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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.

ROUTLEDGE—In this city, on Thursday, Nov. 10, 1898, Mather M., youngest daughter of the late George Routledge, aged 17 years and 3 months.

Funeral will leave the family residence, 699 King street, on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

BRODY—At the family residence, London township, lot 7, con. 2, James Brody, in his 91st year.

Funeral on Friday, at 9 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

GAULD—At the residence of her sister, 36 Wortley road, Mrs. A. Gauld, aged 81 years.

Funeral Friday, 3 p.m.; services 2:30. Friends kindly accept this intimation. 85u

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Thursday Night, Nov. 10, the merry-go-round of fun,

"McSORLEY'S TWINS."

Interpreted by 30 farce-comedy favorites, including nature's own fun-maker, BOBBY GAYLOR. Prices—25c, 50c and 75c. Seats now on sale. 83k

GRAND OPERA HOUSE,

FRIDAY, NOV. 11,

The greatest of all comic opera successes,

THE GEISHA.

And the Geisha Orchestra, the greatest event of the season. Prices—Lower floor, $1; first two rows balcony, 75c; balance, 50c; gallery, 25c. Seats on sale Wednesday. 84k

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—MATINEE AND night, Saturday, Nov. 12, special engagement of Mr. David Higgins and Miss Georgia Waldron, in the beautiful play of Southern life, "At Piney Ridge," a romance of the mountains and valleys of East Tennessee, with a wealth of beautiful scenery and effects; a production complete in every detail. Matinee prices—Children 25c; adults 50c. Night prices—25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 86c

AUDITORIUM—MONDAY, NOV. 14—MR. B. Rautenberg, the converted Jew, will deliver his wonderful address, "Through the Hebrews' Fatherland," illustrated by magnificent views, and songs by Master Bernie Rautenberg, Canada's boy soprano. Admission 15c and 25c. Mr. Rautenberg speaks to men only, Sunday, at 4:15, in Auditorium. 86c

AUDITORIUM — POPULAR CONCERT Course—Dr. Eugene May. Plan opens Saturday, 9 a.m. 86u

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB concert in Auditorium tonight. Admission 25c and 50c.

MR. EDWIN C. CRANE, OF DETROIT, will sing "The Two Grenadiers" and "A Bedouin Love Song" at the Woman's Morning Music Club Concert, and Miss Morphy, Miss Webb, Miss Raymond and Mr. Saunders will play. 84c

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB concert, Auditorium, Thursday evening, Nov. 10. Plan open Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning, from 10 until 1. Membership tickets will also be on sale. 84c

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB Concert, Auditorium, Thursday evening next. Miss Huston, of Toronto, will sing "Jocelyn" and "The Soldier's Bride," and the ladies' orchestra will play. 84c

58 YEARS ESTABLISHED AND NEVER lost the life of a passenger; such is the record of the old reliable Cunard Line. Campania sails Saturday, 12th November; Umbria 19th November; Lucania 26th November. F. B. Clarke, Agent, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser Office.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—PRIMARY classes meet—Gentlemen, Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock. Competent teachers. Terms liberal. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—Rapid teaching; low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B. Millard, teacher of dancing, 345 Princess avenue.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT GIRL. Apply at once, T. Fox, 24 Cartwright street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM girl; also girl for general housework. Apply Dominion House, York street. J. J. Cox, Prop. 86c

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COOK—references required. Apply to Mrs. R. W. Puddicombe, 410 Dufferin avenue. 84c

WANTED—COOK—AT WELLINGTON House. 82tf

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL work. Must be efficient. No laundry work. Apply at 288 Dufferin avenue. 82tf

Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—LADIES TO EMBROIDER—Good paying, easy work sent to your home. Addressed envelope for sample and materials. Empire Embroidery Works, 23 Duane street, New York City. 84n

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—STATIONARY ENGINEER. Competent to operate electric plant. References required. Permanent position to right party. Address box 83, Advertiser. 86c

PROFITABLE HOME WORK—WE WANT a few men and women in every town to make novelties for us at their homes; day or evening; $6 to $15 weekly; no canvassing or experience needed; steady employment; plain instructions and work sent to your home on application. Brazilian Manufacturing Company, New York City. 85c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH $60 cash to learn and take charge of business paying $3 50 a day profit. Box 40, Ealing. 85c

Educational.

DO YOU WANT TO OBTAIN A GOOD position? A course in either the Commercial or Shorthand Department of the London Business University assures you one. Charges very moderate. No. 210-212 Dundas street. W. N. Yerex, B. C., Principal. 821 eod

Shorthand

Can be learned in from three to six months. If you take a course at Coo's Academy you are sure of a

Situation.

Miss Irwin has been placed as stenographer for the Veterinary Science Association.

For terms apply to

W. C. COO,

76 Dundas Street.

The Famous Slater

Men's $3, $4 and $5 Shoes,

Best obtainable. Made in all the Up-to-Date Shapes and Styles. Fit guaranteed or your money back.

THE BEST KIND OF TESTIMONY—No amount of advertising, and no amount of hard work could sell the people of this country one-half a million pairs a year if they didn't want them.

If there's anything a person is particular about it is footwear.

MEN WANT THEM—People who tried them find they are everything that we claim they are. Our new stock provides all the latest English and American styles.

SOLE AGENTS

Pocock Bros.,

140 DUNDAS STREET.

Board and Lodging.

YOUNG LADY WISHES BOARD IN private family, within ten minutes walk of postoffice. Address box 84 Advertiser. 86c

Agents Wanted.

HOME WORK FOR FAMILIES—WE want the services of a number of families to do knitting for us at home, whole or spare time. We furnish $20 machine and supply the yarn free and pay for the work as sent in. Distance no hindrance. $7 to $10 per week made according to time devoted to the work. Write at once. Name references. Co-operative Knitting Company, Toronto. ywt

AGENTS WANTED—TO SELL NURSERY stock for the old reliable Fonthill Nurseries, established over 25 years ago. Our acreage today, 700 acres. Newest specialties, largest and best assortment. Permanent place. Good pay. Supplies free. Stone & Wellington, Toronto. ywt

WANTED — GENERAL AGENT — NO canvassing. Apply G. Marshall & Co., 258 Dundas street.

Lost and Found.

LOST—WATCH—WEDNESDAY NIGHT—between corner Talbot and Horton and 643 Queen's avenue, lady's silver watch, hunting case, with short small gold chain and carnelian links attached. Reward by returning to Thomas Gillean's Jewelry Store. 86u

LOST—WILL THE PERSON WHO TOOK by mistake the umbrella from Sacred Heart Convent on Saturday morning last please return to the Convent b

STRAYED INTO H. PARSONS', WESTminster, black and white heifer. Owner can have same by paying expenses. H. Parsons, Odell postoffice 84c bw

Wanted.

WANTED—HOUSE WITH MODERN improvements; rent must be reasonable. Please leave particulars at office of J. W. G. Winnett, Barrister, etc., 420 Talbot street. ywt

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—MODERN house with conveniences, 10 rooms, near First Methodist or St. Andrew's Churches. Address Box 82, this office. 84c

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

Miscellaneous.

CHEAP PRIVATE FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT—We have $20,000 for immediate investment on good city or farm property at 5%. Bayly & Bayly, Solicitors, London, Ont. 86tf



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A GOOD CALIGRAPH TYPEWRITING machine for sale. Apply Joseph Fox, pawnbroker, 209 King street.

IMMENSE STOCK STOVES, RANGES, oven baseburners, heaters all kinds selling out. 20 per cent discount. Stringer's, 141 King street.

THESE COLD, RAW DAYS USE OUR toasting buns for tea. George Peters, confectioner. Phone 948.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES—A special line of 5c scribblers for 3c. R. V. S. SAUNDERS, 650 Dundas street, East London

BOLOGNA, 4 POUNDS FOR 25 CENTS—Small sausage, 4 pounds for 25 cents. Hams, bacon, lard, butter, eggs, cheese and fruits. Lowest prices. Park's, corner Market Lane.

REVOLVERS CARTRIDGES, POCKET knives and repairing at D. McKenzie & Co.'s, 374 Richmond street.

R. M. MILLAR, ELECTRICIAN, NO. 434 Talbot street, between Carling street and Queen's avenue. All work done efficiently and at moderate prices A specialty of Medical Batteries. 21tf

SHIPPING TAGS—AT CLOSE PRICES—Advertiser Job Department.

CUSTOM PAPERS OF ALL KINDS ALWAYS on hand at Advertiser Job Department. You can have them in large or small quantities.

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BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134.

KINDLING WOOD AT THE SAW MILL, East London. Satisfaction both in quality and quantity. Prompt delivery. Phone 1,312. S. Gillies & Son.

SNAPS AT HEINTZMAN & CO'S., 217 DUNDAS street, corner Clarence street. 1 Heintzman & Co. piano, slightly used; 1 Evans square piano, 8 years old, 7⅓ octaves; 1 Nitschke piano, first-class condition, 7⅓ octaves; 1 Whaley Royce upright piano, 7⅓ octaves, 10 months old. Will be sold on easy terms of payment.

KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

NOTICE.

Firts and Ninth Division Courts, Middlesex.

THURSDAY, 24th NOVEMBER, 1898, being a public holiday (Thanksgiving Day), the sittings of the above Courts at the City of London appointed for that day for hearing of judgment summonses, will be adjourned until the following Tuesday, 29th November inst. By order of the Judge.

JAMES MAGEE, Clerk of the Peace.

London, Nov. 9th, 1898 b

"The largest and best Life Insurance Companies in the world are Mutual."—M. Tabor, Actuary to the State of Illinois Insurance Department.

THE ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

Established 1870.

Assets Nearly $4,000,000

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A. N. UDY—INSURANCE AGENT—Office over C. P. R. ticket office. Telephone 736.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING house, 4 bedrooms, library room, bath (hot and cold water), closet, furnace and other modern conveniences. Lot, 44 feet frontage, situated on Queen's avenue. The owner has left city and the property will be sold cheap, part cash, balance at 4½ per cent. Apply Edward Towe & Co., Insurance and Real Estate Agents. Office—Over Bank of Commerce. ywt

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT—65 acres, on Longwoods road; 2½ miles from Delaware village. Apply K. M. Whitehead, Thorndale, Ont. 82c tyw

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—150 ACRES lot 2, con. 3, West Nissouri. Suitable for dairy purposes. Good house and outbuildings. For particulars apply M. J. McKenzie, Crumlin, Ont. 82n

HOUSE (NO. 46 QUEEN STREET) AND large lot, with stable and henhouse, to rent or sell, on monthly, quarterly or half-yearly payments, to suit purchaser. Interest 5 per cent per annum on unpaid purchase money. Apply Tennent, McDonagh & Coleridge, Barristers, etc., 78 Dundas street, London.

CARDS—WE CARRY A FULL line of the following:

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Houses, Etc., To Let.

COTTAGE TO RENT—354 DUFFERIN avenue; desirable locality; possession at once. Fred W. Matthews, Postoffice Inspector's Office. 86c

TO LET—STORE—ON DUNDAS STREET—fine business site; low rent. Write D. I., Advertiser office. 82n eod

TO LET—311 HYMAN STREET—BATH, and furnace. Apply J. W. Cunningham, 334 Dundas street. 60tf ywt

TO LET—BRICK 2-STORY HOUSE—8 rooms. Apply 406 King street, corner Colborne. 85c

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE—FOUR BEDROOMS, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and basement. Apply 138 Queen's avenue. 84n

TO LET—THREE FINE NEW COTTAGES; fine locality and central; fitted with all modern conveniences. Also fine 2-story house on Prospect avenue, at low rent. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE—ALL MODERN improvements; possession Dec. 1. 279 Piccadilly street. Apply J. P. Thompson, care of Pocock Bros. 79tf

TO LET—TWO STORY BRICK—286 PICCADILLY street, between Wellington and Waterloo, all modern conveniences. Apply Sterling Bros. 78tf

HOUSE TO LET—323 KING STREET—APPLY 305 King street. 55tf

TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS—When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

ROOMS TO LET—FOR BUSINESS—94 Carling street. 34tf

Swedish Massage.

MISS MILLAR, 359 PRINCESS AVENUE, Swedish therapeutic massage, graduate of the Hugo Oldenburg Institute, Chicago.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 19th day of November instant for the purchase of the west part of sublot number four, according to the plan and survey of lots numbers 11, 12, 13 and 14 on the east side of William street in the City of London, made by Samuel Peters, P. L. S., for the trustees of the late John Salter, deceased, and having a frontage of 131 feet 6 inches on Pall Mall street by a full depth of said lot. A small frame cottage is erected upon the premises. Terms cash, to be paid into the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the joint credit of the administrator and the official guardian. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. John D. O'Neill, solicitor for administrator; W. C. Fitzgerald, solicitor, London. 86kwtyw

ELLIOTT WAITED

Susceptible Young Canadian That Was Fleeced.

Detroit, Nov. 10.—Grieve Elliott is a young man whose home is in Alvinston, Ont. Yesterday morning he was waiting for his train at the Brush street depot, when a stranger accosted him and led him to believe that he was going to Alvinston to open a store. He also casually remarked that he might need a man about the size of Elliott, and the youth became confidential.

Soon the stranger, who gave his name as John Thompson, asked Elliott to accompany him to the express office and help him to carry his baggage to the depot. They had walked about five blocks when another stranger met them and told Thompson that he had already sent his baggage to Canada. Thompson drew forth his wallet to settle with the baggageman, but found he only had a $1,000 check. He borrowed $12 from Elliott, all the money the young man had. Then he asked Elliott to wait for him at the depot, and the young man waited. He might be waiting yet, had he not tumbled, after two hours, that he had been fleeced.

SUFFERING CELESTIALS

Flood and Famine Menace 1,000,000 Persons in Shang Tung.

The Kaiser's Proposed Visit to Spain.

Lottie Collins Makes an Attempt at Suicide—Hertford, Eng., Without Water—Imperial Penny-Postage Begins on Christmas Day.

London, Nov. 10.—Advices received here from Shan Tung say that yellow River has left its bed near the city of Tsi Nan Fu, capital of Shan Tung Province, and flooded 2,000 square miles of territory, hundreds of villages have been destroyed, 1,000,000 are suffering, and famine is imminent.

THE KAISER'S OUTING.

Madrid, Nov. 10.—Inquiries made here concerning the proposed visit of the Emperor of Germany to Spain shows that the Spanish Government has been notified that two German warships, one of them having the Emperor and Empress of Germany on board, will arrive at Cadiz on Nov. 20, but it is claimed it is not yet known whether the visit of their majesties is of a private or of an official character.

It is asserted at the foreign office that Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria, after visiting Cadiz, will visit Cartegena. The queen regent will invite them to visit Madrid.

AT DAMASCUS.

Damascus, Nov. 10.—The visit of Emperor William and the Empress Augusta Victoria to Damascus has proved most successful and interesting. Their majesties have visited the principal sights. This afternoon Emperor William reviewed 6,000 men of the Turkish garrison, the review ending with a picturesque fantasia by Bedouins mounted on horses and camels. This evening a grand banquet was given in the emperor's honor. The city was brilliantly illuminated, and the streets and squares were filled with enthusiastic crowds. Emperor William has telegraphed to the sultan an expression of his great gratification at the cordiality of the welcome.

WITHOUT WATER.

London, Nov. 10.—The Herts County Council are alarmed at the serious injury which is being done to the water supply of the country by the enormous quantity abstracted from it by London water companies, and are memorializing the local government board on the subject. The great spring at Wellmer's Park, which formerly yielded 1,000,000 gallons a day, is dry, and many other springs have either failed or been reduced in volume. Moreover the heads of the rivers are lower down in the valleys than ever before, and the numerous wells on the highways are completely dry. The situation is regarded as serious.

LOTTIE COLLINS' RASH ACT.

London, Nov. 10.—Lottie Collins, the music hall singer, who came into prominence in the popularity of "Ta-ra-ra Boom de Aye," attempted to commit suicide yesterday by opening a vein in her throat with a penknife. She was taken to the hospital, where it was found that her wounds were not serious, and she was taken to her home. It appears Miss Collins attempted suicide in her bathroom. Soon after she had entered it her servant heard piercing shrieks, and found the singer on the floor covered with blood, flowing from wounds in her neck. Miss Collins' attempt at self-destruction is attributed to the fact that domestic troubles have been preying upon her mind.

RECRUITING IN CANADA.

London, Nov. 10.—It is learned from the war office that there is nothing particularly recent in the recruiting order for the Hundredth Regiment (Royal Canadians) in Canada. Sir Ralph Henry Knox, permanent under secretary of state for war, today said that the order to recruit the Hundredth Regiment in Canada was issued some time ago, and for the reason that a battalion of the regiment was stationed there. No new order has been issued. He expressed the opinion that the less said about such matters the better. Months ago, said he, Lord Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, contemplated the improvement of the defenses of all the colonies, but complications which have arisen in Europe caused people to draw wrong conclusions regarding present preparations for defense.

DISASTERS DUE TO FOG.

Glasgow, Nov. 10.—A fog is prevailing on the Clyde which has caused a number of disasters to shipping. The Allan Line steamer Scandinavian, Capt. Eastaway, from Boston for this port, grounded just above Bowling last evening, when upward bound, as previously reported, and may have to lighten before she can be floated.

The Anchor liner Furnessia, Capt. Harris, from New York, also for here, and reported aground, was attempting to pass the Scandinavian and fouled her. Both steamers are reported to be damaged. Several other steamers are reported to be aground or fog-bound near by.

CABLE NOTES.

Penny postage between the colonies and Great Britain will go into effect on Christmas Day. India is to be included.

