

Lost in the Eleventh

The Londoners Defeated in a Great Game.

Which They Played Without an Error.

Toronto's Team Gets Away With the Hamiltonian Nine.

The Woodbine Mile Record Again Reduced—Two Jockeys Hurt—Racing in England—Other Sporting Events.

BASEBALL

LOST IN THE ELEVENTH.

The Londoners lost again yesterday, but they played baseball and did something to redeem themselves in public estimation.

The crowd started in to "roast" them vigorously, but subsided towards the middle of the game, when they were surprised to find the home team actually doing something, or rather preventing the other fellows from doing anything.

Bradford, the brawny blacksmith, was the great obstacle in the path to victory. He showed the speed of a cannon-ball right up to the last, and the Londoners got more and more hopelessly at his mercy as the game rolled on. When they hit him they hit him hard, but that was not very often.

Young Kershaw again proved his mettle. He gave four bases on balls and allowed four hits in the first two innings, but after that he stood down and pitched magnificent ball, striking out nine men and regaining perfect control. He is the most promising player on the team.

The Londoners were shifted around again with good effect. Conn held down his new position splendidly—he had a seat on the bench. Johnston played first and Sippi resumed his old place at second. It was a genuine treat to see the ginger of the infield.

The Londoners, marvelous as they played, were not quite so good as the Green and O'Connor especially distinguished themselves.

At the bat London was weak. A single meant a run, in more than one inning, but the hit that was longed for never came.

Guelp's two runs in the first were made on bases on balls given Vigneux and Green and a timely single by O'Brien.

Two more bases on balls and singles by Connolly, O'Connor, and Bradford brought two in the second. Then Kershaw braced up and kept them guessing for eight innings, in none of which did the Londoners make more than a single hit. In seven of those innings they had men on bases, but could not bring them home.

London's first two runs were made on Sechrist's triple and Johnston's double, aided by errors by Bradford and Green and a passed ball by Vigneux.

One earned run followed in the fifth on Sippi's triple and Connolly's single, and the score was tied in the seventh on Ward's double and Vigneux's overthrow to third.

The crowd had an exciting time of it after that, both teams going out in almost one-two-three order.

Everybody expected a twelfth inning, when in the eleventh, both McElroy and O'Connor had tied out. Then Bradford, with two strikes called on him, made a double, and Vigneux's single brought him in with the winning run.

LONDON.

A. R. H. B. P. O. A. E.					
Ward, s.	1	2	2	3	0
Sippi, 2b	1	2	2	3	0
Connolly, 3b	4	0	1	0	2
Gardner, c	5	0	1	0	2
Guelp, cf	5	0	1	0	2
Sechrist, lf	4	1	2	0	0
Seifert, rf	5	0	1	0	0
Johnston, 1b	5	1	1	1	0
Kershaw, p	4	0	0	0	3
Totals	41	1	7	37	15

GUELPH.

A. R. H. B. P. O. A. E.					
Vigneux, s.	4	1	3	2	3
Green, 3b	5	0	1	1	3
Thorpe, 2b	5	0	2	1	3
O'Brien, cf	5	0	2	1	3
Fisher, lf	5	0	1	0	0
Connolly, cf	5	1	2	0	0
McElroy, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Taylor, 1b	5	1	1	1	0
O'Connor, 1b	5	1	1	1	0
Bradford, p	4	1	1	2	1
Totals	42	6	12	33	18

*Two out when winning run scored.

London.....0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—5
Guelp.....2 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—10

Earned runs—Guelp 1, London 1.

Two base hits—Ward 2, Johnston, Bradford.

Three base hits—Sippi, Sechrist.

Sacrifice hits—Green, Thorpe, McElroy.

Bases on balls—By Kershaw, Vigneux 2, Green 2, by Bradford, Snyder, Sechrist.

Struck out—By Kershaw, O'Brien 2, Fischer, Connolly 2, McElroy, Taylor, O'Connor, by Bradford, Ward, Sippi, Connolly, Seifert.

Stolen bases—Ward, Snyder, Sechrist, Kershaw, Vigneux, Green, Connolly, O'Connor.

Double plays—Sippi to Ward to Johnston; O'Brien to O'Connor.

Hit by pitcher—Thorpe.

Left on base—London 6, Guelp 8.

Passed balls—Snyder 1, Vigneux 1.

Wild pitch—Kershaw.

Umpire—Mr. Lyons.

NOTES.

London falls to third place.

Ah, there, Toronto. We're chasing you for the tail end.

The crowd applauded Kershaw.

Several of the Guelp hits were mere punts; but they got there.

Sippi was in fine form at second and Johnston held first down well. The game shows what a strong infield will do.

What's the matter with Snyder? He hasn't made a hit in the last two games.

Seifert made two pretty catches in flight.

When, O when, is that new infielder coming?

It was Bradford's game.

The Toronto team has been revived since their appearance here. Some of the same process should be tried here.

Taylor replaced McElroy in the seventh. The latter suffered from bleeding at the nose.

The Londoners actually made a double play.

What a treat to see good local pitching.

The crowd numbered about 400 and would have been larger but for Wednesday's rank exhibit.

The score shows that the Leafs knocked every few balls to the outfield.

TORONTO SALTS THE HAMS.

Toronto, May 28.—The Toronto Canadian Baseball League team defeated

Hamilton at the Don grounds by 5 to 2, in a rather listless game. Score:

A. R. H. B. P. O. A. E.					
Hamilton.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1					
Toronto.....0 1 0 0 2 2 0 0—5	11	6			

Batteries—Chapman, Henley and Roberts; McDermott and Reid. Umpire, Lynden.

CANADIAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Hamilton.....	6	3	.667
Guelp.....	3	3	.500
Toronto.....	2	3	.400

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES—THURSDAY.

At Buffalo—	R. H. E.
Buffalo.....	11 11 1
Toronto.....	4 8 2

Batteries—Wadsworth and Ughart; Dineen and Casey. Umpire—Spartanwood.

At Syracuse—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Syracuse.....	11	15	.423
Rochester.....	4	9	.303

Batteries—Lamps and Shaw; McFarland and Zahner.

At Scranton—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Scranton.....	9	12	.429
Wilkes-Barre.....	6	11	.353

Batteries—Morse and Boyd; L. Smith, Kennan and Goding.

Rain at Springfield.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES—THURSDAY.

At Pittsburgh—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh.....	3	0	1.000
Brooklyn.....	5	10	.333

Batteries—Gardner and Sugden; Payne and Grim.

At Cincinnati—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati.....	7	19	.263
Boston.....	15	20	.432

Batteries—Dwyer, Rhines and Schriver; Klobbe and Yeager.

At Chicago—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago.....	6	9	.400
Philadelphia.....	3	3	.500

Batteries—Briggs and Doucette; Taylor and Clements.

At Louisville—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville.....	5	8	.385
Washington.....	0	2	.000

Batteries—Hill and Wilson; Mercer and McGuire.

At Cleveland—

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland.....	8	16	.333
Pittsburgh.....	7	12	.364

Batteries—Young, McDermott and Zimmer; Corbett, Clark and Bowerman.

HAMILTON OBSERVATIONS.

The sporting editor of the Hamilton Herald, who saw the London-Ham game here on Wednesday, has the following remarks to make:

So easy, oh so easy.

Doc. Sippi was unusually quiet.

The London newspapers are kindly disposed towards the Hams.

Strengthen up, London. You're not single enough for the Hams.

The Londoners need patching up in the infield and a little bracing in the outfield.

The Hams were all heartily cheered as they stepped up to the plate at London yesterday.

When we get our new pitcher we'll be in for a real game with the National League champions.

Manager Holman should not have allowed Johnston to be slaughtered by the Hams after the second inning.

Kershaw was on the bench and should have been substituted.

They all found Johnston, and the London's high-salaried twirler isn't so many as he used to be in the Forest City.

Nearly a thousand people congregated in front of the Herald office last night to see the Londoners.

The Londoners are a picture of a team that is well worth studying while the London outlanders are chasing home runs and three-baggers.

Manager Holman should remove that sign on the fence field fence. It puzzles the catcher and was really responsible for Connell's wild throw in the ninth.

FLY.

Manager Maddocks of Toronto has released Pitcher Stein, as it was found that he was not fast enough.

Blakey, Toronto's second baseman, has not pitched a whole game since 1896, yet he had all kinds of curves, and held the Guelp team down to seven hits Wednesday.

Pitcher Gaston, who the American Toronto ball team in Buffalo on Sunday.

FLY.

Manager Maddocks of the Toronto, is still on the hunt for players.

He hopes to get one or two of Varsity's best men.

The Chicago have lost ten games by one run; the New Yorks three.

Clark Griggs' contract calls for the limit—\$2,000 a bonus if he wins a certain percentage of games.

