

Births, Marriages, Death

**DIED.**  
**BURGESS**—In this city, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, 1899, Captain James Burgess, aged 79 years. Funeral from his late residence, 79 Bruce street, on Thursday, at 10 o'clock. Funeral private.  
**GRIFFITH**—On Brick street, Westminister, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, 1899, Jane Griffith, relict of the late Nathan Griffith, aged 92 years and 4 months. Funeral will leave the residence of J. W. Cawse, Brick street, on Thursday, at 2:30 o'clock. Funeral private.  
**HURKETT**—On October 11, 1899, at 330 Hill street, Albert Edward, youngest son of Caleb Hurkett, in his fourteenth year. Funeral private from above residence, on Friday.

Amusements and Lectures

**SECURE SEATS—AVOID RUSH** at doors Thursday night, Jesse Alexander, Auditorium; Toronto opening recital repeated; Miss Elsie Green sings. Plan now open. Tickets, 25c; reserved, 50c extra.  
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**VOICE CULTURE—MISS ROBYN** will resume teaching, Friday, Sept. 15, at her studio, Northumberland street, Residence, 328 Dundas. Photo 270.  
**TONIGHT—PALACE DANCING ACADEMY**—Opening of beginners' private class for gentlemen. Big advantage gained by joining first evening. Class begins 8 o'clock. Dayton & McCormick.  
**R. B. MILLARD, TEACHER OF DANCING** and deportment, will resume teaching Wednesday, Oct. 4. Private lessons any hour. Waltz and up-to-date dances. 345 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

**UNION REVIVAL MEETINGS—TOWN** Hall, East London. Evangelist McLean, daily.  
**I. O. O. F.—INITIATION—DOMINION** Lodge, No. 18, this (Wednesday) evening. Visitors invited. Geo. Arnett, N. G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R. S.  
**A MEETING OF LOCAL COUNCIL** of Women will be held Friday, Oct. 13, 7:30 p.m. Business of importance. Federated societies and public cordially invited to London Piano Co.'s Warehouses, Dundas street. 73c.

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Chattel Mortgage Sale

**TO BE SOLD** on the premises on Thursday, Oct. 12, at 10:30 a.m., at No. 381 Talbot street, (market square) stock in trade consisting of furniture, stoves, tinware, etc., to be sold (en bloc), store can be rented; a good business chance; secured notes; joint notes. Also horse and dray.  
70c H. PORTER, Auctioneer.

Sewer Tenders

**TENDERS** for an 8-inch tile sewer on Talbot street, from Mill street northward, will be received at this office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, October 12. A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 69c xzv

Mangled by a Thresher.

Little Current, Ont., Oct. 11.—James McKenzie, who resided near Providence Bay, was assisting at a threshing near Britainville, when his clothes caught in the tumbling shaft and he was drawn into the gearing, receiving such terrible injuries that he died in a short time.

Four Miners Perish.

Vancouver, Oct. 11.—Harry Mitchell Innes, a young Englishman, and H. Doley, an old-time prospector, have been drowned while searching for gold at Windermere. Two other miners named James Mills and Charles Crane were killed at Moyie Bay by a premature blast in Lake Shore mines. Their bodies were horribly mangled.

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The Situation Stated by Sir Alfred Milner,

British High Commissioner in South Africa.

British Cabinet Summoned to Meet on Friday.

The Boers Believed to Have Made a Grave Mistake

In Taking Upon Themselves the Onus of Declaring War.

Late Reports State That They Have Not Waited for the Time Limit, but Have Crossed the Border.

MINISTER MILNER'S STATEMENT.

London, Oct. 10.—Late this afternoon the colonial office gave out the text of the following telegram, transmitted by Sir Alfred Milner, British high commissioner in South Africa, to the secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and received at 6:45 a.m. today:  
"Sir,—The government of the South African Republic feels itself compelled to refer the government of her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, on the one hand, and the government of the Union of South Africa, on the other, to the arbitration of the President of the United Kingdom, and which, in Article XIV., secures certain specified rights to the white population of this republic, namely:  
(a) that all persons other than natives, on conforming themselves to the laws of the South African Republic, shall have full liberty, with their families, to enter, travel or reside in any part of the South African Republic; (b) they will be entitled to hire or possess houses, manufactories, warehouses, shops and other premises; (c) they may carry on their commerce either in person or by any agent or agents whom they may think fit to employ; (d) they shall not be subject in respect of their premises or property, or in respect of their commerce and industry to any taxes other than those which are, or may be, imposed upon the citizens of the said republic."  
"This government wishes further to observe that the above are the only rights which her Majesty's Government have reserved in the above convention with regard to the outlander population of this republic, and the violation of only of those rights could give that government a right to diplomatic representations or intervention."  
"The Boers have, however, assumed the exclusive right of this government and of the Volksraad for the regulation of the franchise and the representation of the people in this republic; and although the exclusive right of this government and of the Volksraad for the regulation of the franchise and the representation of the people is undeniable, yet this government has found occasion to discuss, in friendly fashion, the franchise and representation of the people with her Majesty's Government, without, however, any right thereto on the part of her Majesty's Government."

THE FRANCHISE.

"Among the questions, the regulation of which falls exclusively within the competence of the government and of the Volksraad, are included those of franchise, and the representation of the people in this republic; and although the exclusive right of this government and of the Volksraad for the regulation of the franchise and the representation of the people is undeniable, yet this government has found occasion to discuss, in friendly fashion, the franchise and representation of the people with her Majesty's Government, without, however, any right thereto on the part of her Majesty's Government."

A COMPLAINT.

"The government has also, by the formation of the now existing franchise law, and by a resolution with regard to the representation, constantly held these friendly discussions before its eyes. On the part of her Majesty's Government, however, the friendly nature of these discussions has been assumed more and more a threatening tone; and the minds of the people of South Africa have been excited and a condition of extreme tension has been created owing to the fact that her Majesty's Government could no longer agree to the legislation respecting the franchise, yet that the government respecting representation in this republic, and finally, by your note of Sept. 25, 1899, which broke off all friendly correspondence on the subject, and intimidated her Majesty's Government into proceeding to formulate their own proposals for the final settlement."

THE CONVENTION OF LONDON.

"This government can only see in the above intimation from her Majesty's Government a new violation of the convention of London, 1884, which does not reserve to her Majesty's Government the right to an unilateral settlement of a question which is exclusively a domestic one for this government, and which has already been regulated by this government."

A STRAINED SITUATION.

"On account of the strained situation and the consequent serious loss in the interruption of trade in general, which the correspondence respecting franchise and the representation of the people of this republic has carried in its train, her Majesty's Government have recently pressed for an early settlement, and finally, pressed by your intervention for an answer within 48 hours, a demand subsequently somewhat modified, to your note of Sept. 15 and to your note of Sept. 25, 1899; and thereafter further friendly negotiations were broken off, this government receiving an intimation that a proposal for a final settlement would shortly be made."

"Although this promise was once more repeated, the proposal, up till now, has not reached this government. Even while friendly correspondence was still going on, the increase of

troops on a large scale was introduced by her Majesty's government, the troops being stationed in the neighborhood of the borders of this republic."

A MENACE.

"Having regard to occurrences in the history of this republic, which it is unnecessary here to call to mind, this republic felt obliged to regard this military force in the neighborhood of its borders as a threat against the independence of the South African Republic, since it was aware of no circumstance which would justify the presence of such a military force in South Africa and in the neighborhood of its borders."

AN ALLEGED DEFENSIVE MEASURE.

"In an answer to an inquiry with respect thereto, addressed to his excellency the high commissioner, this government received, to its great astonishment, in answer, a veiled insinuation that from the side of the republic an attack was being made on her Majesty's colonies, and at the same time, a mysterious reference to possibilities, whereby the government was strengthened in its suspicion that this independence of this republic was being threatened."

"As a defensive measure, this government was therefore obliged to send a portion of the burghers of this republic in order to offer regular resistance to similar possibilities."

A CABINET COUNCIL.

London, Wednesday, Oct. 11.—The cabinet has been summoned to meet at the foreign office on Friday next. The ultimatum of the Transvaal Government is naturally the subject of conversation at the clubs and in political circles. There is a general feeling that the Boers have made a mistake, as their forcing matters will tend to alienate the sympathy which might have been extended to them had they thrown the stigma of declaring war on Great Britain.

BAD FOR THE BOERS.

The text of the Boer ultimatum on arriving was sent with all speed to Lord Salisbury, who came to town in the afternoon, and a dispatch box was sent to the Prince of Wales, which is only done in cases of special urgency. In ordinary circumstances, as Great Britain is the government making the demands, she would be the dispatcher of the ultimatum, and the fact that the Boers have taken the initiative is regarded as making the situation more hopeless and increasing the hopelessness of avoiding war.

BRITAIN'S ANSWER.

It cannot be doubted that England's reply will be a flat rejection of President Kruger's demands, and that at a quarter to three this afternoon, England's reply in respect of war will exist. Friday's cabinet council will have to deal with the military system, and parliament will have little less to do than sanction the military reply.  
"The Westminster Gazette" says: "We learn from a trustworthy source that the British Government has dispatched a note containing stringent demands, which must have crossed the Boer ultimatum. Diplomacy has thus said its last words; and the last word on each side is of the kind to which the other is not in the least likely to yield."

LITTLE TIME LEFT.

The expiration of the time limit of the ultimatum this evening does not leave Great Britain much time to strengthen the present military position, although there are still a few troops at Durban, Natal, available for dispatch to the front.

The Boers have constructed forts commanding Laing's Neck, and have been mounted on Mounts Popoane and Prospekt.

Advices from Pretoria state that tremendous excitement has been caused there by the news that the Queen has called out the reserves. The Boers are clamoring for war.

PREPARATIONS.

War preparations by Great Britain are being pushed with the greatest energy. The Woolwich arsenal has already forwarded to South Africa over 3,000,000 cartridges for rifles and machine guns, and the reserves continue to respond easily to the mobilization proclamation.

A dispatch from Durban, Natal, dated Tuesday says: "The Gordon Highlanders and all the troops that arrived from India today have been ordered to Ladysmith. The coal that was seized by the Orange Free State authorities has been released, and the action of the British third-class cruiser, Philomel in intercepting the British steamer Guelph from Southampton, supposed to be carrying ammunition to the Boers, and the fact that the Philomel sailed yesterday to intercept the German liner Kaiser with ammunition, go to show that Great Britain will not permit future deliveries of ammunition to the Boers if they can be prevented."

H. M. S. first-class Powerful arrived at Durban. She proceeded at once to Cape Town. She had 500 of the Yorkshire Light Infantry aboard.

Lord Wontage, president of the British Red Cross, will shortly issue an appeal for contributions to aid in the work of the society, which, he says, will provide two hospital railway trains and a hospital ship. The Duke of Westminster and Lord Wontage have given £1,000 each, and Baron Rothschild has raised £11,000 among his friends.

AGAINST THE BOERS

Lisbon, Oct. 11.—The papers here express a rather anti-Boer feeling. One declares that England has not asked Portugal to abandon her neutrality. The Portuguese war minister, Gen. Telles, is prepared to send 5,000 men to South Africa within a fortnight.

A PARADE FOR IMPERIAL PURPOSES.

The London correspondent of the New York Tribune cables: "A prominent Liberal sums up the Transvaal situation in this way: 'It will not be a campaign, but a big parade for imperial purposes—the biggest one ever known of red coats. Kruger has forced us to send 50,000 regulars, in addition to the 30,000 already dispatched, and there will be no fighting in the end, since the dullest dopper can understand that there is no chance of defeating a force of such magnitude. The money will not be wasted, since

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A dispatch from Pretoria to a Cape Town newspaper says that Commandant Joubert has issued a notice to the troops in the different laagers to hold themselves in readiness for an immediate advance.

Today's Development.

WAR MAY BEGIN TONIGHT.

Newcastle, Natal, Oct. 11.—A telegram from the government says that war with the Transvaal will probably begin tonight (Wednesday). The premier felt it his duty to warn the people. A public meeting was held, and it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the corporation. Ex-Premier Escombe, who is a pro-Boer, spoke reassuringly, stating that there was no immediate danger; that he anticipated no harm from the Boers, and no panic, the people leaving at their own discretion.

Volksrust, Transvaal, Oct. 11.—The entire first draft of the Transvaal and Free State Boers is now mobilized. The laager has been shifted to a better position for water and grazing. The generals, commandants and field cornets have inspected the various strategical positions on the border.

GERMANS ARE IN IT.

Pretoria, Oct. 11.—The German detachment has posted a big gun on the Free State-Natal border in a position to aid Wakenestroom. Five hundred burghers assisted in hauling the gun up a steep and almost inaccessible activity.

THE GREEN FLAG.

Some of the laagers are flying the Irish flag jointly with the flag of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State. The ambulance corps has arrived.



# Canada to the Front

Two Thousand Canadian Troops for the Transvaal.

The Force to Be Dispatched by Oct. 31.

The Militia Department Making Inquiries—Artillery and Infantry Asked For—Everything Ready.

Ottawa, Oct. 11.—Last night's war news makes it almost certain that the militia of the Dominion will be called upon by the Ottawa Government to furnish a contingent for service in the Transvaal.

