. G. Laidlaw.

GRAIN AND SEED.

One bushel Red Clawson fall wheat—1 H. Wickerson, 2 T. T. Adair, 3 P. G. Hansford & Sons. One bushel Dawson's Golden Chaff—1 H. Wickerson, 2 W. E. Duncan. One bushel Genesee Giant fall wheat—1 H. Wickerson, 2 W. E. Duncan. One bushel Manchester fall wheat—1 P. G. Hansford & Sons, 2 C. J. Bolton, 3 D. James. One bushel Reliable fall wheat—1 W. Elliott, 2 C. J. Bolton, 3 W. E. Duncan. One bushel Golden Cross or Volunteer fall wheat—1 Wm. Dowding, 2 J. Carrothers, 3 W. G. Duncan. Any other new variety of fall wheat, red—1 A. Campbell, 2 H. Wickerson. Any other new variety fall wheat, white—1 H. Wickerson, T. T. Adair, 3 A. Campbell. One bushel spring wheat, red—1 T. T. Adair, 2 H. Wickerson, 3 A. Campbell. One bushel spring wheat, white—C. J. Bolton. One bushel Egyptian oats, white—1 W. G. Duncan, 2 C. J. Bolton, 3 T. O. Currie. One bushel Banner oats, white—1 J. Lewis & Son, 2 P. G. Hansford & Son, 3 W. Dowding. One bushel Black Tartarian oats—1 J. H. O'Neil, 2 E. McClurg, 3 T. A. Gregory. One bushel Black Joanette oats—1 W. Bolton & Son, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 A. Campbell. One bushel White Poland oats—G. McClurg. One bushel any other variety of white oats—1 T. T. Adair, 2 J. D. McIntyre, 3 W. Bolton & Son. One bushel White Field peas—1 H. Wickerson, 2 T. A. Gregory, 3 J. Carrothers. One bushel Prussian Blue peas—1 J. D. McIntyre, 2 J. Lewis & Son. One peck garden peas—1 H. Wickerson, 2 W. Bolton, 3 J. Buttery. One bushel four or six rowed barley—1 H. Wickerson, 2 C. J. Bolton, 3 J. H. O'Neil. Half-bushel Yellow-Dent corn, in ear—1 A. McGugan, 2 C. J. Bolton. Half-bushel White Dent corn, in ear—C. J. Bolton. Half-bushel White Flint corn, in ear—1 T. A. Gregory, 2 B. G. Roach. Half-bushel Yellow Flint corn, in ear—1 J. Munroe, 2 J. Carrothers, 3 D. James. White beans, 30 lbs—1 H. Wickerson, 2 A. E. Doan, 3 J. D. McIntyre. Half-bushel timothy seed—1 H. Wickerson, 2 P. G. Hansford & Sons. Half-bushel clover seed—1 D.D. Campbell, 2 J. H. O'Neil. One bushel winter rye—1 H. Wickerson, 2 T. T. Adair. Half-bushel flax seed—1 Wm. Dowding, 2 H. Wickerson.

Judge—E. Davey.

PLANTS AND FLOWERS.