The Baroness Hirsch, though she has never resided in London, and has no knowledge of those whom she is helping, has donated $280,000 for the establishment of a Jewish convalescent home in Hampstead, London, which will have accommodation for 36 patients.

LADY CURZON TO DAZZLE INDIA.

Lady Curzon, of Kedleston, is getting such an array of costumes for the Indian viceroyalty as has never been seen in the Indian court before. She has just returned from a week in Paris, where the whole time was devoted to frocks.

She stayed at the Hotel de France et de Choiseul, and had a special reception-room, where for several hours daily she saw a succession of the most famous Parisian costume designers. The orders to Worth alone are said to reach $15,000.

FRENCH NAVAL PREPARATION

The Echo De Paris' Story Denied and Reaffirmed.

Major Marchand's Arrangements for Evacuating Fashoda—Coquetting With Menelik.

Paris, Nov. 10.—M. Lockroy, minister of marine, denies that there is any truth in the rumors published by the Echo de Paris. But despite M. Lockroy's denial, there is little doubt that the news of French naval preparations is in the main correct. Admiral Fournier has arrived, in response to M. Lockroy's summons, and the two have already held a long conference with several admirals at the ministry of marine.

It is believed that M. Lockroy intends a set-off to the British demonstrations at Portsmouth, and it is rumored that he will increase the French fleet at the cost of a milliard francs, which will be obtained by a conversion of rentes into 2¾ per cents. The admirals, it is understood, have reported all the coast defenses in a complete state of readiness. At Algiers there is the greatest activity. All the forts have been fully manned, and the defenses improved. Admiral Gervais has fallen ill from overwork in connection with the preparations.

The French newspapers generally approve the silence of the Chamber of Deputies on the subject of Fashoda, and congratulate M. Brunot on his withdrawal of the interpellation which he intended to address to the government on the subject. The Siecle says it regrets that Major Marchand did not observe the same reticence at Cairo.

EVACUATION OF FASHODA.

Cairo, Nov. 10.—Major Marchand and Capt. Baratier start for Fashoda on Thursday or Friday to carry out the evacuation of that place by the French garrison, which will retire by way of Abyssinia to Jibutil, a six months' journey.

The Rome correspondent of the London Daily Mail says: It is asserted positively that Major Marchand has established communication with Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia, and that France is now intriguing with that monarch.

MORE PREPARATIONS.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Matin says that at a council of the admirals held yesterday it was decided to fit out all the French war vessels available, and 30 reserve ships have been ordered into commission.

SALISBURY SUITS THEM.

The newspapers of this city, notably the Gaulois and the Figaro, express satisfaction at the Marquis of Salisbury's speech, delivered at the Guildhall banquet last night, which they consider as tending towards a peaceful solution of a misunderstanding and as replacing the Fashoda question on its proper ground.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE IN PARIS.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The newspapers of this city, after yesterday's meeting of the peace commissions, seemed to have gathered from some source or another the impression that the Spanish commissioners have cause for complaint against the Americans because the latter presented their replies to the Spanish proposals in English, and without a Spanish translation of the document. There is no basis for complaint upon the subject. The president of the Spanish commission, Senor Montero Rios, and Judge Day, the president of the American commission, agreed that owing to the length of the document, all concerned might be spared the reading of matter, which is usually translated in writing into Spanish for the benefit of Senor Montero Rios and two other members of the Spanish commission, who do not understand English. Each side, up to the present, has made its own written translations, but the Americans alone have supplied an interpreter for the joint sessions, the Spaniards relying on the American interpreter instead of furnishing an interpreter for their side, as they might have expected to do. The American interpreter is Mr. Arthur Ferguson, and the Spaniards have marveled at the facility with which he did his work. They have never once checked him or corrected him in the slightest degree. In view of the facts in the case, some of the references of the Paris newspapers this morning are interesting.

BILLIARDS.

ST. THOMAS AND LONDON AMATEURS PLAY TWO INTERESTING MATCHES.

Following is the full score of the two billiard games played recently between the London Catholic Club and St. Thomas amateurs:

At St. Thomas, Tuesday—

London.		St. Thomas.	
P. F. Boyle	37	T. Devine	50
B. J. Conway	50	H. Christmas	14
George Burns	24	S. Pocock	50
M. O'Meara	50	Col. Burke	49
F. Richardson	45	T. Coffey	50
Total	206	Total	213

At London, Wednesday—

London.		St. Thomas.	
P. F. Boyle	50	Col. Burke	37
J. O'Meara	46	S. Pocock	50
B. J. Conway	50	H. Christmas	29
M. O'Meara	27	T. Lindop	50
F. Richardson	47	T. Coffey	50
Total	220	Total	216

A $2,000,000 INSURANCE POLICY.

Efforts to locate the Chicago man who last week had written for him a life insurance policy of $2,000,000 have finally centered on Harlow N. Higginbotham, a partner in the firm of Marshall Field & Co., and during the last half of the World's Columbian Exposition president of that body. Earlier names discussed in connection with this gigantic policy, the largest ever written in the United States, if the amount is as reported, include those of Charles T. Yerkes, H. H. Porter and young Joseph Leiter, but a man in the position to know the facts in the case says Higinbotham is the man. The policy was written by a New York company, the facts, so far as they can be learned, coming out through an agent's report of $12,000 paid in premiums.

Hazeline

Are you acquainted with it?

It is a toilet cream made to neutralize the unpleasant effects of November winds.

This delightful lotion removes redness, roughness, blotches and all inflammation of the skin. There is nothing so good for promoting a clear and brilliant complexion, or as an aid to beauty. Price only 25 cents.

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SPANISH PRESS INDIGNANT

At the Doings of the United States Commissioners.

Rupture of Negotiations Expected—Dons Will Yield Only to Force.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Regarding yesterday's meeting the Figaro says: "The American commissioners contented themselves with producing a long memorandum, written in English. After having deposited this upon the table, they left the task of translating it to the Spanish commissioners, apologizing courteously for its length and the difficulties of translation. They then retired. The situation at present is as follows: The Americans persist in refusing to take over the Cuban debt, and exact the cession of the Philippines. The Spaniards, on their side, refuse to cede the archipelago."

The Petit Bleu remarks: "All diplomatic forms were outraged by the Americans at yesterday's sitting. It is customary in such cases to read the memorandum presented to the other side. The Americans, however, contented themselves with throwing it, written in English, upon the table."

Continuing, the Petit Bleu says: "A member of the Spanish commission has remarked that his colleagues can never admit the claims of America in regard to the Philippines. The protocol says the treaty of peace shall determine the disposition and control of the Philippines, and the Americans now claim that 'disposition' means that the colony shall be surrendered to America. This Spain will never admit."

The Petit Bleu then expresses its belief in an early rupture of the negotiations.

The Rappel says: "A Spanish commissioner has declared that the Spanish will yield only to force in the question of the Philippine Islands."

Continuing, the Rappel asserts that it anticipates a rupture of the negotiations at an early date, adding: "The country which started out as the liberator of Cuba now threatens war, although her demands as to Cuba have been acceded to, because she cannot annex territory which played no part in the bringing on of the war. We preferred the liberator of Cuba to the oppressor of Spain."

The Gaulois presents a long argument in favor of Spanish retention of the Philippine Islands, saying among other things that the Spaniards refuse absolutely to admit even in principle the cessation of their authority in the Philippine Islands, adding that the outcome is likely to be a rupture of the negotiations, followed by the occupation of the Philippine Islands by the American troops. As a final eventuality the Gaulois intimates that there might be a possibility of European intervention, although the paper doubts this, in view of the differences which divide France, Great Britain and Russia. Germany alone, according to the Gaulois, seems disposed to offer aid to Spain, saying: "The expected arrival of Emperor William at Cadiz, and his probable visit to the queen regent are sufficiently significant indications of his friendly disposition to Spain."

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses must substantial claim to public confidence.

Capt. Chester has decided to abandon the attempt to raise the Spanish war vessel Cristobal Colon, sunk in Santiago harbor.

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New Overcoatings,
New Trouserings

Choice Goods for Fall Wear.

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Men Reduce Their Demands One Cent Per Hour.

The Company Stick to Their Original Proposition.

The Mayor Causes a Tangle—Better 'Bus Accommodation To Be Put On by Strikers—Company Say They Will Run a Complete System Again.

Mayor Wilson yesterday received a letter from the street railway men's union, stating that the men would be willing to meet the company. This letter was telephoned to the company, the officials of which thought the missive might be more explanatory. When asked by the company about the matter, the mayor replied that he supposed the men were coming down to the management to accept the company's offer. He said the strikers would meet the company at 8 o'clock. By some mismanagement the strikers' committee did not know that a meeting had been arranged for 8 o'clock, and it was was nearly 11 before the last of the committee men arrived at the office of Hellmuth & Ivey. The company asked the men what they were going to do, and Mr. Frizell said the men had decided to drop a cent in their demands, viz., 13 cents per hour for the first six months, 14½ cents per hour for the second six months, and 15⅔ cents per hour after one year. The company informed the men that negotiations had been closed; it was not a question of whether or not the men were willing to make further concessions, but whether they were willing to accept the company's offer. It was simply "Yes" or "No." The men were greatly disappointed, as they had understood from the mayor that the company would consider their offer. The mayor was telephoned for, in order that neither the men nor the company should be placed in any false light. He came and explained the difficulty. The offer of the men, however, was not entertained.

WHAT THE COMMITTEE SAID.

One of the committee men, in reply to questions as to what went on in the conference, said: "We offered to take a cent less than our modified proposition of yesterday. The company will do nothing, and we will do nothing. Speaking for some of the men, I can tell you they would starve before they would accept it."

"The compromise," said another, "has not been offered because we thought the men were asking too much, but simply because we believed that the company was sincere in the statement that it could not afford to pay any more."

A third said that if the committee had accepted the company's proposition, the union men would have said, to the committee: "Well, you can accept it; we won't."

NO SETTLEMENT TODAY.

At 11 o'clock this morning the strikers' committee met the company, and the men submitted their offer of last night, wherein they agreed to accept one cent per hour less. The company would make no advance on their previous proposition, and the fight has been given a fresh start.

When Mr. Everett was here he told the committee that they had planted the peg, and wanted the company to walk to it. Now the committee use Mr. Everett's words the other way, and say: "The company have planted the peg and want us to come to it. We walk, but not to the company's peg."

Mr. Smallman declined to say anything about the matter.

Mr. Carr, when seen, said there was nothing to say, but that negotiations were at an end, and that the company would proceed at once to put on a full service whether the people rode in their cars or not.

"Won't the company's action have a tendency to ruin Springbank business next summer?" a reporter asked one of the company.

"Oh, I don't know. Time is a great healer."

"But many unions, lodges and other organizations in the city have passed resolutions pledging themselves to refrain from using the cars."

"Well, they'll forget about that, too."

THE BUS LINE.

The committee this morning arranged to have a complete bus service to all parts of the city, and feel confident that the citizens will back them up, and that if they do the company will have to back down, and lose thousands of dollars. The bus business so far has been worth on an average $100 per day, and this will be increased when the service is bettered.

Mr. Everett told a reporter that the strikers would find there was no money in the bus business.

NOTES.

Thanks to The London Advertiser's aggressive work in stating the grievances of the striking street railway men in that city, the sympathy of Ontario people is with the men.—Belleville Sun.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

The East Lambton election trial will be resumed at Osgoode Hall on Monday.

An Ottawa branch of the Woman's Canadian Historical Society has been formed.

Mr. James Brophy, of Stratford, was run down by a train while working near the St. Marys bridge, and killed.

It has been decided that there will be no reception on the arrival of the new governor-general. He is expected to arrive on Sunday next.

The joint high commission for the settlement of disputed questions between the United States and Canada meets in Washington today.

A dispatch from Vancouver says the city is invaded by desperate northern thugs. Numerous burglaries and attempted murders have taken place.

A warrant has been applied for by several cheese factorymen for the arrest of Mr. J. C. Warrington, the Montreal cheese exporter, in connection with the recent failure.

The largest passenger engine ever built in Canada has just been completed at the Kingston locomotive works. It is the first of an order of three for the Intercolonial Railway.

John Charlton, M.P., has gone to Washington to attend the adjourned meeting of the international conference. He expects to be absent at least four weeks. He is accompanied by Mrs. Charlton.

The steamer Australia has arrived at San Francisco, seven days from Honolulu. Among her passengers were 30 soldiers afflicted with malarial fever. There is considerable sickness among the troops at Honolulu.

Mr. Jas. A. Smart, deputy minister of the interior, who is now in the west, finds that Galician settlers, who have been in the country less than a year, have already picked up sufficient knowledge of the English language to converse in it.

Felix Rainsville, of Buckingham, Que., went to Brantford about a year ago, part of which time he worked with a bicycle company, and the remainder with the Massey-Harris Company. Monday night, after receiving his pay, Rainsville mysteriously disappeared.

Rev. E. R. Young, B.A., was appointed assistant editor of the Christian Guardian. The new assistant editor is the son of Egerton Ryerson Young, the missionary. His grandfather was Rev. William Young, a pioneer Methodist clergyman. He was ordained in 1896.

The sealing schooner Pioneer is long overdue at Victoria, B. C., from Bering Sea, where she was last reported on Sept. 27, and sailing men believe she has gone down. Her captain was Colin Locke, and the whites in the crew were Steward A. McLeod, of Glasgow; John Hines and J. W. Smith, of Shelburne,

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Fusionists Carry Colorado, With a Democrat for Governor—Both Sides Claim the National House of Representatives—Bloody Work in Texas.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 10.—On the results of the election, United States Senator John M. Thurston says: "The sweeping victory in the west, including Nebraska, means the unconditional indorsement of President McKinley's administration, the conduct of the war and his foreign policy. The battle was fought on the straight gold standard platform, and the result, in my judgment, absolutely eliminates free silver as a national issue in 1900. The entire tendency of independent voters is to return to old party allegiance, with permanent gains to the Republican party from the best element of Democracy and Populists.

"This is largely due to the prosperous conditions of agriculture and business generally. The people are satisfied with present conditions.

"In Nebraska the Fusionists early in the campaign practically abandoned the free silver issue, and for a time attempted to maintain themselves by criticism of the conduct of the war. Driven from this, they fell back on the McCleary bill.

"The Republican campaign was very active and aggressive and successfully met the three issues in detail. Above everything else, however, was the patriotic determination to stand by the administration whose victories in war and whose far-reaching and successful foreign policy has won the admiration of christendom."

IN DOUBT.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Yesterday afternoon Chairman Babcock admitted that the next House of Representatives was in doubt. He claims 174 districts sure, with 15 districts in doubt. One hundred and seventy-nine is a majority.

Chairman Kerr, of the Democratic congressional committee, claimed the certain election of 190 Democrats and Fusionists, an opposition majority of 23 and a Democratic majority over all of 5.

TROUBLE IN TEXAS.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 10.—Tuesday was a bloody election day in Texas. At Hubbard, Steven's county, Rosarie McCarthy, Joseph Ramby and Jefferson Squires were killed, and J. F. McCartery and Riley Squires probably mortally wounded in an election duel. At Steuben, in Hopkins county, R. E. Sutton and George Young were killed. William Young is in jail as a party to the killing of Sutton, who had murdered Young's brother. At Aubrey, Denton county, Deputy Sheriff B. Taylor was shot through the neck by Lee Webb and dangerously wounded. He shot Webb through the leg. At Sheffield, in Trinity county, J. W. Ashfield was killed and his father probably fatally wounded by persons whose names have not been learned. Many minor affrays occurred in various parts of the state as the result of election differences.

A REPUBLICAN SENATE.

The election returns establish with certainty that the United States Senate will have a Republican majority after March 4 next. An analysis of the party changes shows the Republicans gain seven seats from Democrats (California, Delaware, Indiana, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota and Wisconsin), and one from Populists (Nebraska). They may lose one (Washington), which is in doubt, and gain one in West Virginia, which is also in doubt. The political divisions of the senate after March 4 will be Republicans, 52; Democrats, 27; Populists, 5; Silver Republicans, 4; in doubt, 2.

COLORADO.

The entire Fusion ticket, headed by Charles S. Thomas (Democrat), for governor, is elected by a majority of about 50,000.

CALIFORNIA.

The entire Republican state ticket, with the exception of secretary of state, has been elected, according to Republican claims. The Republicans claim all seven congressmen and the legislature.

James D. Phelan (Democrat) has been re-elected Mayor of San Francisco after a contest of extraordinary keenness.

MICHIGAN.

Pingree (Republican) is re-elected by 40,000 majority. Republicans have elected eleven and possibly all twelve congressmen. The state senate is overwhelmingly Republican, and but few Democrat representatives are elected. Pingree will carry Wayne county by between 3,000 and 5,000. The greatest interest in Detroit centered on the election of sheriff, and the vote promised to be much closer than the Democrats had figured on. Weiss ran considerably behind his ticket. At midnight 74 precincts gave Dr. Duff Stewart a majority of 500.

Gen. Arthur Marsh, chairman of the Republican state committee, says the official count will give Governor Pingree a plurality of 100,000—a gain of over 16,000 over the plurality received in the presidental election. The legislature will be strongly Republican. The entire list of Michigan Republican congressional candidates appear to be elected, although the Democrats still have hopes of carrying the second district, and do not concede the third, eighth and tenth.

NEBRASKA.

Belated returns continue to indicate that Nebraska has turned a political somersault and landed in the Republican column. Hayward (Republican) is likely to carry the state by over 4,000.

UTAH.

The Democrats have elected Roberts to congress and carried the legislature, which will elect a United States senator.

WASHINGTON.