The imperial authorities have all along known that the government of Canada will gladly furnish a force for service in South Africa. It was at the request of the British Government that the Canadian administration refrained from making any public announcement as to their intentions in the event of certain things happening, but, nevertheless, the war office knew well from dispatches sent by our government that we were ready.

WORD RECEIVED. The hope that war would be averted had mainly to do with the attitude of the home authorities, but a dispatch received at the militia department early yesterday makes it clear that the imperial government has no hopes of peace. The cablegram, which was directed to the minister of militia, is, of course, in cipher. It asks how many units of 125 officers and men each Canada can furnish for service in the impending struggle.

The war office has evidently decided that the aid of Canadian artillery will be necessary, for the units are to be of cavalry, infantry and mounted infantry.

TERMS OF SERVICE. Great Britain will pay the officers and men from the time they are mustered in, and will, after the war, give them the same pensions paid to the British soldiers. In the event of any of the Canadian contingent being killed or dying on service, the usual pension will be paid dependents. The Canadian Government will only be asked to land the men in Natal or, perhaps, at Delagoa Bay, if the rumored secret agreement for the purchase of Portuguese East Africa be carried out. After the war the contingent will be returned at the expense of the British Government.

GOOD MEN ONLY. As to the number of units, 125 strong, which Canada can furnish, the militia department is making inquiries by telegraph. No man who is not in the best physical condition will be accepted. The men will be put through a strict medical examination as can be devised. The examining physicians will be instructed to be especially careful to detect all cases of short-sightedness, varicose veins, malformations of the foot, ankle and instep that might interfere with marching, and tendencies of lung or heart trouble. All men suffering from any of these qualifications will be immediately rejected.

CAN GET TWO THOUSAND MEN. A high officer of the militia department stated last evening that the department was certain that 2,000 officers and men possessing the best physical qualifications could be enrolled and dispatched to South Africa by Oct. 31, which is the date mentioned by the war office authorities as the latest at which the Canadian contingent will be acceptable.

Last night Lieut.-Col. Pinault, deputy minister of militia, telegraphed the W. E. Sanford Company, of Hamilton, the contractors for militia clothing, ordering them to cease making artillery uniforms, and instructing them to turn out with all speed 2,000 pairs of infantry trousers and 2,000 tunics. This would equip 1,000 men, so that it is sent no less than 1,000 of a contingent.

DATE OF MOBILIZATION. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be in Ottawa on Thursday, and at the cabinet meeting which will be held on that day the minister of militia will present a statement as to the numerical strength of the available officers and men. If, as seems probable, hostilities have already begun, then mobilization will immediately be commenced, and so thoroughly, although quietly, has the militia department been working that it is not expected that it will take more than ten days before the whole force will be mustered, fully armed and equipped, and ready to step on board the transport which the government of Canada will charter.

The transport will sail from Montreal if the war be not averted, about the 22nd or 23rd inst.

Sir Wilfrid's Return. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party left Chicago last night for Ottawa, passing through London by the 10:25 train this forenoon. To an Advertiser representative, the Dominion Premier said that nothing in the way of friendliness towards the Canadian visitors was omitted. Their reception was thoroughly cordial. Not less so was their reception from the large number of Canadians resident in Chicago. Altogether, Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit to Chicago has been both pleasant and successful, and likely to be beneficial in more ways than one.

SHOWERS OF GRASSHOPPERS

The State of Georgia Visited by an Egyptian Plague.

Newnan, Ga., Oct. 11.—Countless millions of grasshoppers fell in great showers over a wide section in the state on Sunday. The insects came down like hail, and many persons were awakened by the patter of their fall on window panes and against doors and roofs. In many places the ground was covered with grasshoppers, some of great size, and the unwelcome visitors soon spread over the farms, playing havoc with everything in the fields.

The grasshoppers are thought to be of the Texas variety, and they came with a stiff wind from the west. Reports from every town between here and West Point, about 50 miles away, say there was a rain of grasshoppers during the night.

In La Grange, Judge Frank Longley heard the hoppers beating against the window, and fired his pistol, thinking burglars were trying to break the glass.

ANOTHER NEW RAILWAY IDEA

Proposed Line Between New York and Cape Breton.

Saving 48 Hours in the Delivery of Mails From Europe—Railway Notes.

New York, Oct. 11.—The Tribune says: Plans are being perfected for the construction of a short railway from Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia, the completion of which, it is said, will make possible a saving of 48 hours in time required for bringing mail from Europe to this port. The line is to be built by the Cape Breton Railway Extension Company (limited), which was incorporated under the act of the Nova Scotia Legislature, passed March 30, 1899, and was organized and opened for business on Sept. 28. It is understood that the interests behind the enterprise are the Vanderbilts, Louisbourg, on the east coast of Cape Breton Island, 2,240 nautical miles from Liverpool, has an excellent harbor, not ice-bound, with a pier having a depth of 12 fathoms for admitting the largest vessels at low water. It is proposed to build a railway from this port, which may be made the western terminus of a line of fast mail carrying British steamships to Hawkesbury, on the Straits of Canada, the company has a capital of \$1,000,000, and is authorized to bond its line to the extent of \$15,000,000.

The trouble between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Intercolonial has been settled by the Intercolonial withdrawing the order which imposed local rates on all freight carried over the Canadian Pacific Railway to St. John.

A locomotive drinks 45 gallons of water every mile it travels.

The Long Island Railroad Company has just issued an order that "all employees in addressing a woman must use the term 'madam,' avoiding the term 'lady,' which is objectionable."

The Grand Trunk Railway system has completed arrangements to build a big brick freight shed in Detroit at the junction of Antoine street and the railroad. It will be 30 feet front and 568 feet deep, and cost \$12,000.

A new railroad is to cross the Holy Land. The proposed capital is \$50,000,000, but no shares will be put up for sale, so it is said, until the line is completed as far as Nazareth. The road will run from Haifa, a seaport town 75 miles south of Beirut, to Damascus, a distance of 142 miles. The project includes an extension to Bagdad and the Persian Gulf.

The railroads entering New York had their passenger facilities taxed on account of the two-day Dewey celebration. The passengers handled by the various lines, according to the estimate of Leonard's Railway News, are as follows: New York Central, 50,000; Pennsylvania, 50,000; Delaware and Hudson, 30,000; Jersey City, 10,000; Erie, 35,000; West Shore, 20,000; Long Island, 20,000.

SONNET BY SWINBURNE

Poem on the Transvaal in London Times.

London, Oct. 11.—The Times this morning prints a sonnet by Swinburne entitled "The Transvaal, Oct. 9, 1899." It reads:

Patience, long sick to death, is dead,  
Too long have sloth and doubt and  
treason bidden us be  
What Cromwell's England was not,  
When the sea  
To him bore witness given, of Blake,  
how strong she stood—  
A commonwealth that brooked no  
wring.  
From foes less vile than men like  
wolves set free,  
Whose war is waged where none may  
fight or flee,  
With woman and with weanlings,  
Speech and song  
Lack utterance now for loathing;  
Scarce we hear  
Foul tongues that blacken God's dis-  
honored name,  
With prayers tuned curses and with  
praise found shame,  
Defy the truth whose witness now  
divers men  
To scourge these dogs as with jaws  
afloat  
Down out of life. Strike, England, and  
strike home!

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## AT-YORK STREET MISSION HALL

A Largely Attended Anniversary Celebration—Pleasing Programme.

A grand musical concert was given in the York Street Mission Hall last evening. The building was crowded to the doors, and many people turned away disappointed because they could not gain admission. The occasion was the anniversary of the building of the hall, and the receipts were in aid of the Sabbath-school. Mr. Thomas McCormick presided and delivered a brief address. Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church, also spoke. The programme introduced by the chairman, included selections by the mission choir, Mr. Quick's Harp Quartet, Club, Moyer's Musical Society (Bar) recitations by Misses Nellie Martin, Nellie and Lizzie Dean, and vocal numbers by the Big Four, Mr. A. B. Imrie, accompanied by Miss Fowler, Miss Elizabeth Jones, Miss Bella Clarke, Miss Lillie Clark, the Misses Dean, Wm. Hea and John Mullins. Mrs. John H. Chapman, Imrie brothers, Mr. J. Clark, accompanied by Mr. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, John Williams, Mr. Fowler and Mr. A. B. Imrie, Misses Wilson, Miss Wilson and Mr. Fred Riley.

## NEW OFFICERS OF THE W. C. T. U.

Important Meeting of the Local Union—Delegates to Provincial Convention.

At the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Tuesday afternoon, the new president, Mrs. McDermid, occupied the chair. After the opening devotional exercises, conducted by Mrs. T. B. Escott, the following officers were elected: Honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. (Rev.) R. Johnston, Mrs. (Rev.) Claris, Mrs. (Dr.) Saunders, Mrs. (Rev.) Harris; assistant recording secretary, Mrs. (Dr.) McKim. The superintendents of departments are as follows: Hygiene, heredity and social purity, Dr. A. Jameson; franchise, Mrs. N. Weekes; evangelistic, Mrs. Robertson; fair work, Mrs. Darch; temperance in Sunday schools, Mrs. Douglas; flower mission, Mrs. Cahill; unfettered wine, Mrs. Henderson; Woman's Journal, Mrs. Rea; work among lumbermen, Messames Ager and Patterson; systematic giving, Mrs. Tennant; Lord's Day observance, Mrs. (Rev.) T. S. Johnson; work among the poor, Mrs. (Rev.) T. S. Johnson; industrial school, Miss Tantot; East London Band of Hope, Mrs. Henderson; South London Band of Hope, Mrs. Weld; West London Band of Hope, Mrs. Scollie; and Saunby literature, Mrs. Plew and Miss Burgess; pianist, Mrs. Noble.

The following ladies were appointed as delegates to the provincial convention to be held in Quebec, Nov. 31: Messames McDermid, White, Wright, Darch, Johnson, Asplint and Miss McEvoy.

Mrs. (Rev.) T. S. Johnson read a paper on the "Art of Rearing Children to be Honest," which was followed by an interesting discussion.

ONTARIO'S CROPS.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The deputy minister of agriculture, Toronto, has written the state department that the crop condition of Ontario is not so bad as reported by United States Consul Seyfert, of Stratford. Mr. James says that the crops, on the whole, have been fully up to the average, the only exception being fall wheat, which suffered from the severity of last winter.

A DUMFOUNDED EDITOR.

In an article by the late James Payn, the novelist and magazine editor, published in The Youth's Companion, occurs the following diverting story:

"On several occasions I had had some very bright sketches of country life from a young sportsman who, although he was mostly on horseback, seemed to have eyes about him for other things than horses and hounds; then he sent me a short story of military life, a little erring, as was to be expected in a postscript, upon the side of fastness—too much clear-smoking and too much brandy and sodas—but very graphic and entertaining. As my people were mostly military, it interested me more, it interested them—which it was rather difficult for any story-teller to do—and thereby proved its genuine character."

"I was rather pleased when the young fellow wrote that he was coming up to town to see me, and I made him an appointment for that purpose. At the hour arranged for I was annoyed by my confidential clerk bringing in a card with 'Miss Norman' on it. I said, 'I do not know that lady, and she is not one of our people who have not an introduction.'"

"She is very ladylike, sir," he answered, "and pretty."

"It was a wrong remark for him to make, of course, since it almost suggested that good looks were a passport which should be reserved for true merit, but I said I could give her two minutes."

"Accordingly she was ushered into the hall of audience, an apartment, by the bye, on the third floor, and always in a state of utter. She was comely enough, but I at once explained to her that my time was precious, and that I had made an appointment for that very hour. You will show Mr. Marchmont up, when he comes, at once, I added to the clerk, with significance."

"But I am Mr. Marchmont," said the lady.

"You might have knocked me down with a feather. Nothing she had written had given me the least hint of her being of the fair sex; nay, what to my mind have done away with all suspicion, had I entertained any, was that she had always taken my alterations in her sketches with the greatest good nature. As a rule, if you venture to hint that this or that falls short of excellence in a lady's contribution, she is surprised, and by no means pleased. Any other fault she could have imagined in her composition, but you must excuse her remarking—the paragraph in question was written with particular care, and if excised the whole article would be spoiled. Miss Norman has acquiesced in every suggestion, and never remonstrated, even at a deletion."

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The Maritime Express will leave Montreal, except on Saturday, at 7:30 p.m., for Halifax, St. John, N. B., and points in the Maritime Provinces. It will run on Saturday to Lévis only, stopping at St. Lawrence and other points.

The Maritime Express from Halifax, St. John and other points east, will arrive at Montreal daily, except Monday, at 5:30 p.m. The Monday train will be from Lévis and intermediate points.

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the ultimatum, and also of the British acknowledgment, which reached Pretoria, so speedily as to justify a belief that the war party in Great Britain, while welcoming an act which has deprived the country of all peaceful alternatives, and given it the great superlative advantage to be derived from the fact that the adversary has voluntarily assumed the stigma of virtually declaring war, was eagerly awaiting its chance.

KRUGER'S ADVICE. Pretoria, Oct. 10.—(Delayed in transmission.)—President Kruger's birthday was announced this morning with a salute in camp and a general display of flags throughout the town. There was no official reception, but the foreign representatives called upon the president.