Hamilton Spectator: "William A. Reid, of London, one of the best umpires in the business, has been placed on the Canadian League umpiring staff. He takes the place of James Bayne, who is not well, and will likely get a regular schedule next week. Reid would have been one of the first men on, but, strange to say, Capt. Sippi, of the London team, objected to him."

THE TURF.

This afternoon a matched race takes place at the St. Thomas Driving Park for \$100 a side between Frank Jarvis (Delaware) pacing gelding, and W. Collins (London) bay pacing mare Minnie L.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, May 28.—At the first day's racing of the Salisbury meeting, Mr. R. Croker's bay filly Georgina finished third in a race for the City bowl.

Sir William Ingram's Confrey won, and W. H. Palmer's Turling was second.

GALTEE MORE.

Galtee More, the famous Irish-bred 3-year-old, who won the Two Thousand Guineas recently in England, and is an odds-on favorite for the Derby, has the following engagements for the season: Prince of Wales' stakes, at Ascot; Sandringham Cup, at Sandown Park first summer meeting; Irish Derby, at the Curragh of Kildare; St. George stakes, at Liverpool July meeting; Durham County Produce Plate, at Stockton; Sandown Foal stakes, at the autumn meeting; the Epsom Derby, and the Doncaster St. Leger.

ONTARIO JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

Toronto, May 28.—Fine weather prevailed at the Woodbine yesterday, and the track was in good order. The mile record for the Woodbine was again reduced, when Mr. Seagram's Havoc did it in 1:12. In the tally-ho steeplechase, Rapid Belle, belonging to J. P. Davies, of Montreal, fell at the club house jump and broke her neck. Southwood was riding her, and was crushed, but not seriously. Morvena and Hudson also fell, but kept on. Johnston, who was up on Morvena, had his collar-bone broken, but kept on and finished the race.

First race, Queen City purse, 1 mile, \$250, 3-year-olds and up—J. E. Seagram's Havoc, L. A. Smith's Rapunzel, colt, 2; W. G. Murdoch's Freddie Gebhardt, 3. Time, 1:43. Only three started.

Second race, Mayflower purse, 1/2 mile, \$300, 2-year-olds and up—M. Gibson's Marplot, 1; W. A. McGowan's Mordecai, 2; J. Dymont's Flying Bass,

3; Dr. Stewart, Belle of Stockwood, Carthaginian, Gallant Tom also ran. Time, 1:43.

Third race, 1 1/4 miles, \$450 added, Canadian-bred, 3-year-old fillies—J. E. Seagram's Downright, 1; W. Hendrie's Fiddle, 2. Time, 2:03. Only two started.

Fourth race, Tally-ho steeplechase, short course, about 2 miles, \$250, sell-off—Robert & Gorman's Don Pedro, 1; Phelan's Clark, 2; Mattox's Prince Mark, 3. Time, 4:30. Morvena, Hudson and Rapid Belle also started.

Fifth race, May handicaps, 7 furlongs, \$400, 3-year-olds and up—W. H. Hill-ton's Samson, 1; R. Davies' Zeal, 2; E. H. Hanna's Beau Ideal, 3. Time, 1:20 1/2. Billy Fisher, Red Monarch, Brierley, Old Genius, Longbrook, Idle Hour and Amerique also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 3/4 mile, \$250, 2-year-olds and up—J. E. Seagram's Havoc, 1; Weithoff & Co.'s Sinatos III, 2; A. Beck's South Africa, 3. Time, 1:17. Chestnut, Nora Howard, Springbok and Reformation also ran.

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ATHLETICS.

BLOWS.

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The "Kid" was the better fighter in the betting, as much as 100 to 40 being laid on him, and considerable money was wagered on him at odds of 2 and 3 to 1. The fight was pretty even till the sixth round, after which McCoy had decidedly the better of it. In the tenth McCoy had O'Brien at his mercy. O'Brien was very weak, and a knockout was inevitable, but the referee stopped the bout and awarded the fight to McCoy. The time of the last round was 1 minute and 30 seconds.

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WHEEL.

BICYCLE REGULATIONS IN EUROPE.

Detroit Free Press: The value of our consular reports is again made manifest by the publication in the issue for May of the bicycle regulations in Europe in a paper prepared by our deputy consul at Havre, Philip S. Chancellor. The paper, which is too long for reproduction here, gives succinctly the regulations of each of the countries of Europe, in respect to the importation of bicycles by tourists, the amount of duty payable in each case and the measures to be taken to secure a return of the duty or a portion thereof on leaving the country.

The fact which will most interest those who contemplate taking their wheels with them on their European tour is that there is a great advantage in joining the Touring Club of France, membership in which is open to all upon the payment of a small fee. The greatest advantage in joining this club is that members can enter France and other countries of Europe without any obstruction from the customs officials. By simply exhibiting a card of membership all annoying formalities are avoided; and the badge of the club secures considerable discount at the hotels and courteous treatment everywhere, especially from dealers in bicycle goods and the proprietors of repair shops. The membership of the club, including ladies, who are eligible on the same terms as men, numbers some 40,000, and the funds received from subscriptions are expended in repairing the departmental roads and setting up danger signals at the crest of all dangerous descents.

The French regulations are strict. Each wheel must be provided with a gong which can be heard at a distance of 50 yards and with a lantern that be lighted at night. There must also be attached to each bicycle a plate with the name and address of the owner. Cyclists must take the right on meeting a vehicle and the left when passing one going in the same direction. In crowded thoroughfares they must dismount and hold their wheels, and must never form groups so as to obstruct the public ways. They are forbidden, also, to pass through a funeral procession or to cycle on footpaths reserved for pedestrians except in the country where the roads are ill-paved or are being mended. When they do use the footpaths they are required to moderate their speed on meeting pedestrians.

These regulations ought not to be found onerous, and we do not think they will be, especially in a country where the minister of public works requires all the railroads to transport cycles and baggage and makes them responsible for any damage incurred in so transporting them.

Cycling Hints.

Eyes Should Be Protected When Riding in the Glare of the Sun.

Don't Jab Your Finger Into the Corner—Use Soft Cloth or Sponge.

"Doctor," said the Matter of Fact Girl, as she placed her bicycle in the rack by the side of the little wayside inn near Bronx, "can a person's eyes be injured by riding the bicycle?"

"Now, who has frightened you?" said the Learned Doctor, as he looked up with some surprise. "I supposed you were too practical to be bothered by nonsensical rumors regarding bicycling."

"I didn't place much credence in what I heard," said the Matter of Fact Girl, "but I thought I'd ask simply to make sure."

"Somebody, I can't for the life of me think who it is now," interrupted the Learned Doctor, "told me something about eyes being injured by riding steadily against the wind, but I didn't pay much attention to it because—well, because I didn

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It's no idle boast when we announce that more room is needed, and that the builders are pushing us for more space to get towards the front part of the building, to complete the work. In the meantime our sale goes on, bringing the people here for goods and prices they cannot get elsewhere.

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Curtain Muslin, fancy border, 10c, 12½c yard.
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White Spot Muslin, 36 inches wide, 10c, 12½c yard.

Additional Clerks, busy people and light-hearted bargains.

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Now that the Queen's Birthday is over for another year, the people will be down to business again, and we would like to draw your attention to a few unmistakable facts. Although we have had special opposition in attractions, our business is on the increase daily.

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Pie Plates, 2 for 5c. Watering Pots, 10c each. 10-Quart Milk Pans, \$1 per dozen. Granite Pudding Dishes, 10c. Granite Tea Pots, 35c. Granite Pie Plates, 8c. Granite Saucepans, 10c. Wire Clothes Line, 50 feet, 25c. Oil Stoves, 59c. Oil Stove Wicks, 4c, 3 for 10c. Tacks, 2 packages for 5c. Tack Hammer, with tack lifter, 5c. Carpenters' Rules, 10c. Wagons reduced from \$1 25 to 98c, with bicycle wheels and iron axle. Jubilee Souvenir Spoons, 25c, six for \$1 25.

Glassware and Crockery.

Tumblers, 3c each. 6-Piece Tea Set, 25c. Half-Gallon Water Pitcher, 25c. Lemonade Sets, reduced from \$1 25 to 98c. Egg Cups, 2c per dozen. Cups and Saucers, 35c per half dozen. Cream Pitchers, from 5c up. 10-piece Toilet Sets, reduced from \$1 98 to \$1 65. Pepper and Salt Shakers, 3c each.

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Of all kinds. Nail Scrubs, 2 for 5c. Cloth Brushes, 5c. Scrub Brushes 5c. Whitewash Brushes, 14c. A Nice Tooth Brush for 5c. Paint Brushes, in all sizes, from 5c up.

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Of all kinds, 3 cakes of beautiful Toilet Soap for 5c. Twin Bar, 5c. Olive Oil Castile, 5c. 5c Champion Bar, reduced to 3 bars for 10c.

Parasels and Umbrellas repaired and recovered as usual. Baby Carriages Tops recovered in satin, a 1 shade.

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London's Memorial

Victoria Hospital Project Thoroughly Discussed

At a Mass Meeting in the Auditorium.