Collection of plants—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 T. S. Challoner, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Collection annuals in bloom—1 John Dalton, 2 T. Benstead, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Large vase bouquet—1 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 2 Misses Richardson, 3 J. W. Bryan. Hand bouquet—1 Misses Richardson, 2 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 3 A. E. Wallace. Bouquet, table design—1 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 2 Miss Pincombe, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Collection sweet peas, cut—1 T. Benstead, 2 Misses Richardson, 3 Mrs. J. N. Dodd. Four varieties of standard dahlias, three of each—1 Mrs. D. Haggarty, 2 Mrs. Wm. McDade. Three varieties of bouquet dahlias, three of each—Mrs. W. McDade. Collection of dahlias, one of each—1 Mrs. W. McDade, 2 Misses Richardson, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Fuchsia, double, in flower—Misses Richardson. Fuchsia, single, in flower—1 J. P. Whitehead, 2 J. Betch. Collection of gladioli—1 J. Dalton, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Collection of dianthii—1 Misses Richardson, 2 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 3 J. Dalton. Collection of phlox drummondi—1 J. Dalton, 2 W. S. Cockerell, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Collection of asters, cut—1 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 2 Misses Richardson, 3 Mrs. W. McDade. Collections of balsams, cut—1 C. E. Bateman, 2 Dr. Whitehead, 3 A. E. Wallace. Collection of verbenas, cut—1 J. Dalton, 2 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 3 Misses Richardson. Collection of ten-weeks' stock, cut—1 T. Benstead, 2 Annie E. Wallace, 3 J. W. Bryan. Geraniums, double, in flower, in pot—1 Mrs. J. W. Dodd, 2 J. Petch, 3 T. S. Challoner. Geranium, single, in flower, in pot—Jas. Petch. Coxcomb—1 C. E. Bateman, 2 J. Dalton, 3 B. G. Roach. Collection of marigolds, cut—1 J. Dalton, 2 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Collection of pansies—1 Mrs. W. McDade, 2 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 3 J. W. Bryan. Collection of petunias, double, one of each—John Dalton. Collection of petunias, single, one of each—1 Misses Richardson, Mrs. J. T. Paine, 3 Mrs. W. McDade. Collection of zinnias, one of each color—1 Thomas Benstead, 2 A. E. Wallace, 3 Mrs. J. T. Paine. Hanging basket of flowers—1 Miss Pincombe, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe, 3 A. E. Wallace. Stand of flowers—1 Mrs. J. T. Paine, 2 J. Petch. Tuberous-rooted begonia, single—1 Miss Pincombe, 2 Mrs. R. Pincombe. Tuberous-rooted begonia, double—Mrs. R. Pincombe. Lily, in bloom—1 J. Petch, 2 T. S. Challoner. Hydrangea, in bloom—1 John Dalton, 2 Mrs. J. W. Dodd. Oleander, in bloom—C. Demary. Collection of flowering begonias, one of each—1 T. S. Challoner, 2 Miss Pincombe. Best and largest collection of coleus—T. S. Challoner. Best coleus—1 T. S. Challoner, 2 D. D. Campbell. Best and largest collection of carnations, cut—1 Miss Pincombe, 2 J. D. McIntyre. Largest sun flower, single—1 W. S. Cockerill, A. P. Wilton, 3 A. E. Doan.

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Forest Union, Forest	Sept. 29-30
Bruce Center, Paisley	Sept. 29-30
Dereham, Tilsonburg	Sept. 29-30
Mitchell, Mitchell	Sept. 29-30
Mosa and Ekfrid, Glencoe	Sept. 29-30
Peninsular, Chatham	Sept. 29-Oct. 1
Westminster, Lambeth	Oct. 1
Embro, Embro	Oct. 1
East Kent Agricultural Society	Oct. 1-2
W. Elgin, Wallacetown	Oct. 1-2
N. Perth, Stratford	Oct. 1-2
North Dorchester	Oct. 2
S. Norwich, Otterville	Oct. 2-3
East Nissouri, Thamesford	Oct. 7
N. Brant, Paris	Oct. 6-7
St. Marys, St. Marys	Oct. 6-6
Parkhill and West Williams	Oct. 6-7
E. Algoma, Sault Ste. Marie	Oct. 6-8
Brooke and Alvinston, Alvinston	Oct. 7-8
W. Nissouri, Thorndale	Oct. 8
Blanshard, Kirkton	Oct. 8-9
N. Norwich, Norwich	Oct. 8-9
Drumbo, Drumbo	Oct. 8-9
Ashfield and West Wawanosh	Oct. 9-10
Granton	Oct. 12-13
Norfolk, Simcoe	Oct. 13-15
Delaware	Oct. 14
Muncey, Tecumseh Agr. Ex	Oct 14, 15, 16.
Highgate	Oct. 15-16
Burfolk, Burford	Oct. 15-16
Moraviantown	Oct. 19-22
W. York, Woodbridge	Oct. 20-21

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FAIR AND WARMER.

Toronto, Sept. 27.—11 p.m.—The pressure is generally high over Ontario, and is increasing over Eastern Canada. It is showery in Eastern Quebec, and fair elsewhere from the lakes to the Atlantic. A depression is setting in over the whole Northwest, where the weather is generally fair.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Esquimalt, 38-78; Kamloops, 34-70; Calgary, 42-72; Battleford, 38-72; Qu'Appelle, 34-70; Winnipeg, 26-66; Port Arthur, 30-70; Parry Sound, 46-56; Toronto, 56-61; Ottawa, 54-60; Montreal, 58-62; Quebec, 57-62; Halifax, 52-52.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lake region: Fair; a little higher temperature.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, Sept. 26, 1896, were: Highest, 70 above; lowest, 57 above. On Sunday, Sept. 27: Highest, 58 above; lowest, 47 above.

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London riders were prominent in the Detroit Gymkhana on Saturday, and were the guests of the Detroit Riding Club. The Detroit Free Press says: "The club was materially assisted by members of the London Hunt Club, all of whom are familiar with the sports embraced, and who were generally successful when they entered competitions."

Miss Gibbons, Miss Helen Gibbons, Mr. Adam Beck and Major Dennison, of the London Hunt Club, participated in the nomination race. Mr. Back won easily, with Major Dennison second.