In the course of the morning, addressing a body of burghers who called immediately before setting out for the front, the president impressed upon them that they must not trust in their own strength, but should place all their reliance upon God, who directs every bulwark.

## VOICE OF THE PRESS

On the Boers' Ultimatum and Its Effect.

AN INFATUATED STEF.

The editorials on the ultimatum this morning reflect the indignation that is popularly felt against the Boers.

The Times thinks that the Transvaal's "infatuated step" will be received with profound regret by a great majority of the British people. It says: "Hope of a peaceful settlement is deliberately quenched by the Boers."

WANTON ACTION. The government at Pretoria. Such a dispatch addressed to us by the mightiest of sovereign international states must have led immediately to war. It is hung down to us by a petty republic to which we stand in the relation of the paramount power. In tone and substance alike, the document is one of

STUDIED INSOLENT DEFIANCE. The men who drafted and sanctioned it were bent on deciding the controversy by the sword and by the sword it must now be decided. We have labored long and strenuously for a diplomatic solution, but the rulers of the republic have snatched the last frail thread of negotiation from us. Upon them and their country must fall the consequences of their act. They have declared war upon the British Empire and must pay the penalty of their aggression.

THE ANSWER TO KRUGER. The Times, discussing Great Britain's reply to the ultimatum, says: "There is reason to believe that President Kruger will get his answer this morning. It will be the only kind of answer compatible with the dignity or even the self-respect of a great nation. It will acknowledge with the cold civility we owe ourselves the receipt of Secretary Retz's dispatch briefly expressing our regret that Her Majesty's government at the contents of the document, and inform the authors that the government of this country has no further communication to make to them."

"We shall neither recognize the dispatch nor any subsequent papers issued from Pretoria, as a formal declaration of war, nor shall we make a formal declaration of war ourselves. In the event of that kind are not issued or requisite except between sovereign international states, and we have constantly denied, and still deny, that the Transvaal possesses the status of such a state. Timely announcement of this fact may possibly save a certain number of impulsive sympathizers with the Transvaal from placing themselves in awkward and embarrassing predicaments."

NO GETTING AWAY FROM THE ISSUE.

The Daily News, a Liberal organ, which throughout the trouble has been more moderate than most of the newspapers, declares that the Transvaal's dispatch as most preposterous, not to say arrogant. It says that:

"President Kruger has declared war because he preferred to do so rather than accept the peaceful settlement proposed in the British note of Sept. 3. There is no getting away from this plain, simple issue."

The Daily News assumes that the British Government will not notice the ultimatum.

SLAMMED THE DOOR.

The Daily Telegraph says: "President Kruger has slammed the door with all the violence of infuriated folly. It is difficult to decide whether the insolence of the preposterous missive from Alexander the copper-smith to Alexander the Great, or its gross inaccuracies, is more remarkable. President Kruger decided to celebrate his birthday in a fashion which will bring his republic clattering down upon his head. One doubts whether to laugh or weep over the mountainous bank performance. The dispatch bristles with falsehoods, as a porcupine bristles with quills. There can be but one answer, or better still, no answer. The government must put its hand to the sword, and must thrust it home."

BLAMES CHAMBERLAIN.

The Chronicle, which is a pro-Boer organ, accuses Mr. Chamberlain of having committed the error to what is in all intent and purposes civil war after five months of hearty, dignified and ineffectual negotiation.

## General Cable News.

WELL-KNOWN TRAVELER KILLED.

Mombasa, East Africa, Oct. 11.—A report has reached here that Dr. Kolb, well-known German traveler, has been killed near Lake Rudolf by a rhinoceros.

CHURCH CONGRESS.







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An Enthusiastic Reception to  
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A Torchlight Procession—The Muni-  
cipal Council and Board of Trade Pre-  
sent Addresses—Mr. Sutherland's  
Grateful Reply—All Political Differ-  
ences Sunk for the Time Being.

Probably never before in the history of Woodstock has there been a scene of such a demonstration as was witnessed there last night at the reception of Hon. James Sutherland, the newly-appointed cabinet minister. Nearly every inhabitant of Woodstock was on the street. Poor men were there, and wealthy; men; artisans; farmers; and all sorts of people were as enthusiastic as Liberals—a crowd of various social stations and of opposite political opinion, but on this occasion being united in the common desire of doing honor to the man whose worth has been proven by long years of municipal and national labors, and has been recognized by the government in his elevation to the privy council.

The reception was worthy of the man. As the 7:14 train pulled into the Canadian Pacific Railway station, cheers of welcome from thousands of throats rent the air. The waving motion of the sea of torches, and the showering of rockets, told the expectant crowds further up the street that the minister had arrived. He was met by Mayor McNichol, E. W. Norris, and Rev. J. C. Farthing, chairman of the reception committee, who escorted him to his carriage. The procession was then quickly organized. It was led by the band of the Oxford Rifles, and then came the carriage containing the honorable minister and Rev. Mr. Farthing, Mr. Nesbitt and Mayor McNichol, which was escorted by the local firemen.

The boys of the Collegiate Institute and the Woodstock Baptist College were next in line, being followed by the reception committee, the town and county council, and prominent citizens in carriages. The employees of the several factories completed the procession. The citizens along the course of the procession had vied with each other in producing effects worthy of the occasion. This was especially noticeable on Van Ness street, with its long rows of gorgeous-hued maples, its many Chinese lanterns swung from branch to branch, and from house to house, and the trees and the torches, the brilliant fireworks, the glimmering lanterns, and the excited, ever-moving throngs, translated the street into fairy-land.

AT THE RINK.  
The scene in the Canterbury street rink, where the addresses were presented, was a noteworthy one. A standing multitude covered every inch of floor space. On either side the galleries were thronged by the ladies of Woodstock. High above on the beams and girders of the roof, clung the more active boys, and from the top of the crowd had forced from below, while behind and above those on the platform were draped immense Union Jacks. As chairman of the reception committee, Rev. Mr. Farthing presided, upon his right being the guest of honor, Hon. Mr. Sutherland, and on his left Mayor McNichol. Other gentlemen seated upon the platform were Mr. Andrew Tait, M.P.P. for South Oxford; Rev. Dr. McMillen, Town Clerk Morrison, Malcolm Douglas, R. N. Ball, Robert Whitlaw, John White, George Ethen, H. Powell, W. Kerr, Major McKee, James Hamilton, D. W. Kerr, Major Knight, Dr. McLeay, J. G. Wallace, A. Switzer, A. McIntosh and R. C. Crawford.

As the gentlemen on the stage were seated, cheer after cheer resounded through the rink, and it was only after some minutes that the chairman succeeded in making himself heard. He said that on behalf of the citizens of Woodstock, irrespective of political opinions, he had but one thought to express, and that was, that they all joined in congratulating Mr. Sutherland and themselves upon his elevation to the cabinet. They were proud to think that a Woodstock boy, one who had lived among them, had gained his wealth among them, and who had, by his own worth and perseverance, raised himself to the highest position in the gift of the Dominion Government. When the cabinet was first struck, the thought in the mind of everyone was one of regret that Mr. Sutherland's name was not on the list. It has since been learned that it was among the first number, and it was only on account of a noble act of self-sacrifice on his part that he had not then been made a member of the cabinet. That act served but to raise him in the estimation of the citizens of Woodstock, and it was but right that at the first opportunity he should gain his reward for his renunciation. The speaker went on to say that the same practical common sense that Mr. Sutherland had first shown in Woodstock in earlier days would adorn the cabinet council. They were delighted at the honor shown him, and they were patriotic Canadians, and if, at this time, there should be any ill-natured remarks concerning him—should there be

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any of the malignant attacks so often made upon public men, and which retard progress, and degrade this country in the eyes of the world—then, he added, the demonstration which he had seen that evening might be a solace to him, because it showed the heartfelt pleasure with which the Woodstock citizens noted his elevation.

### THE ADDRESSES.

The chairman then called upon Mayor McNichol to read the illuminated address of welcome from the town council. It read:  
"To the Hon. James Sutherland:  
"The municipal council of the town of Woodstock take this the first opportunity since your becoming a member of the Dominion Cabinet, to mark the occasion by tendering to you, on behalf of the citizens of Woodstock, this address, as a slight recognition of the valuable services you have rendered not only to this constituency, but to the whole country as well."

"The faithful performance of your public duties during your twenty years of service in the parliament of Canada, as the representative of this constituency, gives us an assurance that you, as privy councillor, will devote yourself to the interests of this Dominion, her Majesty the Queen, and the great empire of which we form an important part."

"We also desire to remind you on this occasion of our appreciation of the important part you have taken in the public affairs of this town, and the devotion manifested by you on every matter that has had to do with the well-being and advancement of this community, and trust that this address will be to you an assurance that your public services have been appreciated, as well as an evidence of the respect and esteem in which you are held by the people whose representative you have been for so many years."

"As Canadians, we are proud of the fact that native-born citizens are now holding positions of great responsibility in the government of the country, and we are assured, honorable sir, that you in the important position that you are called upon to fill, will bring honor to this Dominion, the brightest gem in the greatest empire the world ever knew."

"We also desire to express the hope that you may long be spared to assist in advancing the progress and prosperity of our beloved Dominion, and in the upbuilding of a nationality that may be honored and respected by the nations of the world."

"Signed on behalf of the corporation, B. McNICHOL, Mayor."  
"JOHN MORRISON, Clerk."

Then the honorable minister was presented with the following address from the Woodstock Board of Trade:  
"To the Honorable James Sutherland, Privy Councillor:

"Dear Sir:—In common with your constituents, the members of the Woodstock Board of Trade embrace this early opportunity of congratulating you on your elevation to a position in the executive council of her Majesty's government in Canada."

"That this prominence has in no way been the result of personal ambition or political strategy, those best acquainted with you can well understand, and it is all the more pleasing to this board that your personal worth and your conspicuous abilities have found recognition."

"That your friends in all sections of the country may be afforded the opportunity of evincing their appreciation of executive foresight, we look for a more fitting occasion to manifest our approval of the high honor conferred upon you."

"In the meantime, allow us, dear sir, to extend to you, our sincere wishes that you may be long spared to further usefulness in this, your native country, and in the affairs of state, to take that larger share of direction consistent with your recognized abilities."

"With this expression of our pleasure in your justly deserved prominence, on behalf of the Woodstock Board of Trade, we are, dear sir, your obedient servants."

"G. DE C. O'GRADY, President;  
"J. G. WALLACE, Secretary."

MR. SUTHERLAND'S RESPONSE.  
As Mr. Sutherland rose to reply a little girl walked forward and handed to him a magnificent bouquet of roses. The audience went wild in its enthusiasm. The band struck up "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and the chorus was echoed and re-echoed by a thousand many-throated voices at length the excitement had subsided, Mr. Sutherland said that he would not be a man were he not affected by such a reception, and he begged to be allowed to return to them his heartfelt thanks. In reply to the addresses that he had received, he could assure them that he deeply appreciated the kindly sentiments that they evinced. He might have said something in regard to his early life and to the progress of Woodstock, but as he remembered that those before him had been standing for long hours, he would simply thank them for their good kindness to him. He might say, however, that he was proud to remember that he and Mr. T. H. Parker had organized the Woodstock Board of Trade, which had since proven such a factor in the development of the town. As an instance of Canada's growth in trade since that time he might mention that in the export of cheese in 1904, the export of cheese from Canada amounted to \$500,000, while at the present time it was \$17,500,000, and he had no doubt that Oxford county had a large share of that trade. He thought that the present was an occasion of which all the people of Canada should be proud; an occasion when all party feelings were dropped, and which proved that the present was a correct personal and political differences when the time demands it. In relation to his new office he might say that he accepted it rather reluctantly, doing so more on account of his riding being desirous of it, and the evening's demonstration convinced him that this judgment was right. There was no ill-feeling that he was aware of in connection with his last election, although it was fought with all the energy needful at such times.

Referring to the industries of manufacturing, of mining and of agriculture, the speaker believes that Canada should be ready for great conditions and should study development, in order to act according to conditions as they exist, and looking at the magnitude of Canada's resources. He believes that the country was an excellent of future wealth and happiness.

Referring again to his reception, Mr. Sutherland said that whatever honor he could assure them that the greatest honor is that he has the esteem and confidence of the people of Oxford, representing as they do nobility and integrity in politics, and this would inspire him with the highest ideals and the noblest aspirations in his new position. He thanked the press most heartily for the kind notices of his elevation in the government. He him-

self had read nothing in the papers against it, and if such statements were written it was best to think whence they came and attach no significance to them. He again thanked the citizens from the bottom of his heart for their kind and generous reception.

The meeting closed with three cheers for the Queen, the band afterwards playing the National Anthem.

## SOME RECORDS GET SMASHED

Unique Performance on the  
Lexington Race Course.

Some Fast Wheeling Done at  
Brockton, Mass.

J. Boyd, Steeplechaser, Killed on  
the Hawthorne Track.

Philadelphians Make a Poor Showing  
in Their Cricket Match With  
the English Team.