Mayor Little Expresses Himself on the Movement—Opinions of Other Leading Citizens.

At the Auditorium last night, the mass meeting of citizens called to discuss the new hospital scheme was presided over by Mayor Little. The attendance numbered about 200 persons, and included many ladies. On the platform were Messrs. John Bowman, president of the Board of Trade; Rev. Canon Dann, Rev. J. W. Pedley, Geo. Jackson, George Fowler, T. S. Wilson, E. N. English, A. G. Harris, Dr. Daniel, ex-Mayor Leary, V. Gray, J. D. Wilson, Dr. Niven, B. J. Nash, L. Burke, R. M. Graham, John LaBatt, Alder, Messrs. Taylor, Farnell, Turner, Winnett and others.

The mayor, in opening the meeting, said the object was not to discuss the need of providing better accommodation for the sick, but to discuss the best means of attaining that end.

CANON DANN.

Canon Dann was the first speaker. The proposed memorial, he said, was an object worthy of the hearty co-operation of all. People must not be put to the test of their loyalty to the city of London. He would like to see the project that they would like to put to the test of their loyalty to the city of London. He would like to see the project that they would like to put to the test of their loyalty to the city of London. He would like to see the project that they would like to put to the test of their loyalty to the city of London.

MR. JOHN BOWMAN.

Mr. John Bowman said he should have liked to preface his remarks with the statement that they had a large and enthusiastic audience present. They had not a large audience, but undoubtedly it was a sympathetic and enthusiastic one. He thought the history of the organization of the scheme, and said they felt they would be carrying out the wishes of the people who look over the city and see the costly places of worship and other public institutions which are the lifeblood of the city. We must admit that the history is a half a century behind the other, but it is a half a century behind the other, but it is a half a century behind the other.

Wanamaker's Eulogy.

General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States Congregationalists Britain's Queen.

Bagle Lake, Ind., May 27.—At the opening of the afternoon session of the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday, John Wanamaker eulogized Queen Victoria, calling attention to the fact that "Her Majesty the Queen attends the Presbyterian Church while residing in Scotland, and in some measure belongs to our body, from whom all her Scottish chaplains are appointed, and that today was her birthday."

Mr. Wanamaker introduced a resolution, which was adopted by a rising vote. It was in part: "The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America deems it fitting, and does hereby send, most cordial Christian greetings to both the illustrious Christian sovereign, and the subjects of her gentle, generous and righteous rule, and that she will prepare them for the life to come."

The report on foreign missions showed that efforts had been made to reduce the reduced receipts, but in spite of such efforts an increased deficit was reported. A large part of it was due to a falling off in the item of legacies. The receipts were: From churches, \$270,478; women's boards, \$209,115; Sabbath schools and young people's societies, \$25,049; legacies, \$39,737; miscellaneous sources, \$95,549. Unusual appropriations and the sale of properties on the total of the assets by \$30,129. The total expenditures were \$306,661. The total debt amounted to \$113,233, which was reduced by receipts from the anniversary reunion fund to a net debt of \$97,454. The largest appropriations were made for work as follows: China, \$124,627; India, \$107,273; Japan, \$78,145; South America, \$60,050; Syria, \$29,653; Siam and Laos, \$17,114; Persia, \$23,192; Africa, \$11,385.

The Presbyterian building in New York stood the storm in \$229,853. The gifts made towards the building amounted to \$270,892.

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Ald. Parnell said he was heartily in

accord with the movement. Citizens should put forth strenuous efforts for its success. He referred to the great lady, the school children were showing. He was sorry waridism had been introduced. "Goodness knows," he said, "we have enough of that in the council." The principal object was to raise the funds. It would be an easy matter to get the citizens together to decide on other matters.

DR. WILSON.

Dr. J. D. Wilson said the chairman (Mayor Little) had three years ago decided a new hospital was needed and consulted an engineer as to Helmut College being used. The new sewer system was not yet completed, but he had an eye on the health of the city. This hospital scheme had been in the council with Mayor Little at the head of it, as he had been at the head of a good many good schemes. The committee had already \$80,000 in sight and the balance would be forthcoming. One-tenth of the city had been canvassed. When the other nine-tenths were canvassed, the committee wanted \$100,000 institution could talk seriously of it. He pointed out several faults in the present building, but he said that with twenty private wards it could be made self-sustaining. They would meet \$15,000 necessary expenses. He read a communication from Chief Roe, of the fire department, stating that the firemen of the three stations would contribute \$200.

DR. NIVEN.

Dr. Niven emphasized the fact that the medical men at the meeting when this matter was discussed had decided that a new hospital was needed. He asked in the name of the jubilee committee the co-operation of any present in the work of collecting subscriptions.

REV. DR. DANIEL.

Rev. Dr. Daniel said three things appeared to be essential for cities: Good churches, good schools, and good hospitals. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things.

MAYOR LITTLE.

The mayor arose to make some corrections. He would be sorry if the impression was created that the poor of the city had been neglected in the past, for such was not the case. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things. He said that the city of London was not doing well in any of these things.

POLEWARDS.

Lieut. Robert E. Peary's Plans for His Next Polar Voyage.

New York, May 27.—Lieut. Robert E. Peary, who yesterday received a five years' leave of absence from his post in the navy, for the purpose of making another attempt to reach the North Pole, will start on his journey on July 8, making a preliminary voyage to the south.

THE TREND OF TRADE.

R. J. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Statement of Trade in Canada.

Toronto, May 28.—R. J. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of trade in Canada shows that the week has been a broken one, and there is really very little of note in the trade figures. General collections are somewhat dilatory, but figures for the week are few, only three being reported in the Montreal district.

Trade conditions at Toronto are pretty much the same as reported last week. The more favorable weather has tended to create a better sentiment, but the general trade lacks snap. The demand is gradually increasing, and with constantly reducing stocks a stimulus will eventually be given to production. The prospects for crops are good.

Failures for the week were 22, as against 21 for the same week of last year.

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The Maccabees.

First Session of the Provincial Convention.

Progress of the Order—A Good Showing—Election of Officers.

Guelph, May 28.—The first session of the provincial convention of the Knights of the Maccabees opened on Wednesday morning in the City Hall, Provincial Commander W. F. B. Colter presiding. In the chair, among the interesting statements made by the commander were the following: Number of tents in Ontario, Jan. 1, 1895, 215; number of tents in Ontario Dec. 31, 1896, 275; gain, 60. Number of members Jan. 1, 1895, 5,744; number of members Dec. 31, 1896, 8,756; gain, 1,832; present membership, 8,845. Benefits for Jan. 1, 1895, \$9,150,000; Dec. 31, 1896, \$11,643,500. Number of certificates issued in 1895 and 1896, 4,211. Amounts of benefits written, 1895, 1,750. Number of tents, Supreme Tent Jurisdiction, Jan. 1, 1895, 16,450; Dec. 31, 1896, 17,500; net gain in two years, 42,308. Amount of benefits in force Jan. 1, 1895, \$13,200,000; Dec. 31, 1896, \$12,710,500. Total benefits paid in 1895 and 1896, \$36,314,500. Total disability benefits paid in 1895 and 1896, \$57,530. Total benefits paid by Supreme Tent to Dec. 31, 1896, \$4,071,144. Total benefits paid by the order to Dec. 31, 1896, not including benefits paid by Great Camps, \$7,329,500.

At the afternoon's session the following officers were elected: Past provincial commander, W. F. B. Colter, Sarnia; provincial commander, A. Weir, Sarnia; provincial lieutenant commander, J. H. McConnell, Windsor; provincial record-keeper, F. H. Pim, Toronto; provincial financial-keeper, A. E. Bates, Hamilton; provincial chaplain, Rev. J. H. Shepherd, Coldwater; provincial physician, Dr. Mallory, Colborne; provincial secretary, W. A. Fisher, St. Marys; provincial master-at-arms, E. L. Jackson, Brussels; provincial treasurer, J. H. Pim, Toronto; provincial master-of-arms, G. Harkinson, Petrolia; provincial second master-of-arms, W. M. Howe, Arnprior; provincial sentinel, Jas. Hunter, Toronto; provincial picket, J. H. Kennedy, Dunlop; representatives to the Supreme Tent, S. W. Trussler, Sarnia; J. A. E. Mallory, Colborne; E. L. Hartwell, Hamilton; F. H. Pim, Toronto. Representatives to the Provincial Convention in Ontario, W. F. B. Colter, Sarnia; A. Maguire, Toronto.

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A Quarter of a Century of Progress.

An old resident was the other day taking note of the changes wrought in opinion and practice within the last 25 years in the use of intoxicating liquors. We have all heard of the usages anterior to the beginning of the last quarter century, when a barn-raising could not be held, a harvest field reaped, a pastoral visit paid, without the mediation of the glass.