The latest returns show that the Republican majority in the legislature on joint ballot will be 20.

TESLA PLANS TO RULE THE SEAS

Says He Has a Magical Invention Which Will Put an End to Naval Warfare.

New York, Nov. 10.—Nikola Tesla has another magical invention. He announced it to an invited party of friends at his laboratory on Monday night that by an arrangement which he had patented he expected to make naval war an impossibility.

Mr. Tesla's invention is not a new one. He received patent rights upon it four months ago, but it was not until the war with Spain that he thought of applying the device to war ships.

The invention, according to Mr. Tesla, makes it possible to direct from a station on shore or on a moving object a vessel intended to destroy the enemy's fleet. This to be done without the aid of wires or any artificial connection between the operator and the boat directed. Torpedo boats can be propelled and high explosives can be sent into the center of the opposing fleet by a method which Mr. Tesla says is nearly as intangible as will power, and, indeed, he announces that eventually will power will prove the direct agent.

A trial of Mr. Tesla's invention by means of a model was held at his laboratory in East Houston street on Monday night. It proved satisfactory.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Tring Junction, Que., Nov. 10.—The following comes from St. Frederic, Beauce: At an early hour this morning France Cloutier, a prosperous farmer of this place, left his house. A short time afterwards the barn was discovered to be in flames. When the fire was got under control Cloutier's body was found in the debris, burned almost to a crisp.

FASHIONABLE WEDDING AT BERLIN.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—At 1:30 o'clock yesterday the marriage of Mr. John Bell Dalzell, a prominent young barrister, to Miss Agnes Allen McDougall, daughter of Mr. John McDougall, county court clerk, was celebrated at the bride's beautiful home, in the presence of 150 guests. Among the guests were people from New York, Chicago, Newfoundland, Toronto, Brantford and many other places.

Steamship Arrivals.

Nov. 9.	At	From.
Glenveich	Father Point	Leith
Lake Superior	Fame Point	Liverpool
Norseman	Father Point	Liverpool
Pengorehead	Quebec	Belfast
Ottoman	Liverpool	Montreal
Tunn Head	Belfast	Montreal
Pennland	Southampton	New York
Furnessia	Glasgow	New York
Werkendam	New York	Rotterdam
Fulda	New York	Genoa
Bohemia	Philadelphia	Hamburg

SPANISH THRONE TOTTERING.

The affairs of the dynasty are going from bad to worse. From talking of its fall as a remote possibility people have begun to speculate as to when the Bourbons will cease to reign. Senor Castelar assures me that not only is the fall of the monarchy inevitable, but that it is not far off. Senor Carvajal, a former ministers, tells me he is convinced that the end of the monarchical regime may be expected before Christmas. Gen. Martinez de Campos, who has served in the cabinet during a previous premiership of Senor Sagasta, is hopeful against hope. Yet so convinced does he seem to be that he offers his sword for the preservation of the dynasty.

Gen. Polavieja, to whom the queen regent looks to assume control if the monarchy outlives the present ministry, believes that it will be necessary to shoot Weyler to save the throne. Weyler for his part promises his friends that he will not stop with shooting Polavieja—a first and indispensable measure—but will see to the execution of Gen. Campos, Senor Sagasta and perhaps President McKinley as well.—Madrid cable to the Chicago Record.

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All-Wool Single-Breasted Sack Coat, beautifully trimmed, $6 75, regular price $8 50.

Nobby business Suits, $5 75, regular price $7 50.

Fine Scotch Tweed Suits, best Italian Linings, silk sewed, $8, regular price $10 50.

Men's Double-Breasted Beaver Overcoats, heavy lined, $4 50, $5.

Men's All-Wool Heavy Frieze Overcoats, storm collars, muff pockets, very heavy, three shades, $5.

Men's Single and Double Breasted Beaver Overcoats, $6 50, $8, $8 50.

Men's Single and Double Breasted Dress Overcoats, $10, $12 50, $15.

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SEASONABLE AMUSEMENTS

Good Prospects for the Eastern League Next Year.

Keenly Contested Scull Race on Bedford Basin—Turf and Other Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE PROSPECTS.

Concerning the Eastern League prospects, Manager Kuntzsch, of Syracuse, says:

"The Eastern League will be a strong organization next year, and there isn't a bit of doubt about it. Here is what I know about that. There are five good teams to start with, strong and ready for ball—Buffalo, Toronto, Montreal, Springfield and Providence. It is the other three teams that are bothering President Powers. Wilkesbarre is sure to be out of it. Mr. Stegmier can't stay in the Eastern League if a majority of the magnates don't want him. The constitution of the organization stipulates that if a majority of the clubs decide that the membership of another club is undesirable for 'business reasons,' they have a right to oust that club. There is no way that Mr. Stegmier can get around this. The membership of Wilkesbarre is certainly undesirable. Two cities that are anxious to get into the Eastern League are Troy and Albany. If I retain membership I shall be glad to see them in. There has been no baseball there for two years, and I think that the towns are ripe for it. But there need be no worry about towns for the Eastern League. There are any number of cities ready and willing to join in the league with such strong cities as Buffalo, Toronto and Montreal. Hartford is one, and there are others. Oh, there is no danger of the existence of the Eastern League being terminated."

The Syracuse franchise and players are for sale at $5,000.

TURF.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, Nov. 10.—At the first day's racing of the Liverpool autumn meeting yesterday, the Knowlesly stakes was won by Douce of Daisy, Bid was second, and Lord Derby's chestnut colt Gustave Dore, ridden by Todd Sloan, finished third. Fifteen horses ran over the course, distance 5 furlongs, and the betting was 7 to 5 against Gustave Dore.

AT LAKESIDE.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Yesterday's winners:

First race, 11-16 mile—Cousin Nellie won, Rosilina 2, Mendacious 2. Time, 1:14½.

Second race, selling, 6 furlongs—Braw Lad won, David 2, News Gatherer 3. Time 1:32½.

Third race, selling, 5 furlongs—Crystalline won, Duster Swivel 2, Billy Mason 3. Time, 1:06¾.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Top Mast won, Dr. Sheppard 2, Boanerges 3. Time, 1:54¾.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Bonty Boy won, Harry Nutter 2, Eastcard 3. Time, 1:34½.

Sixth race, selling, 7 furlongs—Overland won, Bordet 2, Dr. Marks 3. Time, 1:43¼.

AT NASHVILLE.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Weather rainy; track heavy.

First race, selling, 11-16 miles—Water Crest won, Hairpin 2, W. D. Hamilton 3. Time, 1:13½.

Second race, selling, 9-16 mile—Mildred Raines won, Reed 2, Pauline J. 3. Time, 1:37.

Third race, selling, 1 mile—Jim Flood won, Halton 2, Lelo Lake 3.

Fourth race, 11-16 mile—Pat Garrett won, Glasnevein 2, Weller 3. Time, 1:10½.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Miss Bramble won, Mystery 2, Mamie Callen 3. Time, 1:16¾.

AT LATONIA.

Cincinnati, Nov. 10.—The sport was close and exciting at Latonia yesterday. There was a head-and-head finish in every race, excepting the fifth. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Corridor won, Gov. Taylor 2, Banrica 3. Time, 1:17½.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Schaneken won, Prima Vera 2, Clarence B. 3. Time, 1:19¾.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Samovar won, Libation 2, Stanza 3. Time, 1:47½.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Osric II. won, Doncello 2, Amber Glints 3. Time, 1:43.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Lillie Marks won, Vilok 2, Lizzie Telle 3. Time, 1:06½.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs,—Sorrow won, Pelmate 2, Elsie Bramble 3. Time, 1:19.

AT OAKLAND.

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—Track fast at Oakland yesterday.

First race, purse, 5 furlongs—Be Happy won, Jererldere 2, Seemseem 3. Time, 1:02½.

Second race, maidens, futurity course—Jingle Jingle won, Engen 2, Glengaber 3. Time, 1:13.

Third race, course 5 furlongs—Junita won, Little Alarm 2, Manzanillo 3. Time, 1:02.

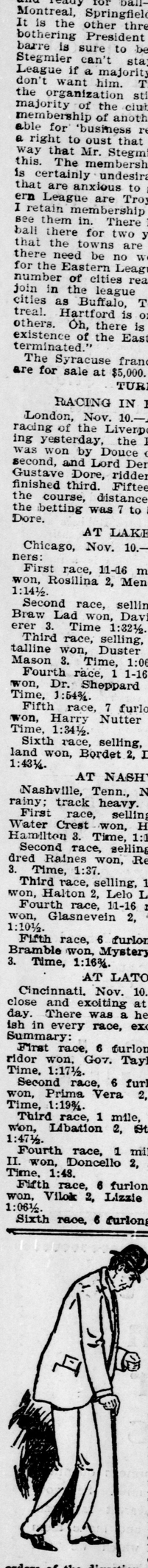
Fourth race, selling, 1 mile—Plan won, Magnus 2, Sam Venado 3. Time, 1:41.

Fifth race, 6 furlongsChihuahua won, Egertland II. 2, Sport McCallister 3. Time, 1:14¾.

AQUATIC

NECK AND NECK.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 10.—Michael Lynch, of Halifax, and Harry Vail, of St. John, rowed their second scull race on Bedford Basin yesterday morning. When their first took place last week, Lynch, the favorite, upset his boat, and Vail rowed home alone. The distance was three miles and turn, stakes $150 a side. It was one of the best races ever rowed here. The men rowed neck and neck until nearly the entire distance had been covered, when Vail forged slowly, but surely, ahead and crossed the line half a length in the lead.



It is a painful sight to see an otherwise robust man limping along on a crutch or cane, a sufferer from rheumatism. Rheumatism is a disease that will never attack a man who keeps his blood pure and rich. There is just one way to do this. That is, to keep the digestion and assimilation perfect and the liver and bowels active.

All cases of rheumatism are promptly cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It creates a keen, hearty appetite, corrects all disorders of the digestion, and all weakness of the stomach. It makes the assimilation perfect, the liver active, the blood pure and rich with the life-giving elements of the food, the nerves strong and steady, and it drives all impurities and abnormal acids from the blood. It allays inflammation and dispels pain. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It does not make corpulent people more corpulent. Unlike cod liver oil, it does not build flabby flesh, but tears down the unhealthy, half-dead tissues that constitute corpulency, carries them away and excretes them, replacing them with the firm tissues of health. Thousands have testified to its merits. Sold at all medicine stores.

"I have been afflicted with rheumatism and kidney trouble," writes Mr. C. B. White, of Grove, Geauga Co., Ohio. "I suffered untold pain. I was afraid I would lose my mind. At times was almost entirely helpless. There had not been a night for three years that I could rest in any position. I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I used three bottles of it and am well of both diseases."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. One "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. Druggists sell them and there's nothing else "just as good."

WESTERN ONTARIO

Suit Against Aldborough Township Dismissed.

Sad Death of Mrs. Connell at St. Thomas—Good Business in the Apple Line at Vienna—Woodstock to Have a New Methodist Church—Messrs. Crossley and Hunter's Success at Clinton.

Hamilton parties are negotiating for the Windsor brewery.

Miss Kilroy, aged 90, died at M. Lyons' residence, Mercer street, Windsor on Tuesday.

Woodstock will probably have a new Methodist Church on the site of the Norwich avenue edifice.

There is a possibility of the Maxwells removing from St. Marys. They are desiring some inducements to remain.

R. F. Sutherland, of Windsor, has been appointed crown prosecutor at the Kent county fall assizes in Chatham.

John Allgeo, of Simcoe, has been appointed bailiff of the First Division court of the couty of Norfolk, vice E. G. Wells, deceased.

The Windsor Young Conservatives Association elected George White as president; Wm. Valentine, secretary, and J. W. Drake, treasurer.

There are good prospects that Rev. A. Stewart, of Stratford, will accept the call extended to him by the Presbyterian congregations of Culloden and Verschoyle.

The Walkerville council has rescinded the resolution passed some time ago in favor of the People's Telephone Company. They appointed a committee to confer with the Bell Company and see what terms can be made.

Mr. Bartholomew, the editor of the Norwich Gazette, has undergone a successful operation in the Toronto hospital, and is on the way to recovery. His editorial work has been done for several weeks by Rev. J. Millar.

The sawmills of N. S. Lusty & Sons, Rodney, are being overhauled, new machinery put in, and a large force of hands are working day and night to finish the work in order that the mills may be put in operation at once.

Mr. J. N. VanAmburgh, of Port Burwell, who fell from an apple tree, succumbed to his injuries Tuesday night, aged 78. A. J. Hollywood passed away on Friday afternoon, aged 75. The funeral took place on Sunday morning.

Mr. C. Pratt, of Vienna, is just winding up his apple business for the season. Some 30,000 barrels were handled. George Pratt is home again after inspecting the packing of some 1,500 barrels of apples in the vicinity of Dunnville.

Mrs. Eliza M. Brown, wife of Cornelius Brown, fourth concession of Yarmouth, died on Tuesday night from heart disease, in the 69th year of her age. The deceased was born and lived all her life on the farm on which she died. She leaves, besides her husband, one daughter.

The Emerson Stock Company played "The Comforts of Home" at Anderson's hall, Tilbury, on Tuesday night, under the patronage of the village fire company, to a three-fourths house, notwithstanding the very disagreeable weather. The play is interspersed with comedy, and this part was well put forth by Mr. Ernest Willis, while Mr. Emerson performed a good part, and the others claim due credit in their roles.

A sad death occurred at St. Thomas yesterday, when Mrs. Thomas Connell passed away. The deceased was confined, gave birth to triplets, but an hour and a half afterwards she died. The children were girls, and the three weighed seven or eight pounds each. One of the babes died shortly after being born. The deceased gave birth to twins on two different occasions. Besides her husband, she leaves eight children, several others having died. Mrs. Connell was about 36 years of age. Her husband is employed at the M. C. R. coal dock.

The union revival meetings conducted in Clinton by Rev. Messrs. Crossley and Hunter for the past four weeks came to a successful close on Tuesday night, by a double-header in the two Methodist churches. Great crowds have flocked to these services every night, and sometimes many were turned away. During these meetings over 300 persons have expressed a desire to live a Christian life. The whole town and surrounding country have been aroused and blessed through these meetings. On Wednesday morning a crowd assembled at the station to bid the evangelists good-bye.

At the Elgin non-jury assizes Justice Ferguson dismissed the case of Gibson vs. Aldborough with costs, but providing no appeal is made without costs. Church vs. Church was an action to make defendant give the plaintiff a deed of a 50-acre farm in Dunwich, subject to a mortgage of $1,400, to put up a house worth $300, and to convert a shed into a barn, and for the return of a quantity of wheat defendant had sold. Judgment was reserved. The case of Styles vs. Hendershott was settled out of court. The action of Pierce vs. Pierce was undefended, and judgment was given for plaintiff. It was an action to set aside a deed.

It is computed that about 200,000 pedestrians and 20,000 vehicles cross London bridge every day. The most surprising fact, however, is that the incessant traffic across the bridge reduces to powder about 25 cubic feet of granite every year.



Thrifty people look for low cost and high value when buying soap. Surprise Soap is good hard, solid pure soap: that makes its value. The price is low, 5 cents a cake. SURPRISE is the name of the soap.

SALISBURY'S STATEMENT

At the Lord-Mayor's Annual Banquet.

"Very Dangerous and Threatened Storm" Averted,

But Britain Will Not Be Found Unprepared.

No Necessity at Present for a British Protectorate Over Egypt.

The Present Is an Epoch of Unhappy Omens—The Decadence of Nations—Britain Will Hold Her Own—Press Comment on the Premier's Speech.

London, Nov. 10.—The annual banquet of the Lord Mayor of London took place at the Guildhall last evening. There were about 850 guests present, including members of the diplomatic corps, cabinet ministers and other distinguished people and their wives. After the formal reception in the library there was the usual procession to the great hall, which served as the banqueting place.

After the usual loyal toasts, "the Navy and Army" were toasted, Admiral Sir William Kennedy and Gen. Lord Wolseley responding for their respective forces, which were described as being in a perfect state of preparedness to meet any power disputing Great Britain's just claims.

The Marquis of Salisbury, on rising to respond to the toast of "Her Majesty's Ministers," was greeted with prolonged cheers.

The premier began by saying that a succession of events abroad had occasioned grave anxiety to the ministry for a year past. He alluded to the murder of the Empress of Austria, for the double purpose of expressing the universal regret experienced at the crime, and announcing that Great Britain had accepted an invitation to take part in a conference, to determine upon the measures which it is possible to take in order to blot out anarchy. At the same time he was bound to say that he had no hope that legislation would abate "this horrible, monstrous affliction of humanity."

CRETE.

After referring in a laudatory manner to the British campaigns in India and the Soudan, he turned to the Cretan question and the actions of the concerted powers. He said he thought the proceedings of the concert were not always admired. At the same time he pointed out that patience, combined with moral strength of Europe, has at last succeeded in fulfilling the promise given to the Cretans of giving them autonomy under the suzerainty of the sultan. Continuing, the premier remarked: "The solution of this most difficult problem has witnessed displays of splendid and unexpected qualities and diplomacy upon the part of the admirals, who have successfully accomplished what the cabinets of Europe had been able to do. I have sometimes thought that if the cabinets were all dismissed and admirals were installed in their places, Europe would get on better."

THE CRISIS IN FRANCE.

Turning to the crisis with France, the premier remarked: "We have had quite recently to consider whether the question of a European war was not very near. But with great interest and consideration the result has turned out happily, through the great judgment and common sense displayed by France under circumstances of unusual difficulty, which I think have relieved Europe of

A VERY DANGEROUS AND THREATENED STORM.