### TURF.

**JOCKEY KILLED.**  
Chicago, Oct. 10.—J. Boyd, a well-known steeplechase rider, was killed at Hawthorne yesterday. In the third race, a steeplechase, Boyd had the mount on Globe II, and as the horses swung toward the fence, Boyd swerved with the swing, with the intention of crowding Cheesemate out of the course. He succeeded, but Globe II. crashed against the wings of the hurdle, and turned a complete somersault, colliding with and knocking down Three Forks and crushing Boyd so badly that he died while being conveyed to a hospital.

**AT LEXINGTON.**  
Lexington, Ky., Oct. 11.—In yesterday's races a world's record was broken in the first heat of the Ashland stake, which was regarded as a two-horse race between Tommy Britton and Peter the Great. In the first heat Peter and Britton showed the greatest speed ever seen in a public race, when they trotted head and head the half-mile in 1:01 1/4, with the second quarter in 12 3/4.

**Summary:**  
2:10 class, pacing; purse \$1,000:  
Belle Boy ..... 2 3 2 1 1 2 1  
Little Thorn ..... 10 1 1 2 3 3 2  
Fairview ..... 3 4 8 3 5 10  
Time—2:14 1/4, 2:11 1/2, 2:12, 2:07 1/2, 2:12 1/2, 2:11.  
Stock farm, purse, trotting; foals of 187; purse \$3,000:  
Endow ..... 1 1  
Nervana ..... 3 2  
Major Delmar ..... 2 4  
Time—2:13, 2:17 1/2.

2:07 class, pacing; purse \$1,500:  
Eyelet ..... 1 1 1  
Arlington ..... 2 2 2  
Dartel ..... 3 3 4  
Time—2:07 1/2, 2:08, 2:08.

**The Ashland, 2:10 trot; \$2,000:**  
Donatella ..... 4 3 1 1 1  
Peter the Great ..... 2 1 2 5 2  
Tommy Britton ..... 1 2 5 4 3  
Time—2:09 1/4, 2:12 1/2, 2:12 1/2, 2:12 1/2, 2:13.  
2:13 class, trotting; purse \$1,000:  
Phrase ..... 1 1 1  
Slipway ..... 2 2 2  
Baron Bell ..... 3 4  
Time—2:14 1/4, 2:14 1/2, 2:14 1/2.

**WINDSOR RACES.**  
Windsor Race Track, Ont., Oct. 11.—Yesterday's races resulted as follows:  
First race, 3/4-mile, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Ole Brooks 1, Iris 2, Perseus 3.  
Second race, 5 1/4 furlongs, 2-year-olds, selling—Pharaoh 1, Lizzie McCarthy 2, Cariboo 3. Time, 1:08.  
Third race, Rancheo del Paso stakes, Eclipse course—Compensation 1, Branch 2, Rosy Morn 3. Time, 1:46.  
Fourth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Albert 1, Lela 2, The Grinder 3. Time, 1:35 1/4.

Fifth race, selling, Withers, 1 mile—Corlis 1, Sister Alice 2, Lady of the West 3. Time, 1:27 1/4.  
Sixth race, handicap, Withers race—George H. Ketcham 1, Wm. Laurier 2, Nekarna 3. Time, 1:14.  
**WINNERS ON OTHER TRACKS.**  
Morris Park, N. Y.—Vast Not, Belle of Memphis, Brigadier, Leandro, Scotch Plaid and Cernero.  
Hawthorne, Chicago—Lew Gilmore, Miss Linah, George, Croesus, Found and Hagerdon.  
Latonia, Cincinnati—Dominos, Solent, Allie Bell, Anna Bain, Gold Fox and Necklace.  
Oakland, Cal.—Midlove, Midlity, Pat Morrissey, Opponent and Montelade.

**RACING IN ENGLAND.**  
London, Oct. 10.—At the first day's racing of the Newmarket second October meeting today, Blare won the Trial stakes; Ma Jeannette and Queen's Wake were second and third respectively. Eight horses ran 6 furlongs.  
Tod Sloan won the Nursery plate on Pedemore; Arder was second, and Lella finished third. Eighteen horses ran.  
Mr. W. Lowe's brown colt Elopement won the Clearwell stakes; Mahdi finished second. Sloan failed to secure a place. Seven horses ran.  
The Newmarket Oaks, of 55 sovereigns, was won by Gadfly; Mattie was second, and Landrail, ridden by Martin, finished third, in a field of five.

**WHEEL.**  
**RECORDS BROKEN.**  
Brockton, Mass., Oct. 10.—Both Eddie McDuffee and Ben Monroe broke world's records at the track here today.

day, McDuffee lowering the time of from one to five miles, and Monroe from one to twenty-three miles. McDuffee rode his first two miles in 2:58 and his last mile in 1:21. This was the first ride of two miles under three minutes ever made by a rider.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE—TUESDAY.**  
At Brooklyn—R. H. E. New York ..... 5 9 3 Brooklyn ..... 5 5 3 Seymour and Wagner; McJames and Donovan and McGuire.  
At Baltimore—Baltimore ..... 5 9 2 Washington ..... 5 5 3 Called at the end of the 6th on account of darkness. Nops, Smith and Crisham; Weyhing and Kilbridge.  
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia ..... 0 8 5 Boston ..... 6 7 1 Donohue and McFarland; Lewis and Sullivan.

**FOR THE FANS.**  
The New Yorks were one of the easiest teams for the Boston to beat, the latter players winning 12 of the 14 games and scoring 90 runs, against 40 runs for the New York men.  
By winning the last four games of the season, the Pittsburghs succeeded in breaking even with St. Louis, each club winning seven games. Tebeau's men scored 68 runs and Pittsburgh 66 runs.

**CURLING.**  
**THE FOREST CITY CLUB.**  
The Forest City Curling Club will organize for the season at the annual meeting to be held at the Teomsh House on Thursday night.

**CRICKET.**  
**ENGLISH TEAM WON.**  
Philadelphia, Oct. 11.—The gentlemen of Philadelphia made a miserable showing in the last game against Prince Ranjitsingh's English eleven. The game ended yesterday, the visitors winning by 131 runs, and with an inning to spare. The prince's bowlers seemed to have the local batsmen at their mercy. The Englishmen made 383 in one inning and the Americans 232 in two innings.

**FEATHER-WEIGHT FIGHTS.**  
New York, Oct. 11.—Eddie Santry, of Chicago, knocked out Ben Jordan, the feather-weight champion of England, in 16 rounds at the Lenox A. C. last night.

**ONE ROUND SETTLED IT.**  
Chicago, Oct. 10.—It took Terry McGovern about one minute to decide his encounter with Billy Rochester, of Chicago, at Tattersalls, last night. The contest was utterly one-sided. They were scheduled to go six rounds.

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Already the American press is ringing with eulogies of Sir Wilfrid's address. The Detroit News, in an editorial headed "Laurier's Clever Speech," pays him this just and graceful compliment: "The speech that created the greatest enthusiasm at Chicago was not made by the President of the United States. Neither was it made by the eloquent toastmaster, the mayor of the city, the governor of the state, the senator from Illinois. It came from the lips of the Premier of Canada, and one might say of it that few men who have said so little ever said it more gracefully. It is hardly fair to apply the ordinary tests of oratory to an address of this kind, unless we apply the sole test of Demosthenes—delivery. Men who have dined well do not care for great erudition or profound argument. They are indifferent to logic, and on the whole prefer to be flattered rather than lectured at." The Premier of Canada, a Frenchman fortuitously placed at the head of a great English colony, combined business and pleasure so adroitly as any man could be expected to do it upon an occasion of the kind.

"Obviously Canada has more to gain through friendly relations with the United States than the United States have to gain through friendly relations with Canada, and without rendering any of his self-respect or seeking to fawn upon the greater power, Sir Wilfrid accepted as his task the duty of furthering these friendly relations so far as the thing could be done in a half-hour address. How far he succeeded with his audience is shown by the great applause with which his speech was greeted."

"It is an interesting fact that the man who described so eloquently the ties that unite the United States and England, who glorified the common race, the common language, the common literature and the common institutions, is a British subject only by the accident of birth. There is not a drop of the much-vaunted Anglo-Saxon blood in his veins. Even the common language, which he glorified and which he speaks so eloquently, is a foreign tongue to him. The bonds that unite him and his own people to England are not those of language, speech, custom or religion. Even the ties that bind the colony to the mother country are so loose that there is no provocation for severing them. But for all that, nobody can object to his trading in the interests of a new nation that has grown up to the north of us, upon the friendship that has brought England and the United States closer together than they ever were before."

"The hands may be the hands of Great Britain, but the voice is the voice of Canada; and if Sir Wilfrid Laurier does not secure to his own people the brightest of American friendship, it will not be said that he failed because he possessed no fitness for the work in hand."

The Chicago Tribune also says: "The warm welcome given to Premier Laurier and Minister Maribell by the Chicago people is as sincere as it is spontaneous. It springs from the friendly goodwill of the Americans for their national neighbors. As Sir Wilfrid says, the friction of an occasional boundary dispute cannot mar the deep sense of mutual respect and esteem that exists on both sides of the line. The large Canadian contingent in Chicago is a proof of the close kinship of race and ideas between two countries. The premier and his fellow-officials are not strangers in a strange land, but friends among friends. Chicago has welcomed them in this spirit, and the nation, as a whole, appreciates the honor of their visit."

## Our Prison Systems.

At the convention of the National Prison Association, held in Hartford, Conn., a great deal of discussion centered on the theory of indeterminate sentences and everything went to show that the idea is taking deep root. It was the consensus of opinion that wise labor schemes, technical training, trade teaching, thorough protection of society from the professional criminal and kindred methods for improving prison discipline would fail of their purpose without the indeterminate sentence. Dropping out the minimum of a sentence was good so far as it went, but every experiment went to show that when all reference to the maximum term shall be omitted likewise, the prisoner will first awake to the full responsibilities before him. The indeterminate sentence also finds a strong advocate in Rev. J. W. Hensley, for

ten years chaplain of Clerkenwell prison, one of the largest in England. In a recent interview he said:

"At present, when a man has 'done his time,' as the phrase goes, he is set at liberty, although he may be as noxious as ever, bragging of evil deeds he intends to commit. Every day habitual criminals are let loose upon society, when everybody knows perfectly well that they never mean to do anything except prey upon their fellows. I have known thieves, who on leaving prison have immediately committed burglaries, which have been prepared for them by their associates while they themselves were in prison. It is obvious that this state of things is most absurd. Nobody thinks of discharging a patient from a hospital simply because he has been there so many weeks, without any reference to his state of health. Why, then, should criminals be discharged without any reference to their fitness for the life of an ordinary decent citizen?"

In Canada the present Minister of Justice has identified himself with the cause of prison reform by introducing the ticket-of-leave system. It is only in recent years that the idea is gaining ground that punishment is not an end but a means—the possible means of redeeming the prisoner. The enlightened conception is behind modern efforts to construct prison systems on a more effective and scientific basis.

## Growth of Canadian Manufactures.

The Canadian Manufacturer for October presents a very interesting and comprehensive record of Canadian trade since Confederation, prepared specially for the Manufacturer by Mr. George Johnson, the Dominion statistician. The record deals entirely with exports, particularly in relation to the products of the factory and workshop. The exports of Canada in the 31 years from June 30, 1868, to June 30, 1898, have amounted to \$2,464,277,239. The mother country in this period has taken \$1,260,565,563, or more than one-half. The United States has taken \$955,000,000.

British purchases from Canada have grown from \$48,000,000 in 1868 to \$93,000,000 in 1898. American purchases from Canada were \$23,000,000 in 1868, increasing to \$41,700,000 in 1898. Since then they have been declining, being only \$34,400,000 last year.

To show the great increase of our exports in staple lines, the following table is given:

|                 | 1868.      | 1898.        |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|
| Cheese .....    | \$ 620,543 | \$17,572,763 |
| Butter .....    | 1,638,042  | 2,046,086    |
| Flour .....     | 2,234,483  | 5,425,760    |
| Wool .....      | 12,506,434 | \$2,637,749  |
| Ships .....     | 837,592    | 191,069      |
| Other mfrs..... | 2,331,193  | \$304,296    |

Total .....

The average increase in these lines in 31 years has been 17.2 per cent.

The exports of Canadian manufactures last year are set down at \$31,179,113 as compared with \$15,675,274 in 1898. Many new export lines have been developed by Canadian manufacturers in the past 31 years, including agricultural implements, bicycles, clothing,

cottons, musical instruments, sewing machines and woollens. This shows that Canada has gained a substantial foothold in the markets of the world. The greatest success has been attained in the manufacture of wood. The growth of the exports of carriages, agricultural implements and musical instruments, notwithstanding the difficulties connected with the successful manufacture of these articles, suggests that the development of exports in these lines will be much more rapid when once we are able to supply ourselves with all our wants in iron and steel through the development in Canada of the iron industry, to which capital is now applying itself with great earnestness.