Looking back, one sees the operation of social and moral evolution. Regarded from the standpoint of the hour, progress in every line of life often seems slow enough. But view the quarter of a century as a whole, and what progress alike in science and society! The electric light, the trolley street car, the telephone, the now universal bicycle—a quarter of a century ago these were dreams.

The changes in public opinion are not less marked in matters social and moral.

Take the employments of women. Twenty-five years ago the employments considered allowable to women could be counted on the fingers of one's hand. The latest census returns show that in Canada, Great Britain and the United States women are today doing their share in the work of the world in hundreds of varying occupations.

A great advance towards at least the unorganic unity of differing denominations has been made within the quarter of a century. Twenty-five years ago what might be called preaching bouts between denominations were common. Today there is a large measure of practical Christian unity. So far as Canada is concerned two of the largest Protestant bodies, the Methodist and the Presbyterian, have, by unanimous resolutions of their highest courts, made appointments of joint committees to arrange details for what may be termed a loose form of federal union, for the consideration and adjustment of matters of common interest. Twenty-five years ago this would not have been possible.

To the evolutionary progress made by the temperance cause in twenty-five years, many things have contributed. It has been common to attribute this progress to men like Neal Dow, J. B. Gough, and other "stalwarts." And no doubt men of this type, and women of this type, did much to direct attention to the evils of intemperance, and that in times when it was less popular than today to be an advocate of such views. But, after all, those who are identified with certain movements are often as much an indication of the drift of an evolutionary tendency, as its moving causes. No one cause, no one person, no set of persons, can take the credit for the advanced position in which the temperance movement finds itself today. A dozen causes, moral and industrial, have contributed each their quota. The pulpits came easily first. The press has helped. The school has done much. The railway organizations, in putting a necessary premium on sobriety in their employees, become powerful promoters of temperance. The bicycle is said to have substituted the stimulation of fresh air and healthful exercise in thousands of instances for the stimulation of strong drink. And so might be named a dozen causes that have contributed to the evolution of a predestined end.

An important point in any moral or social reform is to carry your public with you. Within a few years the advocates of restriction have made a notable advance; for example, in London, in the reduction of the number of licenses from 70 to 40, and holding to the latter figure in the face of a yearly advance of population—a result equivalent to a moderate continuous reduction in the number of licenses annually. This great achievement was not accomplished by tan-

trums of any description, but by the union of common sense and quiet persistency, the enlisting of citizens of good will from both of the political parties, including many citizens who could by no means be described as total abstainers, and by the avoidance, in the course of advocacy, of all offensive cant.

Yes; there has been a great advance within the last twenty-five years. There is no reason why moderate, united, well-considered effort should not aid in a further evolutionary advance during the next twenty-five years, particularly if, in our attitude as to the future, we avoid pessimism on the one hand and undue impatience on the other.

That was a funny scene in Parliament when ex-Finance Minister Foster's tongue brought him to the point of believing that he ran the risk of physical violence and caused him to crave the protection of the Parliamentary chairman. How very valiant! The Toronto Star expresses the belief that with his long legs and his bicycle Mr. Foster could speedily get out of danger.

Fair Play For All.

Under the new Government, one very salutary change regarding the powers of railway charterers has been enforced. It has been the habit of railway speculators in the past to claim a right to boycott existing municipalities, and to carry their lines past cities, towns and villages unless heavy bonuses were voted them. In this way, many centers of population have been almost ruined, the speculators running their lines a mile or more away from the boycotted places, and establishing rival towns and villages. Now existing cities, towns and villages along the route of a new railway must be given reasonable service, and boycotting is strictly forbidden. The first application of this principle was in the case of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company, which intended to pass by the town of Fort McLeod. It has only got the right to extend its line on condition that it resiles from its intention to carry its road a mile from Fort McLeod. It must now pass through that town, and build a freight and passenger station there. Under the new Administration railway charters are given that the public may be benefited, not the speculators alone. The Government does well to keep the wings of the exploiter cut short.

Premier Whiteaway of Newfoundland asks the British Government to settle the French foreshore dispute as a preliminary to the island joining the Dominion. This is a statesmanlike course. Canadians will welcome Newfoundland as a sister, on fair terms, if she will first get rid of her foreign embroglio. The dispute over the rights of France to territorial squatting on the island cannot be accepted as a legacy by the Dominion.

Feed Our Own Cattle.

For a number of years it has been the practice to permit United States cattle to be brought into the Northwest Territories for the summer months. They have been fed on the prairies, after paying a small duty, and returned to the United States in the fall, free of duty. There is a prospect that this practice will now be put to a stop. When the matter was discussed before the agricultural committee of the House of Commons, the other day, Mr. McMullen, M.P., contended that there were plenty of cattle to stock these ranches in Ontario and the other provinces of Canada, and that the holders of the ranches might well be asked to encourage the fattening of Canadian cattle rather than rival animals from the other side of the lines.

Lieut. Peary, of the United States navy, will soon set out to try once more to find the North Pole. He has obtained five years' leave of absence, and ought to be able to reach the stick in that time.

Detroit Can Distinguish Itself.

The Detroit Manufacturers' Club asks that a member of the Canadian Government attend its June banquet, and discuss the question of increased trade relations between the two countries. It is doubtful if it will be convenient for any of the ministers to leave their arduous duties in Parliament in the closing weeks of the session. But our Detroit neighbors need wait for no new elucidation of the position of the Dominion Government with regard to international commerce. Premier Laurier and his associates are ready now or at any time to enter into negotiations for reciprocal trade arrangements that will remove many of the barriers that now impede profitable trade between the two countries.

The missionary work is needed most at Washington. Why should not the Detroiters in-

trude President McKinley, or Mr. Dingley, or Speaker Reed, and show these men—who can, if they desire, mold Congress in some degree to their views—that international trade is desirable and profitable to both countries, or no one on either side would be foolish enough to undertake it?

Once more, the London Times strongly commends the reciprocal provisions of the new Canadian tariff and their prompt application in favor of the motherland. "They constitute," says this great exponent of British public opinion, "by far the most important and effective contribution ever made to the commercial unification of the empire."

A Public Boon.

The latest change in the tariff with regard to the duty on books gives a distinct advantage to every man who requires, for the purpose of completing his training in life, books of value not produced in this country. The duty has been put down to the extremely low rate of 10 per cent. This will be a boon to every clergyman, every doctor, every professional man, who, in this age of constant advancement, can only keep up with the procession by constant reading of the newest authorities. It is equally advantageous to every ambitious young mechanic or farmer who desires to keep himself in the front rank of his calling by the perusal of special text books on the subject.

Every book store throughout the Dominion is filling a most important function for the state as an educational influence. That influence, it goes without saying, is much extended when valuable books can be purchased under a merely nominal revenue duty.

Mr. Fielding has made two tariffs in about one month, thereby beating all previous records—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Our contemporary has a short memory. Mr. Foster holds the record. He made a tariff every other day, according as outsiders provided him with "clerical" errors, for a period extending over several months. Mr. Fielding cannot get near that 1894 record of shittiness.

John Ruskin spends his time planting bulbs and pulling them up next day to see if they are growing. How like some other people that we all know of.

The Giant Awakening.

The managers of the Brantford cotton mills are rejoicing in the fact that they manufactured more cotton during the last month than in any previous similar period. Another body of capitalists—the Montgomery Cotton Company—is making arrangements to erect an immense new cotton mill at Drummondville, utilizing the rapids on the River St. Francis. It will employ about 1,500 hands. It will be interesting to learn that the management have turned to foreign countries for customers. It is the intention to manufacture on an elaborate scale for the markets of China and Japan. A careful personal inspection of these markets by the agents of the Montgomery Company has convinced them—and they, in turn, have convinced the management—that an immense field for trade lies undeveloped in these countries.

With labor at reasonable rates and unlimited opportunities to turn to account Canada's unrivaled advantages in never-failing water power, so indispensable to cheap development of electricity, there is a splendid field for enterprising men of means. Canada is a giant, awakening to his neglected opportunities. Our faith is great in the near future.

There is good news from Manitoba. An increased acreage has been sown. Vegetation is away ahead of what it was last year, and the crops never looked better.

Scribner's Magazine for June offers to its readers a real literary and artistic feast. Daniel Verge depicts, in the frontispiece, the "Triple Challenge of d'Artagnan"; Mr. James W. Alexander describes underground life at Princeton; Mr. Richard Harding Davis ends his novel, "Soldiers of Fortune," which has been illustrated so powerfully by Mr. C. D. Gibson. Mr. Gibson contributes another series of his sketches of London life as he saw it; Montgomery Schuyler studies the library of Congress; Octave Thanet affords a story, Arthur Sherburne Hardy a poem, and W. D. Howells continues his novel, "The Story of a Play," while Prof. Barrett Wendell offers the play itself, "Raleigh in Guinea."

FULFILLED ITS PROMISES.

Hamilton Herald.

Upon the whole, the alterations in the tariff will prove popular. They show that the Government is moving cautiously and prudently, with an eye to the industrial prosperity of the country. The Liberal anti-election promises that no radical changes would be made in the tariff have been fulfilled.

