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Huron Auxiliary of Canadian Church Missions Meet.

Members Who Attended Heard Interesting Reports and Addresses.

The Huron auxiliary of the Canadian Church Missionary Society held its annual meeting last night at the Memorial Church.

Two interesting addresses were given by Mrs. Armitage, president, England, and by Rev. J. Cooper Robinson, missionary to Japan, and were well received.

Mr. J. H. Beattie, vice-president, Professor Harrison, secretary, Rev. G. Smith, treasurer, Miss A. Smith, box secretary, Miss A. Smith, additional members of executive committee, and Rev. J. H. Beattie, president, all the educational establishments of the order in Canada.

Mr. Andrew G. McCormick and Miss Margaret E. Brown were married at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Christ Church by the Rev. J. H. Moorhouse.

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### CAUSE OF COOL SUMMERS

An observant friend of mine said to me one evening during the cold spell, as we sat half-dozing on a piazza facing a sickly sunset sky:

"What is the matter with the planet? Here we are in the month of summer, in the midst of the longest days of the year, and yet look how short the twilight is. The sun has hardly sunk beyond the horizon before it becomes too dark to read and too cold to sit out of doors, while a most unseasonable gloom settles over the landscape. How do you account for it? What has happened? Has the refractive power of the atmosphere undergone any change, perhaps in consequence of the recent cataclysm in the West Indies?"

This by no means the first time within the past two weeks that I have heard similar questions asked, and the subject is so widely interesting as to be worth some consideration.

When our old globe lets its trusting inhabitants go chilly after they have got out their summer gauze and prepared themselves to perspire comfortably under the trees and by the roadside, and when the good of day takes an abrupt departure in the evening and continues its flight away with unamusing haste, we are within our rights to ask searching questions about the manner of these things.

As to the facts, there certainly has been of late a noticeable defect of illumination during the evening hours, and this phenomenon has coincided with the sun's rays being unusually cool and unamusingly hazy.

Evidently a broad, general cause must be at work to produce effects so peculiarly of the atmosphere that we now have to deal with, but something of world-wide magnitude.

The brevity of twilight, which so many have noticed, which has imparted a little of the grave aspect of the sun's radiation seems to have undergone a temporary change, which is reflected in the conditions of the weather. Just what this change is, or just how it results, we are not yet sufficiently learned in solar secrets to tell.

But we do know that what are ordinarily called heat and heat are not the only form of radiant energy that the sun sheds upon us. Its electromagnetic influence is hardly yet understood at all, and therein may be the explanation of cold, gloomy summers and the other freaks of the weather and climate which confound the calculations of men.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

Notice—Large stock of goose feathers sold by the pound, from bedsteads, mattresses, springbeds, children's coats, pillow and down cushions, furniture and stoves at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory, 222 Richmond Street North. Telephone, 597. J. F. Hunt & Sons.

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Tickets good going or returning via Gettysburg will be sold at 10¢ more than the rate via direct line. Slide-trip tickets from Washington, Baltimore, York and Harrisburg to principal battlefields will be sold at reduced rates.

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—The condition of Rev. Father Terman, who is ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, showed some improvement yesterday.  
—Mrs. James Charles, 113 Waterloo street, leaves on Friday to spend a month visiting friends in Virginia, U. S.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Edwards, 857 Adelaide street, are visiting Mr. Edwards' sister, Mrs. B. Case, 421 Watt avenue, Pullman, Ill.  
—Rev. E. H. Sawers, of Brucefield, will give an address at thanksgiving meeting of the W. F. M. S. of Knox Church on Wednesday evening.

—Letters of administration of the estate of the late Isabella Reynolds, of the township of Carleton Place, have been granted the Canada Trust Company.  
—Miss Amy L. Doty returned from Sarnia yesterday after successfully training the children of the Central Methodist Sabbath School for Rally Day entertainment, given Monday evening, the 22th.

**WAS GIVEN SURPRISE.**  
Besides the purse of gold which Mr. R. B. McElheran received last night from his friends at the Memorial Church, he was given also a beautiful surprise by the members of the ladies' committee of the Boys' Brigade.

**THE DOG CAME BACK.**  
Mr. William Tierney, the genial wine clerk of the Gustin House, advertised in Saturday's Advertiser for a stray dog. Yesterday he received an answer to his ad., and in the evening he went after and was given his pet. The Advertiser always brings 'em back.

**RETURNED FROM INDIA.**  
After an absence of two years and a half in India, Lieut. Teddy Harris, son of Mr. George E. Harris, has returned on six months' sick leave. His health already shows much improvement, and he expects to return soon to his regiment, the Duke of Cambridge's Own Middlesex, who are stationed at Secunderabad, Madras.

**MEETING AT ST. THOMAS.**  
The W. A. M. A. of the diocese of Huron is holding its semi-annual meeting at Trinity Schoolhouse, St. Thomas, today. The bishop and Mrs. Baldwin will be present, and also the following: Mrs. Armitage, England; Mr. Allison, Leeds, England; Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Falls, Mrs. De la Hooke, Miss Complin, Mrs. Heskett, Miss Moore, Mrs. Whitehead, Miss

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Manigault and Miss Burgess, of this city.  
**BIRKETT-GIBBONS.**  
Brantford Courier: "The marriage took place on Thursday last at the Memorial Anglican Church, London, of Mr. C. E. Birkett, secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Cordage Company, Brantford, to Miss Amy Gibbons, daughter of Mr. George Gibbons, of Fairfield Plains. Both of the contracting parties are well known and deservedly popular in Brantford, and their friends will wish them every success and happiness in their married life. Mr. and Mrs. Birkett are spending their wedding trip to Detroit and other points."

**WID BLAND GOES TO TORONTO.**  
Mr. Wid Bland has left the employ of Robinson, Little & Co., having secured a position as traveler for the Canadian Featherbone Company, of Toronto. Mr. Bland was held in warm esteem by his fellow-employees, and yesterday afternoon they presented him with a purse filled with a substantial sum of gold. He left last night for Toronto. He was a popular member of the London Rowing Club, and was one of the four who competed with the Argonauts, of Toronto, at Saturday's regatta.

**HARVEST HOME SERVICE AT CHRIST CHURCH.**  
The harvest home services of Christ Church were held last night and were largely attended. A toothsome supper was prepared by the ladies of the church, and the following programme was given: Solo, Miss Cullis; instrumental, Miss Richards; recitation, Miss Stittson; solo, Miss Rowed; solo, Mr. Logan; recitation, Miss Antislite; duet, Miss Rowed and Mr. Dogberry; solo, Miss Cullis; solo, Mr. Doherty. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, was in the chair, and opened and closed the meeting.

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**NEW ASSISTANT PRIORRESS.**  
Montreal Witness: Madame Marson, who has been assistant to the superioress of the Sacred Heart Convent, St. Alexander street, for many years, left last evening for London, Ont., to which city she has been transferred. Madame Marson became a nun in 1865, and at various times she has had charge of nearly all the educational establishments of the order in Canada. She is a daughter of the late Captain W. S. Marson, of the British army, who belonged to a well-known Staffordshire family. At the station last night a large number of friends assembled to say farewell, among them several ladies who were former pupils of Madame Marson, and grieved to see her leaving Montreal.

**Medals for Canadian Soldiers.**  
Ottawa, Oct. 1.—In a militia order just issued, it is notified for the information of all concerned that the medals and clasps awarded to Canadians who have served in any irregular corps in South Africa will be served from headquarters. All the officers and men who are entitled thereto will be good enough to make application to the adjutant-general, and to hand the discharge certificates to their application for purposes of identification. The discharge certificates will in all cases be returned to the applicants.