The development of the wood-pulp industry is an instance of rapid growth. It is seen in the following table of exports:

|            |           |
|------------|-----------|
| 1890 ..... | \$ 80,005 |
| 1891 ..... | 183,198   |
| 1892 ..... | 219,458   |
| 1893 ..... | 356,092   |
| 1894 ..... | 547,217   |
| 1895 ..... | 530,874   |
| 1896 ..... | 675,777   |
| 1897 ..... | 741,959   |
| 1898 ..... | 1,210,421 |

The returns for the year ended June 30, 1899, show an export of \$1,275,820. The census returns for the census year 1890-91 showed that in April, 1891, there were 24 pulp mills in operation throughout Canada with a capital of \$2,500,000. Recent returns give the number at 25 and the capital about \$10,000,000. The mills of 1891 employed about 1,000 hands, and produced somewhat over \$1,000,000 worth, the export of which was under \$200,000. The exportable surplus is now considerably more than the whole production of 1891. The mills of today have a capacity of more than 1,200 tons daily.

The Dominion statistician concludes that "on the threshold of wide application of our unrivaled water power to the production of electricity, we will be able in the near future to develop the export of other manufactures as well as to increase with even greater rapidity than in the past those for which we have proved that we possess a natural aptitude."

Laurier's sunny smile was in evidence at Chicago.

Can anyone tell what has become of a man named Dreyfus, late of Devil's Island?

Rev. Dr. Dickson, of Galt, does not disapprove of courting in Christian Endeavor Societies, but, on the contrary, would like to see more of it. To which the young people doubtless say Amen!

Another attempt to aid in solving the domestic help problem is being made in New York. The Clara de Hirsch Home for Working Girls has been converted into a training school for domestic service. Girls are given a nine month's course, and receive di-

plomas on graduating. The results have, it is said, exceeded the most sanguine expectations, as shown by the extraordinary demand for "graduates," who are snapped up eagerly at rates of pay far higher than girls of the same class can obtain in any other calling open to them. The "graduates" also find their value in the matrimonial market vastly enhanced.

The Vancouver World has just entered on the twelfth year of its existence. Mr. McLagan has built up a splendid property in the World, which is one of the most representative of Canadian journals. May it pass many more milestones!

The Peeter Lloyd, of Vienna, says Great Britain's kindness to the Transvaal is the kindness of the cook who gave the poultry the option of being boiled or roasted. A better comparison would be that the Transvaal has run blindly on the knife.

## What Others Say.

Toronto's Share.

[Toronto Star.] Of the 59 lawyers made Q.C.'s 19 are from this city, and still, it is said, that the Ontario Government does nothing for Toronto.

When Wealth Is Weak.

[Winnipeg Free Press.] Sir Thomas Lipton's income is said to be \$750 a minute. And yet he knows what it is to be unable to raise the wind.

Dewey's Bankrupt Vocabulary.

[Toronto Telegram.] "Words fail me," says George Dewey, and thus proclaims himself no true American, for a genuine son of the United States would soon run short of language.

The Falling-Off Period.

[Victoria Colonist.] A great falling off in the use of bicycles is reported from all parts of America. The "bike" has ceased to be a plaything and become a convenience. Hence it has ceased to be a fad.

Hear, Hear!

[Springfield (Mass.) Republican.] All boundary disputes should be arbitrated if the respective nations cannot agree upon a true divisional line. It is impossible to see in this Venezuelan award any discouragement to settling in a like manner the Alaskan boundary. The gain from this peaceful method of composing quarrels over mere land titles is so immense, as compared with the waste and slaughter of war or the growth of national hatreds, that the world must finally accept it without reservation.

The World's Wheat Supply.

[Ottawa Citizen.] If to the aggregate stocks in the United States and Canada and in Europe and abroad there are added the 4,400,000 bushels of wheat reported as held in Australia and the 2,250,000 bushels similarly held in Argentina, a world's visible supply aggregate of 146,354,000 bushels is obtained, an increase of slightly more than 17,000,000 bushels during the month, an amount double what was held one year ago at this date, and 50,000,000 bushels larger than on Oct. 1, 1897.

A Blow at Missions.

[Ottawa Journal.] By secularizing all schools Japan has hit Christian missions a hard blow. The movement is very diplomatic on Japan's part, as it will practically drive the missionaries out of the country without drawing the fire of the Christian nations. The chief hold of the missionaries upon the natives are the mission schools and colleges. Without these converts are hard to keep, and the preparing of native teachers next to impossible. If the schools and colleges are continued without religious teaching the churches in Europe and America will doubtless decline to contribute. Missionary societies will have something to talk about.

The Holy Family Found.

[London Chronicle.] The British postman generally manages to deliver a letter at its destination, however deficient the address. But "The Holy Family, Grosvenor Square," did, the other day, baffle the resources of the postman on that beat. He showed himself, as one likes to think, something of a democrat and a wag in his way when he wrote across the envelope, "No Holy Family in Grosvenor Square." The adventures of the undelivered missive are of less importance, but in the end it is satisfactory to say the delivery department had its triumph. Try 31, Farn street," wrote a high official, and, sure enough, at the Church of the Jesuits, in the purlieus of Grosvenor Square, a "confraternity of the Holy Family" was found to have a claim to the wildly wandering missive.

## Light and Shade.

"You say that the defendant turned and whistled to the dog. What followed?" "Why," said the witness, innocently, "the dog."

"Hello, Smith; suppose a man marries his first wife's step-sister's aunt, what relation is he to her?" "First wife—um—step-aunt—er—let me see; I don't know." Bright Fellow—He's her husband!"

"What! That ridiculous Mme. de Rebondy dares to order a hat like mine? Tell her when you deliver it that the one I bought is for my grand-mother."

"I am now," said the barkeeper, as he took the seedy gentleman by the collar, "going to kick you down the street."

"If you please," said the seedy gentleman, resignedly, "would it be any more trouble to kick me up the street, as that is the direction in which I am going?"

Old Gentleman—Don't you think you've been coming to see my daughter long enough? Young Man—Too long, I fear, sir. Why, she wants to marry me!

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Just now we're very busy in all these departments, the cadence of the autumn quickstep has been taken up, and October marks the swing that will move on till the winter holidays are over.

This week we're having a sort of Triple Alliance Sale of

## Clothing, Crockery, Boots and Shoes.

## Clothing Department.

For want of space we are going out of Men's Clothing, and offer the whole stock at reduced prices. Ulsters, Overcoats and Suits, all made to our own order, by the best clothing house in Canada, for the present fall and winter trade—not an old garment in the lot. This clothing sale should make the Big Store famous for providing seasonable and up-to-date garments at less than wholesale prices, and at the very time when clothing is most needed.

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Printed Dinner Sets, in brown and green, 97 pieces, per set .....\$4 39

Printed Toilet Sets, in pink, blue and brown, per set .....\$1 49

Plain White China Tea Sets, stippled edge and handles, 40 pieces, per set .....\$2 89

60 dozen 6-inch Ironstone China Plain White Plates, good value, for 50c a dozen, only .....30c

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The aim of this department is to make friends and keep them by giving good reliable footwear. We are now fully prepared to meet every demand for fall and winter. The stock includes every worthy style in Shoes for men, women and children; only the most reliable qualities are represented, with prices less than the customer's way more than ever.

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Women's Vici Kid, welt soles, in Opera, Minto and all the new lasts, lace and button, at \$2 50, \$2 75, \$3 00 and .....\$3 50

Women's American-made Shoes, in lace and button, .....\$2 75 and \$3 50

Men's Boston Calf, laced and congress, Workmen's Boots, wide, easy fit, .....\$1 25, \$1 35 and \$1 50

Our Men's Box Calf and Vici Kid Laced Boots, in popular shapes, welt soles, at \$2 00, are the best money can buy at the price. \$3 00

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## BRITISH TROOPS ARE NOT NEEDED

Egyptian Forces Will Be Able to Subdue the Khalifa.

Nine Columns Have Fallen Down in El-Karnak's Great Hall.

London, Oct. 10.—The departure for Egypt of Col. Hickman, governor of Dongola, and Major Blewitt, commanding the Third Egyptian Battalion, is thought to mean that steps will be taken immediately to suppress the khalifa. It is held that while he lives and is at liberty there can be no peace or prosperity in the Sudan.

The latest estimate of the khalifa's force places it at 10,000, against 16,000 commanded by Arabi Pasha, Dufalla, and Ali, Denar. It is believed that the Egyptian army will be able to cope with the dervishes, and that no English troops will need to be engaged—except the Seaforth Highlanders, which will help to garrison the raided territory.

EL-KARNAK TOTTERING. Cairo, Oct. 10.—News has reached here of the recent fall of nine columns of the great hall of the temple of El-Karnak, built by Seti I., one of the most magnificent and celebrated relics of the architecture of ancient Egypt.

The great hall of El-Karnak, which is the most notable of the monuments of Thebes of its class, is 170 feet long and 320 feet wide. The stone roof now partially in ruins, was originally supported by 18 columns, the tallest of which were nearly 70 feet high and about 12 feet in diameter. Built by Seti I. and sculptured partly in his reign, work upon it was continued by his son and successor Ramesses II.

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## WESTERN ONTARIO

Stratford has six Q. Cs., including Judge Barron.

The total gate receipts at Chatham last week were \$1,422.

Patrick Gillen, a Stratford sporting man, lost three fingers by a gun explosion.

The population of Galt has increased 200, and the value of real property not far from \$50,000.

H. Briggs, of Galt, had one finger and the tendon of the elbow torn out while unloading stone.

Louis Walper, late of Berlin and Woodstock, has taken control of the Albion Hotel, Stratford.

Alex. Gordon, of con. 6, McKillop, is dead of heart disease. He was a prominent farmer, aged 57 years.

The population of Berlin increased 227 during the past year, and is now 4,847. The assessment is \$1,424,690.

The Essex county convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Leamington on Wednesday and Thursday.

A boy named Willie McKay was attacked by a black bear on con. 17 of Grey the other day. His dog saved the boy's life.

The new church lately erected by the congregation of Trinity, Elmhurst, 12 the county of Perth, was opened for divine service on Sunday.

D. B. Forester, of Lucknow, has been appointed clerk of the eleventh division court of the county of Bruce, in place of Robert Somerville, resigned.

Mr. H. T. Butler, late of Chesley, and formerly of Stratford, has purchased the Napinka Standard. Napinka is a thriving little town in Manitoba.

It has been decided to postpone the exhibition of the Windsor, Walkerville and Sandwich Horticultural Society, which was to have taken place this month.

Successor of the Kiondikes, has accumulated about \$100,000. His practice there is said to be worth about \$100 a day.

Paris is to have a new rink, to be completed by Dec. 15. The building will be 96 feet by 184 feet, with a gallery capable of seating 400 persons, and standing room for 1,000. The cost will be about \$4,700.

James Sutton and W. Sutton, who robbed the M. C. R. station at Alvinston on Sept. 15 and 16, have pleaded guilty to robbing Ironsides' store at Theiford, and also to stealing a horse and buggy. They are now in Sarnia jail.

Mrs. Smith, wife of J. C. Smith, the well-known harness maker and school trustee, residing on Bedford street, Sandwich, died on Thursday morning, after a severe illness of several weeks' duration. Death was caused by typhoid fever.

Comparative statement of duties collected at the port of Chatham during the months of September, 1898 and 1899.—For month ending Sept. 30, 1898, \$7,165 98; for month ending Sept. 30, 1899, \$4,391 72; increase for September, 1899, \$2,774 26.

The October sittings of the division court for Essex county will be held as follows: Harrow, Oct. 15; Kingsville, Oct. 17; Leamington, Oct. 18; Comber, Oct. 19; Belle River, Oct. 23; Essex, Oct. 24; Amherstburg, Oct. 25; Windsor, Oct. 26; Sandwich, Oct. 27.

On Thursday night W. H. Elliott's general store and the postoffice at New Sarum were entered by thieves, by prying the front door open with a

large rasp, and a large quantity of underwear and hardware taken. The tills were also broken into, but the burglars procured nothing but coppers.

The mason work on the walls of the new St. John's Church at Tilsonburg is about completed, and present indications are that the new building will be a very handsome specimen of old English church architecture. The walls are of choice Beamsville pressed brick and the site is all that could be desired.

The third day of Ridgetown's fair was in every respect a record-breaker, the weather being all that could be desired—warm and beautifully clear—in consequence of which, doubtless, many hundreds attended who otherwise would not be present. Friday's gate receipts, aside from membership tickets, were about \$750; other sources of revenue would bring the receipts up to somewhat near, or over, \$900 for the day.

Misses Jean Sutherland and Alma Stacey, nurses in training at the Sarnia general hospital, having completed their two years' courses and successfully passed their examinations, on Saturday received their diplomas, and were presented with badges and the usual gratuities. Miss Sutherland had obtained an appointment in connection with Harper Hospital, Detroit. Miss Stacey will take a salaried position on the staff of the Sarnia general hospital.