Diplomacy consists largely in backing down with dignity when you have gone too far.

The Convicts.

Woman's Work in Connection With the Reform of Prisoners.

[Harper's Bazar.]

I was fortunate enough to be present one afternoon last week when Mrs. Ballington Booth explained to a group of well-known men and women, invited to meet her, her plan of work in the prisons of our country.

It is always a pleasure to listen to Mrs. Booth, whatever one's views may be. She never fails of being an interesting personality on any platform. She has beauty and charm and eloquence, and a power of magnetism the most insensible of her hearers must feel. Her enthusiasm never fails her; nor is it likely to, since it springs from a faith so deep—so integral a part of her very life she breathes, a faith that, could the rest of us possess, there is no mountain we could not remove.

But there are other reasons why Mrs. Booth is always able to command the attention of just such a group of men and women as were assembled to meet her the other day. Years of practical and successful work among the most abandoned of our community have enabled her to speak with authority on questions relating to their relief and reformation.

It lacks but a few weeks only of being a year since Mrs. Booth began her work among the prisoners—a work for which she feels that everything else in her life has been but a preparation. Letters from wardens, written without her knowledge, were read to her. These wardens saw—and have never seen any other influence or method applied which worked such practical benefits among the prisoners; that during their administration they had never seen any other influence or method applied which worked such practical benefits among the prisoners; that during their administration they had never seen any other influence or method applied which worked such practical benefits among the prisoners.

And it is this very thing which Mrs. Booth insists upon, the work of being enrolled among a band of helpers, cannot be claimed as a success or as honest unless the conduct of the man professing them is bettered, and where he at the moment is not a good citizen when beyond them.

The prisoners who have enrolled themselves as members of her organization—and 87 rose in one hour at a certain prison in this state—have kept their pledges faithfully. But, most touching of all, they have been released from their confinement, and given to them when they entered, and which would be handed them on their discharge, and given to them when they entered, and which would be handed them on their discharge, and given to them when they entered, and which would be handed them on their discharge.

"Let the convict work and prove to the world he is honest, and then we will believe in him," exclaims every day of his life the conscientious citizen appealed to on the subject. But work is the hardest of all things for the discharged prisoner to secure, as Mrs. Booth has pointed out. She tells many a pathetic story of prisoners discharged from prison, and finding the country for weeks in search of work, and going to the very verge of actual starvation before yielding to temptation.

Her "Hope Hall," at the northern part of Manhattan, and overlooking the Harlem, is a home, as most of us know, provided by her within the last year for discharged prisoners, in which they may be welcomed and sheltered until work is secured. Mrs. Booth in the meantime has been busy securing the promises of business men to employ them.

If one business man with 200 men in his service will take one ex-convict a year into his employ, her problem would soon become simplified. Of course she means that no prisoner should enter under false pretenses. Each will carry not only his record, but the recommendation of the organization of which he is a member, so that, after all, there would be no risk to the philanthropist. Seven state prisons are now under her care, as it were; but she has but one Hope Hall in which to welcome the discharged convicts. But one can read in Mrs. Booth's illumined face as she speaks of this the best loved of all her labors, a certain surety for the success of all she undertakes. Such faith, combined with such love and understanding, never yet has failed in accomplishing whatever of good it has undertaken.

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Cuticura is sold throughout the world. For Sale in Canada, Cuts, Scabs, Bores, Itch, and all Skin Diseases. Sold by all Druggists and Grocers.

BABY HUMORS—Itching and redness, instantly relieved by CUTICURA.

DUNN'S "Malted Rusk" "Lactescent Barley" "Cream of Corn" FOODS

Naturally sweet without sugar. BABIES THRIVE ON THEM.

City Bindery...

BOCK & FVSH,

Formerly of E. H. Korde's Bindery, now open at 436, RICHMOND STREET.

MY MOTHER

A Daughter Speaks of Her Mother's Afflictions and How They Were Relieved.

Miss Margaret Brown, 627 Colborne street, London, Ont., says: "My mother has been afflicted with nervousness and general debility for a long time. She suffered a great deal with insomnia, and found it almost impossible to sleep. I went to W. T. Strong's drug store and got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, which she took, and derived so much benefit from that I bought another box for her. They have done her a wonderful lot of good, making her nervous system much stronger, giving her restful sleep, and removing many other symptoms which previously distressed her. 'I can truly say that these pills are a great remedy for anyone suffering from weak nerves, general debility, sleeplessness or heart trouble.'"

Laxa Liver Pills cure constipation and sick headache. 25 cents. All druggists.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Price 50 cents per box, or 6 for \$2.50. At Druggists, or Mailed on Receipt of Price by Post.

Hundreds of People suffer and are ignorant of the causes of their trouble. If their cases were looked into it would probably be nine out of ten that the seat of the difficulty was a TORPID LIVER. Have you ever heard of the D. & L. Liver Pills? It is a pill that not only acts directly upon the liver, relieving all forms of Bileousness, Jaundice, Bad Taste in Mouth and Salivary Gland, but it also prevents Dyspepsia and Indigestion. A trial of these wonderful little pills (40 in every screw-cap vial) will cost you nothing, and will open up the road to robust health and new life.

Down in the Mouth

If you cannot get them in your town, send direct to DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Ltd., Props.

Your Taste

will not deceive you, even if appearances do.

MOLINA ROLLED WHEAT

has imitators. Let your taste decide for you whether or not your grocer serves you with that delicious Cereal Breakfast Food "Molina."

THE TILLSON COY., Ltd. Tilsonburg, Ont.

BOVRIL

Is the Product of Prime Ox Beef

BOVRIL

Forms a complete food for Brain, Blood, Bone and Muscle, and supercedes all ordinary Meat Extracts, for flavoring and enriching Soups, Sauces and Made Dishes. Sold by all first class Grocers and Druggists.

WHOLESALE DEPOT

BOVRIL, LIMITED

27 St. Peter St., MONTREAL.

Campbell & Chantler
Summer Bill of Fare.

Maple and Beech Wood, Dry.
Soft Maple Wood, Dry.
Mixed Soft Wood, Dry.
Mixed Slab Wood, Dry.

All best quality and cut to order at moderate prices. Yard and office, 175 Broad street, Branch office, 12 John street, London West. Phone 347.

About 30 Jewish rabbis and laymen met in the Temple Shearith, New York, and discussed the plan recently formed in Munich, Bavaria, for the colonization and possible purchase of Palestine as a state for the Hebrews. They favor colonization in Palestine, but oppose the scheme of making it a state.

Saturday Night Fair.

From 7 to 10 O'Clock.

CHAPMAN'S

ON GROUND FLOOR.

HOSE—Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, spliced heels and toes, worth 25c, Saturday Night 18c
HOSE—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Hose, Seamless, spliced heels and toes, worth 25c, Saturday Night 21c
HOSE—Children's and Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Saturday Night 5c
GLOVES—Children's Colored and Black Lisle Thread Gloves, worth 15c, Saturday Night 13c
GLOVES—Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, colored stitching, worth \$1.25, Saturday Night \$1
HANDKERCHIEFS—Fancy Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 15c, Saturday Night 12 1-2c
SHIRT WAISTS—Colored Shirt Waists, new patterns, worth \$1, Saturday Night 50c
SHIRT WAISTS—Colored Shirt Waists, detachable collars and cuffs, worth \$1.25, Saturday Night 60c
CORSETS—The American H. & S. Corsets, in drab and ecru, in large size, worth \$1, Saturday Night 68c
PARASOLS—See our Fancy Shot Silk Parasols, worth \$2, Saturday Night \$1.10
APRONS—Children's Lawn and Checked Swiss Muslin Aprons, worth 75c, Saturday Night 62c
GOWNS—White Cambric Gowns, embroidered, trimmed, worth \$1, Saturday Night 78c
SKIRTS—White Skirts, deep full, trimmed with Trench Lace, worth 85c, Saturday Night 63c
SOCKS—Men's Fine Cotton Socks, worth 20c, Saturday Night 2 for 25c
SOCKS—Men's Fast Black Cotton Socks, worth 15c, Saturday Night 3 pairs for 25c
SOCKS—Men's Seamless Cotton Socks, worth 10c, Saturday Night 5 for 25c
SHIRTS—Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, grand value, Saturday Night 50c
SHIRTS—Men's Black Sateen Shirts, worth 60c, Saturday Night 33c
SUSPENDERS—Men's Elastic Suspenders, silk trimmed, worth 20c, Saturday Night 10c
HANDKERCHIEFS—Gents' Fine Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, Saturday Night 2 for 25c
SHIRTS—Boys' Flannelette Shirts, lace fronts, worth 35c, Saturday Night 20c