While matters were in suspense the government was necessarily forced to take precautions that it should not have been taken unawares. These precautions were most prompt and effective, but the immediate necessity for them has passed off. There has been some surprise on both sides of the channel at the fact that the preparations have not suddenly ceased, but it is impossible to stop them at a moment's notice."

THE MATTER OF A PROTECTORATE.

After referring to the various rumors of intended action arising out of these preparations, including the seizure of Syria and Crete and the declaration of a protectorate over Egypt, the latter allusion being greeted with immense cheering, Lord Salisbury continued: "I am sorry to say I cannot rise to the height of the aspirations indicated by the cheering of the audience. I do not venture to prophesy, if we are forced by others into a position which we do not now occupy, what may occur, but we are well satisfied with the existing state of things, and we do not think any cause has arisen to occasion effort on our part at present to modify it. The position causes occasional friction; but taking the situation as a whole, and regarding the feelings of other people as well as our own, we can well be satisfied with the present state of affairs. I must not be understood as meaning that Great Britain's position in Egypt is the same now as before the fall of Omdurman, but we earnestly hope that circumstances will make it necessary to materially modify that position, as we are convinced that the world would not get on then so peacefully as now."

THE WAR PREPARATIONS.

Referring again to the war preparations, and asking his hearers to look at the state of the world, he observed: "The czar has invited a congress to provide for the disarmament of the world; but while we offer our heartiest tributes to his motives and are willing to assist and sympathize in every way until the happy day when his aspirations are crowned with success, we must still provide precautions needful to counteract the dangers surrounding us.

UNHAPPY OMENS.

"In some respects this era, this great epoch in the history of man, is marked by unhappy omens. It is the first year in which the mighty force of the American Republic has been introduced among nations whose dominions are expanding and whose instruments to a certain extent are war. I am not implying the slightest blame. Far from it. I am not refusing sympathy to the American Republic in the difficulties through which it has passed; but no one can deny that its appearance as a factor among affairs Asiatic, at all events, and probably in European diplomacy, is a great and serious event, which may not conduce to the interests of peace, though I think in any event it is likely to conduce to the interests of Great Britain." (Cheers.)

DECADENT NATIONS.

"But what has been impressed upon us is that the subject matter of war is terribly prevalent on all sides. We see nations decaying whose governments are so bad that it can neither maintain the power of self-defense nor retain the affection of its subjects; and when this occurs there are always neighbors impelled by some motive—it may be the highest philanthropy or it may be the natural desire of empire—to contest as to which shall be heir to the falling nations; and that is the cause of war."

Lord Salisbury then alluded to the rapidity and the unexpectedness with which war breaks out, and said: "If Great Britain should ever permit her sea defenses to weaken, her whole empire would come clattering to the ground. It is therefore impossible in the present state and temper of the word to intermit our naval and military precautions."

He concluded by repudiating "all suggestions that our preparations mean that the country is animated by the lust of conquest or a love of war," declaring that Great Britain was only "resolved to maintain the empires Britons had received from their forefathers, and to support the peace which is the glory and sustenance of our empire."

A great ovation from all the assembly marked the conclusion of the premier's speech.

THE PREVALENT FEELING.

The Duke of Devonshire, lord president of the council of ministers, who was the principal guest at the banquet, said, in the course of his speech in reply to the toast of "Her Majesty's ministers": "There is no reason to cease from the work of strengthening our naval work and general defenses since Fashoda is only an incident in a much larger plan." This expresses the prevalent feeling throughout England, and there can be no doubt but that Lord Salisbury's speech, pacific as it appears, will not be received with much enthusiasm by the public.

Judging from the comments from morning papers, more attention is likely to be paid to his grave warning of the necessity of upholding the empire by making sacrifices to provide a strong navy than to his pacific assurances. Even the most friendly journals explain his reticence as due to the restraint imposed by the responsibilities of office.

PRESS COMMENT.

The Journal frankly calls him "a muddler, who is afraid to take the public into his confidence," and protests against his maladroit suggestion that the entrance of the United States into old world politics will make for war.

The Standard says: "There is a deliberate vagueness in Lord Salisbury's language, a tendency to hint rather than indicate palable truths, which is not reassuring."

The Daily News also disagrees with his remarks about America, and says: "Nothing that fails to conduce to peace can conduce to Great Britain's interests. Probably, however, Lord Salisbury only meant that Great Britain and the United States are not likely to be found on opposite sides, and there we cordially agree with him." The Daily News then proceeds to ask whether the Philippines are the storm center which the premier foresees, and says: "The omens are certainly not favorable. The peace conference is a deadlock. Emperor William is hastening back, not to Berlin, but to Spain. If Lord Salisbury meant anything by his remarks regarding America, they point to a somewhat serious situation. If he meant nothing, he was very ill-advised to indulge at so sensitive a time and in such a public manner in a fit of diplomatic blues."

The Times calls Lord Salisbury's speech "weighty." It says: "His reference to decaying states as likely to invite war, will not be misunderstood in this country; but the recent proofs of recent strength may induce Germany to seek an understanding, if not an alliance with England."

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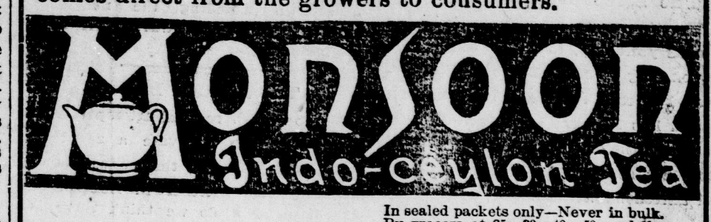
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A little give-and-take, at this stage, ought to set the wheels once more whirling round.

Home Made Literature.

The Canadian Magazine professes to think that people in this country read too many American magazines in comparison with kindred British and Canadian publications. Our contemporary, in this connection, also complains of the lack of encouragement to the development of Canadian literature. We do not think either view is sound. American periodicals are largely read here, not because they are American, but because they suit the public taste, which is a law unto itself. When Canada or Great Britain produces magazines as varied, as cheap, and as generally attractive as the American article, they will get a proportionate share of public favor. American magazines, as a rule, are first-class literature. Many of them circulate largely in Great Britain, and British approval is high recommendation here. The infusion of good literature, no matter whence it comes, cannot be regarded as prejudical to the development of Canadian literature. We cannot be too broad in this respect. Literature cannot be treated like a material product. No doubt, if a prohibitory tariff were imposed on books and Canadians compelled to read only Canadian works, it would stimulate the production of home-made literature of a mighty poor kind. It is not advisable to urge even a sentimental preference for the home product. There is a good deal of nonsense talked about "Canadian" literature. Strictly speaking, there is no such thing. Canadian literature is English literature, and English literature must conform to the same standard, whether produced in Canada or Timbuctoo. For the same reason there is no such thing as American literature—it is English. Who can be called a distinctively American writer of note? It has been well said that Longfellow's "Hiawatha," which is purely American in theme, could have been written in a London drawing-room by an author who had never seen an Indian, but had plied himself with an Indian glossary and a few frontier tales. If Canada is to have a great literature, her writers must appeal to the world-wide English reading constituency. This is just what they are doing, and the fact that so many of them are winning fame abroad is the best proof that conditions in Canada are favorable to literary development. Neither is it true that we Canadian people do not encourage our writers. Our average culture is surely as great as that of our American cousins, but it is our misfortune, not our fault, that we are not numerous enough to afford our writers as great a field as they find in the United States or Great Britain, and they naturally drift abroad in pursuit of their financial interests. Some day Canada will be large enough to keep most of them at home. Even in the United States there is general complaint about the exodus of the brightest literary men to England.

If the Canadian Magazine—a publication which is a credit to the country—can suggest any method really helpful to Canadian literature, or properly speaking English literature in Canada, we should be glad to hear it. The only plan we can think of is to let it alone; it is doing very well now. We have the recent testimony of W. D. Howells that Canadian poets are overshadowing their American rivals. Another word as to magazines. If we buy chiefly American magazines, is it not a fact that American magazines are the chief buyers of Canadian talent? It is a reciprocity that should not be interfered with.

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Great Britain continues to conceal her hand, even though the heathen rage and the people imagine vain things.

William T. Stead's latest feat is interviewing the Czar on his disarmament policy. The result shows that Nicholas has at least disarmed Mr. Stead.

In bitterness of spirit, it is proposed to strike the words, "God protects France," from the French coins. The French may say that the Deity has not protected France, but it may be asked in return, What has France, as a nation, done for the Deity?

While the Kaiser is abroad posing as the greatest Christian on earth, the Prussian Government is cruelly expelling Danes from Schleswig. The exiles might be invited to Canada. We have a Danish colony in London, and its members are model citizens.

President McKinley has been compelled to provide himself with an effective body guard to protect him against the intolerable attentions of bores, beggars and cranks of all sorts. In this democratic country, the first commoner comes and goes without attendance of any sort.

"Black Rock," a tale of the Selkirks, by Ralph Connor, published as a serial in the Westminster Magazine, created a very favorable impression, and the Westminster's readers will be pleased to know that it has been reproduced in handsome book form. Mr. Connor is a writer of unusual power, and has written a charming story. The book, which contains 327 pages, may be procured from the Westminster Company, Confederation Life building, Toronto. The cost is $1, prepaid to any address.

The United States war against Spain cost our neighbors, up to the end of October, $165,000,000, of which $40,000,000 was spent on the navy and $125,000,000 on the army. This is a large sum, but it is very far from being the total expenditure of the United States for the regeneration of Cuba and the Philippine Islands. Our cousins can, however, easily afford it. The regrettable feature is that a very considerable amount of this money is asserted, on what appears to be reliable testimony, to have been stolen.

The Free Press suggests that if Ald. Graham's municipal reform measure does not pass the council, the reduction of the wards to four should be aimed at. Such a proposal has been twice voted down at the polls in the past eight years, and it would be voted down again. The ratepayers of East and South London will not consent to merge their wards in the larger wards, though we believe the majority would cheerfully support the election of aldermen by the general vote. The four-ward plan would be an attempt at piecemeal reform, not worth the effort.

The United States added to its population last year by immigration to the extent of 229,299 persons. Of these 33 per cent are from Northwestern Europe—Britain, Germany, France and Scandinavia, against 38 per cent from the same countries in the previous year. From Italy, Austria, Hungary, Poland, and Russia, the immigration increased from 52 per cent to 57 per cent—a change which is not regarded by some as very favorable. Despite the rigid test imposed on newcomers, the illiteracy continues high, 23 per cent of those arriving last year being in that condition.

The editor of the London Tablet, who has been on a visit to Canada, sends an interesting account of what he has observed while at the Experimental Farms. At the Ottawa establishment, what most attracted his attention was the experiment to establish the best material from which to form a hedge that may take the place of the present unsightly fences in many parts of the country. Though there were over thirty varieties of hedges growing, no one of them had the necessary thorns to make them a complete hedge that would keep in cattle without the addition of wire of some sort. Is it a fact that we have no effective "prickly" hedge in the Dominion?

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Is Anybody Curious?
(Detroit Tribune.)

If anybody really cares to know how far Great Britain would go to retain her hold on Egypt, it would be a simple, though perhaps not an easy matter to find out.

A Terrible Thought.
(Ottawa Citizen.)

To anyone of ordinary perspicacity the reason of the active military and naval preparations in Great Britain is perfectly plain: John Bull is preparing to disarm, but he wants to use up his ammunition first.

Where Whitney Is Handicapped.
(Toronto Telegram.)

Conservatives might frankly recognize the fact that the record of Liberalism in Ontario is not vile, as records go, and that the Opposition is handicapped by a public belief that the Grits on the whole have not done badly.

What's in a Name?
[Hamilton Herald.]

The London Advertiser rejoices in that one of London's citizens, a gentleman of the name of Dearness, has discovered a new scale insect, a first cousin to the San Jose scale, and that the new insect has been named after its discoverer, Aspidiotus Dearnessii. But London should share the honor of the great discovery. Let the insect be known as the "London Pest."

London Viewed From Afar.
[La Patrie, Montreal.]

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Growing in Knowledge.
(New York Outlook.)

For a good many years reciprocity treaties with Central and South America have been an object of statesmanship with us; but their exaggerated importance may be judged from the fact that Canada, with its 5,500,000, buys from us yearly as much as Central and South America put together. Canada ranks third among foreign countries as a buyer of our products, and the average purchasing power of a Canadian exceeds that of ten Latin Americans.

Foster Vs. Tupper.
(Ottawa Free Press.)

The remark attributed to Mr. Foster at the banquet to Lord Aberdeen, that "Britain's greatness had only begun," is favorably commented on. But it is equally interesting, as it seems to indicate that Mr. Foster does not agree with his colleague, Sir Charles Tupper, whose "driven from the markets of the civilized world they (the British) spend millions to force their wares, goods and merchandise on the uncivilized markets" is no doubt generally remembered. "I never heard the fair name of the great nation so slandered and insulted," said Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

A Libel.

Leigh Hunt declares that "An air played on the bagpipes with that detestable monstrous drone of theirs for the bass, is like a tune tied to a post."

At a College Examination.

"What is the best insulator?" ask the professor of physics. "Poverty."

"Jest Make Yer Gruel Thinner!"

In these 'ere times it takes a lot to
satisfy a fellow—
Philoserphy to harden him, some
poetry to mellow.
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cannot be contented,
Ef living in his own good house or
jest in one's that's rented,
The blues will come as unbeknown as
persons out a-bikin',
An' as ter ease and socialness, they
seem, well, gone a-strikin',
An' so it's well to call to mind what
Franklin said at dinner
When pressed for higher board one
day—"Jest make yer gruel thinner!"
It show'd a streak that's well to have
—the streak, determination,
To hump along the best yer can,
though facing of starvation.
Ef honesty requires less grub, why,
make the grub bill shorter;
Ef coarse clothes keep yer credit up,
then wear 'em, as yer orter,
Fer bigger folks than us have done
some close econermisin',
An' prove it did not keep them down
who had a will fer risin',
So now an' then let's call to mind what
Franklin said at dinner,
In answer to his hostess' greed—"Jest
make yer gruel thinner!"

WILL J. HALE.

Overwhelmed.

"Sir, I have six daughters. Which one do you want?"

"Sir, you overwhelm me. Which one would you suggest?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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At $1.00—Large family or driving umbrellas, 12 and 16 ribs, good alpaca cover, natural wood rod and crook handles, at..... **$1.00**

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The results are curious. Ordinary hairpins were the first (taking 154 days on an average) to oxidize into a brownish rust—ferrous oxide—which was scattered by the wind as it was found, and not a trace of a single one could be detected at the end of seven months. Common bright pins took as long as 18 months before their combustion was complete, but brass ones had been entirely turned into green verdrigis long before that.

At the end of 15 months an ordinary penholder had had its nib entirely rusted away, but the wooden stick was still almost unaltered. It is probable that the paint on it had somewhat of a preservative effect. Some used wax vestas were almost gone, with the exception of the cotton wick, in less than 80 days from the time they were deposited, but the sulphur heads of some unlit ones were as perfect as ever.

Polished steel needles of a small size lasted a very long time (over two years and a half); but a black lead pencil proved itself to be practically indestructible, both cedar and plumbago being almost as good as when new, even though harder things had quite rotted.

Paul Brown, murderer of William Bourton, was sentenced by Judge Dubuc at Winnipeg to be hanged on Dec. 23rd.

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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—Following are today's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial Exchange:

	Asked.	Bid.
Olive	88	87
Sup. Gold and Copper	..	7
Hammond Reef	20	..
Cariboo	114	108½
Minnehaha	22	17½
Cariboo Hydraulic	115	107
Old Ironsides	..	55
Smuggler	19	17½
Winchester	12	..
Golden Cache	9	7
Dundee	50	35
Athabasca	45	38
Dardanelles	..	5
Fern Gold M. & M. Co	55	49
Noble Five	18½	16
Two Friends	15	..
Van Anda	4	3½
Alf	11	..
Alberta	6	..
Big Three	13½	13
Commander	14	13
Deer Park	18	16¼
Evening Star	5¼	4¼
Homestake	10	6
Good Hope	3	..
Grand Prize	4½	..
Iron Colt	10	8
Iron Mask	75	66
Keystone	10	9
Juliet	13	..
Jumbo	50	..
Montreal Gold Fields	22	..
Monte Cristo Con	9	8½
R. E. Lee	5	..
Northern Belle	3½	..
Novelty	5	4
St. Paul	7	..
Silver Bell Con	6	5
St. Elmo	5½	3
Virginia	40	35
Victory-Triumph	8	5
War Eagle Con	300	296
White Bear	7½	6½
Can. G. F. S.	7½	..
B. C. Gold Fields	5¾	5¾
E. M. Syndicate	5	..
Gold Hills	10	..

SALES—Big Three, 1,000, 375 at 13; B. C. Gold Fields, 500,500 at 5½, 4,000, 1,000 at 5; Van Anda, 4,000 at 3¾. Novelty, 500 at 4½; Smuggler, 500, 400 at 18½; White Bear, 1,000 at 7; Monte Cristo, 500 at 9¼, 50, 2,000 at 9½. Iron Colt, 5,000 at 8¼; Minnehah, 2,000 at 19½, 3,000, 500 at 20; Sup. G. and C.Co., 500, 200 at 6¾; Smuggler, 1,000, 1,000 at 19, 1,000 at 19½, 3,600 at 20.

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Local Market.

London, Thursday, Nov. 10.