The jumping competitions for gentlemen brought out four riders and six horses. Mr. Beck won with Long Shot, that animal showing better form than Lady Like, ridden by Mr. Sweeney. Mr. Dyar was third, with Gladstone. The others were, Mr. Beck, with Huntsman; Mr. Dyar, with Lais, and Major Smith, of London, with Blanche, which mare refused.

Ladies then took charge of the jumpers, and went over three hurdles with them. Miss Maclean rode Beauty, who refused the first, and then went on and cleared them all without striking one. Miss Helen Gibbons was second to her, with Long Shot, who struck the first jump, and Miss Gibbons was third, with Huntsman, much too strong a horse for a lady.

In the potato race Mr. Beck and Major Dennison outstripped all competitors—the Detroit riders falling by the wayside.

In the half-mile trot London men were again in front, Mr. Beck, Major Dennison and Major Smith leading.

Today the London visitors will enjoy a fox hunt of seven miles, for which the London hounds will be used.

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—The Western Fair Board has passed a vote of thanks to Ald. Parnell, Director J. H. Brown and Superintendent Hook for invaluable services.

—Messrs. James and Charles Harding, of Ballymote, were working on a new store the latter is putting up at Birr, when the scaffold broke and both men were injured. Charles received a broken wrist and a fractured rib, while James' knee was injured.

—At the First Congregational Church last night the pastor, Rev. J. W. Pedley, spoke on "Free Speech," which he said was the safety valve of England, Canada and the United States. He cited the French revolution as a consequence of repressed thought.

—Dr. W. Leslie and wife, who have been laboring in the Baptist cause in the Congo district, Africa, will speak tonight at the Young People's meeting in the Talbot Street Baptist Church. Dr. Leslie is a brother of Mr. Oliver Leslie, of the Canadian Express office here.

—Prof. Alexander's subject tonight at Music Hall will be "The Training of Children," at the close of which he will give a free examination of children, selecting them from among the little ones present. Tomorrow evening the subject will be "The Laws of Health," and on Wednesday evening he will give his celebrated lecture on "Love, Courtship, Marriage and Jealousy," the most popular of the course.

—Chatham Banner: Walter Piggott returned yesterday afternoon from Hamilton, where he secured the order for all the factory work in connection with the new G. T. R. car shops at London. The contract price for the building complete is over $100,000. The contract was secured through having two mills, enabling them to turn the work out much quicker than could be done by other competing firms.

—At the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Colborne Street Church, recently held, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. (Rev.) Jackson; first vice-president, Mrs. Pennock; second vice-president, Mrs. (Rev.) Crews; recording secretary, Mrs. W. L. Graham; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hance; treasurer, Mrs. Kerr; Miss Boyd, assistant secretary; Mrs. Swan, auditor; Mrs. Pennock, delegate.

—An unusually pretty wedding took place on Wednesday last at the residence of Mr. Adam Nichol, Westminster, when his daughter Janette was united in marriage to Mr. William E. Beattie. The ceremony took place under a handsome floral arch on the lawn, and was attended by upwards of 60 guests. The groom was assisted by Mr. Wm. Nichol, and Miss Margaret Sharp, of this city, acted as bridesmaid. Friends showed their appreciation of the happy couple by numerous presents of a valuable character. After partaking of a wedding breakfast, the bridal pair left on a trip to Detroit and other western points.

ROBBERY AT ARVA.

The store of Mr. Alf. Cummings, Arva, was broken into last evening while the people were at church. The thief secured $10 in silver and coppers out of the postoffice box, and several articles from the store. The entrance was effected by breaking open the back door. Suspicious characters have been around all summer, and several houses in the neighborhood have recently been rifled.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

While Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Darch, of Dundas street east, were driving along the Hamilton road, east of Adelaide street, on Saturday afternoon, their horse became frightened at a gravel train on the street railway and ran away. The rig was upset in the ditch, and the occupants thrown out. Mrs. Darch was quite severely injured by the fall. She was badly shaken up and received a scalp wound, which required some half-dozen stitches. Mr. Darch received a few bruises and cuts. The shafts of the rig were broken, but the horse was uninjured. The frightened animal ran only a short distance and then turned into a vacant lot, where it stood still. Dr. J. B. Campbell was called to attend to Mrs. Darch, who will probably be laid up for a couple of weeks.

LEGAL ARRANGEMENTS.

At a meeting of the judges of the Supreme Court of Judicature for Ontario, an order was made appointing the following judges to act as second division of the Court of Appeal in the week beginning Oct. 5 next: Sir Wm. Meredith, C.J., and Rose, Falconbridge and MacMahon, J.J.

At the same meeting Mr. H. H. Robertson, barrister, was appointed a special examiner for the city of Hamilton.