**COLONY LIFE**  
Effect of Climate Overcome by Proper Food.  
The necessity of pleasant, nutritive and proper food is highly appreciated in the Philippines, particularly by Americans unused to climate and native custom in cooking.  
"One of our soldier boys writes: 'In this land of bad food and disordered stomachs, a nearly fatal attack of malaria left my digestion for many months in such a state, that food of any kind distressed me terribly. I suffered from the effect for 13 months, and dared not eat. It was simply misery to live. The so-called remedies only seemed to aggravate my sufferings. Some friend suggested Grape-Nuts Food and I gave it a trial. To my surprise and pleasure, it did all and more than was claimed for it. I am now, after using the food for 13 months, in good health; my digestive apparatus in perfect order, and I have long lost all feeling of pain or discomfort after eating. In fact I live again. I would not be without Grape-Nuts for the world. It is not only the excellent effect of this food that renders it valuable, it is also delicious to the taste, possessing flavor of its own, and can be prepared in many ways to suit many palates.' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

**Gold Coming This Way.**  
Montreal, Oct. 1.—The Montreal branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce announces the receipt of \$150,000 in gold from New York. It is understood this money was urgently needed in the banks for Canadian business.

**Temiscaming Contract.**  
Toronto, Oct. 1.—The announcement that Ross, McRae & Battie—the latter the cement manufacturer of Thorold—have obtained the contract for construction of the Temiscaming Government Railway is denied. Some matters are still at issue, and no decision has been reached.

**Increase in Revenue.**  
Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The customs revenue of Canada for the first quarter of the current fiscal year ending today is \$3,070,717, an increase of \$385,822 over the same period of 1901. For September alone the collections were \$3,141,030, a gain of \$382,905 over September of last year.

Alfred McDougall, who has been in charge of the collection of succession duties since the passage of the act, enforcing the payment of such duties, has been suspended, the reason given being that his duties have not been discharged properly. It is not known yet if there will be any loss to the treasury. Mr. McDougall's books are under investigation. The amount handled by him ranged from \$120,000 to over \$200,000 a year.

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MEALPINE-SAUNDERS-On Sept. 30, 1902, by the Rev. C. C. Owen, M.A., at the residence of the bride's father, Miss Elizabeth S. Saunders, of London, Ont., to Mr. Malcolm H. Mealpine, of Chicago, Ill.

DIED.

WEIR-At the family residence, 441 King street, on Oct. 1, 1902, Letitia Bailey, widow of the late Joseph Weir, in her 84th year.

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MEETINGS.

A REGULAR MEETING OF ST. GEORGE'S, 42, A. P. and A. M. O. R. C. will be held this Thursday, 2nd inst. in Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m. Confering first degree. Visitors welcome. C. H. Ward, W. Master; A. Ellis, F. M. Secretary.

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BELIEF THAT CONFERENCE WILL SETTLE THE STRIKE

Railroad Presidents Who Will Confer With President Appear To Be Optimistic.

Express Confidence in Outcome of Meeting.

READING ROAD MOVING COAL.

Officials of Railway Claim They Have Shipped 10,000 Tons Within Week.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 2.-President Mitchell was busy today getting ready for his trip to Washington. He will leave here for Philadelphia late this afternoon and from there he will go direct to the national capital. All interests here are now of the opinion that the conference to be held at the White House will bring about a settlement of the strike.

ANGRY MOBS gathered in the vicinity of the Sterling and the North American washeries at Plymouth this morning. The sheriff tried to disperse the crowds, but several of his deputies were in danger of their lives. Col. Dougherty, of the Ninth Regiment, was then called upon for aid. He sent a company of soldiers to the scene and eleven men were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct and refusal to obey the proclamation issued by the sheriff and disperse. The prisoners were brought to this city and given a hearing. They were held in jail for court.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.-The railroad presidents who received President Roosevelt's invitation to meet him tomorrow in Washington and discuss the coal strike situation are to leave for this city this afternoon. They will go together.

MORE TROOPS UNDER ARMS. Mount Carmel, Pa., Oct. 2.-A crowd of unknown men having stoned the deputies at Righter's colliery last night, a company of soldiers was posted at that mine today. Another company was taken to Shamokin on a special train to prevent pickets from stopping non-unionists from going to work at the Reading and other collieries. Two special trains were placed at Reading and Northern Central Railroad stations last night, so that the troops can be rushed to any colliery in Northumberland County in case mobs try to raid the mines.

READING ROAD SHIPS COAL. Reading, Pa., Oct. 1.-Today the Reading Railroad Company claims to have brought down 2,800 tons of coal and yesterday 5,000. Reading officials claim that the shipments since last Sunday amount to 10,000 tons.

FRANCE, our products will escape the special entry duties, provided they are brought to France from some United States port, Portland, for instance. I intend to see the French authorities upon my return to Paris, and I promise to let you know the result of these conferences as soon as I return to Canada.

Under British Control. Paris, Oct. 2.-A dispatch received here from Laigon (capital of French Cochinchina), says: "The Siamese Government has just issued a large quantity of paper money with the assistance of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank. Siamese credit is thus placed under the control of Great Britain."

A Japanese Loan. London, Oct. 2.-The report that a Japanese loan is to be floated in connection with the Baring Bros., the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, and the Yokohama Specie Bank will issue next week \$25,000,000 Japanese consolidated bonds bearing 5 per cent interest. They will probably be issued at par.

Rising Glass Won Rich Stakes. London, Oct. 2.-Rising Glass won the Jockey Club stakes (of 10,000 sovereigns) for 2 and 4 year olds, 1 mile and three-quarters at the Newmarket First October meeting today. Templemore was second and Ard Patrick came in third. Eleven horses ran.

BRITISH PRESS MUCH PLEASSED

Cunard Arrangement Deights John Bull.

THE CANADIAN FAST SERVICE

General Belief That Imperial Government Will Extend Adequate Service.

London, Oct. 2.-The English press continues to discuss the steamship agreements with unimpaired enthusiasm, and with a disposition, as the St. James' Gazette remarks, to be thankful for small favors. The Cunard Company is admitted to have behaved well and to have made an excellent bargain. Close reasoners do not perceive anything in the agreement that will prevent the managers from entering into a pooling arrangement with the Morgan combination similar to the one which has already been made with the German companies.

ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE COMPANY.

The Cunard Company's arrangements for the construction of two steamships of superior speed are considered to be highly advantageous to the company, especially as there are no requirements for a continuous operation of these expensive vessels when their records have been made. Several critics point out that it would have been cheaper for the admiralty to have built two 24-knot cruisers outright, rather than to have agreed to pay government subsidies for the sake of beating the German record. On the other hand, English merchants and manufacturers are fully aware of the extensive use made by German exporters of the fact that the fastest ships afloat are under the German flag, and that the general effect of this advertisement on the industries of the fatherland is worth what is paid in subsidies.

THE CANADIAN SERVICE.

Canadian officials are convinced from the liberal terms of the Cunard and Company that the British Government will accept the Ottawa proposals for a fast service if satisfactory tenders can be arranged. There never has been any doubt in the imperial authorities here would pay one-third of the subsidy. The Canadian position has been improved by the conclusion of the two agreements, for the British Government after negotiating with the Cunard Company and the Morgan combination, cannot reasonably decline to co-operate with the Dominion in establishing a fast mail service on the Atlantic and Pacific.

UNNECESSARY ALARMS.

Neither Mr. Gerald Balfour's introduction of Mr. Morgan to the public as an idealist on the trust question nor the Times' perfunctory efforts to dispel exaggerated and unnecessary alarms have reconciled critical editors here to the idea of imperial control over a combination of ocean freights. They find in the Government agreement with Mr. Morgan no evidence that he can be punished, if convicted of injuring British interests, except that he can be compelled to pull down the British flag. The Westminster Gazette suspects that Mr. Morgan would not have bound himself to the British Government in various ways without having a secret understanding that rates would not be cut between the Cunard Company and the combination.

THE SUBSIDY COMMITTEE.

The action of the Government will, it is pointed out, place the subsidies committee of the House of Commons in a very delicate position. Mr. Evelyn Cecil, chairman of the committee, is at present engaged in drafting a report which he is to discuss with his colleagues when Parliament meets in the autumn.

A STRONG SIDE LIGHT.

This new development of the subsidy policy throws a side light upon Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's speech at Bristol, where he described the shipping interests as remarkably prosperous, and not in need of assistance from the Government. The arrangement with the Cunard Company was evidently made after the "watchdog" had left the treasury, and could only bark helplessly outside the door.