Whe, white fall, per bu ..72c to 72½c
Whe, red fall, per bu.....72c to 72½c
Oat per bu .....30½c to 30½c
Pea per bu.....54c to 60c
Cor per bu.....44c to 45c
Bay, per bu.....36c to 44c

There was almost no trade done on the market today on account of the stdy rain. One load of oats sold at 9 The following prices are based on esday's session, the last one of any portance:

GRAIN			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs	1 20	@	1 22
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 20	@	1 20
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	00	@	00
Oats, per 100 lbs	90	@	90
Peas, per 100 lbs	90	@	1 00
Corn, per 100 lbs	80	@	80
Barley, per 100 lbs	75	@	92
Rye, per 100 lbs	80	@	85
Beans, per bu	..	@	..
PROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb	9	@	12
Honey, extracted	7	@	10
Cheese, per lb, wholesale	8	@	10
Eggs, single dozen	18	@	20
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	17	@	18
Eggs, per dozen, basket, p'kd.	12	@	14
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	14	@	15
Butter, per lb, retail	18	@	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	16	@	18
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	16	@	17
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	@	14
Lard, per lb	9	@	10
Chickens, per pair	35	@	75
Ducks, per pair	50	@	75
Turkeys, per lb	7	@	10
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Pumpkins, per doz	50	@	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	60	@	70
Apples, per bag	25	@	50
Apples, per basket	5	@	20
Apples, per barrel	75	@	1 50
Beets, per dozen bunches	20	@	30
Onions, per bu	60	@	90
Celery, per doz bunches	30	@	50
Grapes, per lb	2	@	3
Grapes, basket	20	@	30
Squashes, per doz	30	@	1 50
Turnips, per bag	25	@	30
Quinces, per basket	25	@	40
Chestnuts, per bu	2 00	@	2 75
Carrots, per bu	12½	@	25
Parsnips, per doz. bunches	40	@	40
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair	2 00	@	3 50
Cows, each	20 00	@	40 00
Beef, per lb	2¼	@	4
Hogs, per 100 lbs	3 90	@	3 90
Hogs heavy, per 100 lbs	3 25	@	3 50
Sows, per 100	3 25	@	3 25
Ducks, per pair	50	@	65
Chickens, per pair	45	@	60
Hens, per pair	40	@	50
HAY AND SEEDS.			
Hay, per ton	6 00	@	7 00
Straw, per load	2 50	@	2 50
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	4½	@	5
Mutton, quarters, per lb	5	@	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	5½	@	6
Lamb, quarter	7	@	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light	5 25	@	5 50
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy	4 50	@	4 75
Hides, No. 1, per lb	7½	@	7½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	6½	@	6½
Hides, No. 3, per lb	5½	@	5½
Calfskins, green	..	@	..
Wool, washed, per lb	15	@	17
Wool, unwashed per lb	9	@	11
Lambskins	55	@	60
Pelts	..	@	..
Sheepskins, green	55	@	60
Tallow, rendered, lb	3	@	3½
Tallow, rough, lb	2	@	2

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 10.—Oil opened $1 18.
PITTSBURG, Nov. 9.—Oil closed at $1 18.
PETROLIA, Nov. 10.—Oil opened and closed at $1 40.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Nov. 9.—Wheat, per bu, 67c to 68c; oats, 23c to 25c; peas, 40c to 45c; barley, 38c to 40c; corn, 30c to 35c; beans, 60c to 80c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Nov., 65½c to 65¾c; Dec., 65¾c; May, 68¾c to 69¾c. Corn—Nov. 31¼c; Dec., 32c to 32½c; May, 33⅞c. Oats—Dec., 24c; May, 24⅝c to 24¾c. Mess pork—Dec., $7 82½; Jan., $8 90. Lard—Dec., $4 87½; Jan., $4 92½. Ribs—Dec., $4 55; Jan., $4 60. Cash quotations: Flour dull and easy. No. 2 spring wheat, 61c to 64¾; No. 3 spring wheat, f. o. b., 67½c to 67¾c. No. 2 corn, 32¾c; No. 2 yellow corn, 32¼c to 32½c. No. 2 oats, 24½c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 25¼c to 27½c. No. 2 rye, 51½c. No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 35c to 40c. No. 1 flaxseed, 97c. Prime timothy seed, $2 25 to $2 30. Mess pork, $7 80 to $7 85. Lard, $4 92½ to $5. Short ribs, $4 90 to $5 15. Shoulders, 4¾c to 4⅝c. Short clear sides, $4 85 to $4 90. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm; fresh, 18c to 18½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 37,000 barrels; wheat, 466,000 bushels; corn, 1,065,000 bushels; oats, 799,000 bushels; rye, 69,000 bushels; barley, 388,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 35,000 barrels; wheat, 256,000 bushels; corn, 1,308,000 bushels; oats, 430,000 bushels; rye, 147,000 bushels; barley, 27,000 bushels.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 65⅜c; May, 66½c. Corn, May, 33¾c to 33⅞c; Dec., 32c. Oats, May, 24½c. Pork, Jan., $8 90; Dec., $7 82½. Lard, Jan., $4 92; Dec., offered, $4 87. Ribs, Jan., $4 70.

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English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days—The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given.

	Nov. 5.	Nov. 7.	Nov. 8.	Nov. 9.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No 1 Nor. Spring	6 3	6 3	6 3	6 3½
No. 1 Cal.	0 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
Oct.	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Dec.	6 0¾	6 0⅝	6 1½	6 1½
March	5 10½	5 10½	5 11½	5 11½
CORN—				
New	3 11¼	3 10¾	3 10⅝	3 11
Oct.	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Nov	3 9⅛	3 9⅜	3 10¾	3 10½
Dec.	3 8½	3 9	3 9¾	3 9⅜
March	3 6¾	3 7¼	3 7¼	3 4⅝
Flour	20 0	20 0	19 6	19 6
Peas	6 0	6 0	5 4½	5 11
Pork	50 0	50 0	50 0	50 0
Lard	27 3	27 3	27 3	27 3
Tallow	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0
Bacon, light	30 6	30	29 6	29 6
Cheese, white	42 0	42 0	42 0	42 0
Cheese, colored	44 0	44 0	44 0	44 0

Liverpool, Nov. 10—12:30 p.m

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Cal., 6s 11d to 7s; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 3½d; No. 2 red red western winter, no stocks.

Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, 3s 11d; do, old, nominal; Oct., 3s 7¼d; Nov., 3s 7¼d; Dec., 3s 7¼d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 11d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime mess, 42s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 50s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm; 27s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 29s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 31s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 29s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 30s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 37s.

Lard—Prime western, 27s 3d.

Butter—Finest United States, 90s; good, 65s.

Cheese—American, finest white 42s; do, colored (Sept.), 44s.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—27s 3d.

Rosin—Common, 4s 3d.

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AVAILABLE SUPPLY.

New York, Nov. 9.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday, as compared with the preceding Saturday: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 2,056,000 bushels; Liverpool Corn Trade News reports, afloat for and in Europe, increase 1,000,000 bushels; total increase, 3,053,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 1,099,000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 695,000 bushels. Among the more important gains reported is the increase of 919,000 bushels at Ontario and Manitoba storage points.

Dairy Markets.

INGERSOLL, Nov. 8.—Offerings today, 1,275 boxes October make; no sales; 8⅝ highest bid.

BELLEVILLE, Nov. 8.—Cheese board adjourned until first Tuesday in May, 1899; all cheese bought up in this section.

MONTREAL, Nov. 9.—Cheese, 8½c to 9½c. Butter—Townships, 18c to 19c; western, 14c to 15c.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Butter steady; western creamery, 15½c to 23c; do, factory, 11½c to 14½c; Elgins, 23c; imitation creamery, 13c to 17½c; state dairy, 16c to 20c; do, creamery, 15½c to 22¼c. Cheese steady; large white, 8¼c; small white, 9½c to 9¼c; large colored, 8¾c; small colored, 9⅛c to 9¼c; light skims, 6¼c to 7c; part skims, 5¾c to 6¼c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Butter steady; creameries, 14c to 21½c; dairies, 12½c to 19c. Cheese quiet, at 7¾c to 9¼c.

NAPANEE, Ont., Nov. 9.—Seventy-five white and 75 colored boarded; 8¾c bid; no sales.

PICTON, Ont., Nov. 9.—At the cheese board today seven factories boarded 1,075, all colored; highest bid, 8¾c; no sales.

The Apple Market.

Mr. Frank Hamilton, of Montreal, has received the following cable from Thomas Russell, Glasgow: Kings, 20s to 25s; Baldwins, 17s to 20s; Greenings, 15s to 18s.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Cattle—In the absence of sale cattle there was no change in the position of the market. Calves were in light supply, fair demand and higher; choice to extra veal calves, $7 50 to $8; good to choice, $7 to $7 50; heavy fed steer calves, well fed, $4 50 to $5; common to heavy fed, $3 to $4. Sheep and lambs—The total offerings were 21 loads, including three loads left over; the market was rather quiet and only part of the offerings were sold; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at $5 30 to $5 40, the outside figure extreme; good to choice, $5 to $5 25; common to fair, $4 50 to $5; sheep were steady under fair demand; choice to extra, $4 25 to $4 50; good to choice, $4 to $4 25; common to fair, $3 to $3 75; Canada lambs were nominally unchanged, 3 loads arrived too late for the market. Hogs—The total offerings were 58 loads, including 13 loads left over; heavy were quotable at $3 50 to $3 60; medium, $3 50 to $3 55; Yorkers, $3 40 to $3 50; pigs, $3 40 to $3 45; roughs, $3 10 to $3 25; stags, $2 50 to $3; the market was lower by 5c to 10c and very dull, there being a very light demand; on the close the basis of Yorker prices was $3 45, with a few sales at $3 40; there were about 15 loads of hogs left over at the close, which was weak and irregular.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,543; market opened dull; prices fell off 10c to 15c; closed heavy; 15 cars unsold; steers, $4 to $5 30; extras, $5 40; oxen and stags, $3 to $4 75; bulls, $2 50 to $3 10; cows, $1 60 to $3 50. Cables lower; live cattle 10¼c to 11¼c; refrigerator beef, 9½c per lb. Shipments, 610 cattle and 8,000 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,802; veals, 15c to 25c higher; grassers, firm; all sold; veals, $5 to $8 50; grassers, $3 50 to $4; fed calves, $4 to $5; 1 car westerns, $3 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 11,541; sheep slow; good stock steady; prime to choice lambs steady; others very dull and lower; sheep, $3 to $4 50; no choice here; lambs, $5 25 to $5 80; general sales, $5 25 to $5 70. Hogs—Receipts, 10,635; market dull, at $3 70 to $3 85.

MONTREAL, Nov. 7.—In export live stock circles business has been rather quiet during the last few days, but this week promises to be a busy one, as there are fifteen vessels advertised to sail between now and Saturday. Cable advices today from London were again of a more encouraging character, with further advances in prices for both cattle and sheep. On the other hand cables from Liverpool were quite the reverse in tone, and noted a slight decline in values from a week ago. The ocean freight market is quiet. Liverpool rates, 35s to 37s 6d; London, 27s 6d to 30s; Glasgow, 40s.

The receipts of cattle at the East End Abattoir Market this morning were somewhat larger than on last Thursday, and a fairly active trade was done; market steady and prices show no important change. Really choice butchers' stock continue scarce, for which buyers would no doubt pay 4½c willingly. The best cattle offeerd today sold at 4¼c, and the bulk of the sales were made at from 3c to 4c per lb, live weight. There continues to be a steady demand for stockers for shipment to Buffalo, and a number were picked up at 2c for bulls, 2¼c to 2½c for heifers, and 2¾c to 3c for steers.

There were about 300 sheep on the market, for which the demand was only fair, but prices were sustained. A few of the best were taken for shipping purposes at 3c to 3¼c, and butchers paid from 2½c to 3c per lb, live weight. The offerings of lambs were $10 head; demand good; trade active at 2½c to 4¼c lb, live weight. Calves—Only 25 offered; demand fair, at $2 to $10 each, as to size and quality.

At the Grand Trunk Stock Yards, at Point St. Charles, there was a fair supply of live hogs; selected sold at $4 40; heavy fat at $4 25; light weights at $4, and stags at $2 for 100 lbs.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Receipts of cattle were heavy today, and buyers forced prices down, sales being slow at reduced figures; sales were on a basis of $3 90 to $4 25 for very common native beef steers, up to $5 to $5 50 for good to strictly choice spring beeves, with the bulk of cattle good for $4 75 to $5 25; the average quality was only fair; there was a fair stocker and feeder trade at easier prices, and butchers' and canners' cattle were fairly active at the reduced prices; calves sold largely at $4 to $5 25; straight Texans sold largely at $3 40 to $3 70, and cattle from the western ranges sold chiefly at $4 30 to $4 75 for steers. Receipts of hogs were exceptionally heavy; prices 5c to 10c lower; hogs sold at an extreme range of $3 15 to $3 65; prime heavy going at the top, and sales were largely at $3 40 to $3 55; this was the lowest day of the season; pigs sold at $3 15 to $4 40. Offerings of sheep and lambs were large, but a good demand prevented any general break in prices, though considerable lots were weaker; sheep sold all the way from $2 25 to $2 75 for inferior lots, up to $4 25 to $4 50 for good to choice flocks, westerns fetching $3 50 to $4 45, and yearlings, $4 40 to $4 50; lambs were wanted at $4 50 for common, up to $5 40 to $5 65 for the best, range flocks fetching $4 50 to $5 25. Receipts—Cattle, 22,000; hogs, 40,000; sheep, 18,000.

LONDON AND LIVERPOOL.

London, Nov. 7.—There was a much better feeling in the trade, and as supplies were not excessive, prices generally ruled higher. On the whole the market was firmer, and best States cattle sold ½c up, at 11¾c; Canadians, ½c, at 10c, and Argentine 1c, at 10½c. Canadian and Argentine sheep sold at 10½c.

Liverpool, Nov. 7.—The supply of cattle was heavy and prices ruled lower, choice Canadian selling at 9½c. There were no sheep offered. A private cable received from Liverpool quoted Canadian cattle at 9c to 9½c; sheep at 10½c, and lambs at 12c.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Nov. 10.—Miss L. Northcott and Miss H. Bryant, of South London, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. R. Mickleborough is visiting her sister, who is ill.

Mrs. Walter Jordan, of St. Thomas, is visiting her brothers, the Sadler boys.

Wedding bells are expected to ring in the south end of this village next week.

Mrs. D. Lowns' democrat wheel collapsed Saturday on her way home from town.

Mr. Simonds will exhibit limelight views Friday and Saturday nights in the old Sunday school room. Popular prices.

Mrs. Baker, of Littlewood, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gid Van Delinder.

BEFORE THE P. M.

A Santiago Hero in Limbo—An Overcoat Thief Admits His Guilt.

One of the heroes of Santiago is badly in need of $5. He is a member of the Thirteenth New York Volunteer Infantry, and was spending his furlough at his old home in this city. He was in the police court this morning, and pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly. In default of the necessary $5 and costs, he must go down for 20 days. His furlough expires about the 15th inst., and the hero is afraid of court-martial. His name is Robert Blackwell. Blackwell was of old well known to the police here by reason of his bibulous habits.

James Wilson, alias Samuel Spencer, pleaded guilty this morning to a charge of simple stealing, and to one of housebreaking and stealing. From the Central Hotel he stole an overcoat valued at $12, belonging to Allan Studholm, of Toronto. And on Tuesday afternoon he broke into the house of Wm. Angus, 520 Princess avenue, and stole a watch and guard valued at $12, and $1 25 in money. He was remanded on both charges till next Wednesday, when he will be tried for carrying a loaded revolver. Wilson claims Hamilton as his home, but in answer to Magistrate Parke, admitted that he formerly lived in Toronto, where, under the name of Samuel Spencer, he was given six months in the Central for assault. Wilson pawned the stolen articles for $2. The arrest was made by P. C. Green. The prisoner is only 24 years old.

An unusual and exciting scene occurred Tuesday morning in St. Peter's Cathedral, when Mrs. Clara Heammill, an elderly woman, who lives near the gas house, assaulted Mrs. Mary Hayes, of Mill street, bruising her face and blacking her eyes. Mrs. Heammill was in the police court this morning, charged with assault. The case was continued for one week. A friend of Mrs. Heammill's called at the police station and offered to give bail, but the offer was refused. The police believe Mrs. Heammill is insane, and will have her examined for insanity by a physician.

Wm. Davidson, a Rectory street teamster, was up this morning, charged with malicious destruction of property. He is accused of heaving a paving stone through a window of the car barn on the evening of Saturday, Oct. 29. The case was set for trial next Wednesday, when a number of similar cases will be disposed of.

Charles M. Campbell, drunk and disorderly, was discharged.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

The writers on the big city dailies have come out with some good things about Bobby Gaylor in "McSorley's Twins," which he will present at the Grand tonight. Bobby is an excellent comedian, and deserving of all kinds of success.

POWERFUL SOUTHERN PLAY—"AT PINEY RIDGE."

"At Piney Ridge," another of those plays that are destined to lay the foundation for the distinctive American play, will be given at the Grand Opera House for a limited engagement of one night, Saturday, Nov. 12, and matinee. This play has the true flavor, and truthfully depicts the languorous life of the sunny south without any of the cheap stage exaggeration that has ruined many so-called southern plays. The character of Jack Rose, the hero of the drama, is well told, and while Mr. Higgins has properly given himself in this part the lion's share of the interest and opportunities he has not submerged the other characters, but has so distributed the material that every personage in the drama has at some time an excellent chance to produce effects.

"THE GEISHA" FRIDAY NIGHT.