Mr. Chief Justice Hagarty has now entered upon the period of his leave of absence, which is understood to be for six months. The learned Chief Justice has been nearly 41 years upon the bench.

WM. BROWN'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late William Brown were interred at Woodland Cemetery yesterday afternoon, and a large concourse of friends witnessed the last sad rites. Deceased was a member of the Grand United Order of Oddfellows, Lodge 3,907, and was buried with the honors of the order. The honorary pall-bearers were Morgan Gray, P.N.F., Henry Clinn, S. W., J. Morgan, P.N.G., F. Prior, J. Fountain, E.S., A. Jones, W.T., and among the other Oddfellows who marched in the cortege were W. J. Berry, N.G., Rev. R. Hatchett, V.G., A. Logan, P. N.F., T. Logan, P.N.G., and T. E. Taylor, N.F. The active pall-bearers were Messrs. J. Charles, W. L. Berry, W. Taylor, A. Mackie, R. Francis and J. Anderson. Following were a long line of carriages. President Geo. C. Davis and Vice-President P. H. Ranahan, of the Young Liberal Club, of which Mr. Brown was a member, were present. The cortege proceeded from Mr. Brown's late residence, No. 61 William street, to the B. E. Church, where service was conducted by Rev. R. Hatchett. The pulpit was draped, and the choir sang "Shall We Gather at the River," and other hymns. After the feeling sermon delivered by Rev. Mr. Hatchett, the solemn service of the Oddefellows' Order was read by Chaplain Nathan Martin.

Among the relatives of the deceased who were present were his widow, his half-brother, Moses Bradley, of Louisville, Ky., and half-sister, Mrs. Morehead, of Kansas City, Kan.

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Chatham Man Threatens to Shoot a Constable—Snake in a Bed—Blenheim's Enterprise—Western Notes of Interest

Petrolea tailors have given up the credit system.

Clarke Wallace opened the Milverton Fair on Friday.

A new Masonic lodge room has been dedicated in Hepworth. It will be known as Burns' Lodge Hall.

Wm. Buckner, of Cottam, had his leg caught and terribly lacerated by a steam cutter Thursday. He will be laid up for some weeks.

A number of dentists of Perth and Huron will hold a meeting in Mitchell on Oct. 29, for the purpose of forming an association for the two counties.

Messrs. Thos. H. Cook and John J. Thompson, of Sarnia, have been nominated to contest the vacant seat of councilor, vice James Foulds, deceased.

While Mrs. Thomas Hobden, of Minden township, was making up her bed she found a snake 18 inches long coiled up between the feather tick and the straw mattress.

The Berlin customs office not having been vacant for a year, the first appointment—Mr. J. M. Scully—held good, and was approved by the Governor-General on Sept. 16, 1896.

County Constable Boyd is investigating a fire at St. Marys, where a hotel was burned down. The insurance companies are not satisfied with the explanations given, and have refused to pay the insurance.

Mr. Peter Cook has sold his farm on the 7th con., Goderich township, to James Cox, of Porter's Hill, for the sum of $2,900. It is known as the old Bateman farm, and has been sold at a very reasonable figure.

The amount of granolithic sidewalk now fronting the business places and homes of Blenheimites is over 64,000 square feet, with more to follow. The cost has been over $8,000, to be paid in 20 annual payments.

Burglars effected an entrance into the residences of P. R. Jarvis, J. M. Fraser and D. Farrow at Stratford on Thursday night. They only succeeded in getting $5 in all. Chief McCarthy believes it to be the work of tramps.

Charles R. Atkinson, jun., of Atkinson & Atkinson, barristers, Chatham, has been presented by the Canadian Pacific Railway with a pass over the C. P. R. system in recognition of his heroism displayed in the rescue of Joseph Wilson, of Tilbury, from death under the wheels of a moving express a few evenings ago.

Quite a sensation was created on King street, Chatham, Saturday evening, when a man named VanZandt drew a revolver and threatened to shoot Constable McGregor, who had a warrant to arrest the former. VanZandt escaped and went home. McGregor procured the assistance of Constables Groves and proceeded to VanZandt's house and arrested the man after considerable resistance on the part of himself and wife.

Walter Mills, barrister, Ridgetown, was in Chatham on Friday, entering three suits for trial at the next assizes. The first is Fred Scott vs. James Byfield. Plaintiff sues for $5,000 for the alleged seduction of his young daughter. The next suit is Abel Miller vs. James Byfield, the plaintiff charging the defendant with slander by accusing him of the paternity of Miss Scott's child. The third suit is entered by Henry Curtis, who claims $10,000 of Henry Stevens for the alleged alienation of his wife's affections. All the parties live in Highgate.

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