AFTER AN ENGLISH RAILWAY.

Rumors are again current to the effect that Mr. Morgan is negotiating for the control of an important British railway company.

A WAR OF SUBSIDIES.

London, Oct. 2, 8 a.m.-Shipping experts talk of a war of subsidies as a result of the Cunard deal. It is expected here that the United States and Germany will retaliate. The British Government's action will unquestionably be made the subject of a debate in the House of Commons when Parliament opens. There is a divergence of views on the subject, even among members of the Cobden Club.

IN THE NATION'S INTERESTS.

Sir Alfred Jones, speaking last evening at the dinner of the West Indian Club in London, said that as far as he could see the Government had been able to do a very bold stroke with the Cunard Company, and he thought that the Cunard Company deserved it. As far as outside shippers were concerned they might object to it, but they bowed to the interests of the nation. By this arrangement on the part of the Government there was no doubt that the British people would have the fastest steamships on the Atlantic.

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TO REACH POLE BY AN AIRSHIP

Such Is the Ambition of Stanley Spencer, the English "King of the Air."

London, Oct. 1.-Stanley Spencer bears his honors as the English king of the air lightly. He says his trip of Sept. 19 was but a preliminary effort—a feeling of the way, not much more. Mr. Spencer said, when seen at his home in Highgate, that he was "I am convinced that an airship with a more powerful engine can be made, and I see no reason whatever why in the course of time it should not be possible to navigate the air against a 30-mile-an-hour wind. Next year we intend to construct such an airship, and we purpose that it shall form a type of aerial machine to be used in exploring unknown regions. I hope and expect that the north pole will be reached by an airship such as the one I have in mind, and I may say that this will be one of the main objects I shall keep in view. The reason, continued Mr. Spencer, "that I remained in the southwestern quarter was on account of the heavy haze which prevailed over South London. All the circles were made purposely. My balloon bulges considerably at the fore part, holding a greater bulk of gas than the other part. The big bulk of gas in the front naturally urges the ship forward, and to help it still more I have put the propeller forward, too, which gives me a double impetus."

TO KILL MOTHER FOR INSURANCE

Collingwood Man Under Arrest on Charge of Having Tried Such a Plan.

Collingwood, Oct. 1.-William Henry Brown, for twelve years fireman at the waterworks here, was arrested this afternoon by Chief of Police Fred Maiden upon a charge of conspiracy to murder his mother. The arrest was made upon instructions from County Crown Attorney Cotter, of Barrie. The information leading to the arrest was laid before Crown Attorney Curry, of Toronto, by John Rose, an insurance agent, whose story was published in the Advertiser. Evidently, it was that Brown had proposed to him to kill his mother and collect a \$1,500 insurance policy on her life in the Union Mutual Insurance Company. The policy was in Brown's favor, and he had passed up the premiums, but under the non-forfeiture law of Maine it was good until the 1st of December. Rose stated that he led Brown on as a blind, with a view of getting the old woman's life, and that after discarding two or three plans it was agreed he should take her to Toronto to be treated for rheumatism, and place a slow poison in her medicine. The prisoner Brown denies the story. He says he dealt with Rose with a view to selling the policy, thinking some company might take it over, but that at that time he was not bringing about his mother's death.

Brown is a very short man, 42 years of age, and is distinctly of the laboring class. He is not intelligent, but evidences some degree of cunning.

It is expected that the preliminary examination will be held before Magistrate Nettleton tomorrow afternoon.

Sailing Postponed.

New York, Oct. 2.-The Cunard Steamship Company announced today that its steamer Eurymia will not sail for Liverpool Saturday, Oct. 4, as scheduled, a flaw having been found in the vessel's shaft. A new shaft has been ordered and the ship will remain here until Nov. 1, her next regular sailing day.

Hungary and Austria Cannot Agree.

Budapest, Hungary, Oct. 2.-The Hungarian and Austrian Governments have failed to agree on all the points of the proposed renewal of the agreement as to the cost each is to bear for the administration of their common affairs. The Hungarian ministers will leave Vienna today, and the Austrian ministers are expected here shortly, when it is hoped an agreement will be reached on the points still in dispute.

Bank of England Weekly Statement.

London, Oct. 2.-The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, decreased 2,712,000; circulation, increased 1,202,000; bullion, decreased 21,509,854; other securities, increased 25,535,000; other deposits, increased 22,222,000; notes deposited, increased 21,724,000; public deposits, decreased 22,925,000; Government securities, increased, 21,222,000. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability is 44.63 per cent. Last week it was 53.57 per cent.

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Double fold Plain Dress Goods, in new patterns, regular 25c yard, our price now 15c and 12c yard, worth 30c.  
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25 DOZEN OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S Black Woolen Hose, regular 20c and 25c, our price 15c and 18c pair; fine goods. Call and see them.

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Ladies' Fleece Vests and Drawers, at 25c each.  
Children's Fleece Vests and Drawers, at 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c each.  
Ladies' Flannellette Night Gowns, at 45c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 each.  
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## THE DIRECTORS GIVEN POWER

Annual Meeting of Shareholders Reveals Era of Unprecedented Progress.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway was held at noon today, Sir William Van Horne in the chair. There was a large attendance of directors and shareholders, including Thomas Skinner of London, Eng.; Sir Sandford Fleming and G. R. Harris, of Boston. The annual report was taken as read. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, in moving the adoption of the report, congratulated the shareholders upon the successful issue of the year's operations, and referred to the tender of the company for a fast Atlantic service. He confirmed the rumors previously current that the company was for by the company was \$2,500,000 per annum. They had put in their tender, but had had nothing but a simple acknowledgment of the tender, and were completely in the dark as to the intentions of the Government concerned. He informed the meeting that the business of the company was increasing so largely that in order to safeguard the interests of shareholders it would be necessary to secure the approval of resolutions empowering the company to provide a trans-Atlantic service under any circumstances.

## A DRASTIC REFORM.

A number of resolutions providing for extensions of the company's lines in the Northwest were approved, and then a drastic reform was made in the mode of electing the board of directors, which has been elected for one year only, but today a resolution was passed empowering the board to provide a trans-Atlantic service. The directors only should retire each year. All the old board will consequently decide among themselves who shall serve the next year, and the board of four years. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, when asked for the reason for the change, said that the company's enterprises were now so important that it would be a calamity if by any chance foreigners should get control of the stock and seek to elect their own directors.

## THE CANADIAN LINE'S PROPOSAL.

London, Oct. 1.—The British Government's "amalgamated line" and an issue of consolidated debenture stock on account of the Pheasant Hills branch referred to in the annual report of the company, and had a resolution was adopted, authorizing the directors to hold charter, work and run such steamships as they may deem necessary to provide for the protection of the trans-Atlantic traffic of the company. The directors and officers were all re-elected.

# CRAFT TRAGEDY A MURDER PLOT

Four Men Planned to Get the Victim's Money.

## CLUES FOLLOWED BY POLICE

A Woman's Confession Clears Up the Mysteries in the Atrocious Empire Killing.

New York, Oct. 1.—Four men are now implicated in the murder of Capt. James B. Craft early Saturday morning in the Empire Garden Hotel at No. 38 West Twenty-ninth street. These men are Thomas Kelly, alias Thomas Tobin, waiter at the Empire; Robert Kelly, mixer for the Consolidated Oil Line Company; "Jack" Kelly, waiter at the New Brighton, Great Jones street, and Alexander McEneaney, bartender at the Empire. Three of the men, Thomas and Robert Kelly and Alexander McEneaney, are now in the Tombs, and the police of the West Thirtieth street station are closely trailing "Jack" Kelly. If the crime is fastened upon these four men, or any one of them, it will be largely due to the confession of Mammie Moore, alias May Turner, a great friend of "Jack" Kelly. This girl, who was in the Empire about the time of the murder, has told all she knows of the tragedy. When arrested by Capt. Sheehan on Saturday afternoon she was closely guarded from interviewers, and Coroner Jackson was not permitted to see her. Her confession she gave when arraigned before him at the criminal court building yesterday. The coroner sent her to the House of Detention on Mulberry street, and there no one is allowed to talk with her.