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## THE MARKETS.

| Mining Stocks.                                                                                          |        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Toronto, Oct. 10.—Following are today's closing quotations in the Toronto Mining and Industrial change: |        |
| Asked.                                                                                                  | Bid.   |
| Polley                                                                                                  | 27     |
| Manitowick                                                                                              | 27     |
| Golden Star                                                                                             | 31     |
| Knob Hill                                                                                               | 31     |
| Sawmill                                                                                                 | 29     |
| Superior G. and C. Co.                                                                                  | 25     |
| Caribou                                                                                                 | 17     |
| Midland                                                                                                 | 17     |
| Waterloo                                                                                                | 11     |
| Caribou Hydraulic                                                                                       | 14     |
| Samuel                                                                                                  | 13     |
| Fairview                                                                                                | 5 1/2  |
| Old Ironsides                                                                                           | 11 1/2 |
| Knob Hill                                                                                               | 86     |
| Toronto and Western                                                                                     | 75     |
| Fontenoy                                                                                                | 15     |
| Albion                                                                                                  | 12     |
| Dundas                                                                                                  | 14     |
| Dardanelles                                                                                             | 13     |
| Noble Five                                                                                              | 22     |
| Payne                                                                                                   | 12     |
| Rambler-Caribou Con.                                                                                    | 49     |
| Wonderful Group                                                                                         | 49     |
| Wonderful Carb.                                                                                         | 11     |
| Alice A.                                                                                                | 4      |
| Empress                                                                                                 | 2      |
| Rathmullen                                                                                              | 24     |
| Brandon & Golden                                                                                        | 24     |
| Morrison                                                                                                | 15 1/2 |
| Winipeg                                                                                                 | 29 1/2 |
| Deer Park                                                                                               | 29 1/2 |
| Evening Star                                                                                            | 9      |
| Homestead                                                                                               | 7      |
| Iron Mask                                                                                               | 75     |
| Montreal Gold Fields                                                                                    | 14     |
| Monte Cristo                                                                                            | 6      |
| Northern Belle                                                                                          | 3 1/2  |
| Novelty                                                                                                 | 3 1/2  |
| St. Paul                                                                                                | 2      |
| Silver Bell                                                                                             | 5      |
| St. Elmo                                                                                                | 7      |
| Victoria                                                                                                | 10     |
| Victory Triumph                                                                                         | 30 1/2 |
| War Eagle                                                                                               | 30 1/2 |
| White Bear                                                                                              | 4      |
| Can. G. F. S.                                                                                           | 45     |
| Crow's Nest Pass                                                                                        | 41     |
| Republic                                                                                                | 120    |
| Deer Trail                                                                                              | 22     |
| Romania                                                                                                 | 15     |
| Van Andra                                                                                               | 8      |
| Big Three                                                                                               | 16     |

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| Local Market.                                                            |              |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <b>A. M. HAMILTON &amp; SON'S REPORT.</b><br>London, Wednesday, Oct. 11. |              |
| Wheat, white, per bu.                                                    | 67 1/2 to 69 |
| Wheat, red, per bu.                                                      | 67 1/2 to 69 |
| Wheat, spring, per bu.                                                   | 67 1/2 to 69 |
| Oats, per bu.                                                            | 27 1/2 to 28 |
| Peas, per bu.                                                            | 55 to 60     |
| Corn, per bu.                                                            | 42 to 44     |
| Barley, per bu.                                                          | 36 to 38     |
| Rye, per bu.                                                             | 50 to 60     |

**WEEKLY REVIEW.**  
A comparison of the grain transactions that occurred on this market during the week ending today and those of the week previous presents little matter for comment, there being only two or three items that show change enough to be of interest. Wheat has not altered any in price. The supply is probably lighter. Stocks in the case of some buyers have increased rather than diminished, showing a lack of sales of wheat products. At the close \$112 was the usual price for wheat on this market, and no old wheat offering. Outside markets close lower.

Oats present a good deal stronger appearance locally, and little or no alteration outside. Receipts for the week were very light, and the demand for private use quite heavy. These two features caused the advance, which at today's session was fully 30c to 50c above this day last week, \$2c to 50c being the prices.

Peas were scarce; No. 1 sold at \$1 to \$1.04, and feed at 90c to 95c; demand good.

No other kinds of grain offered.

Dressed hogs gained 25c per cwt during the week. The demand was good. Prices on Tuesday were \$6 for small lots of No. 1, with \$5.75 and \$5.90 paid for large lots of the same quality. Heavy hogs unchanged.

One or two shipments of live hogs were made during the week, prices ruling being \$4 to \$4.15, \$4.10 being the general price.

Young pigs were slow, there being few buyers, and those who did want them were very bearish, and crowded the market till there was little or no price left, some sales being made at \$2 a pair.

Wool sales were made at 15c; trade light.

| GRAIN                            |      |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Wheat, new, per 100 lbs.         | 1.07 |
| Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. | 1.10 |
| Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs.   | 1.10 |
| Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs.      | 1.10 |
| Oats, per 100 lbs.               | .82  |
| Peas, per 100 lbs.               | .92  |
| Corn, per 100 lbs.               | .75  |
| Barley, per 100 lbs.             | .75  |
| Rye, per 100 lbs.                | 1.00 |
| Beans, per 100 lbs.              | .80  |

| PROVISIONS                        |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Cheese, per lb.                   | .10 |
| Eggs, single dozen                | .17 |
| Eggs, fresh, dozen                | .17 |
| Butter, lb. large rolls or crooks | .18 |
| Butter, pound rolls, retail       | .22 |
| Lard, per lb.                     | .20 |

| WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES. |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Eggs, store lots, doz.     | .15 |
| Butter, pound rolls        | .20 |

| VEGETABLES                 |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Potatoes, new, per bag     | .60 |
| Turnips, new, per bag      | .50 |
| Vegetable marrow, per doz. | .50 |
| Cabbage, per doz.          | .25 |
| Cauliflowers, per doz.     | .75 |
| Celery, per dozen          | .30 |
| Beets, per bag             | .40 |
| Onions, per bag            | .12 |
| Carrots                    | .10 |
| Parsnips                   | .10 |

| LIVE STOCK                 |      |
|----------------------------|------|
| Beef, per lb.              | .05  |
| Hogs, light, per 100 lbs.  | 4.00 |
| Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs.  | 3.00 |
| Cows, single               | 4.00 |
| Pigs, young, per pair      | 2.00 |
| Pigs, per 100 lbs.         | 3.25 |
| Calving green              | .40  |
| Wool, per lb.              | .45  |
| Spring ducks, per pair     | .40  |
| Chickens, spring, per pair | .20  |
| Hens, per pair             | .40  |

| HAY AND SEEDS   |      |
|-----------------|------|
| Hay, per ton    | 9.00 |
| Straw, per load | 2.00 |
| Straw, per ton  | 6.00 |

| MEAT HIDES                    |      |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Beef, per lb.                 | .05  |
| Mutton, quarters, per lb.     | .05  |
| Lamb, quarters                | .05  |
| Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. select | 5.75 |
| Dressed hogs, 100 lbs. heavy  | 5.50 |
| Hides, No. 1, per lb.         | .15  |
| Hides, No. 2, per lb.         | .10  |
| Hides, No. 3, per lb.         | .05  |
| Calving green                 | .40  |
| Wool, per lb.                 | .45  |
| Spring ducks, per pair        | .40  |
| Chickens, spring, per pair    | .20  |
| Hens, per pair                | .40  |

| ST. THOMAS MARKET.                       |                                    |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| St. Thomas, Oct. 10.—Wheat, old, per bu. | 68c; wheat, new, 68c; oats, 25c to |

27c; peas, 60c to 65c; barley, 55c to 60c; rye, 60c; corn, 45c to 50c; flaxseed, 25 to 30; timothy seed, \$1 to \$1.15; clover seed, per lb. 5 1/2c to 5 3/4c.

**Oil Markets.**  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 11.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1.50.

PETROLIA, Oct. 11.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.45.

**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 the highest prices are given.

|               |         |         |         |           |
|---------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
| March         | 6 3/4   | 6 3/4   | 6 3/4   | 6 3/4     |
| <b>CORN—</b>  |         |         |         |           |
| New           | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16    |
| Old           | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16  | 3 9/16    |
| October       | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2   |
| Nov.          | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2   |
| Dec.          | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2 | 3 8 1/2   |
| Jan.          | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6 1/2 | 3 7     | 3 7 1/2   |
| Feb.          | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6     | 3 6 1/2   |
| March         | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6 1/2 | 3 6 1/2   |
| Flour         | 20 20   | 20 20   | 20 20   | 20 20     |
| Peas          | 51 11   | 51 11   | 51 11   | 51 10 1/2 |
| Pork          | 52 6    | 52 6    | 52 6    | 52 6      |
| Lard          | 50 30   | 50 30   | 50 30   | 50 30     |
| Bacon         | 50 30   | 50 30   | 50 30   | 50 30     |
| Bacon, light  | 35 6    | 35 6    | 35 0    | 35 0      |
| Cheese, white | 54 6    | 54 0    | 54 0    | 54 6      |



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## TODAY'S MARKETS

**Montreal Stock Market.**  
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|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Canadian Pacific          | 92 1/2  |
| Duluth, common            | 16      |
| Duluth, preferred         | 16 1/2  |
| Commercial Cable          | 181     |
| Com. Cable Corp. Bonds    | 181     |
| Commercial Reg. Bonds     | 172     |
| Montreal Telegraph, ad.   | 113 1/2 |
| Montreal and Ontario      | 113 1/2 |
| Montreal Street Railway   | 113 1/2 |
| Montreal St. Railway, new | 111 1/2 |
| Toronto Railway           | 111 1/2 |
| Montreal Gas Company, ad. | 191     |
| Bell Telephone, ad.       | 191     |
| Royal Electric            | 162 1/2 |
| Bank of Montreal          | 24 1/2  |
| Ontario Bank              | 12 1/2  |
| Molson Bank               | 12 1/2  |
| Bank of Commerce          | 14 1/2  |
| Northwestern Land, pref.  | 150     |
| Montreal Cotton Co.       | 142     |
| Canada Colored Cotton     | 10      |
| Dominion Cotton           | 101     |

**Toronto Stock Market.**  
TORONTO, Oct. 11.

|                                  |         |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Montreal                         | 294     |
| Ontario                          | 190 1/2 |
| Toronto                          | 245     |
| Merchants                        | 151 1/2 |
| Imperial                         | 151 1/2 |
| Dominion                         | 261 1/2 |
| Standard                         | 191     |
| Hamilton                         | 129     |
| British America                  | 129     |
| Western Assurance                | 166     |
| Consumer's Gas                   | 228     |
| Montreal Gas                     | 191 1/2 |
| Dominion Telegraph               | 121     |
| Northwestern Land Company, pref. | 150     |
| Canada Pacific by Stock          | 92 1/2  |
| Commercial Cable Company         | 182     |
| Commercial Cable Bonds           | 182     |
| Com. Registered Bonds            | 182     |
| Bell Telephone Company           | 192     |
| Richelieu and Ontario            | 112     |
| Montreal Street Railway          | 113 1/2 |
| Toronto Street Railway           | 113 1/2 |
| London Street Railway            | 113 1/2 |
| London Electric                  | 117     |
| Dominion Savings                 | 75      |
| Huron and Erie L. & S.           | 180     |
| Huron and Erie, new              | 180     |
| London and Ontario               | 100     |
| London and Ontario               | 100     |
| Ontario Loan and Debenture       | 121 1/2 |

**Toronto Produce Market.**  
Toronto, Oct. 11.—Wheat is firmer at 67c for red and white west; 67c for spring west, and 70c to 71c for goose west. Manitoba wheat is quoted at 52c, for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit, and 51c west. Flour is quiet at \$3 to \$3 10 for cars of straight roller, in barrels west. Millfeed steady at \$14 50 to \$14 75 for shorts and \$11 50 to \$11 85 for bran west. Barley firm at 42c for No. 2 west. Buckwheat nominal at 45c to 50c west. Rye firm at 53c to 53 1/2c west. Corn steady at 41c for No. 2 American yellow here. Oats easier at 25 1/2c for white west. Peas dull at 40c west. Eggs firm at 18c to 18 1/2c for fresh gathered. Butter firm at 18c to 19c for choice dairy tubs, and 13c to 15c for medium; creamery steady at 12c for tubs, and 22 1/2c to 23c for prints. Dressed chickens steady at 38c.

**English Markets.**  
Liverpool, Oct. 11.—Closing.  
Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 1 Cal. 6 1/2d to 6 3/4d; No. 2 red western, winter, firm, 6 1/2d; No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 6 1/2d; spot, No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 6 1/2d.  
Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed new, 3 1/2d; No. 2, 3 1/4d; No. 3, 3 1/4d; futures, quiet, Oct. 3 1/4d; Nov. 3 1/4d; Dec. 3 1/4d.  
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 9s; Peas—Western, 8 1/2d; Canadian, 8 1/2d; Best—Prime new, strong, 8 1/2d; extra India mess, strong, 7 1/2d.  
Pork—Strong; prime mess, fine western, 52s 6d; do medium, western, 51s 6d; Lard—American refined, in pale, steady, 30s 6d; prime in tins, steady, 30s; long clear middles, 29s 6d to 30s; 35s; long clear middles, heavy, 35s to 40 lbs, steady, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 15 lbs, steady, 38s 6d.  
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 30s.  
Butter—Finest, American, good, 7s 6d; colored, easy, 5s 6d; do, old, firm, 5s 6d; ordinary, new, 4s 6d.  
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 30s 6d; Australian, London, firm, 27s 6d.  
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, 4s to 4 1/2s.  
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Nov. and April, 17s 8d.  
Turkish spirits—Firm 3s 6d.  
Rosin—Common, firm, 4s.  
Petroleum—Refined, 7 1/2d.  
Lime—60s to 65s.