BELTS—Boys' Belts, fancy buckles, worth 25c, Saturday Night 10c
HATS—Boys' Straw Hats, fancy colors, worth 25c, Saturday Night 15c
LACE CURTAINS—35 pairs Lace Curtains, six patterns, regular price \$1, Saturday Night 75c
CURTAINS—10 pieces Art Muslin for Curtains, worth 10c, Saturday Night 6c
GRENADINE—10 pieces Black Grenadine, regular price 12 1/2c, Saturday Night 5c
CASHMERE—10 pieces All-Wool Cashmere, assorted colors, regular price, 50c, 46 inches wide, Saturday Night 35c
DRESS GOODS—10 pieces of Assorted Dress Goods, worth 35c to 50c per yard, very fine assortment, Saturday Night 25c
DRESS GOODS—10 pieces All-Wool Changeable Dress Goods, worth 50c, Saturday Night 25c
REMNANTS—One table Remnants of Dress Goods, all kinds and all lengths, worth from 35c to 75c per yard, Saturday Night 25c
SILK—800 yards Japanese Silk, in sixteen colors, all pure silk—a snip, Saturday Night 25c
LAWN—Victoria Lawn, 45 inches wide, worth 15c, Saturday Night 12 1-2c
MUSLINS—Dress Muslins, new patterns, worth 25c, Saturday Night 20c
QUILTS—White Quilts, full size, worth \$1.25, Saturday Night \$1
PILLOW COTTON—46-Inch Pillow Cotton, circular, worth 15c, Saturday Night 15c
SHEETING—Unbleached Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 18c, Saturday Night 15c
SHEETING—Extra Heavy Bleached Sheeting, 2 yards wide, worth 20c, Saturday Night 18c
DRAPEY—Cretone Drapery, double fold, reversible, worth 25c, Saturday Night 20c
SATEENS—Printed Sateens English make, fast colors, worth 25c, Saturday Night 18c
CHAMBRAYS—Scotch Chambrays, all the best shades, worth 25c, Saturday Night 12 1-2c
DAMASK—Bleached Table Damask, wide worth 60c, Saturday Night 39c
SHIRTING—Bleached Shirting Cotton, 32 inches wide, worth 10c, Saturday Night 7 1-2c

ON FIRST FLOOR.

SUITS—Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, odd lines, worth \$8.75, Saturday Night \$6.50
OVERCOATS—Men's Fawn and Blue Venetian Overcoats, worth \$10, Saturday Night \$7.75
SUIT—Men's Black Worsted Suits, striped pants, worth \$10, Saturday Night \$7.50
PANTS—Men's Odd Lines, Fine Colored Worsted Pants, worth \$4.10, Saturday Night \$2.50
WATERPROOFS—Men's Melrose Cloth, All-Wool, Waterproof Coats, worth \$15, Saturday Night \$10
SUIT TO ORDER—Men's Blue and Black Bissel Serge Suits, to order, worth \$13.50, Saturday Night \$15
SUIT TO ORDER—Men's Tweed Suits, made to order, newest shades, worth \$18, Saturday Night \$14.90
SUIT—Boys' 2-Piece, good to wear, Tweed Norfolk Suits, worth \$2.90, Saturday Night \$2.19

SUITS—Boys' White Duck Kilt Suits, drab duck sailor collar and cuffs, worth \$1.25, Saturday Night 95c
SUIT—Boys' Fine Cream Serge Kilt Suits, fancy trimmed, worth \$2, Saturday Night \$1.50
BLOUSES—Boys' Fine White Duck Blouses, blue collar and cuffs, worth 60c, Saturday Night 47c
PANTS—Boys' Good to Wear Tweed Knicker Pants, worth 40c, Saturday Night 29c
SUIT—Boys' Fine Tweed Bicycle Suits, worth \$8, Saturday Night \$4.95
WATERPROOF—Ladies' Waterproof Coats, worth \$4.75, Saturday Night \$1.50
CAPES—One Lot of Capes, assorted styles, worth \$1 to \$2.25, Saturday Night 45c
CAPES—One Lot Assorted Capes, worth \$2 to \$3.50, Saturday Night 80c
DRESSES—Children's Dresses in Lawns and Cambrics, white and colors, worth \$1.25 to \$2.50, Saturday Night 80c

TERMS CASH.

CHAPMAN'S

126 and 128 Dundas St.

Phone 791 - London

Much in Little

As especially true of Hood's Pills, for so much of the cure can be given in so small a space. They are a whole medicine.

Hood's Pills

Best, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory, prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, indigestion, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Commercial.

HIDE MARKET.

Toronto, May 27.—The offerings are not large; the demand in good and the market is steady at 70c for No. 1 hard in store and at 60c for No. 2. Sheepskins—There are only a few coming in and the market is steady at 60c to 65c. Lambskins—The offerings are fairly liberal; there is a good demand, and the market is steady at 90c for No. 1 and 75c for No. 2.

Tallow—Is dull and unchanged. Local dealers are offering 24c and asking 25c. WHEAT IN MANITOBA. "Wheat has ranged lower in the leading markets this week," says the Winnipeg Commercial, "and the local market has been in sympathy. Prices made quite a decline early in the week, selling down to 72c for No. 1 hard in store at Fort William, and ranged about 72c to 74c during the balance of the week. Yesterday's quotations were: No. 1 hard, 73c to 74c; No. 2 hard, 71c to 72c; No. 3 hard, 69c to 70c; No. 1 frost, 61c to 62c. Low grades are very slow sales. Farmers are now marketing the balance of their crop, and at country points 58c to 60c is being paid for best samples. Gretna, Boleyn, Carleton and Indian Head were marketed quite freely. Shipments from store via Fort William were large."

WHEAT REPORTS FROM ALL

Macy & Pendleton, New York Stock Exchange, write The Advertiser: "Sanguine southern crop reporters today estimate Kansas yield at 40,000,000 bushels. Talk of magnificent stand and harvest within two weeks. Texas pasture generally speak of good wheat crops there, and doubtless the total of Kansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and Texas will exceed that of any previous year. The French crop reports, though sensationally bullish, are taken with a grain of salt, and are familiar with the Chicago plunger's methods of working markets and news. Doubtless the market conditions and light supplies will periodically result in a short interest which the heavy traders can compass to cover to their advantage. Mr. Prime, of the Daily (Stockholder, says spring wheat planting is satisfactory, and that rain, predicts a full acreage of everything. The receipts in Northwest are large and at Duluth more than double those of last year."

Local Market.

(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.)
London, Friday, May 28.
Wheat, fall, red, per bu. 72c to 73c
Wheat, fall, white, per bu. 72c to 73c
Wheat, spring, per bu. 72c to 73c
Oats, per bu. 22c to 23c
Peas, per bu. 27c to 28c
Corn, per bu. 30c to 31c
Buckwheat, per bu. 24c to 25c
Rye, per bu. 24c to 25c
Beans, per bu. 25c to 26c

Three or four loads of hay came in this morning, one load of peas, one of wheat and a few loads of oats that were contracted for. Outside of this nothing was done, and the square presented a dull appearance.

The following list of prices are based on Thursday's session:

Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 120 to 125
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Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 120 to 125
Oats, per 100 lbs. 60 to 65
Peas, per 100 lbs. 80 to 85
Corn, per 100 lbs. 90 to 95
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. 70 to 75
Rye, per 100 lbs. 70 to 75
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707; price offered, 85c for both; no sales.

KINGSTON.
Kingston, Ont., May 27.—A large quantity of cheese offered on the Frontenac cheese board today was secured at 85c.

CHESTERVILLE.
Chesterville, Ont., May 27.—At a meeting of the cheese board held here this evening, 73 boxes were boarded: 691 colored, balance white; 431 colored and white sold at 9-16c; 50 white sold at 8-16c.

English Markets
Liverpool, May 28.—12-30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot steady; demand moderate; holders moderately firm. No. 1 Cal., 6s 6d to 6s 8d; No. 2 red northern spring, 6s 6d to 6s 8d; No. 3 red western, no stock.
Corn—Spot quiet; demand moderate; American mixed, new, 2s 7d; old, 2s 8d.
Barley—Extra India mixed, 5s 6d; No. 1, 5s 7d; No. 2, 5s 8d.
Rice—Prime mesut, fine western, 5s 6d; No. 1, 5s 7d; No. 2, 5s 8d; No. 3, 5s 9d; No. 4, 5s 10d; No. 5, 5s 11d; No. 6, 5s 12d; No. 7, 5s 13d; No. 8, 5s 14d; No. 9, 5s 15d; No. 10, 5s 16d; No. 11, 5s 17d; No. 12, 5s 18d; No. 13, 5s 19d; No. 14, 5s 20d; No. 15, 5s 21d; No. 16, 5s 22d; No. 17, 5s 23d; No. 18, 5s 24d; No. 19, 5s 25d; No. 20, 5s 26d; No. 21, 5s 27d; No. 22, 5s 28d; No. 23, 5s 29d; No. 24, 5s 30d; No. 25, 5s 31d; No. 26, 5s 32d; No. 27, 5s 33d; No. 28, 5s 34d; No. 29, 5s 35d; No. 30, 5s 36d; No. 31, 5s 37d; No. 32, 5s 38d; No. 33, 5s 39d; No. 34, 5s 40d; No. 35, 5s 41d; No. 36, 5s 42d; No. 37, 5s 43d; No. 38, 5s 44d; No. 39, 5s 45d; No. 40, 5s 46d; No. 41, 5s 47d; No. 42, 5s 48d; No. 43, 5s 49d; No. 44, 5s 50d; No. 45, 5s 51d; No. 46, 5s 52d; No. 47, 5s 53d; No. 48, 5s 54d; No. 49, 5s 55d; No. 50, 5s 56d; No. 51, 5s 57d; No. 52, 5s 58d; No. 53, 5s 59d; No. 54, 5s 60d; No. 55, 5s 61d; No. 56, 5s 62d; No. 57, 5s 63d; No. 58, 5s 64d; No. 59, 5s 65d; No. 60, 5s 66d; No. 61, 5s 67d; 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Hunt & Sons' old established feather bed and mattress cleaning factory, manufacturers of goose feather pillows, mattresses and spring beds, ticks filled with feathers and down. Stoves bought, sold, or exchanged. 388 Richmond street, north, opposite Victoria Park and Central avenue. Telephone 997.