## A ROSY FUTURE.

The rapid and pronounced increase in the volume of traffic, leaving little opportunity to provide the additional facilities required for handling it economically, caused a perceptible increase in the rate of working capital for the year. Expenses are being met as rapidly as possible to meet present and future requirements. While, of course, there will be a loss when from unexpected causes your revenue will suffer some diminution, it may be safely assumed that the settlement and development of the Northwest in progress, and the promise of a general improvement in your earnings during the next few years, even more satisfactory and gratifying than the advance made during the past seven years. Indeed, I cannot help personally expressing my conviction that the company has barely entered upon the threshold of the expansion and success that the future has in store for it.

## WESTERN ONTARIO.

A Port Stanley correspondent says that 12,000 tons of coal will be unloaded at that port between now and close of navigation. J. L. Burwell, teller of the St. Thomas branch of the Merchants Bank, has been transferred to the position of branch manager, and will be succeeded by John McCausland, at present junior clerk there. Kingsville Reporter: Mr. Stewart, manager of the Bank of Hamilton, and Mr. Tassie, the warden of Christ Church, Sunday to see Rev. Mr. Anderson in regard to the vacancy in the Church of England in this town, as the rector is considering the matter for a week. It is the wish of all the adherents of his church that he remain here. The Windsor Board of Trade, at a meeting held on Tuesday night, endorsed a movement of the Montreal Board of Trade to have the Chamber of Commerce of Great Britain hold their next annual meeting at Montreal, and decided to send an important agitation committee to Jamaica. The board will endeavor to have the Canadian government to express their opinion to the government on this subject.

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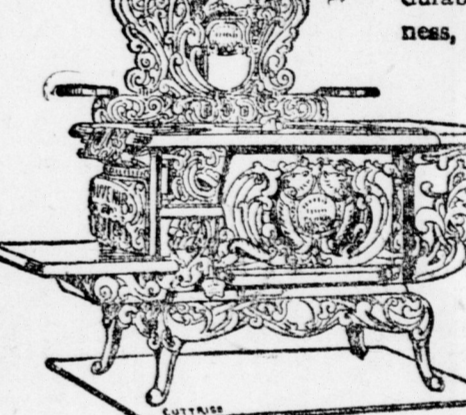


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## PHIPPS LOVER OF FLOWERS

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Man Who Gave Money to Boers Abhors Tobacco.

Pittsburg, Sept. 28.—Henry Phipps, Jun., is probably the least known of all the prominent multi-millionaires of the steel industry. His donation of \$100,000 to the Boer relief fund this week was one of the few things that has brought his name prominently before the general public. Of course, in Pittsburg, where he has lavished his money on public institutions, everybody knows who Henry Phipps, Jun., is, but few could point him out on the street.

A BIG, LITTLE MAN. Mr. Phipps is one of those big little men who shrink from the public gaze. He is sensitive to a degree, and while those who really know him find him one of the most genial of men, he has few intimates.

Mr. Phipps was born in Allegheny, the son of a shoemaker, Henry Phipps, sen., and he never forgot his parentage. The young man did not travel to his present high position on a railway train at high speed. It was a climb for him from the very start. His education was gained from books borrowed from the library of Col. Anderson, who was the first ironmaster of Allegheny County.

Mr. Phipps early became interested in the manufacture of iron and steel, and learned the business in the mills. In 1861, with Andrew Kloman, he built the Union Mills of Pittsburg, and in 1864 the Union Mills were swallowed up by the Cyclops Iron Company. Of the originators of that company only Phipps and Carnegie are now living. The company owned the Union Mills, the Cyclops Mills and the Keystone Bridge Works.

All the other partners died or sold out, and the firm became Carnegie, Phipps & Co. Later it became the Carnegie Steel Company, then the Carnegie Company, and is now a part of the United States Steel Corporation. Physically, Mr. Phipps is about the build of Mr. Carnegie, that is, he is short but robust. FOND OF FLOWERS. Mr. Phipps has one great hobby, and that is flowers. Twenty years ago he showed his love for flowers, and at the same time his great regard for his native city, by presenting the city of Allegheny with what were then the finest greenhouses in any public park in America. Then he scoured the whole world to fill the conservatory with the rarest plants. His one stipulation was that the conservatory should be open on Sundays, and during these twenty years he has had the pleasure of giving a pleasant hour to thousands every Sunday. When, a few years ago, the city of Pittsburg began to develop the beauties of Schenley Park, at the entrance to which the great central Carnegie Library building is located, Mr. Phipps presented the city with a conservatory that is the finest of the kind ever built by private donation. The annual flower show is one of the features of Pittsburg.

Mr. Phipps has carried his love for flowers into the public schools of the city. At his instance, classes in botany were organized throughout the city, and he furnished the money to place potted plants in every schoolroom, so that the pupils could study from nature. Further, the pupils are taken on frequent visits to the conservatory in the park, and specimens are furnished from the public conservatory.

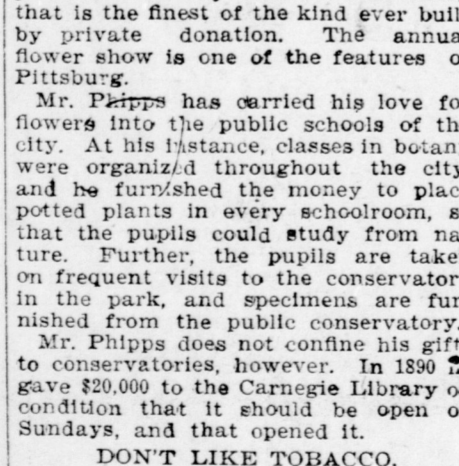
Mr. Phipps does not confine his gifts to flowers, however. In 1890 he gave \$20,000 to the Carnegie Library on condition that it should be open on Sundays, and that opened it. DON'T LIKE TOBACCO. Mr. Phipps cannot stand the odor of tobacco smoke and dislikes the use of the weed in every form. He also dislikes profanity and he quickly forgets the man who persistently uses coarse language in his presence.

Mr. Phipps' great fortune was not all made in steel. To be sure, the foundation was laid in the great Pittsburg mills, but he has been a careful and conservative investor in real estate. He is a heavy property owner in Chicago, Allegheny, Chicago and New York. He is many times a millionaire, but probably does not know his own wealth himself.

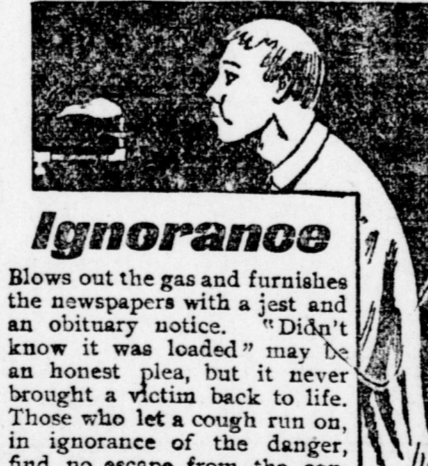
Price of the Weed Advances. Toronto, Ont., Oct. 1.—Owing to a shortage in the tobacco crop of the Virginia and Carolinas, the price of plug tobacco has been advanced seven cents to ten cents a pound. This advance affects only recent orders for new stock, but before the gathering of another crop, the price may be still higher. The plug tobacco from the Southern States is considered of a higher grade than that grown in Canada, but the advance in this high-grade tobacco will affect the price of the domestic plug. The tobacco of Kent and Essex is now quite a factor in the Canadian market. Last year 3,700 pounds of it went out for consumption.