**Chicago Exchange.**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 11.  
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler Bros., Inc., 150 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.  
Wheat—Dec. 77 1/2; May 73 1/2; Corn—Oct. 31 1/2; May 31 1/2; Oats—Oct. 22 1/2; May 22 1/2; Pork—Oct. 8 1/2; May 8 1/2; Lard—Oct. 5 1/2; May 5 1/2; Rib—Oct. 4 1/2; May 4 1/2; Put, 7 1/2. Cattle, 74.

**American Markets.**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Opening.—Wheat, Dec. 77 1/2 to 78 1/2; May 73 1/2 to 74 1/2; Corn, Dec. 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; May 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; Oats, Dec. 22 1/2 to 23 1/2; May 22 1/2 to 23 1/2; Pork, Jan. 8 1/2 to 9 1/2; Lard, Jan. 5 1/2 to 6 1/2; Rib, Jan. 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; Put, 7 1/2. Cattle, 74.

**NEW YORK.** Oct. 11.—Flour—Receipts, 18,000 bbls; sales, 2,500 pkgs; state and western steady, with business checked by the irregular wheat market; winter extras, \$2 25 to \$3; Rye—Firm; good to fair, \$2 20 to \$3; choice to fancy, \$3 25 to \$3 70; Wheat—Receipts, 207,200 bu; sales, 2,000 bu; options opened stronger on war news and higher cables, but were subsequently weakened by a sharp reaction in English markets; May, 80 1/2c to 80 3/4c; Dec., 77c to 77 1/2c. Rye—Steady; No. 2 western, 66c; No. 3, 65c, about.

Corn—Receipts, 186,225 bu; sales, 20,000 bu; options opened steady with wheat, easing off later on disappointing financial cables; Dec., 38 1/2c. Oats—Receipts, 47,600 bu; dull and barely steady; on track, white state, 30 1/2c to 35c; on track, white western, 30 1/2c to 35c. Butter—Receipts, 2,228 pkgs; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 6,543 pkgs; strong. Eggs—Receipts, 7,855 pkgs; quiet and steady. Sugar—Fair refining, 31 1/2c; refined irregular. Coffee—Steady; No. 7, 34c. Hops—Steady. Lead—Dull; bullion price, \$4 40; exchange price, \$4 60 to \$4 65.

**Live Stock Markets.**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Hogs—Market steady; mixed and butchers, \$4 20 to \$4 75; good heavy, \$4 35 to \$4 75; rough heavy, \$4 05 to \$4 25; light, \$4 35 to \$4 75. Cattle—Receipts, 15,500; market steady; beefs, \$4 25 to \$6 90; cows and heifers, \$1 75 to \$4 75; Texas steers, \$3 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 75.

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**The War Is On.**

The war is on. Yesterday morning a gleam of peace was shed by the Duke of Devonshire's speech and reassuring reports from South Africa. In the afternoon, like a bolt from the blue, came the news of the Transvaal's ultimatum. It was a virtual declaration of war. Upon the Transvaal rests the responsibility of initiating what may be the greatest and bloodiest conflict between white races since France and Germany grappled 30 years ago. The Boers have already crossed the Natal frontier. Their intention is to strike while the British force is still relatively small, and before reinforcements can arrive.

Ottawa dispatches show the Canadian Government are alive to the situation and a cabinet council will be held at once to discuss it. Canada may be relied upon to her full duty by the Empire.

**Latest Probabilities**

Toronto, Oct. 11—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region:  
Moderate southerly and southwesterly winds; cloudy, with light local showers.

Thursday—Easterly winds; very unsettled.

**LATE LOCAL ITEMS**

—Tickets for the football game with Petrolia here on Saturday are selling rapidly.  
—By the will of the late Theodore Heintzman, Toronto, his daughter, Mrs. Loughrey, of London, gets \$15,000.

—Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Chumley are in Toronto, guests of Hon. Edward Blake, who sails this week for England.

—At the Chicago Canadian Club's luncheon to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, grace was said by Rev. Canon Richardson, of this city.

—A "Bride-Elect," the most popular comic opera produced in two or three seasons, will be presented at the Grand on Friday, Oct. 20.

—The investigation into the Pottersburg car burning was adjourned this morning by Judge Smyth until Oct. 25, on account of the absence of an important witness.

—Miss Tillie Herres, of Piccadilly street, accompanied by her nephew, Mr. Urban Smith, of York street, is on a three weeks' visiting trip to friends in Detroit and Westphalia, Mich.

—The sergeants of the Seventh Fusiliers will hold their monthly meeting in the band room after Thursday night's drill. There are several important matters to come up. A large turnout is expected.

—The annual Women's Christian Temperance Union convention of Middlesex county will be held in Stratford on Wednesday, Oct. 18. Miss Lottie E. Wiggins, of Toronto, has been engaged to the present, and give one of her excellent addresses at the evening meeting. An interesting and profitable time is expected.

—Mr. James Gilleen is home again, after an extended and very pleasant visit of some five weeks in Montreal, at the residence of his son, Mr. W. D. Gilleen. Our veteran citizen is looking well, and once more getting into his usual good form, after the accident which kept him indoors for so considerable a time.

—In accordance with the wishes of the college authorities and several members of the presbytery, the moderator has revoked the summons for a meeting of the presbytery in Queen's College on Nov. 1 for the introduction of Prof. Jordan, and his installation may be made, as in the case of Prof. Ross, an academic function.

—The Literary Circle in connection with Astor Street Epworth League reorganized for its third year of active work last night, and elected the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. J. W. Holmes; president, Mr. S. J. Katt; vice-president, Miss Ethel Burns; secretary, Miss Edythe Whitaker; representatives, Mr. Fred Landon and Dr. S. P. Reynolds. The promises are for a very interesting series of meetings from now until the closing meeting in June.

**GASOLINE EXPLOSION.**  
Mr. J. R. Gurd, of West London, was burned about the face and hands Monday evening while lighting a gasoline stove. He put a match to it, when an explosion occurred. The flames were soon extinguished, and no damage was done to the kitchen in which the stove exploded.

**DEATH OF A. E. HURKETT.**  
Albert E. Hurkett, aged 14 years,

died this morning at the residence of his father, Caleb Hurkett, 290 Hill street. Death was due to spinal trouble. Albert was taken suddenly ill on Thursday last, and was unconscious up to the time of his death. Four brothers and two sisters survive.

**WALESE-CLARKE.**  
A very pretty and quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke, 565 Dufferin avenue, yesterday, being the marriage of their eldest daughter, Annie E., to Mr. Albert E. Wales, of Toledo, Ohio. The bride looked charming, gown in traveling suit of fawn ladies' cloth, trimmed with brown velvet. She carried a shower bouquet of roses. The bridesmaid, Miss L. Loveless, wore a brown ladies' cloth suit, trimmed with pink satin, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was attended by the bride's brother, Joseph B. Clarke. The newly-wedded couple left on the 5:45 train last night for their home in Toledo.

**POLICE COURT CASES.**  
Judgment was given in the case of John Murray, breach of liquor law, this morning by Magistrate Parke. Murray was found guilty and fined \$50 or three months in jail.

Michael Jenkins, a private at the D school, was charged with being drunk. Discharged.

Catharine Devine and Lily McGrath, two young women, who were found in the company of two young men at a late hour last night, were charged with vagrancy. They were allowed to go, the magistrate warning them not to appear again in court or they would be given as heavy a sentence as the law allows.

Three drunks were sentenced: Jas. Down and Wm. Roberts, fined \$2 or five days' each; and Chas. Welsh, \$5 or twenty days.

**JESSIE ALEXANDER'S CONCERT.**  
Jessie Alexander appears at the Auditorium on Thursday night, and will repeat the Toronto opening recital, of which today's Globe has the following to say of last night's performance: No better proof could be afforded of the popularity of Miss Jessie Alexander, as an elocutionist, than the overflowing audiences which always attend her annual recital in this city. Her entertainment last night in Association Hall proved no exception to the rule, the seating capacity of the auditorium being taxed to the full.

Miss Alexander gave a choice programme of readings. In the humorous selections she convulsed with laughter throughout, while in the serious numbers she made a deep impression by her earnestness and sympathy of interpretation. She was assisted by Mr. Harold Jarvis, the popular tenor, of Detroit.

**KILLED BY A STREET CAR!**  
Conductor William McKellar, Formerly of Komoka, the Victim.

Precipitated From the Platform By the Breaking of a Trolley Rope.

William McKellar, conductor on street car No. 100, was run over by his car on Regent street this morning, and crushed to death. The fatality occurred at 11 o'clock. Car 100, which is a Wellington street car, was backing along Regent street to Richmond street, it being customary to "Y" at the north end of Wellington street. Mr. McKellar had not turned the trolley pole, as is usually done when the street cars are backed, and was leaning over the rear platform to hold the rope. The pole left the wire about the center of the block, and the rope broke. Mr. McKellar fell backwards, and before Motorman O'Brien could stop the car, was under the truck. One when ran over his shoulder.

He was badly mangled, and death followed. The crew and Coroner Piper arrived about an hour later. Deceased, who was 55 years of age, lived on Central avenue. He leaves a widow and one daughter. He was at one time major in the Twenty-fifth Battalion, and for many years kept a grocery store in Komoka.

William McKellar, who resides on the corner of Richmond and Regent streets, saw the accident which resulted in the death of Mr. McKellar this morning. He was working in his orchard, and saw the trolley pole leave the wire. On looking up, he saw Mr. McKellar fall backwards over the rear platform. The rope which he was holding McKellar at the car roof.

Motorman O'Brien said he did not know anything was wrong until he heard Conductor McKellar yell. Then he reversed the motor as quickly as possible. The car was going down grade at the time. It was terrible by the body, which fell across one rail, and remained pinned underneath the truck until the wrecking car arrived. Car 100 was then run back, and the body removed to Ferguson's undertaking rooms. The car wheel had passed over the unfortunate man's head, and almost severed both arms. Death must have been instantaneous. An inquest will be held.

Mr. McKellar was of medium size, and wore side whiskers. He started to work for the street railway company at the time of the strike. Prior to that he kept a grocery store at the corner of Mattland and Oxford streets. Three years ago he came to the city from Komoka.

**FATAL ACCIDENT**

Wm. Loughrey, C. P. R. brakeman, Formerly of London, Killed at Guelph.

William Loughrey, a brakeman on the C. P. R., was killed at Guelph this morning. Deceased was employed by the street railway in this city for some time, but left in 1897 to accept a position on the C. P. R. Loughrey was a married man, and leaves a family living in St. Thomas. Mr. Samuel Loughrey, of this city, is a brother of deceased. He left for the scene of the accident this morning.

Engineer Walter Loughrey's father-in-law, of St. Thomas, passed through the city today on his way to Guelph.

**STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.**  
Jonathan Ardiel, of Grey street, went east on the G. T. R. train, at 2:20 this afternoon, as far as the Rectory street crossing. After alighting from the train he was struck by an engine. He received injuries about the head, which were not serious.

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Ottawa, Oct. 11.—The government's programme in regard to the sending of a contingent to the Transvaal will be made public as soon as Sir Wilfrid Laurier returns to the city. It turns out that the minister of militia and one or two of the heads of the militia department have been at work for more than two months making the necessary arrangements to send a contingent should the occasion arise that such would be necessary. That this was being done did not commit the government to any action. It was purely a departmental affair, which would have to be referred to the cabinet for approval. No unnecessary expenditure was being made. Contracts were given out for clothing and such things as would be required by the contingent, and the men engaged were being sent to the front. If the contingent was not sent, all the difference was that the work of the contractors was done a little ahead of time. What the men who were thus engaged have had to contend against was, that as soon as any action was taken in the direction mentioned, it was misrepresented and given to the press. However, the British authorities have been made conversant with what Canada will do. Britain, however, does not want a large contingent. The latest information from the war office is that a corps of 50,000 men in all will suffice. In other words, it is sent.

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Ottawa, Oct. 11.—The government's programme in regard to the sending of a contingent to the Transvaal will be made public as soon as Sir Wilfrid Laurier returns to the city. It turns out that the minister of militia and one or two of the heads of the militia department have been at work for more than two months making the necessary arrangements to send a contingent should the occasion arise that such would be necessary. That this was being done did not commit the government to any action. It was purely a departmental affair, which would have to be referred to the cabinet for approval. No unnecessary expenditure was being made. Contracts were given out for clothing and such things as would be required by the contingent, and the men engaged were being sent to the front. If the contingent was not sent, all the difference was that the work of the contractors was done a little ahead of time. What the men who were thus engaged have had to contend against was, that as soon as any action was taken in the direction mentioned, it was misrepresented and given to the press. However, the British authorities have been made conversant with what Canada will do. Britain, however, does not want a large contingent. The latest information from the war office is that a corps of 50,000 men in all will suffice. In other words, it is sent.

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## The Strange Metamorphosis.

Mr. Burdick turned pink. "After that disgraceful language, sir, in the presence of the fairer sex, I have more to do with you. You will have the goodness to stand in the center of that form. Gentlemen, select your partners for the Highland schottische."