The greatest of all comic operas, "The Geisha," and "The Mikado," are a pair to draw to when one wants solid enjoyment, melody, light and airy, highly colored scenes with geisha girls and mousmees and other delightful accessories of the real and the stage Japan. "The Geisha" forces comparison with "The Mikado," primarily because the latter is the best known, and was such a favorite all over the country. Light and airy in its music and dialogue, "The Geisha" has not the kind of tunes that stick in obscure corners of the memory and force one to hum them at odd moments and moments that are not odd. But, after all, "The Geisha" is a delightful addition to the ranks of the light opera successes. The lyrics of the opera are in the care of good singers, and an enjoyable evening's entertainment is an assured fact.

A PERSISTENT SWEETHEART

A Romance Begun in Germany Has Its Ending in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—A romance, which had its origin in the fancies of a 14-year-old girl in Druisburg, Germany, has been brought to a happy ending by the marriage of Ethel Schwann, of this city, to Cecil Redlinger, of Rockport, Ill.

Six years ago the young people lived in the town of Druisburg. He was years older than she, and scarcely noticed her, but she adored him. When he left his home in Germany to come to America he was in ignorance of her devotion. She followed him to America five years later, and since her arrival has been living with her sister in Chicago.

During all these years she had heard nothing of Redlinger beyond the mere information that he had settled in Illinois, and was engaged in farming.

Her early affection was still alive, and after her arrival in America she began a search for the companion of her childhood. He was eight years her senior, and the promise of "undying love" had not been spoken.

Miss Schwann's knowledge of the American States was very meager when she left home, and she found her search beset with great difficulties. For six months all her inquiries were made in vain. She could learn of no Carl Redlinger, a farmer, who had ever lived at Druisburg.

Then she hit upon a rather extraordinary scheme, through which she pursued her quest. She wrote a letter, addressed it to Carl Redlinger, Elgin. On the outside of the envelope she wrote:

Please return if not called for in ten days."

Then she wrote another letter and addressed it to Carl Redlinger, Bloomington, with the same instruction on the envelope. Every day she wrote one or more of these letters, all addressed to Carl Redlinger, and each directed to a different town. She sent those letters to almost every town in Illinois, where there is a postal station. All but eight or ten were returned to her. But while the uncalled for letters were pouring back the longed-for result finally came.

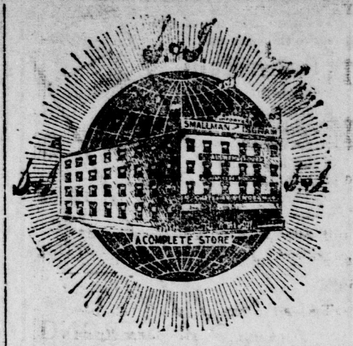
One of the random shots sent out over the state had reached the mark for which it was intended, and the young woman's quest was ended. Carl Redlinger, the one Ethel had learned to admire years ago in Germany, had for five years lived on a farm near Rockport, Pike county. Ethel directed one of her circulars to this place, copying the name from the atlas, and one day last July Redlinger received it. Redlinger wrote to her, and followed his letter with a visit. The wedding that took place at the Schwann residence tells the rest of the story, and the young people left today for their farm at Rockport.

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Millerane Cashmere, 44-inch, at 85c and	75c	Black Blenheim Cloth, 48-inch, warranted not to spot or shrink, for suiting, going at	95c
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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Nov. 10.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	83¾	83¾
Duluth, common	3	2
Duluth, preferred	8	5
Commercial Cable	185	183½
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds		103
Commercial Registered Bonds		103
Montreal Telegraph	180	175
Richelieu and Ontario	96	95¾
Montreal Street Railway	280	279
Montreal St. Railway, new	275	274
Toronto Railway	101¾	104⅝
Montreal Gas Company	194	193¾
Bell Telephone	175	173¾
Royal Electric	161	159
Bank of Montreal	250	246
Ontario Bank	116	111
Molsons Bank	205	202
Bank of Toronto	249	240
Merchants' Bank	184½	181½
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	200	185
Quebec Bank		125
Union Bank		105
Bank of Commerce	150	148½
Northwest Land, pref	55	52½
Montreal Cotton Co	151	148½
Canada Colored Cotton		61
Dominion Cotton	103	102⅝

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, Nov. 10.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2:30.
Atcheson Pfd	37¼	37⅝	39⅛	37⅛	39⅝
C., B. & Q.	116½	117	118	117	117⅞
C. & N. W.	134⅞	134¾	136	134¾	136
Bay State Gas	4⅛	4	4	4	4
Chicago Gas	104	104½	105⅜	104½	105
Gen. Electric	81	81½	81½	81½	81½
L. & N.	59⅛	59⅜	59¾	59⅜	59⅝
Man.	92⅞	93¼	94⅜	93⅛	93¾
Mo. P.	33¼	33⅜	34⅛	33¾	34⅛
Omaha					
P. M.	34	34	34⅞	33⅞	34⅞
R. I.	104½	104⅝	106⅞	104⅝	106⅜
Reading	16⅛	16⅛	16½	16⅛	16½
N. Y. Central		116⅜	117⅛	116⅜	117
St. P.	111½	112	112⅞	111¾	112⅝
T. C. I.	30½	30⅞	31⅜	30¾	31¼
Wabash	20¼	20⅝	21¼	20⅝	21¼
W. U.	92¾	93	93	92¾	93
Brooklyn Transit	66⅝	67⅛	67¾	66⅝	67¼
U. Pacific	65½	66	67¼	66	67⅛
Leather Trust	66⅜	66¾	68	66¾	67⅞
Lead	34⅛	34	34	34⅜	34½
Sugar	112⅞	113⅞	115¾	112⅝	115½
Tobacco	139⅞	140⅞	141	139	140¾
Southern Ry. Pfd	35⅞	36⅛	37	36½	37
Jersey Central					
K. & T., Pfd	33	33¼	33⅝	33½	33⅝
N. P., Pfd	76½	76⅞	76⅝	76½	76⅝

English Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 10—Closing.

Wheat—Spot No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 6s 3d; No. 2 red western winter, dull, 6s 10d; No. 1 Cal. 7s 10½d to 7s 11¼d; No. 1 cash, firm, 8s 2¾d.

Corn—Spot steady, American mixed, 3s 10¼d; No. 2, quiet, 3s 9¾d; futures, steady; Nov., 3s 10¼d; Dec., steady, 3s 9¼d; March, 3s 7¾d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 8s.

Peas—Canadian, 6s.

Pork—Firm, prime mess, fine western, 50s; do, medium, western, firm, 47s 6d.

Beef—Prime mess, firm, 65s 9d; extra India mess, firm, 68s 9d; do, medium, western, steady, 47s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, steady, 14 to 16 lbs., 33s 8d.

Bacon—Steady, Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., dull, 33s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, steady, 32s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 31s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 30s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs., no stocks; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, easy, 34s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 31s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, 23s.

Lard—Prime western, dull, 27s.

Butter—Finest American, 94s; good, 68s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 3d.

Cheese—American finest white, Sept., firm, 42s; colored, Sept., firm, 44s.

Tallow—Prime city, firm, 20s.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady, 15s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 27s 3d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, £5 5s to £6 1s.

Petroleum—Refined, 5 5-16d.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,378.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Dec.	65⅛	65⅞	64¾	64¾
May	66¼	66⅞	65½	65⅝
Corn—Dec.	32	32⅛	31¾	31⅞
May	33¼	33¼	33½	33½
Oats—Dec.	23¾	23¾	23½	23½
May	24¼	24¾	24½	24⅝
Pork—Dec.	7 82	7 85	7 72	7 85
Jan.	8 87	8 90	8 82	8 90
Lard—Dec.	4 87	4 87	4 85	4 85
Jan.	4 90	4 92	4 87	4 92
Ribs—Jan.	4 57	4 57	4 52	4 57

Puts, 64¾. Calls, 65¾.

THE STOMACH AS A FACTOR IN EVOLUTION.

The stomach, or the use we have made of it, according to Mary Henry Rossiter, has been a powerful agent in shaping the course of human progress. In general, so far as this factor is concerned, there has been not progression but regression, for we have brought countless ills on ourselves by eating what does not agree with us. Says the writer (Good Health, October):

"It is now beginning to be discovered that for centuries people have not eaten the right foods to make the best bodies. They have been ignorant of the physiological laws of nutrition, or the proper combinations and proportions of essential elements, of the vital importance attaching to such knowledge. They have cultivated artificial and abnormal tastes, sought momentary gratification in eating, and gradually demoralized their natural instincts. The influence of heredity, good or bad, is cumulative, and tends to increase in geometric proportions. * * * The fact that, notwithstanding the eternal warring of his members, man still preserves so much of goodness of heart and strength of mind is the best evidence there is of the constant indwelling of the divine life in humanity.

"If a man eats wrong foods, the result is manifested in his whole being. If he overeats, his stomach makes him sleepy, dull, and cross. His mind is confused and sluggish. If he habitually overeats, this condition becomes chronic, his entire body is poisoned, his brain secretes an inferior quality of mind, and he transmits to his children a constitution and an intellect weaker than his own. On the other hand, if he does not eat enough, or if the food that he eats is not sufficiently nourishing, and does not supply all the needed elements in the right proportions, the man becomes anaemic—impoverished in blood and brain. Again, excessively stimulating food brings about a condition of the blood still more potent in changing and modifying character than eating too much or eating too little. * * *

"The influence of the stomach upon character has always been recognized by religious sects, especially in monasteries and nunneries. It has been recognized by thinkers and philanthropists, as scores of illustrations could testify. It has been recognized by schemers and plotters, who have used its agency upon their victims. But its constant and inexorable power, from the earliest ages, in causing the permanent modification of the entire human race, has been little considered."

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Latest Weather Forecast

Toronto, Nov. 10.—11 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Gales, northeasterly to northwesterly; rain and snow today.

Clearing and cold tomorrow.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Mrs. (Dr.) Hay and daughter Gretta are spending a few days with Mrs. W. R. McKay, 131 William street.

—A building permit was issued this morning to Samuel Stewart for the erection of two detached two-story brick residences, to cost $1,700 each, on William street, between King and Dundas streets.

—Rev. J. G. Fallis and his Epworth League from Hamilton Road Methodist Church visited the Home for Incurables and held a religious meeting. Miss Gould led the meeting, and a very pleasant hour was spent.

—The Hamilton Road Methodist Chuch has undergone a great change of late. It has put in a new brick foundation, a new porch, and is beautifully painted. The congregation intend having a reopening next Sunday.

—On account of the breakdown of one of the large engines at the power house, users of the incandescent light in the eastern part of the city, will not be supplied for two or three night. The company are sending out notices to this effect.

—Inspector Joseph Sanders left this morning for Toronto, to attend the annual convention of the Canadian Society of Charities and Correction, now in session in that city. Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt and Miss Annie B. Long accompanied him.

—Louis Drago has been appointed Canadian passenger agent of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, with headquarters at Toronto. He succeeds Mr. J. J. McCarthy, formerly of this city, who has been transferred to other services.

—George White & Sons, Limited, vs. Strome—Kilmer, for defendant, at Osgoode Hall, moved for leave to amend statement of claim, and to change venue from London to Walkerton. Swabey, for plaintiffs, showed cause. Motion dismissed. Costs in cause.

—Daughters and Maids of England, (Princess of Wales Lodge) officers met at Princess Beatrice Lodge, Cullis' hall, Wellington street, yesterday, to elect a district deputy, in place of the retiring officer, Sister Cripp, who is appointed on the grand lodge staff. Sister Hooper, of the first named lodge, was elected by acclamation.

LONDONER ELECTED.

Squire J. B. Smyth, of this city, this morning received a telegram conveying the information that his eldest son, Mr. J. L. Smyth, formerly of London, has been elected to the treasurership of Roscommon county, Mich., on the Republican ticket, by 117 majority.

DEATH SENTENCE OF THE SAVIOUR.

The following is said to be the sentence of death, word for word, pronounced against Jesus Christ:

Sentence pronounced by Pontius Pilate, intendent of the Lower Province of Galilee, that Jesus of Nazareth shall suffer death by the cross. In the seventeenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, and on the 24th day of the month, in the most holy city of Jerusalem, during the pontificate of Annas and Caiaphas.

Pontius Pilate, intendent of the Province of Lower Galilee, sitting to judgment in the presidential seat of the Praetors, sentences Jesus of Nazareth to death on a cross between robbers, as the numerous and notorious testimonies of the people prove:

1. Jesus is a misleader.
2. He has excited the people to sedition.
3. He is an enemy to the laws.
4. He calls himself the Son of God.
5. He calls himself, falsely, the King of Israel.
6. He went to the temple followed by a multitude carrying palms in their hands.

Orders from the first, centurion, Quirrillis Cornelius, to bring him to the place of execution. Forbids all persons, rich or poor, to prevent the execution of Jesus.

The witnesses who have signed the execution of Jesus are:

1. Daniel Robani, Pharisee
2. John Zorobabic.
3. Raphael Robani.
4. Capet.

Jesus to be taken out of Jerusalem through the gate of Tournes.

The sentence was engraved on plates of brass in the Hebrew language and a copy sent to each tribe. Le Droit gives the following explanation of the discovery and subsequent history of one of the plates: It was discovered in the year 1280 in the city of Aquilla, in the Kingdom of Naples, by a search made for Roman antiquities, and remained there until it was found by the commission of arts in the French army in Italy. Up to the time of the campaign in Southern Italy it was preserved by the sacristy of the Carthusians near Naples, where it was kept in a box of ebony. Since then the relic has been kept in the chapel of Caserta. The Carthusians obtained, by their petitions, permission that the plate might be kept by them, which was an acknowledgment of the sacrifices which they made for the French army. The translation was made literally by members of the commission of arts. There seems to be no historical doubt as to the authenticity of this. The reasons of the sentence correspond exactly with those given in Gospel.

No man ever did a designed injury to another but at the same time he did a greater to himself.—Sidney Smith.

A woman can sharpen a pencil about as quick as a man can thread a needle.

PLAINLY AND POINTEDLY PUT

Statement of the Strikers' Executive Committee.

The Compromise Offered by the Men and Refused by the Company.

New Motormen Arriving Some From Montreal—Tonight's Mass Meeting at the Rink—President Mahone of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railroad Employes of America, and Organizer James Wood of the International Cigar Makers' Union Will Speak.

"The lot of the peacemaker may be blessed, but there's no fun in it in this city," said Mayor Wilson this morning, as he arrived in his chilly office at the city hall, fresh from a conference with Mr. Hellmuth, the street railway company's solicitor. Then he smiled cheerfully and continued: "I believe I can bring those fellows together yet. I'm inclined to think, from my conversation with Mr. Hellmuth, that the company will not stick at another one-third of a cent, if the men will give in one-third." Then the mayor called Mr. Orr up by telephone, and arranged for an interview. Mr. Hellmuth referred the mayor to T. H. Smallman, who apparently has the power to make the concession if he sees fit. Mayor Wilson is quite sanguine of a speedy settlement.

STATEMENT OF THE COMMITTEE.

The executive committee of the strikers have requested The Advertiser to publish the following statement:

"We, the committee representing the employes of the London Street Railway Company, while we believe the wages asked for in the first proposition, which was 13 cents per hour for the first six months and 16⅔ cents per hour thereafter, was not unreasonable, yet in order to relieve the public from further inconvenience, and to bring about an amicable settlement, we were willing to make a reduction of one cent in the maximum rate of wages, and offered to compromise on the following scale: For the first six months, 13 cents per hour; for the second six months, 14½ cents per hour; and 15⅔ cents thereafter; and we submitted the same to the officials of the London Street Railway Company at 10:30 o'clock last night, Nov. 9.

"At the request of Mayor Wilson the committee agreed to call at the company's office this morning at 10 o'clock, which request we complied with. The result was that when we called the company absolutely refused to entertain our proposition.

"(Signed) RICHARD WESTBY,
JOHN GARNET,
WM. CRAWFORD,
JOSEPH FRIZELL,
WM. KERR,
Executive Committee."

NEW MEN ARRIVING.

The company stated this morning that they had men enough to man their cars. Some had been sent from Montreal and some from other places in Canada, but there were no Frenchmen among them.

MR. ORR'S POSITION.

Mr. Orr, being interrogated by an Advertiser reporter, this afternoon, denied that he was opposed to a fair settlement. On the contrary, he expressed himself as willing to do all he could, in reason, to bring the contending parties together.

STRIKE NOTES.

At the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 118, C. O. F., last night, a resolution was unanimously passed by the members, expressing their sympathy for the striking street railway employes, and to refrain from riding on electric street cars, and to use all due influence with others to do the same until a satisfactory settlement is made.

THE SPECIAL DETECTIVES.

The statement that a large number of the Dominion police are in the city is untrue. There are six or eight alleged detectives of a very amateurish quality — evidently strangers — who guard Mr. Carr's house at nights. Magistrate Parke this morning, when asked how many specials had been sworn in, said, "Two." Mayor Wilson says he swore in "None," and that only he and the magistrate have power to do this. Agents of private detective firms, he said, had no authority in the city unless "sworn in." If there were any Dominion police here they could act without this formality, but none of Gross' men from Montreal could.

Manager Carr, when asked about the special police, said the mayor had sworn in a large number of them, but the mayor denies this.

"LET ME OFF."

"The only passenger," said a policeman this morning, "that rode in 'our' car for the past week, was a stranger who came in on the C. P. R. He jumped on the car, and, being suspicious that something was wrong, as there were no other passengers but the police, and a couple of broken windows to boot, asked what the trouble was. 'Strike on,' said the non-union conductor, as he presented the box to collect the fare. 'Well, let me off,' said the stranger, who kept the fare in his hand."