## Ignorance

Blows out the gas and furnishes the newspapers with a jest and an obituary notice. "Didn't know it was loaded" may be an honest plea, but it never brought a victim back to life. Those who let a cough run on in ignorance of the danger, find no escape from the consequences when the cough develops into lung trouble. The best time to kill a snake is in the egg. The best time to cure a cough is when it starts. Ordinarily, a few doses of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure a cough at the beginning. But even when the cough is deep-seated, the lungs bleed and the body is wasted by emaciation, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will in ninety-eight cases out of every hundred effect a permanent and curative cure. \*My husband had been coughing for years and people frankly met that he would die. I got Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, writes Mrs. John Shires, of No. 25 25th Place Chicago, Ill. "He had such terrible coughing spells, that I was alarmed but looked for the bursting of a blood vessel or hemorrhage at most any time. After three days' coughing he was too weak to cross the room. The doctor did him no good. I stated to my husband that I had a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which he handed me a good. My husband's recovery was remarkable. In three days he was better using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery he was up and around, and in two more days he went to work. Two bottles cured him."



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Mr. Young's Recollections.

If Canadians know too little of Canadian history—the charge is often made—it is not because the records are few or inadequate. These have been enriched lately by Hon. James Young, of Galt, in the form of a handsome volume from the press of William Briggs, Toronto, entitled "Public Men and Public Life in Canada." Mr. Young explains that his aim has not been to produce a work of history in the strict sense of the term, but rather to embody his recollections of men and events. History is the biography of great men, and on this principle the author may claim to have made a valuable historical contribution, as his pages teem with biographical information, gleaned from his acquaintance with public men and public life which, he tells us, dated from his first connection with the press, in 1853. That was a time when, in Mr. Young's own words, "the relations of Church and State and several other questions affecting the happiness and equality of the people were still unsettled, and when the long political struggle between Upper and Lower Canada, under the ill-starred union of 1841, was becoming more open, bitter, and irreconcilable every year."

The author carries his chronology down to 1887, the year of Confederation, and while indeed a Canadian politician may not be all sweetness and light, there is no approach to the rancor and fury of public life which made stable government in the pre-confederation era impossible. Mr. Young has given us a vivid narrative of those stirring times. The leading figures are cleverly and sympathetically portrayed and a strong light is thrown on the forces which were surely if somewhat confusedly working out many problems which are now happily solved. The chapters relating to the collapse of the coalition formed to carry through the project of confederation, have a special interest at this moment when coalition rumors are in the air. Hon. George Brown's position is stated by the author as follows:

"He (Mr. Brown) maintained that the coalition between Hon. John A. Macdonald and himself had never been justified except as a temporary expedient to carry confederation; that there was a distinct understanding on both sides that it was to terminate as soon as that great object was attained; and that now, when confederation was accomplished, to continue the coalition and extend it to the new Dominion for ordinary administrative purposes, was not only a breach of the original compact, but a mere office-holding device on the part of the Conservative leader, which was certain to prove an extravagant and demoralizing character. The unions of Conservatives and Reformers merely to help office holders considered immoral, and therefore the best interests of the new Dominion demanded that in forming its first cabinet there should be no representation of government, which it was claimed experience both in Britain and Canada had proven to be much the best in the public interest."

Mr. Young says the Reformers of Upper Canada generally disliked coalitions and fully agreed with their leader's views on that point, but the party was not entirely united on the point, as Messrs. Howland, MacDougall and Blair, who were in the coalition administration as representatives of the Reform party, not only did not share Mr. Brown's opinions, but had already consented as Reformers to accept portfolios in the first Dominion cabinet, soon to be formed. Leading Reformers deemed it advisable to call a general convention of the Reform party throughout the Province. This convention was held in Toronto on June 27, 1867. There are many Liberals still living who were among the delegates and they will agree with Mr. Young when he says that for influential attendance, earnestness of purpose, and hearty enthusiasm, it has never been exceeded by any of the much larger gatherings which have since taken place. The question "Party Government vs. Coalitions," was the storm center of discussion. The resolution on the subject which was presented to the convention was as follows:

"Resolved: That coalitions of opposing political parties for ordinary administrative purposes inevitably result in the abandonment of the principle by one or both of the parties to the compact, the lowering of public morality, lavish public expenditure and widespread corruption; that the coalition of 1864 could only be justified on the ground of imperative necessity as the only available mode of obtaining just representation for the people of Upper Canada and on the ground that the compact then made was for a specific purpose and for a stipulated period, and was to come to an end as soon as the measure was passed, and while this convention is thoroughly satisfied that the Reform party has acted in the best interests of the country by sustaining the Government until the confederation measure was secured, it deems it an imperative duty to declare that the temporary alliance between the Reform and Conservative parties should now cease, and that no Government will be satisfactory to the people of Upper Canada which is formed and maintained by a coalition of public men holding opposite political principles."

This resolution was carried with tremendous enthusiasm, only three or four delegates dissenting. This strong sentiment against the coalition principle in 1867 did not prevent a coalition Government being formed soon afterwards in Ontario, but the party system reasserted itself almost immediately and has since governed in this Province. Coalitions have been useful even necessary, in this country, in tidying over a crisis in public affairs or breaking a parliamentary deadlock, but these are extraordinary circumstances which do not appear on the horizon of Ontario politics at present.

Emile Zola.

The tragic death of Emile Zola removes the greatest figure in contemporary French literature. The criticisms of his work, which are now rife, illustrate the great difference between French and English standards, but however much Zola the author may be reviling to English literary ideals, there is only homage for Zola the man. The author might revel in naked realism and depict scenes from life over which decency should draw a veil, but the man himself was pure and rose to sublimity in the Dreyfus episode, when he martyred himself in the cause of justice. Although a stark realist, it would be unfair to accuse him of base appetites. He portrayed vice and human depravity in order to scourge it. His literary creed was that there was nothing in life about which the truth should not be told. But are such methods warranted by the results, measured either by artistic standards or by the influence for good upon society? Zola's motives may have been the highest—to chastise and redress social wrongs; but it is to be feared the motives of the vast majority of his readers were not worthy; that they read him merely to gratify prurient tastes. Many of his works are pointing to the unsophisticated mind, and the recent "Le roman expérimental," Dickens used his genius to remedy abuses, but he did not find it necessary to grovel in filth. Foreign critics deride the Partisanism of English literature, but it is the glory of that literature that it is morally uplifting and seeks rather to interpret the sweet sanities of human nature, than dwell on what is bestial and abnormal.

Canada's Reasonable Attitude.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, a Republican authority, has been talking on trade relations with Canada, a very live issue in New England, where the leading commercial bodies are active in agitating for reciprocal arrangements with this country. Senator Lodge, the Boston Herald, tells us, does not venture to oppose reciprocity with Canada, but he finds the Alaska boundary dispute is a lion in the path, and as he is opposed to tariff revision, he exaggerates and gloats over this dispute as an agency for the prevention of closer trade relations with Canada. It is a pleasure to find the Boston Herald, one of the most authoritative and well-informed journals in the United States, and one of the few that discuss Canadian affairs intelligently and fairly, taking the following ground:

"The settlement of a disputed boundary and the agreement upon reciprocal relations of trade between the two nations are separate and distinct propositions. One does not at all stand in the way of the other. We fear that the wish is father to the thought with Mr. Lodge when he represents one as dependent upon the other. And in any event, why is a reasonable attitude displayed with Canada assumed to be left open? We understand, Canada is altogether in a reasonable attitude upon the subject. She is ready to refer it to arbitration for settlement. Why need we object to that? We are committed to the principle of arbitration by our recent interference in the case of Venezuela, and there is nothing of vital importance to us that we should insist on our adhering to it in this instance."

A Question of Quantity.

[Washington Star.] He took two dollars not his own. His guilt was very clear; He took two millions, and was known As a great financier.

Keeps On Carping.

[Winnipeg Free Press.] Mr. Borden, in his speeches in British Columbia, has been hitting at the British preference. He has not had the courage to formally advise its appeal.

Overreached Himself.

[Catholic Standard.] "Yes, Merchant's scheme was to display his goods in his window with a lot of mirrors back of them, so that all the women passing would be sure to stop and look in." "Pretty foxy idea, eh?" "Yes, but it failed. None of the women looked at anything but the mirrors."

That Was Different.

[Chicago Post.] "Is he extravagant?" they asked. "Not at all," she replied. "But he spends all he makes," they urged. "True," she admitted, "but he spends it on me."