Furniture Polish.—Having used it myself for many years, I can recommend it to be good. Only 25c pint, at Traford's Furniture Store, 45 and 57 King street.

Files! Files! As the season for fly screens will soon be here, we want you to know we have the only screen that will absolutely keep out flies, moths and buffalo bugs. Call and see it at our office, corner Bathurst and Clarence, or drop us a card and we will call on you. Bowman & Co.

If you have a watch that does not give you satisfaction take it to W. T. Peetham, 201 Dundas street. All work guaranteed. Reasonable prices. Clocks called for and delivered.

Notice to Advertisers.

Prompt changes are requested from our advertisers. Copy must be handed in by 4 p.m. the day before to insure insertion the following day. We cannot undertake to make changes when handed in the day of issue.

Wickwire—Either Mudge is more humble than any other known man, or he is a liar. Yalkey—Will you please explain? "He says he doesn't think he would look well in knickerbockers."

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me. I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

"My dear madam, you should not be so angry about my not mailing that letter. Let your motto be: 'Forgive and Forget.'" "Oh, yes, indeed. You can do the forgetting, and I can do the forgiving, I suppose."

Emerson's Sarsaparilla Extract

With Iodine Potassium and Iodide of Iron. As a blood purifier, nothing better could be desired. Large bottles 75c. For sale at Emerson's Drug Store, 691 Richmond Street.

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We have the best line of these goods ever shown in the city, at very low prices; also a full line of Oil and Gas Stoves and Ranges.

STEVELEY'S,
382 Richmond St.—Phone 452.

MOSTLY FAIR—SOME LOCAL SHOWERS.

Toronto, May 27—11 p.m.—The depression over Manitoba last night has now formed part of a system of low pressure, which at present stretches north-eastward from Texas across the lakes to Northern Quebec, and then trending southward, connects with a low pressure area central over the New England coast. This is causing a general tendency for lower pressure throughout the lake and eastern districts. Higher pressure has formed quickly across the Northwest, bringing lower temperature in Manitoba, but again further west a low area is quickly spreading over Assiniboia and Alberta, accompanied by decidedly warm weather.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 42-64; Kamloops, 48-76; Calgary, 34-80; Edmonton, 32-80; Qu'Appelle, 36-70; Winnipeg, 46-66; Port Arthur, 42-60; Parry Sound, 36-62; Toronto, 46-70; Ottawa, 44-70; Montreal, 42-66; Quebec, 42-48; Halifax, 52-56.

PROBABILITIES. Toronto, May 28—1 a.m.—Probabilities over 24 hours for lower lake region: Fair for the most part; some local showers; moderate winds, with stationary or a little higher temperature.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here yesterday were 67 and 35.9 above.

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Gammage & Sons
Corner Dundas and Clarence.

DON'T
buy a Walking Cane or Pipe until you see my stock. Have some very cheap ones.

JOE NOLAN, Masonic Temple.

In the Dining-Room.

SATURDAY, MAY 29.

BREAKFAST—Bananas. Cracked cornmeal with cream and sugar. Sweetbreads and eggs on toast. Radishes. Crullers. Coffee.

LUNCHEON—A dainty luncheon dish. Baked potatoes. Sliced cucumbers. Steamed bread. Ginger cake. Chocolate.

DINNER—Tomato soup. Larded calf's liver. Potatoes a la royale. Peas. Young onions. Queen pudding. Coffee or tea.

Cut out these recipes and paste them in your scrap book.

Sweetbreads and Eggs on Toast—Boil a pair of sweetbreads three-quarters of an hour, drain and cool them. Remove all skin and sinews and cut the sweetbreads into neat square pieces. Put them in a frying-pan with a little olive oil, and when hot break over them three eggs. Mix the eggs with salt and pepper, and fry. Have ready a few slices of toast, arrange slices of sweetbreads on toast, and cook in a hot oven. Serve with a very small cake cut out having a hole in the center and fry in hot lard.

Crullers—Three eggs, one saltspoonful of salt, two cups of flour, three tablespoons of sugar, six tablespoons of melted butter and six tablespoons of oil. Roll half an inch thick, cut out with a very small cake cut out having a hole in the center and fry in hot lard.

A Dainty Luncheon Dish—Eight slices of cold roast beef cut thin in a saucepan with cream, water, pepper and a gravy composed of three tablespoons of melted butter; walnut catsup and vinegar, one tablespoonful each; a half-teaspoonful of salt and a pinch of pepper, a spoonful each of currant jelly, home-made mustard and warm water; steam for half an hour. With rare roast beef this is very nice.

Larded Calf's Liver—Wash a fresh calf's liver and soak it for an hour in cold water, wipe dry and with a sharp knife make incisions; clear through the liver an inch apart; into each put a piece of fat salt pork long enough to project on both sides; into the bottom of the pot put a tablespoonful of minced onion, some chopped parsley, one-fourth teaspoon pepper and one-half cupful of strained tomato juice; on this lay the liver, sprinkle with salt and as much onion on top as there is below; cover lightly and set at one side the range where it will not reach the boiling point under an hour; gradually increase the heat, but never let it be strong for two hours more, when uncover the pot for the first time to test it with a fork if it is tender; take out the liver and keep hot while you strain the gravy, thicken with a teaspoonful of browned flour wet in cold water; pour over liver; carve the latter horizontally.

Potato a la Royale—One pint of hot boiled potatoes, half cupful of cream or milk, two tablespoons butter, one white of four eggs and yolk of one; one teaspoonful salt, and one-fourth teaspoon pepper. Beat the potato very light and fine. Add the seasoning, cream and butter, then the whites of the eggs beaten stiff. Turn into a buttered dish. Smooth with a knife and brush over the yolk of the egg, which has been well beaten. Brown quickly and serve.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mudge's Worm Expeller is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your drug-gist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

I'd rather trifle with the forked lightning or the deadly pestilence than with my chance of eternal life.—D. L. Moody.

The sugar-coating on Ayer's Pills not only makes them easy to take, but prevents their medicinal integrity to an indefinite period. It dissolves immediately after reaching the stomach, and thus permits the full effect of the physic to be speedily realized.

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We do the biggest shoe business and biggest trunk and valise business of any store in Western Canada. That fact has been true for years.

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of the best Canadian and American factories. We control the sale of the Slater Gents' \$3, \$4 and \$5 shoes, keep a complete stock of J. & T. Bell's fine footwear, in women's and children's. They are far ahead of others in point of style and durability at low prices.

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Your leisure hours walking on the hot streets of the city when Springbank is so near, and the beauty of spring budding from every nook with shrubs and flowers of nature?

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS.
107.....Business Office.
134.....Editorial Rooms.
175.....Job Department

A Local Budget

—The next holiday, jubilee day, falls on Tuesday.

—Mrs. James Deary, city, is visiting friends in Dundas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Altman left this week for Brandon, Man.

—Beware of a man who takes pleasure in prolonged exercise of his voice.

—Chief Justice Sir William Meredith will preside at the Rat Portage assizes, to open on June 28.

—Mrs. McPherson and children, of London, have been the guests of Mrs. Pemberton for a few days.—Kincaid Review.

—All classes of job printing executed in most artistic designs and on shortest notice at Advertiser Job Department.

—Mrs. Joseph Abbott (nee Miss Minnie Moore), of Chicago, formerly of London, is visiting Mrs. J. Tanton, of King street.

—Miss Minnie Poole, of Detroit, who has been spending the past month in Toronto and St. Marys, is at present visiting here.

—Miss Lou Thomas is being sent out to the Chillimiss fields in South America by the Canadian Church Missionary Association.

—The steamer Flora has been prevented from arriving at Port Stanley owing to the extensive repairs being made. The steamer was been entirely renovated.