MASS MEETING TONIGHT.

The two principal speakers at the mass meeting to be held in Princess Rink tonight will be James Wood, organizer of the International Cigarmakers' Union, and President Mahone, of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America. Other speakers will deliver addresses.

LADIES IN SYMPATHY.

Lodge Princess Beatrice, No. 61, Daughters of England Benevolent Society, held their regular meeting last night in Cullis' hall, when the following resolution was carried unanimously: "Resolved, that we desire to place on record our sincere sympathy with the street railway strikers, in the stand they have taken, believing them to be in the right; we therefore further resolve that we will not ride on the cars till the difficulty is settled satisfactorily." Afterwards a pleasant hour was spent in songs, readings, recitations, etc., being rendered. A bountiful supply of refreshments, consisting of coffee, cakes, fruits, etc., was served, and enjoyed with social chat.

THANKS.

Labor Hall, London, Nov. 8, 1898.
Rev. J. G. Fallis, Hamilton Road Methodist Church:

Dear Sir,—On behalf of the employes of the London street railway now on strike, I hereby beg that you and your congregation will accept our very sincere thanks for your most generous and timely gift in our present trouble. Yours sincerely, JAS. FREZELL.

NOTES.

Mr. Charles Currie arrived from Lima, Ohio, last night.

There are now in operation ten busses. Three more will arrive this evening from St. Thomas and three from Ingersoll—six in all. Others will soon be obtained.

The mayor was very much disappointed when an agreement was not arrived at between the company and the men.

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STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison.

Strathroy, Nov. 10.—Miss Margaret Auld, of London, is the guest of friends in town.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting of St. John's Church last Tuesday evening in the parish rooms was well attended. Miss McCutcheon, of the Collegiate staff, read an excellent paper on "Enthusiasm and what it will accomplish." Solos were also rendered by Miss Wilson and Mr. Fred Sadler. Next Tuesday night will be spent with interesting games, in which all are invited to take part.

Rev. A. D. St. Dalmas, of Watford, will give an address on "The Grand Ligne Mission," in the Baptist Church this (Thursday) evening.

Mr. W. H. Large intends starting a dancing class at his home, on Oxford street, on Friday, Nov. 11. Those wishing to attend will hand in their names on or before the above-mentioned date.

The funeral of the late Mrs. King, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Pearce, Toronto, on Tuesday last, will take place from the residence of Mr. T. E. Pearce, Oxford street, this (Thursday) afternoon to the Strathroy Cemetery. Deceased was the widow of the late Stephen King, of Plymouth, England, and was in the 80th year of her age.

Mrs. Ferguson, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. Sexton.

Mr. J. B. Dinning has purchased the grocery business of John Barry & Co., Front street, and will take possession next Tuesday.

Mr. James R. Frank, V.S., formerly of this town, was married in Buffalo on Nov. 4, to Miss Helen C. Webb, of that city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Allen, pastor of the Church of The Covenant.

Word was received her Tuesday evening of the death of Mrs. W. L. Lundy, of Niagara Falls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bullen, of this town. Deceased was well-known in Strathroy, and her many friends will hear with deep regret of her untimely death.

WARDSVILLE.

Wardsville, Nov. 10.—Mrs. Munroe, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Simpson.

Howard Gardiner returned from Manitoba Tuesday.

The Rev. I. J. Snyder delivered his famous lecture "A Woman's Tongue," in Frank Street Methodist Church, Strathroy, on Tuesday evening Nov. 8.

Mrs. Wm Lewis returned from London on Friday, where she has been visiting friends for some weeks.

George E. Corneille is in Dresden this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Waterworth, of Ridgetown, were the guests of Mrs. Corneille last week.

A number of hunters from London are enjoying the fine hunting to be found in this vicinity.

Minna Bros. have their new store nearly completed.

Mrs. David is recovering from her recent serious illness.

Josephine Gordon, who has been ill for some time is very low.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church intend giving an entertainment on Thanksgiving evening, consisting of a lecture by Major Johnston, of Leamington, on "The Klondike," after which refreshments will be served.

THE WAR-HORSES OF GREAT GENERALS.

One war-horse which made a splendid record for himself, and now has his virtues, name and noble deeds engraved on a fitting tombstone, was the little chestnut the great Duke of Wellington rode at the battle of Waterloo. Copenhagen, named after the capital of Denmark, from which country and city he came, was a spirited thoroughbred.

Copenhagen served under Wellington during the Spanish war, and for 18 hours he carried his master at Waterloo. After this he was sent to the duke's home to take his ease. A member of the Royal Academy of English painters was paid to make a portrait of Copenhagen, which the duke petted to the day of his death.

Nine years after the Emperor Napoleon died at St. Helena, an old white horse perished of old age and pneumonia in England. The skeleton of this animal is set up in the Royal United Service Institution in Whitehall Yard, London, and is pointed out to all visitors as Marengo, the charger Napoleon rode at the battle of Waterloo. Marengo came originally from Egypt, and was left to wander on the dismal battlefield when the emperor was forced to fly for his life. An English officer found and took him, and he was sold to an English general. In English pastures, cared for by reverent grooms, this noble white beast passed the latter years of his life more peacefully than his great and unfortunate master.

Gen. Lee and Gen. Grant, Gen Stonewall Jackson and Gen. Sheridan all brought their favorite chargers safely through many bloody battles, and both Lee and Jackson were outlived by their war-horses.

Cincinnati, Grant's most famous charger, was presented to him by a man also named Grant, but no relative of the great commander. Cincinnati weathered the perils of war and died as sincerely lamented as he had lived respected. Washington's horse, the one he rode at the surrender of Lord Cornwallis, was hung with mourning robes, and, led by a groom, followed quietly behind the coffin of his dead master.

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CONSCIENCE AND THE LAW.

Queer Notions Most People Entertain as to Right and Wrong.

"A lawyer is the repository of more secrets than a priest or doctor," said a member of the fraternity while taking his ease at the club.

"Mostly rascally," suggested his listener.

"Well, yes," admitted the lawyer. "It is my experience that there never yet was a case where one side was wholly in the right and the other side wholly in the wrong. That is what makes it easy on a lawyer's conscience. You didn't think he had one? Come, give us something new. But what I was about to say was that very few people have a conscience."

"I thought everybody had one."

"Theoretically everybody has, but it is only used in judging other persons' acts. When a man is personally interested, he puts his conscience to one side. That's what makes work for the lawyers. Every term there are hundreds of cases tried in which one party knows he is entirely in the wrong, but hopes to get the better of his opponent by some slip of the law.

"The root of the trouble," he went on, "is that people have got their morals mixed. Nine-tenths of the people think that nothing is wrong unless the law says it is. If they should happen to land in a country where stealing was unknown and where of course there would be no laws against it, they would feel justified in stealing. Now, laws don't make crimes; crimes make laws. If there wasn't a law on the statute books, it would still be wrong to kill, steal, cheat or commit any other crime, but you can't get people to understand that. And mean, overbearing, tricky or wrong action that the law does not absolutely forbid they will do. The inherent sense of justice which is supposed to lurk in every man's breast is largely a myth."

"Why don't you preach that to your clients?" asked his friend.

"And lose all my clients? No, thank you," said the lawyer indignantly.—Chicago Times-Herald.

An Inexcusable Interruption.

Lord Elgin, late viceroy of India, like all the Bruces, is a great walker and, as a rather natural consequence, a remarkably poor horseman. They tell a good story of him in India. At Simla one day he was taking horseback exercise along the local Rotten row. One of the pillars of Indian state wanted to discuss a matter of imperial importance with him and sent an aid-de-camp to ask him if he might join his excellency in his ride. The aid-de-camp cantered up and said, "Your excellency!" No answer was vouchsafed. A little nonplused, the envoy tried again, with no better result. In desperation he returned to the attack with: "Your excellency! Mr. So-and-so requests"—

Lord Elgin turned upon h furiously with this laconic but to his mind all sufficient excuse for his preoccupation: "Good Lord, sir, can't you see that I'm riding?"—London Figaro.

A Bird's Nest of Steel.

In the natural history museum at Soleure, in Switzerland, may be seen a bird's nest made wholly of steel wire. There is at Soleure a considerable number of watchmakers, and in their yards are pieces of cast off or broken watch springs. This debris a bird thought proper to use for the construction of its nest. One day a watchmaker observed in a tree in his yard a very queer looking nest. He examined it closely and saw that it had been made entirely out of watch springs. It was more than a decimeter (two-fifths of an inch) wide and was perfectly adapted to its object. When the brood had been raised, the nest was taken down and given to the museum, where it is a striking example of the adaptiveness of birds in taking advantage of circumstances in building their nests.—Cosmos.

Steamship Arrivals.

Nov. 10.	At.	From.
Britannic	Queenstown	New York

Montague, of Dunville, Cured of Ulcerated Itching Piles.

Mr. Robert Montague, of Dunnville, Ont., writes: "Was troubled with Itching Piles for five years and was so badly ulcerated they were very painful, so much so, that I could not sleep. I tried almost every medicine known, when I was recommended to use Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a box, and from the first application got relief. Have used two boxes and am now completely cured."

Signs of a revival of business are increasing daily in Havana.

Chicago has a Norwegian old people's home.

Madrid has now a German school, with 48 pupils and eight teachers.

In Abyssinia the murderer is delivered into the hands of the relatives of his victim, who kill him in the same manner in which he commited the murder.

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THE QUEEN OF THE SEASON

"May I ask what monsieur knows of me that he should take the trouble to form an opinion of my affairs?" demanded the young lady, drawing herself up with the dignity of an empress.

"Just enough to feel very sorry if, through some blunder of your friends, you are placed where you will be unhappy," Aymer replied, so kindly and unaffectedly that her mauteur vanished, and she resumed her more friendly tone.

"Why should I be unhappy? These ladies—are they bad-tempered—wicked? Will they abuse me if I fail to please them?"

"They are—hem!—they are well enough; but—I don't seem able to make you understand me!"

"True," she answered, demurely; "monsieur is not as fluent of speech as he was."

"My fear is," Aymer hastened to explain, "that however kindly you may be treated, you will never be able to accommodate yourself to the duties of such a situation."

"And for why? I am clever at my needle, I can dress my hair, I can be silent when my lady is out of humor, and chatty when she is willing to be amused. Oh! I have learned what will be required of me most thoroughly, I assure you."

"Perhaps you have, but still——"

"Still you are doubtful of me, and why?" she asked with an uneasy glance. "My deportment is not sufficiently humble? I will alter it. My speech—is it too ready? An! trust me, I will be mute enough as soon as I have entered upon my servitude. My dress; nay, monsieur, how could it be more simple?"

"Do what you will, you will never be able to hide that nature has not designed you to fill such a post as a lady's maid," Aymer impulsively responded.

"When monsieur compliments, he should be more original," she retorted, with superb disdain. "If I had said I am a princess in disguise, could he have found nothing better to say than that nature certainly designed me to be something higher still?"

"You laugh at me, and yet I spoke sober truth. I have seen many lady's maids, young and old, pretty and plain, but not one of them do you resemble?"

"But what is there extraordinary in that?" she demanded, as she reclined in her corner and peeped at him out of the furs. "The most vulgar man I ever met was a duke; the most refined un paysan, a countryman."

"Well argued, mademoiselle, How is it your eloquence fails to convince me?" cried Aymer. "Is it because you are a living proof that I am right when I say that this is your first appearance in a new character?"

She bit her rosy lip.

"I have never gone out in the world alone till now; I admit it. Never before have I been exposed to the criticisms of a stranger, who avails himself of the advantage my helplessness and my obligations to him has given to question me more closely than generously."

"Have I, then, offended you?" exclaimed Aymer, as she paused, and drew her veil over her face. "Have I been rude? Indeed, I did not intend it. What have I said?"

"Ah, monsieur, it is not what you said, but what have you thought of me I was warned that I should expose myself to impertinence, to misconstruction."

"Never from me—never! I am one of the greatest blunderers that ever existed, or you would have seen that it is solely because I was struck by your youth, your refinement——"

She put up her little hands imploringly, but Aymer persisted in finishing his speech.

"Yes, your youth and your graceful address, that I presumed to express my surprise that you should be in England for the purpose of waiting on Vivien St. Orme."

"I hope my lady and her daughter will not credit me with as many pleasant attributes as monsieur endows me with, for I fear that they would not find any favor in their sight."

Aymer felt and looked confused, for he knew that this was true.

She glanced at his curiously as if she would have liked to know the reason his countenance changed; then went on:

"I also venture to pray that if monsieur is acquainted with the countess he will abstain from expressing such opinions in her hearing. It is of consequence—of much consequence to me, that I obtain the promised situation in the Esselyn household."

"Do you think," cried Aymer impetuously, "that I would say a word that could injure you?"

"I have not thought," she answered, "I have only hoped."

"Then let me also hope that you will be very happy at Esselyn, and that Lady Vivien will prove herself your friend."

"If she will be my bonne maitresse, I shall prefer it. I will have no friends out of my own country," quoth Marie with a flash of her dark eye.

"You don't mean that? Suppose—just suppose that I were residing at Esselyn, and you were depressed or harassed, of pining for a kindred soul——"

"You mean that monsieur would be that obliging soul?" she interposed, as Aymer began to flounder in his sentiment. "Such generosity to a lady's maid must be unheard of. But I interrupt; monsieur was about to add something exquisitely pathetic, when words failed him; proceed; I am listening."

Yes, but it was with her hands folded on her knee, her head bent roguishly on one side, and mischievous mocking laughter playing in her eyes and about her dimpled mouth, that Aymer reddened, struggled for a moment with his annoyance, and then laughted too.

"Well, then, sentiment apart, mademoiselle, if you should not be happy at Esselyn——"

"But sentiment apart, monsieur, I do not go to Esselyn to be happy; no—no."

Again he was interrupted.

"I expect, I hope nothing, but that I shall contrive to please Lady Vivien for as long as it suits me to stay with her. Monsieur is very kind but he may leave me to myself. I am petite, I am insignificant, perhaps; but I am brave of heart, determined of will. Do you think, then, that I shall let myself be frightened by the caprices of a high-spirited girl of my own age, or the faultfinding of a splenetic elderly woman?"

"Apparently, mademoiselle has made herself well acquainted with the specialties of the ladies to whom she is going," said Aymer so significantly that she was slightly embarrassed.

"Of course, I say to the person who recommends me, 'these dames Anglaises, what can you tell me concerning them?' But are we not traveling very slowly? It seems to me that we do not advance at all."

"I have not noticed it," replied the young man; but now that his attention was drawn to the progress the train was making, he, too, discovered that the speed had slackened considerably, and he let down the window furthest from Mary Delille's seat to ascertain the cause.

Such a shower of feathery flakes blew into the carriage that it was with difficulty he could look out at all, and when he did so, it was to draw in his head with a rather rueful air. The snow that for some hours had been thickly falling, was now so deep that the wheels of the train were clogged, rendering it impossible to proceed at a snail's pace. He had scarcely imparted these tidings to his fellow-traveler when the engine plunged into a drift they were at a standstill altogether, and he leaped out of the carriage to learn what the guard and the engine driver proposed doing in this awkward predicament.

When he returned Marie Delille laid her hand on his shoulder. She was very pale, but her tones were steady as she asked:

"Are we in any danger?"

"Only of having to stay here till daylight."

"Is that all? Oh, thank heaven. I will never say that I am brave again. While you have been away I have endured an agony of dread lest a collision should take place, and that I should witness the horrors of which we read but too often."

She brushed off the tears that were glittering on her eyelashes, and asked gaily:

"En, bien, monsieur, are we snowed in? Have all the elements conspired to prevent the little lady's maid arriving at Esselyn?"

But the sportive question was followed by a sigh, for she had traveled far that day, and was more weary and depressed than she chose to confess. Aymer saw this, and endeavored to say something cheering, but his sympathetic tones had quite a different effect from what he intended. The rosy lips began to quiver, and she turned from him to slip down on her knees in her corner of the carriage, and weep and sob uncontrollably.

Aymer had a man's dislike to the sight of tears, and he proved it by leaving his pretty companion to herself until she was calmer. All the passengers were by this time assembled round the guard discussing with him the best mode of proceeding. The train must remain where it was till a body of men could be brought to the spot to dig it out, but for its living weight to stay till that could be done was not to be thought of.

[To be Continued.]

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ALONG THE IRON HIGHWAYS

Talk of Another Tunnel—Conference of Representatives of Canadian and United States Roads.

Hereafter the Welland section of the G. T. R. and the next one east will be placed under the supervision of one man.

The Grand Trunk evidently has no intention of giving up the fight it is making for a share of the passenger business for the Northwest and Manitoba. The last move in that connection is the taking of steps to open an office in Winnepeg which will be on a par with any of the railway offices to be found in large cities.

Mr. C. M. Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk, has not returned to Montreal, so that the committee of the company's telegraphers are still waiting for their conference with the management of the road, about which the general manager will have to be consulted. It is learned that, besides the general question of more pay and shorter hours, they complain of their chances of getting promotion being spoiled by the bringing in of trainmasters from American roads. Positions of that kind are the ones which train dispatchers may aspire to, and they are said to be discouraged by the company filling those positions with outsiders.

An important conference of passenger representatives of American and Canadian roads opened at the Iroquois Hotel, Buffalo, on Wednesday. The representation was big, the passenger roads in both countries having delegates present. The purpose is to improve the trans-continental passenger condition, to settle differences existing between American lines and the Canadian Pacific road, to properly maintain rates, and to adopt a uniform system, and to handle the immigration traffic from American to Canadian points. The Canada Pacific having recently been granted representation in the Immigration Bureau of New York, is likely to become a strong competitor for this traffic to Northwest points, and it is more or less the intention to practically pool the issue, thus giving each line a proportionate division. Today's meting was devoted to routine matters, the important work of the conference will begin tomorrow.