Only Three Steps.

[Puck.] Farmer Stackpole—How many steps has that 'ere organ ye bought for your daughter got? Farmer Hawbuch (grimly)—Three—breakfast, dinner and supper.

RESERVOIR DAM BURST

City of Camden, N. J., Flooded and Much Damage Done.

Camden, N. J., Oct. 2.—The city reservoir, near the Delaware River, broke this morning, and about 8,000,000 gallons of water escaped and flowed down twenty-seventh street, flooding the cellars of many houses and doing other damage. The reservoir is 314 feet long by 180 feet wide, and is 21 feet deep. A watchman, whose duty it is to open a valve when the water reaches a certain height, neglected to do so, and the water flowed over the embankment, washing the earth to such an extent that the break followed. It will cost the city \$25,000 to repair the damage.

Maid of Athens, Ere We Part.

[Lord Byron.] Maid of Athens, ere we part, Give, oh, give me back my heart! Or, since that has left my breast, Keep it now, and take the rest! Hear my vow before I go, Zoe mou sas agapo. By those tresses unconfined, Woo'd by each Egean wind; By those lids whose jetty fringe Kiss thy soft cheeks' blooming tinge, By those wild eyes like the roe, Zoe mou sas agapo. \*My life, I love thee.

LORD GEORGE CURZON, VICEROY OF INDIA, WHO IS REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL IN CALCUTTA.



Lord Curzon, viceroy of India, who is reported seriously ill at his official home in Calcutta, is more intimately known to the people of this country because of his marriage in 1895 to Miss Mary Leiter, of Chicago. He has been prominent in British politics since his appointment as private secretary to Lord Salisbury in 1885, represented his county in Parliament, was under secretary of state for India, and previous to his present appointment in 1898, was parliamentary secretary for the foreign affairs department. He has been a great traveler in oriental countries and a voluminous writer on the various eastern questions. He is 43 years of age, and was created first Baron Curzon of Kedleston in 1898. He and his wife have introduced many innovations in the official life of India, not the least of which has been charity for the plague-stricken natives.

MR. J. I. TARTE AT GODERICH.

Minister of Public Works Opens Fair There.

Recent Harbor Improvements Inspected by Mr. Tarte.

Goderich, Oct. 1.—Hon. J. I. Tarte, minister of public works, and Mr. Marcell, M. P. for Bonaventure, attended the opening of the G. N. W. Exhibition here today. The train was met by the city council, the directors of the G. N. W., and the board of trade. A parade was formed, headed by the Goderich Marine Band, and composed of the children of the public schools, the carriages containing the guests of honor and representatives of the various institutions of the town. The parade proceeded to the exhibition grounds, where an address was presented by Mr. J. Martin, president of the Agricultural Society, also a bouquet by Miss McDonald, daughter of Mr. D. McDonald, clerk of the surrogate court. Mr. Tarte in his reply expressed his pleasure at being able to be present at this indoor exhibition of this sort, as all gatherings such as this show a spirit of advancement and a tendency to make a united Canada for the Canadians. Mr. Tarte said that Canadian, first, last and always, and will always, so long as permitted to do so, work for the best interests of our country. He also appreciated the fact that our French and English Canadians are now coming to know each other better, and have agreed to make a united effort to make Canada the greatest dependency of the greatest empire on earth. Mr. Marcell, when called on, referred to the fact that we must as Canadians look to our own interests, and with our resources and population we can hold our own against the world. The party then drove to the harbor, where the recent improvements were inspected by Mr. Tarte. The various industrial centers of the town were then visited by the party, and Mr. Tarte expressed his pleasure at the advancement and prosperity so plainly evident to even a casual observer. In the evening a banquet was tendered to Mr. Tarte at the Hotel Bedford, at which there was not one vacant chair. Hon. Mr. Tarte and Messrs. Marcell, Robert Holmes, M. P. for G. Cameron, M. P. for Frontenac, K. C. Holt, F. C. A. Saunders, D. McGillicuddy and others delivered addresses.

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A Sportsman's Paradise, THE "HIGHLANDS OF ONTARIO."—Open season for deer hunting, Nov. 1 to 15. Illustrated descriptive folders, entitled "Hunts of Fish and Game," and "Trail of the Red Deer," may be had by applying to E. DE LA HOOKE, C. P. and T. A., London.

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THE MARKETS

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat, old, per bu. 1.20 to 1.25; new, per bu. 1.15 to 1.20; Oats, new, per bu. 75c to 80c; Oats, old, per bu. 70c to 75c; Corn, per bu. 50c to 55c; Peas, per bu. 45c to 50c; Beans, per bu. 40c to 45c.

There was a large attendance at the market this forenoon. The heavy loads of produce, such as hay and straw, were again well represented. The farmers of Carleton Township are anxious about the potato crop, which the recent wet spell has not improved.

Butter and Eggs—There was no change in prices from the previous week. Butter is selling at 20c to 25c per lb. Eggs are selling at 15c to 20c per doz.

Live Hogs and Cattle—There was a fair demand for live hogs and cattle. Hogs are selling at 10c to 15c per lb. Cattle are selling at 15c to 20c per lb.

Plums, per 8-quart basket, 40c; Apples, per 100 lbs., 1.00; Potatoes, per 100 lbs., 1.00; Onions, per 100 lbs., 1.00; Carrots, per 100 lbs., 1.00.

Wheat, per bu. 1.20; Oats, per bu. 75c; Corn, per bu. 50c; Peas, per bu. 45c; Beans, per bu. 40c; Hay, per ton, 10.00; Straw, per ton, 5.00.

Wool, per lb., 1.00; Hides, per lb., 1.00; Skins, per lb., 1.00; Bones, per lb., 1.00; Tallow, per lb., 1.00; Grease, per lb., 1.00.

higher, January, 22c higher, and January rice 10c higher. December wheat closed 1/4c higher, corn 1/2c higher, and oats 1/4c higher.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Oct. 68c; Dec. 65c; May, 70c; Corn—Oct. 35c; Dec. 32c; May, 34c; Oats—Oct. 30c; Dec. 28c; May, 29c.

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. Washington, D. C., Oct. 1.—President Roosevelt will make an effort to bring the anthracite coal mine owners and their striking employes together in the interests of the public good.

OIL MARKETS. Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 1.—Oil closed at 11.22. Oil City, Pa., Oct. 1.—Credit balances, 11.22. LONDON. London, Oct. 1.—Petroleum, American refined, 57-100; spirits, 69d.

SUGAR MARKETS. NEW YORK. New York, Oct. 1.—Sugar—Raw strong; refined, 11c; centrifugal, 9c; molasses sugar, 2c; refined firm, 10c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. EAST BUFFALO. East Buffalo, Oct. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; nothing doing. Hogs—Receipts, 50; nothing doing. Sheep—Receipts, 100; nothing doing.

NEW YORK. New York, Oct. 1.—Beef—Receipts, 2,541; steers, 1,000; cows, 1,541. Hogs—Receipts, 1,000; mixed, 1,000. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; mixed, 1,000.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Oct. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; including 800 Texas and 9,000 western. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; mixed, 10,000. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; mixed, 10,000.

WOODSTOCK. Woodstock, Oct. 1.—At the weekly meeting of the cheese board today there were offered 875 boxes of white and 100 boxes of cheddar cheese.

OPERATORS AND STRIKERS TO MEET ROOSEVELT FRIDAY

President Will Attempt to Impress Both Sides With the Gravity of the Situation.

Further Than This He Cannot Go.

MORGAN AND OTHERS ACCEPT

No Hesitation About Meeting the President and Strikers' Representatives.

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INVITATIONS TO CONFERENCE.

The following telegrams are the result of the conference between President Roosevelt and members of his cabinet, which were held yesterday and today.

PAID BIG PRICE FOR TITLE

Vanderbilts Said to Have Given \$5,000,000.

Duke of Marlborough Received That Sum on Marriage.

NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 30.—A special to the Journal from Birmingham, England, says: A tremendous sensation has been occasioned in this city owing to the arrest of Robert Harding Milward, the leading solicitor of the Midland counties.

HAY MARKETS.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Hay—Timothy sold 50c lower, at \$12 to \$13 per ton, and clover hay, at \$7 to \$8; delivered there were 15 loads.

ALMOST A PANIC AMONG THE POOR

Coal Famine in New York Creates Distress.

ALL CLASSES HAVE TO SUFFER

Unless Relief Comes From Some Source Speedily—No More Gas To Be Had.

New York, Oct. 1.—The coal situation in New York may be described as worse than ever today, on account of the increasing fear that relief may not come before much suffering has resulted.

AT THE CANADIAN CAPITAL.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The city hall was packed tonight at the public meeting to discuss the coal question.

FOR CANADIAN SOLDIERS

The Imperial Government Offers Sixteen Commissions.

THE TROUBLES IN IRELAND

St. Thomas, Oct. 1.—Justice Street, which is presiding at the autumn assizes, was presented with a pair of white gloves at the opening of the court at the court house Monday afternoon.

FOURTEEN MONTHS IN BED

Long Period of Suffering of Mr. Kernohan at Last Brought to a Happy Termination.

THE RAILWAY BEAUTIFUL.

ANOTHER CONVICTION.

Wm. Hastings editor of the Western News of Ballinascorney, County Galway, Ireland, has been convicted under the crimes act on the charges of intimidation and conspiracy.

Low Prices on Stylish Fall and Winter Coats. GRAVE & PARKER THE BEST OF EVERYTHING

It's going to be cold, and very soon. All the weather prophets say so. It's a good time to get in shape to receive it.

Very stylish Black Beaver Coats, 3/4 length, cloth straps, large covered buttons, bell sleeves, mercerized satin lining. Our low price \$14.00

Stylish Fawn Beaver, 3/4 length Coat, semi-fitted back, bell sleeves, slash pockets, velvet collar. This very well coat at only \$10.00

Very handsome Beaver Coats, in navy and black, yoke back and front, double stitched seams, cuffs and bottom of coat trimmed with cording, velvet collar. This one for only \$11.00

Keep the Children Cozy, Too. We have special bargains in Children's Ulsters that will surely please those who do the buying.

Children's Cozy & Beaver Coats, in navy, red, fawn, fawn buttons, velvet collar, new sleeve, trimmed with stitching; priced according to size.

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Blankets, also all kinds of wood and metallic cases. The only rubber-lined Funeral Car in Western Ontario. Residence on premises.  
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Undertakers and Embalmers,  
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Steeple-pointed caps, sometimes four feet in height, came into fashion in Italy and France in 1842. They fitted the head, ran to a sharp point above, and at the end the veil was fastened. ARE YOUR COLLARS harder to remove than those that others have had? Have they not had the same kind? Have they not been cured by using Holloway's Corn Cure? Try a bottle.

**Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear**  
\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 Per Suit  
All Sizes.  
See These Goods Before Buying.  
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**Our Gun Expert**  
has had over 40 years' experience in repairing guns. Have you a gun that needs repairing? We can do it, no matter how difficult the work may be. Can repair the finest hammerless gun or the cheapest single gun. All work guaranteed and done at a reasonable price.

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**Real Winners This Season.**  
You pick from fabrics here that are styles our own from American and European creations.

**The 'Honest John' Truss**  
is the best truss on the market. Call and see why it is the best.  
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**NEVER BEFORE AND NEVER AGAIN**  
Never before have good watches been sold in London for such prices, and we think that you will never again have such an opportunity. Every watch carries our fullest guarantee.

**THOS. GILLEAN**  
402 Richmond Street.  
Official issuer of marriage licenses.

**NOTICE!**  
To the Public:  
We are now in a position to give our customers DULL OR GLOSS FINISH, which work cannot be excelled. Kindly state on list which finish preferred.

The Parisian Steam Laundry Co., Limited.  
Phone 550.

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**You're Well-Nourished If You Eat...**  
**Johnston Bros' XXX Bread**  
Every Day.  
**JOHNSTON BROS.**  
PHONE 610.

**LONDON AND DISTRICT**

—Hon. J. Israel Tarte will be at Chatham fair on Wednesday of next week.  
—Mr. J. Sparkman, of the Western Oil Company, is suffering from a sore leg, the result of a barrel of oil falling upon it.  
—Miss Annie Hevey, Blackfriars street, West London, is visiting friends and relatives in Port Huron and vicinity.  
—The Woman's Christian Association will hold its annual meeting at the "Y" rooms in the public library building this afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock.  
—Miss Mary E. Yates, of Ontario street, has returned home after a pleasant five weeks' visit with her brother, Mr. George W. Yates, of Toronto.  
—Messrs. James Cranston and Thomas Patchett, of Denfield, and Bert Duthie, of Hibernia, will sail from Montreal for England on Saturday next. Mr. Cranston will return in the course of six weeks, but Messrs. Patchett and Duthie purpose making England their future home.  
—The Toronto World of a recent date says: "Joseph McLachlan, the popular day clerk of the Iroquois Hotel, was

**AT THE GRAND TOMORROW.**  
The Toronto Globe says of "A Normandy Wedding," which comes to the Grand on Friday evening: "A Normandy Wedding," comic opera, words and book by J. Cheever Goodwin, and music by Wm. Furst, was presented last night at the Princess by the Grace Cameron Opera Company. The work is a pleasing vehicle for displaying pretty and bright costumes, attractive scenery, and for introducing a jingle of musical notes. Miss Grace Cameron, the leading lady, who gives her name to the company, is vivacious in her stage action and sings pleasingly. Mae Treacy, her principal support in the second feminine role, also makes a very favorable impression as a singer. William Herbert and Harry Brown in the principal male parts—the first sentimentalist and the second grotesque—were both received with warm applause in their principal numbers."

**"ALASKA" ON SATURDAY.**  
"Alaska," Lincoln J. Carter's new melodrama, will be presented at the Grand on Saturday afternoon and evening. It is a melodrama with a plot that is natural, effective and interesting.

**Every Bottle**  
of Hamilton's Porter is just the same. No difference in the brewing, but all brewed under the careful supervision of the proprietor.

**Kent Brewery**  
Jos. Hamilton, Proprietor.

**THE NICEST RINGS.**  
There's a difference in the style of Rings, as well as in the price. To some people price does not count—the great majority it does. This season we are showing the nicest Rings at the lowest prices it has ever been our good fortune to give. We'd like you to see them.

**WARD, The Jeweller,**  
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**BUILDING**  
You can borrow money for building, repayable monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, or yearly.

**LOANS**

**THE CANADIAN**  
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M. H. ROWLAND, Manager,  
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presented Monday with a purse of gold containing \$50, by his friends among the employees of the hostility. This evidence of their esteem was called forth by the announcement that their friend had become a married man. Mr. McLachlan and Miss Mae Scofield were married in Toronto in May. They agreed to keep the fact a secret until the groom could get his holidays, and they did. The presentation and speech was made by J. K. Bell. Mr. McLachlan was formerly connected with the Grigg House, this city, and is deservedly popular with the Londoners who make the Iroquois their Toronto headquarters.

**WOMAN'S Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY.**  
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held its regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon, with the president, Miss Ware, in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mr. Holman. Reports of committees were read and adopted. The different committees were formed to organize the work for the fall, and they hope to have their work fully planned by the October meeting, when it is hoped all members will be present in order to get in touch with the coming season's work.

**HANGED HIMSELF IN BARN**  
Suicide of a Young Farmer Near Ingersoll.

**Despondent Over Crop Failure, He Made Away With Himself.**  
The citizens of Ingersoll and its vicinity were startled yesterday morning to learn of the suicide of Mr. W. H. Tucker, a young farmer who lived on what is known as the McKay farm, about one mile south of Ingersoll. Tucker was the head of the little family, which consisted of his widowed mother, one brother and several sisters. Tucker rose early yesterday morning and started to do the ordinary chores around the farm. After milking one cow he abandoned his task, went into the barn and locked the door. Taking a strap, he put one end around his neck, and climbing into a wagon, he attached the other end to a thick wire running between two beams of the barn. He then jumped off the rig and slowly closed the door. His absence was noted by his younger brother, who on gaining an entrance to the barn, was horrified at seeing the body hanging there. He cut down and summoned medical aid. It was found that the physician in attendance was also the coroner, and he decided that there was no need of an inquest. It is supposed that Tucker's death was due to despondency over the failure of certain farm crops due to the wet weather. Tucker was only 25 years of age.