—Rev. Canon Smith and family left yesterday for Port Burwell, where they will spend the summer, except that the canon will make his headquarters here.

—Col. Atwood, a former resident of this city, who has been living in St. Paul for some years, has gone to Manitoba, and will take up his residence at Neepawa.

—At the Police Court this morning Michael Costello, who has been in jail for a week on a charge of drunkenness, was let go. John Gibbons, charged with assault by his wife Mary, was remanded until Monday.

—At the Caledonian games in Parkhill on May 24, Frankie Tucker, city, was very successful in the dancing competition, winning a prize in every event. He gives promise of being the champion boy dancer of Canada.

—The many friends of Dr. Henry Sheebthorn, uncle of Messrs. T. M. and E. A. Sheebthorn, of this city, will regret to learn of his death after a short illness, on Wednesday night, at his home in Toronto. He will be buried in Port Huron on Saturday.

—The stationing committee of the London Methodist Conference opens in Dundas Center Church Monday next. The Conference proper opens Wednesday. Billets are being provided for 429 clergymen and laymen. Rev. H. J. Uren is secretary of the billeting committee.

—Some unruly youths were responsible for the blocking of the Springbank road yesterday afternoon. They let off the brakes that held the flat-car on the spur of the main line of the Grand Trunk, and it rolled steadily down the grade, crushing through the gate, going over the stop-block, jumped the track, bounced on again, and ran down as far as the Cove. This dangerous amusement will be discontinued.

—If you want a good, bright, cheerful light for the long nights, get Lilywhite Oil. Ask your grocer for it. It's the best lamp oil now offered. We don't supply peddlers. Gravel, benzine, cylinder and machine oils at lowest price. Phone 307.—Empire Oil Co.

Harkness' Famous

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Prepared by us according to the original formula of the late G. W. Harkness. For years this Baking Powder has been used in many of our best homes. The quality has always been the best. It is prepared from pure Cream of Tartar.

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A Six Pipe and a plug or package of 10c tobacco for 25c.

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rather costly for the one caught at it. The cars were removed soon afterwards out of harm's way by the G. T. R.

—The Ladies' Aid of the London West Methodist Church held an ice cream social at the residence of Mr. Richard Elson last evening. Games, music and refreshments were provided by the ladies in abundance, and of satisfactory quality. A very large number were present.

—Yesterday afternoon Mr. William Costello, of 499 Queen's avenue, went out to inspect his property, 1021 Brydges street, East London, and found that Mr. and Mrs. Simmet had taken possession of the premises without saying a word to him about it. A warrant has been issued for their arrest.

—The street railway company began yesterday the work of putting in a "T" at the west end of the baseball park at Springbank. It will be used on holidays, when there is a large crowd who do not desire to go further than the Park Theater. The empty cars will be turned at this "T" and the additional haulage saved.

—The officials of the C.P.R. are busy making arrangements for the inauguration of their new train service over the T. H. and B. Some changes among the train crews have been rendered necessary by the six additional daily trains between Toronto and Hamilton, and about twenty additional hands will be required. Among the train-crews who will be transferred to the new runs are Engineers: Hixton and Minims, running between Toronto and London. Each crew will make double trips, so that three of them only will be required. The fourth crew have charge of the freight train, which is to run daily.

DEATH OF MRS. CHARLES CHAMBERS.

A wide circle of friends and acquaintances are grieved by the death of Mrs. Charles Chambers, which occurred yesterday after a lingering illness of several months. Mrs. Chambers was born in England, and had lived here for 30 years, her father being one of the first engineers on the Great Western Railway. She was devoted to her family, and a thoroughly estimable woman. Her children are: William, of Clayton, Ill.; Charles, of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. Wm. Roberts, of Winnipeg, Man.; Mrs. M. Johnston, of London, Ont.; Fred Babo, of Rat Portage, and Edward, at home.

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENTORS.

The following list of patents, recently granted to inventors residing in Canada, is reported by The London Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.: Canada patents—J. Ingless and M. Birker, Brantford, Ont., tug snap; F. R. Edwards, Thurso, Que., rowlock; W. Chipman and R. Lennox, Ottawa, Ont., vehicle wheel; G. E. Green and G. Faulkner, assignees, Ont., machine for removing gravel, etc.; H. Paris, Rat Portage, mouth organ; E. A. Hanson, Lachine, Que., device for pneumatic saddle for cycles; J. R. Colville, N. B., "The Forge in the Fur"; C. H. Molyneux, Halifax, tobacco pipe.

BIDDING FAREWELL.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

We the undersigned wish through your very widely circulated paper to acknowledge the kindness and express our thanks for the kind manner in which we have been treated while in the city. We came here by an appointment the same as other ministers in the itinerant ranks of the Methodist Church. We found the church property in poor condition. We at once set about to bring it into shape so as to let the people see that our aim was to do good in both caring for the property and trying to bring the erring one to the shelter of the church for refuge. In this the public gave us valuable assistance, and for it we thank them kindly. We have received the best of treatment from London's good people and we would like to live in the city. And perhaps we may be long occupy a cottage for the family, but as far as our church labors are concerned, we are to farewell May 17 and will not be smooth, not to be returned. Our last entertainment will be June 10. Our pathway, however, has not been smooth, yet our aim was onward and upward. We pray blessing upon our church and our people, and we bid them adieu. Sweet Bye and Bye, respectfully yours, R. L. Holden, B. M. E. Church, city.

May 27, 1897.

It is a fortunate day for a man when he first discovers the value of Ayer's Sarsaparilla as a blood-purifier. With this remedy he knows he has found a remedy upon which he may rely, and that his life-long malady is at last conquered. Has cured others, will cure you.

SERVICE OF PRAISE.

An Excellent Programme—Edifying Address by R. A. Little, B. A.

The jubilee service of praise, under the auspices of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, held last evening, was one of the most successful of its kind ever given in that edifice. There was a large attendance, and the full choir, which contains many well-known local favorites, assisted by Miss Nellie Campbell, contralto, of Toronto; Mr. Geo. N. Crooker, bass, of Woodstock, and Mr. Frederick Simpson, organist of the Askin Street Methodist Church, a former pupil of Mr. Wheeler's, rendered a splendid programme. Rev. Robt. Johnston, B.D., presided, and in a few well-chosen words introduced the following programme, which, containing as it does most of the best talent in the city, may be accepted as par excellence without any further words of commendation.

Hymn No. 12.....Choir and Congregation
[a. Prelude No. 8, B flat major.]
[b. Fugue No. 10, G minor.]
Organ solos.....Mr. F. Simpson

Anthem—Sing, O Daughter of Zion.....H. L. Button

Solo—Salve Regina.....Dudley Buck

Solo—Abide With Me.....Dixon

Quartet—The Bird Let Loose From Eastern Skies.....Marston

Solo—Return O God of Hosts (from Mass).....Handel

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Organ solos.....Mr. F. Simpson

Solo—The Garden of Prayer.....Vernon Rey

Quartet—Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul.....Bauman

Organ solo—Overture from Caliph of Bagdad.....Boileau

Solo—Night of Night.....Van de Water

Anthem—There is a Land of Pure Delight.....Shelley

Solo—The Evening Prayer (from Elb).....Costa

Duet—Savior, Oh Draw Me Near to Thee.....Miss Nellie Campbell

Mr. C. E. Wheeler and Mr. G. N. Crooker.

MR. LITTLE'S ADDRESS.

One of the most pleasing features of the evening was the jubilee address of Mr. R. A. Little, B.A., of the Collegiate Institute. The speaker's introductory remarks referred to the great unanimity that existed regarding the celebration of the Queen's jubilee, and anything he might fail to say he knew the public would supply. He would not attempt, he said, to go into the many good qualities of our great and glorious sovereign, Victoria, any one of which would occupy the time he had to deal with the whole subject. He spoke of British justice, freedom and power, and their influences, under which a Briton might walk without fear of molestation in any land. He dwelt upon the excellence of British rule, courage, and devotion to country, and said it was for us in Canada—the brightest gem in the British empire—to know that under Queen Victoria's rule education, industrial advances and the amelioration of the classes were eminently conspicuous, as compared with national advancement and development of other sovereigns.

Victoria's name would be immortal and be handed down in ages and generations to come with three great movements of the era. She would stand as an everlasting argument for the establishment of woman and her rights—a model woman for home and family. She would be an example for all succeeding sovereigns. Mr. Little contrasted Victoria with the spurious types of womanhood found in France and America. Queen Victoria would ever stand for woman to woman, home and family. The Queen's personal character and influence were next dealt with. During her reign there had been stability of government, constant reformation without revolution, and liberty with law and order. She had solved the problem of what a sovereign could be. The speaker closed with an eloquent commendation of the manner in which Queen Victoria had decided to celebrate her jubilee. Gratitude and love were expressed from the hearts of 250,000,000 people, and the National Anthem would reach from land to land. "God Save the Queen."

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