The Sarnia Post says if reports are true more railroads will center at Sarnia, and that it is stated the Canadian Pacific is to tunnel the river at Point Edward, and it has from fairly reliable source the information that within two years from date the Canadian Pacific will have a crossing at this point. It still further hints that from the same source comes the news that this railroad has, through private parties secured certain properties east of Point Edward for right of way, etc., and as soon as the roundhouse is completed at the tunnel and the Grand Trunk has removed its works from the Point, the Canadian Pacific will occupy the Point crossing with the ultimate view of building a tunnel under the river at its head. It is stated that the purchase of the International is but a prelude to this end, that the Canadian Pacific, with the Almonte division of the F., and P. M. as a nucleus will parallel the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railroad to Chicago.

MR. CUMMINGS' COOLNESS

Saved the Audience in a Burning Cleveland Theater From Panic.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 10.—Fire which started in a paper box factory in the Stocking block, St. Clair street, spread to the Cleveland Theater next door. A performance of "The Nominee" was in progress and a large audience filled the theater.

Manager Cummings, who was reading election returns from the stage, told the people there was a fire in the neighborhood, and that as the firemen wished to enter the theater, they had better file out. The crowd did so, without a suspicion as to the truth or a symptom of panic.

The Bulkley estate loses $40,000 on the theater and the Stocking estate loses $30,000 on its building.

WILD WINDS

Brakeman and Roof of Freight Car Blown Away.

Buffalo, Nov. 10.—George W. Hoover, a brakeman on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railway, had an experience on Tuesday afternoon that he is not likely to forget in some time. Hoover was standing on the roof of a freight car in about the middle of the train. The speed of the train had reached nearly 40 miles an hour, it is said, without the slightest indication of danger, the sky grew dark and a small-sized cyclone swooped down upon the train.

The wind almost carried the brakeman from the slanting roof of the car, but he grasped the runway and saved himself. As the breeze increased in strength the roof upon which he was standing began to creak, and the man could feel the board tremble beneath his feet. A second later a gust of unusual fierceness struck the train, and the roof of the car, with Hoover on it, was lifted up and deposited beside the railroad track.

As the heavy timbers fell Hoover was thrown upon a pile of railroad ties and severely injured about the head and hip. The engineer of the train, however, noticed Hoover's mishap, and, stopping the train, he went back expecting to find the man dead. He found him very much alive, however, though seriously hurt. Placing the injured man in the cab of the engine, the engineer put on all steam for Buffalo. When he arrived in this city Hoover was hurried to the emergency hospital. There it was found that he had suffered a bad contusion of the hip and several scalp wounds. The man's left arm also was broken. Hoover lives at No. 152 Exchange street, and is 27 years old. He will recover.

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' Eclectric 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 believe 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 good.

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Manistee, Mich., Nov. 10.—George Backing, aged 19, while working at the edging saw in Hopper's mill, was struck in the abdomen by a piece of edging 16 inches long, and 1½ inches thick, which was thrown by the saw with such force as to pass entirely through his body, remaining fixed in that position with both ends protruding. He lived in terrible agony until 2 o'clock next morning.

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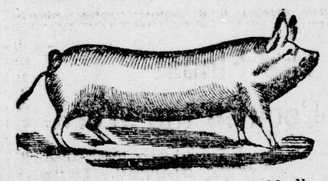
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SNOW OR RAIN.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 9—11 a.m.—The southwest low is now central near Tennessee, and it shows indications of becoming an important disturbance. A rapid decrease in pressure has occurred in the Northwest Territories; rain and snow has fallen in the lower lake region, whilst elsewhere in Canada generally fair weather has prevailed. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-46; Kamloops, 30-38; Calgary, zero-34; Qu'Appelle, 10-26; Winnipeg, zero-26; Port Arthur, 10-28; Parry Sound, 28-34; Toronto, 34-40; Ottawa, 32-36; Montreal, 36-38; Quebec, 32-36; Halifax, 44-58.

Toronto, Nov. 10—1 a.m.—Probabilities—Lower lakes—Strong winds and gales with snow or rain.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Nov. 9, were: Highest, 45 above; lowest, 33.5 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Annie O'Keefe has recovered, and was discharged from the Emergency hospital at Detroit on Tuesday.

—At the last regular meeting of Lodge Piccadilly, S. O. E., No. 88, it was voted that the usual annual oyster supper be held, and a committee was appointed to carry out the matter. Also a vote of sympathy with the men on strike was passed unanimously, trusting that right would prevail over might.

—At Osgoode Hall on Tuesday, before Chief Justice Meredith, in the suit of Nugent vs. Craig, Mr. W. Cook, for plaintiff, moved to continue an injunction granted by local judge at London in action to restrain a sale of goods under a chattel mortgage. Love (London), for defendant, contra. No order made. Costs in the cause unless otherwise ordered by trial judge.

—St. Thomas Journal: The St. Thomas Catholic Club beat London club in a billiard match here last night. Score: St. Thomas, 213; London, 207. The game was 50 points up between five players each side. St. Thomas team was: Pocock, Christmas, Devine, Burke and Coffey. London: Labelle, Conway, Boyle, O'Meara and Richardson. The St. Thomas team go to London this afternoon to play a return match.

—St. Thomas Journal: On Sunday afternoon a stranger hired a horse and buggy at Dr. Edmunds' livery stable. He said he wanted to drive a lady at the Dake House over to London, and would be back Monday noon. He did not return, and yesterday Dr. Edmunds went to London, and Detective Nickle was set to work on the case, with the result that the horse and buggy were recovered, but the stranger could not be found. He did not even pay the hire of the outfit before leaving.

—In the suit of Waters vs. Township of Caradoc, at Osgoode Hall, on Tuesday, Mr. Folinsbee (Strathroy), for plaintiff, moved for injunction restraining the letting of a contract under the Ditches and Watercourses Act. Swabey for defendant township of Caradoc. Stewart (Strathroy) for defendant Manigault. Counsel for defendant Manigault undertaking not to proceed with the work in question until Nov. 22, and on that date motion to continue to be made before presiding judge at non-jury sittings at London. No order made. Costs in cause unless otherwise ordered at trial.

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ORGAN RECITAL.

A very successful organ recital, the first of a series, was given last evening on the new pipe organ at Memorial Church. The large audience was delighted. Mr. Hewlett rendered eight selections with rare power and technique. The numbers included a rondo, by Morandi: "Vesper Bells," by Spinney; a gavotte and andante by Lemaie; "The Storm," by Wely; an invocation and a march, by Guilmant, and the beautiful serenade by Schubert. Miss Charlotte Hayward sang "My Shepherd," by Lynes, sweetly and with good impression. The choir, numbering 34 voices, under the leadership of Mr. Fetherston, contributed largely to the success of the evening's entertainment.

THE LATE ARCHBISHOP'S WILL.

The estate of the late Archbishop Walsh, of Toronto, formerly bishop of London, is inventoried at $9,581 53. The will, which has been proved in the surrogate court, disposes of the estate as follows: Roman Catholic Episcopal corporation of London, $1,000; St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, Mount Hope, London, $1,000; Roman Catholic hospital at Windsor, $500; for masses, $500; his nephew, John Moylan, $500. His nephew, Rev. Jas. Walsh, his share in Home Savings, and such of his books as he may choose, and his pictures, clocks and articles of vertu; to his servant, Agnes Morris, $1,000. All the residue of his estate of every kind to his successor as archbishop of Toronto. Rev. James Walsh, of Toronto, and J. J. Foy, Q.C., are the executors.

MOTHERS' MEETING.

Nearly 70 mothers and teachers were present at the Froebel Society mothers' meeting on Tuesday afternoon. After a short kindergarten programme, fruit was served, and then Mrs. Boomer took up the subject of domestic science. She explained that domestic science is the science of housekeeping and home-making, and showed the advantages to any woman of a thorough knowledge of sewing and cooking. Good cooking promotes temperance by satisfying natural appetite, and does more for the health of a community than any other single cause. Mrs. Boomer described the work and equipments she had seen in schools in Montreal and other places, and explained that the running expenses of such schools are very small. She enlarged on the value of all-round training—not head-work alone—for boys and girls alike. Mrs. Boomer said that she had been encouraged to continue her advocacy of this subject by mothers in all conditions of life, and she hopes that before her work for London is done she will have the happiness of knowing that she has helped to bring about the general teaching of this subject in its schools. At the conclusion of Mrs. Boomer's address the president asked those present who were in favor of the teaching of domestic science to indicate by a standing vote, and the whole audience rose. At the next mothers' meeting, to be held in the Simcoe street kindergarten on Dec. 6, Dr. Jamieson will take up the hygiene and care of little children.

BABY COVERED WITH SORES & SCALES

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SHOCKING TRAGEDY

A Jilted Lover Murders His Sweetheart

And Then Puts an End to His Own Life.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 10.—A shocking tragedy took place in a small house on Berri street in the vicinity of Viger Square Hotel, yesterday afternoon. As the result of a man's jealousy there were two deaths. After shooting and killing a woman, the man turned his revolver on himself, meeting instant death.

At 2:45, a man called Armand shot Matilda Lavigueur, the 17-year-old daughter of Madame E. Lavigueur, 94 Berri street. The young girl was shot through the heart. Armand then put a bullet through his own head.

The tragedy is the result of the girl's backing out of her promise to marry Armand, who had but recently come to Montreal. The terrible deed took place in the girl's room.

The man who killed Matilda Lavigueur and then shot himself, went by several names, but his real name was Norman Cole. He was 33 years old, and had worked in several cities of the United States and Canada. He has relatives in Burlington street.

FELL FROM A WINDMILL

Port Burwell Man Killed by Falling Sixty Feet.

Port Burwell, Nov. 10.—Geo. McDermid, while taking the wheel off a windmill on the picnic grounds Tuesday, fell a distance of 60 feet, striking on solid clay ground, breaking an arm and leg, and seriously injuring himself internally. Doctors were at once summoned, but he died yesterday morning.

McDermid was at work with others on the windmill, and was standing on the platform, sixty feet from the ground. They fastened a large rope to the wheel, so as to take it down in sections. The wind was blowing so hard that it broke the rope. This started the wheel suddenly, and broke the shaft at the top of the derrick, allowing the wheel and engine to come crashing to the ground. The wheel struck the platform on which McDermid was standing, and hurled him to the ground, a distance of 60 feet.

Deceased was 25 years of age, and lived at home with his father and mother.

MRS. FOX'S EXPERIENCE

Cured of Stone in the Bladder, by Dodd's Kidney Pills, After Operations Had Failed.

Toronto, Nov. 7.—If a census were taken to ascertain how many persons in Canada are afflicted with Gravel and Stone in the Bladder, it would be found that ninety in every hundred are sufferers.

Mrs. Ellen Fox, No. 3 Matthias street, Toronto, suffered for two years with Stone in the Bladder. She says: "I underwent several operations, but derived no benefit. I used Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am now perfectly cured."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only known positive cure for this horribly painful disease. They never fail. Their effect is rapid and certain.

"ACROSS THE BAR."

Quebec, Nov. 10.—Pilot Geo. Despres died suddenly on Wednesday morning in the waiting-room of the pilots.

LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 10.—Lord and Lady Aberdeen attended a farewell reception in their honor in the city hall yesterday afternoon. A farewell address was presented to the latter by Mayor Prefontaine, to which Lord Aberdeen replied briefly. In the evening, Lord Aberdeen was presented with an address by the Irish societies of Montreal. He was also the recipient of an address from McGill University and was entertained at dinner at the St. James' Club.

FRUIT GROWERS' CONVENTION.

The annual convention of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association will be held in the Court House, St. Catharines, on Dec. 1 and 2. The committee have arranged a splendid programme, which will include addresses by such well-known men as Dr. Saunders, director of the Dominion Experimental Farm; Mr. W. T. Macoun of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa; Prof. C. C. James, deputy minister of agriculture, Toronto; Dr. James Mills of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph; Prof. J. W. Robertson, dairy commissioner, Ottawa; Prof. H. L. Hutt of the O. A. C., Guelph. The Hon. John Dryden has also promised to be present, if other engagements will permit, and give an address.

The distribution of Bibles in Bulgaria, Turkey and Egypt last year was 59,258.

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MIDDLESEX MATTERS

Rumors of a Cheese Factory Combine in the Interest of English Capitalists.

Thomas Pressy, of North Dorchester, has been renewing old acquaintances here for a day or two in Vienna.

Miss Jessie E. McQueen, of Sault Ste. Marie, is a guest at the residence of Mr. W. H. Logan, of Thorndale.

Rev. R. S. Howard, the new rector of St. George's Church, Thorndale, preached last Sunday for the first time and was well liked.

The Young People's Home Mission Society of Tempo, intend holding an oyster supper in the Presbyterian Church, on the 29th of November. The trustees of the school section No. 15, have hired John D. Bannatyne to teach the school for the coming year.

A rumor is current in the neighborhood of Belmont that a syndicate has purchased the cheese factory at Belmont, Pond Mills, Dorchester Carrothers and Glanworth. The statement to the effect is that the purchases are being made in the interest of English capitalists.

DORCHESTER STATION.

Dorchester Station, Nov. 9.—W. H. Shaw was gazetted bailiff of the seventh division court recently, vice John Beverly, resigned.

An "at home" will be celebrated on Wednesday evening, Nov. 23, under the auspices of the brethren of the I. O. O. F. in the old town hall, when a unique musical and literary programme will be given.

Messrs. George Hunt and Robert Routledge are ill.

William Rossiter, of Shakespeare, having sold out his business, has arrived here.

A tea meeting is on the tapis for the near future by the brethren of the Presbyterian Church.

R. J. Colgrove, principal of the public school, and Miss Sarah Neely, assistant teacher, are re-engaged for 1899.

A syndicate of British capitalists have purchased the Nilestown butter and cheese factory for $5,000, and Dorchester for $6,000. It is alleged that the syndicate will purchase about twenty factories.

James Whittaker led Miss Rose Michael to the altar on Oct. 31.

BANNER.

Banner, Nov. 9.—Misses Maggie and Mary Smith experienced a thrilling adventure on Thursday afternoon. While returning from Dorchester Station with a spirited horse attached to the family carriage, the animal, when opposite the premises of John English, took fright and ran away. After going about a mile without any mishap, the beast scaled the fence of Leslie Gilbert, and plunged away in the swamp, until it became exhausted. Miss Mary Smith was thrown from the vehicle when the horse plunged across the ditch, and Miss Maggie was hurled against the dashboard with great force, breaking it. Aid was forthcoming, and after some repairs to the carriage the party continued their journey homeward, having been terribly shaken up.

The Victorian Literary Society convened last evening in Patterson's school house, with Samuel Woods in the chair, and Miss Minnie Patterson as secretary.

GLANWORTH.

Glanworth, Nov. 9.—Wm. Hare, jun., sustained injuries at the raising of Duncan McBain's barn, that caused him to keep his bed ever since. It is thought that the trouble would develop into a tumor.

Miss Belle Thompson left for Duart to visit relatives there.

An informal gathering took place at the home of Frank Lewis on Friday night.

GLADSTONE.

Gladstone, Nov. 9.—The Rev. T. McGillivray, of Toronto, preached anniversary services in the Baptist Church on Sabbath morning and evening. The rendition of a duet by A. D. McCallum and Miss Edith Brown, elicited the highest approbation of the large and appreciative assembly. The lecture on Monday evening, by the same gentleman on "Our Neighbor," proved to be a brilliant efforth. Quartets by D. A. McCallum and Mrs. Hiram York and Mrs. D. Shane and Miss Edith Brown, Hiram York, Mrs. D. Shane and A. D. McCallum were much appreciated. The offerings of Sabbath and lecture totalled $225, liquidating the interest debt on the new church.

Nimrods of the Forest City experienced a thrilling adventure on Wednesday last while duck-shooting, on Mud Lake, about three-quarters of a mile from the Gladstone cheese and butter factory. The craft used by the sportsmen was not seaworthy, for when about 30 yards from shore it sank, until the water had reached the men's waists, when one of the pair abandoned the boat and swam for the shore, and reaching a bank of weeds and lilies, raised the Macedonian cry, which was heard by Holtby Bros., and Porter, who hastened to the scene. A messenger was dispatched to the premises of Angus McNiven for a rope, which was thrown to the struggling mariner, who was subsequently pulled ashore in an exhausted condition. A messenger was then sent to George Brodie's cheese and butter factory, when a creamery vat was procured, and a life-saving crew organized, under J. B. Millen, milk inspector, of Guelph, who went to the lake, a distance of three-quarters of a mile, carrying the vat on their shoulders the whole distance, and finally launching it. Mr. Creighton, cheese buyer, rowed out, and rescued the mariner in the sunken boat, who was up to his waist in water, chilled and almost exhausted. The adventurers were soon recuscitated and returned to their wives the same night.

GLEN OAK.

Glen Oak, Nov. 8.—The Holy Communion was celebrated at North Elkfrid Presbyterian Church on Sunday last. Rev. Mr. Stuart, of Melbourne, officiated.

The fine weather of last week saw the potato crop about all up. Turnips next. Husking bees to come.

The large breadth of wheat sown lessens the bulk of fall plowing this season, which is somewhat late.

Cattle and sheep are selling at good prices at credit auction sales. James Pullen's auction sale came off last week, when cows ranged about $35 each; sheep, $12 to $15 per pair. Mr. Pullen's sale realized over $400 for him.

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