**AN EYE-OPENER**  
Didn't Believe It Possible That Coffee Was at Work.

People often attribute their ill health to some indiscretion in eating, and to change diet in the hope of recovering their usual good health, finding no relief for the better in their condition, they are at a loss for the cause, and for a moment thinking that the cup of coffee which they take in the morning is the true source from whence all their ills have come.  
A lady in Philadelphia had her attention called to the pernicious working of coffee on the system by reading a little book on "How to Live." It says: "It was truly an eye-opener to me. I had many symptoms of nervous stage under which I had been laboring so long, were here directly traceable to coffee drinking. Especially the complete breakdown of my nervous system, which I had ascribed to many different causes, and which had become so great that my hands shook like that of a toper whenever I carried things to my mouth or reached out to grasp anything. I found myself subjected to frequent spells of despondency and gloom, a feeling of emptiness, with constant sour eructations."  
Now, like every slave to an inordinate appetite, I was loath to believe that my favorite morning and midday beverage was the true cause of all this nervous wretchedness.  
Having noticed the advertisements of Postum Food Coffee, I had direct interest in it, and purchased a package and had some prepared carefully as directed. I enjoyed by first cup immensely. I was aware that my hands were a year and a half ago. I had barely used it a week when I realized a genuine feeling of improvement. I had no feeling of depression for days together, and a sensation of comfort especially in my stomach, was noticeable. After a month I was aware that my hands no longer trembled, my nerves were improved, and this improvement continued until I entirely recovered my health.  
"Whenever I learn of a case of nervous prostration, dyspepsia, or stomach trouble among friends and others, I at once give the abandonment of coffee as a beverage and the use of Postum in its stead, and I have yet to learn of a single case in which it failed of its effects." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

**MUSIC AND DRAMA**

**"Way Down East."**  
"Way Down East," the pretty and elevating pastoral drama, closed its engagement at the Grand Opera House last night. As on the previous evening the audience signified hearty appreciation of the many excellent features of the play. The village choir quartet, composed of Misses Florence Leland and Laura Edwards, and Messrs. Frederick Freeman and Thos. J. Doucette, pleased the audience with their singing of simple old melodies, and they were recalled several times. The quartet is a good one, and its members give evidence of careful individual and collective training.

**OUR OVEN MEN**  
are the best that money can procure. They pay the strictest attention to the baking of the bread, so as to get it as perfect as possible.  
**THE PARNELL-DEAN STEAM BAKING CO., Limited.**  
Factory—75 and 77 Bruce Street.

**Return of American Explorer.**  
St. Petersburg, Thursday, Oct. 2. — V. E. Jochelson, one of the explorers of the American Museum of Natural History, has arrived at Moscow on his return to New York. Mr. Jochelson has been making ethnological studies and collections in the Amur and Yakoust territories for two years. He returns with valuable folklore and linguistic materials, notably on the Ukaighs and Korliaks.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS**  
USE OF BACTERIA BED COKE

**Tenders for Civic Supply of Fuel Were Too High and Were Not Accepted.**

No. 3 committee has finally decided the sewer bed coke must be used for fuel this year. The committee received tenders last night for the civic supply of coal and wood for the approaching season, but none of them were accepted. As it appeared to be impossible to secure hard coal, tenders for it were not asked for, but even the tenders for wood and soft coal were so high that none of them were accepted. For the latter three tenders, all at \$9 per ton, were received, and for the former only two tenders. One from James Buchanan at \$8 per cord, and the other from Chantler Bros., at \$11 per cord south of Dundas street, and \$12.50 north of Dundas street. The mayor told the committee that one of his buyers knew

**DORNYBROOK FAIR AGAIN**  
A GRATIFYING SUCCESS

**Despite Unfavorable Weather, All Enjoyed the Day.**

**Dorchester's Citizens Show Their Loyalty to Their Annual Fair.**

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**Return of American Explorer.**  
St. Petersburg, Thursday, Oct. 2. — V. E. Jochelson, one of the explorers of the American Museum of Natural History, has arrived at Moscow on his return to New York. Mr. Jochelson has been making ethnological studies and collections in the Amur and Yakoust territories for two years. He returns with valuable folklore and linguistic materials, notably on the Ukaighs and Korliaks.

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS**  
USE OF BACTERIA BED COKE

**Tenders for Civic Supply of Fuel Were Too High and Were Not Accepted.**

No. 3 committee has finally decided the sewer bed coke must be used for fuel this year. The committee received tenders last night for the civic supply of coal and wood for the approaching season, but none of them were accepted. As it appeared to be impossible to secure hard coal, tenders for it were not asked for, but even the tenders for wood and soft coal were so high that none of them were accepted. For the latter three tenders, all at \$9 per ton, were received, and for the former only two tenders. One from James Buchanan at \$8 per cord, and the other from Chantler Bros., at \$11 per cord south of Dundas street, and \$12.50 north of Dundas street. The mayor told the committee that one of his buyers knew

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**Vests, 15c Each**

Light-Weight, Fleece-Lined Vests, wide ribbed, in cream color, good length in body, long sleeves, tape at neck, special value, Friday, each.....15c

**LITTLE GIRLS' SERGE DRESSES, \$1.50.**  
In navy blue and cardinal wool serge, short waist yoke, revers, sleeves and collar trimmed with velvet ribbon, full skirt, length throughout, sizes 6 to 10 years, Friday, for each.....\$1 50

**SOME SPECIALS FROM OUR NOTION DEPARTMENT.**  
Bone Hair Pins, extra fine quality, Friday, 3 for.....5c  
Invisible Hair Pins, 3 pins, for 5c  
Small Change Leather, 2 pieces, in light and dark colors, each.....5c  
Sour our Jewelry.

Fine Toilet and Complexion Soaps; some of the cakes have the corners knocked a little; regular price 5c cake, Friday and Saturday, 3 cakes for.....5c

**STATIONERY SNAPS, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.**  
The "Pioneer Club" Vellum, smooth, fine quality; also "Old English" Vellum, rough linen finish paper, regular 10c and 15c, Friday and Saturday only.....7c  
Paper, quite.....7c Envelopes, package.....7c

**THREE HARDWARE SPECIALS.**  
Good strong Door Locks, extra value, Friday, each.....15c  
Pencil Knobs, steel bar, Friday special, each.....10c  
Wire Hat and Coat Hooks, Friday, 12 for.....10c

**THREE TINWARE SPECIALS.**  
Pressed Tin Saucepans, extra value, each.....10c  
Fancy Spice Boxes, six cases in a set, each.....10c  
Good heavy Cold Blast Lanterns, Friday, each.....6c

**A FEW SEALERS, half-gallon size, Friday, dozen.....\$1 00**

**CALL AT OUR CANDY DEPARTMENT. WOODS' FAIR**

**FACTS FOR BUSINESS MEN.**

No man need think the other fellow has the advantage of him. It is a mistake to concede to him any advantage or to condemn yourself to an unfair position in the commercial race. The best way to prove that the chances are unequal is to let the other fellow have the advantage; your inactivity will give and see how sure he is to improve that advantage to the greatest extent.

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FARMER.—A letter B for six months in the summer to work on the farm and B loses a number of days; if B wants to leave without making up the lost time and is willing to let A take the lost time out of the full wages, can A compel B to make up the lost time? Can A discharge B when part of the lost time is made or does B have to make up the full time he lost? ANS.—A cannot compel B to make up the lost time, but he can deduct damages or lost time from wages payable to B. A cannot discharge B when making up lost time by agreement after the six months, but he might have discharged when the time was lost during the original contract.

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