Mr. Bultitude, by no means sorry to be freed from the irksome necessity of dancing with a heart ill-attuned for enjoyment, got up on the form and stood looking sullenly enough, upon the proceedings. The governess glowered at him now and then as a monster of youthful depravity; the Miss Muttons glanced up at him as they tripped past, with curiosity not unmingled with admiration, but Bultitude steadily avoided looking in his direction.

Paul was just congratulating himself upon his escape, when the door opened wide, and the doctor marched slowly and imposingly to the room. He did this occasionally, partly to superintend matters, and partly as an encouraging mark of approbation. He looked round the class at first with benignant toleration, until his glance turned to the bench upon which Mr. Bultitude was set up. Then his eyes slowly traveled up to the level of Paul's head, his expression changing meanwhile to a petrifying glare.

It was not, as Paul instinctively felt, exactly the position in which a gentleman who wished to stand well with those in authority over him would prefer to be found. He felt the heat of the water within him, and glared lamp and helpless at the door.

There was an awful silence (Dr. Grinstone was addicted to awful silences; and, indeed, if he said strictly "golden," silence may often be called "iron"), but at last he inquired, "And, pray, what may you be doing up there, sir?"

"Upon my soul, I can't say," said Mr. Bultitude, feebly. "Ask that gentleman there with the fiddle—he knows."

Mr. Burdick was a good-natured, easy-tempered little man, and had already forgotten the affront to his dignity. He was anxious not to get the boy into more trouble.

"Master Bultitude was a little inattentive, and I may say, wanting in respect, Dr. Grinstone," he said, putting it as mildly as he could with any accuracy. "So I ventured to place him there as a punishment."

"Quite right, Mr. Burdick," said the doctor, "quite right, I am sorry that any boy of mine should have caused you to do so. You are again beginning your career of disorder and rebellion, are you, sir? Go up into the school-room at once and write a dozen copies before tea-time. A very little eccentricity and insubordination from you, Bultitude, and you will reap a full reward, sir—a full reward."

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Tea-time came, and after it evening preparation, when Mr. Tinker presided in a feeble and ineffective manner, perpetually suspecting that the faint sighs he heard were indulged in at his own expense, and calling perfectly innocent victims to account for them.

Paul sat next to Jolland, and, in his desperate anxiety to avoid further unpleasantness, he tried to make himself as unobtrusive as possible, as he could not for his life have written a Latin or a German composition, reduced to copy down his neighbor's exercises. This Jolland (who had looked forward to an arrangement of a very opposite kind) nevertheless cheerfully allowed him to do, though he expressed doubts as to the wisdom of a servile imitation—more, perhaps, from prudence than from benevolence.

Jolland, in the intervals of study, was deeply engaged in the production of a small illustrated work of fiction, which he was pleased to call "The Adventures of Ben Butterkin at School." It was in a great measure an autobiography, and the cuts depicting the hero's flagellations—which were frequent in the course of the narrative—were executed with much vigor and feeling.

He turned out a great number of these works in the course of the term, as well as faces in pen and ink with moving tongues and rolling eyes, and these he would present to a few favored friends with a secretive and self-depreciatory giggle.

Amid scenes and companions like these, Paul set out the evening hours on his hard seat, which was just at the junction of two forms—an exclusively uncomfortable position, as all who have tried it will acknowledge—until the time for going to bed came round again. He dreaded the hours of darkness, but there was no help for it; to protest would have been madness just then, and, on the more, he was forced to pass the night under the roof of Crichton House.

It was even worse than the first, though this was greatly owing to his own obstinacy. The boys, if less subdued, were in better temper than the evening before, and found it troublesome to keep up a feud when the first flush of resentment had died out. There was a general disposition to forget his departure from the code of schoolboy honor, and give him an opportunity of retrieving the past.

But he would not meet them halfway; his repeated rebukes by the doctor, and all the difficulties that beset his return to freedom, had made him very sulky and snappish. He had not patience nor adaptability enough to respond to their advances, and only shrank from their rough good nature—which naturally checked the current of good feeling.

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Finding that he did not actively resent it (the real Dick would have had the occupant of the nearest bed out by the ears in a minute), he profited by his prudence to come to his bedside, where they pillored his weary head (with their own pillows) till the slight offered them was more than avenged.

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But the reality to which he woke was worse still. Tipping and Coker had been patiently pinching themselves to keep awake until their enemy should be soundly asleep, in order to enjoy the exquisite pleasure of letting down the mattress; and, so dazed and frightened even to swear, Paul gathered up his bedclothes and tried to draw nothing on to his head, as he might, and seek sleep, which had lost its security.

The Garuda stone had done one grim and cruel piece of work at least in its time.

[To be Continued.]

SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL SCIENCE.  
Toronto, Oct. 10.—The government has made the following appointments to the School of Practical Science: Andrew Harkness, Fellow in Civil Engineering; Melville Weeks, Fellow in Mining Engineering; Robt. W. Angus, Fellow in Mechanical Engineering; David Allen Williamson, Fellow in Electrical Engineering; Henry W. Charlton, Fellow in Chemistry. All the appointments are for a year, and the salary is \$500. Albert Thomas Laing has been appointed demonstrator in surveying, salary \$300, and James W. Bain, demonstrator in analytical chemistry, for three months.

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## THORNDALE HAD A FAIR DAY

And a Big Crowd Took in the  
Annual Fall Show.

Those Who Won Prizes—Notable Press  
ent—A Good Time Spent by All.

It is several years since the directors of the West Toronto Agricultural Society Fall Show, held in Thorndale yesterday, have been favored by such fine weather; but despite several unfortunate seasons the exhibits and attendance have always been most encouraging, and the society continues to increase in membership and prosper. The crowd yesterday was a record-breaker, and everyone had a good time, for the delightfully warm weather, with the bright sunshine, made the outing a pleasure. Many from London took in the sights, among them a number of political celebrities, including: Thomas Beattie, M.P., James Gilmour, M.P., T. D. Hodgins, M.P., besides George Merritt, Robert Carleton, J. G. McKeen, Hume Elliot and numerous others, who took a deep interest in the people and exhibits.

The main hall was well filled with a collection of plump potatoes, enormous vegetables, artistic fancy work, tempting home-made bread, bags filled with good specimens of fat grain, pictures of many wonderful kinds, luscious honey and well arranged flowers. The building was constantly thronged.

The live stock was a splendid display, cattle making an especially good showing, not exceeded by any fall show this year. The swine entries were not numerous, but sheep were shown in good numbers, and the specimens were of a very high order. Horses were shown in good numbers, and the specimens were of a very high order. Horses were shown in good numbers, and the specimens were of a very high order.

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## METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 10—8 p.m.—The trough of low pressure area mentioned last night is moving slowly eastward across the lake region, accompanied by showery weather, and an important high area, accompanied by colder weather and local snow falls, is developing in the Northwest Territories. From Lake Huron eastward to the Maritime Provinces the weather is fine and moderately warm. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-52; Kamloops, 30-44; Vancouver, 22-33; Prince Albert, 26-34; Qu'Appelle, 24-38; Winnipeg, 26-44; Port Arthur, 40-58; Parry Sound, 42-72; Toronto, 40-66; Ottawa, 40-62; Montreal, 48-60; Quebec, 44-56; Halifax, 45-60.

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Tuesday, Oct. 10, were: Highest, 73°; lowest, 32°. Today the sun rises at 6:27 a.m.; sets at 5:43 p.m. Moon rises at 1:16 a.m.; sets at 10:47 p.m.

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## A LOCAL BUDGET

—Miss Josephine Healey, of East London, is visiting her brothers, Mr. Frank Healey and Mr. Alf. Healey, of Youngstown and Pittsburgh.

A former Londoner, Mr. Hungerford, of the Merchants' Bank, Kingston, has been promoted to the position of teller at the Mitchell branch.

—The London District Methodist Sunday School Convention will be held in the Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow, next Sunday, as stated yesterday.

—The Epworth League of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church gave an entertainment in the school room of the church last night. The Rev. Mr. Fells occupied the chair. The programme consisted of music and speeches by Mr. Spence and Mr. Gribble of Woodstock. Miss Lawson gave a good recitation. Refreshments were served at the close.

LEGAL DECISIONS.  
In the divisional court, Toronto, before Meredith, C. J., in the case of Watt vs. Clark, J. Bicknell and A. Bicknell (Woodstock), for plaintiffs, appealed from judgment of Meredith, J. dismissing action with costs, and also from order of Meredith, J., made after the sittings at which trial was had, allowing defendant to amend by setting up the statute of limitations. Appeal dismissed with costs. Appeal from order allowed with costs, including costs of motion to amend. The court intimated that it would in future deal very strictly with applications for enlargement of cases on the peremptory list.

In the case of Tooley vs. London Mutual Fire Insurance Company, heard in chambers in the high court of justice at Toronto, H. H. Smith (Holman & Pattullo), for plaintiff, moved for judgment in terms of consent minutes. W. E. Middleton, for defendant, consented. Judgment granted.

Before Armour, C. J.—Regina vs. Mashinter—A. A. Mahaffey (Barrister), for defendant, moved for certiorari to bring up conviction of defendant under the Lord's Day act, by three magistrates at the village of Huntsville, for exercising his calling of an electrician on Sunday, the 20th August, 1899. The evidence showed that defendant, who is electrician for Shaw, Cassels & Co., towners, was seen in the dynamo room on 13th August, 1899. No one contra. Order made.

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## WARMLY WELCOMED

Mrs. H. A. Boomer Tells of the Meeting of the International Council of Women in London, Eng.

A fair-sized audience assembled at the St. James' school house, South London, last evening, to hear Mrs. H. A. Boomer tell of the meeting of the International Council of Women at London, England. The address was given under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the church, and the meeting was the first of a series to be held.

Ven. Archdeacon Davis presided, and made a few happy remarks, stating that he often thought the church would do greater work if officered by women. Miss Carty, president of the local Council of Women, Toronto, spoke briefly, dealing in an interesting way with the great growth of woman's work, both within and without the church. Among the good accomplished by the Toronto Council of Women, she said, was the securing of the appointment of a police matron for female prisoners, and a woman inspector of factories.

Mrs. Boomer was applauded on rising to speak. She referred to the splendid reception accorded to the delegates who attended the meeting of the International Council in Old London. They were shown the greatest possible kindness, and were welcomed by the best homes. But the greatest honor was the invitation from the Queen to visit Windsor. Her Majesty wished it understood that she would not have personal introductions, but would drive by, so all could make her courtesy. The speaker said that her Majesty appeared to give special honor to Canadians. She gave an instance of the wonderful memory of the Queen, who saw Mrs. Sanford of Hamilton, standing in the many other delegates, and immediately recognized her as having been present at the time of the death of Sir John Thompson. Through Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Boomer was herself introduced to the Queen.

## HOSPITAL TRUST TO DECIDE

Who Shall Be Second Engineer—Building Committee Has No Recommendation This Time—Some New Work.

A minority meeting of the hospital building committee was held last evening, and the usual complaints about the slowness with which the contractors are carrying on their work, cropped up. The members present were: Ald. Jolly (chairman), Parnell, Graham and Mayor Wilson.

The Electrical Construction Company wrote with reference to the proposed appointment of a second engineer. An inexperienced man as second engineer for the hospital would be decidedly inadvisable, the communication stated. He would be required to operate the plant for twelve hours daily, without assistance, and the company thought that in all fairness to their installation, while under guarantee, that the city should select competent engineers. The second engineer should be on a par with the first, so far as reliability was concerned.

Referred to the city council to refer to the hospital trust.

A tender for putting in gong in main entrance and reflector headlight, similar to those in use by the street railway company, was referred to the chairman with power.

The chairman will report the probable cost of having a windlass arrangement put in the removal of ashes from the boiler room.

The chairman was empowered to have certain cement steps leading to the boiler room constructed at the contractor's expense. If the work be not commenced immediately, a certificate for \$1,200, issued by the architect last June to Martin & Hammett, was laid over, the chairman reporting that their work was not yet completed.

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## A RUNAWAY GIRL

The Graceful Musical Play Scored a Success at the Grand.

Augustin Daly's musical company in "A Runaway Girl," at the Grand last night, made decidedly the hit of the season. Before saying anything about the play or the romance, the audience deserves mention. Last night's success should convince the opera house management that London theatre-goers may be relied upon for the heartiest support of 2nd-class attractions. The audience could not have been made larger last night without enlarging the house. Of course, the regular standbys were there—the people who never miss anything that is at all passable; then the society play-goers were there in force, and not a few very handsome gowns made the audience scene an attraction itself, and besides these were the occasional play-goers, who can be brought out only by a duly-certified success. Altogether it was a splendid audience, and should encourage the management to undertake the big things rather more frequently.

Of the play itself it is needless to say that the story is of no consequence whatever. The story must be carefully repressed in a musical play to give free rein to the pretty vagaries by the way. But "A Runaway Girl" has a quite coherent, though satisfactorily unobtrusive, story for the musical in it. It is this: Girl in convent; ordered to marry a man she has never seen; runs away with strolling musicians; as singing girl meets a musician in a situation; obstacles; triumph of love. The play was written by Seymour Hicks and Harry Nichols. It is graceful and clever. The music, which is pretty, novel, catchy and often brilliant, was composed by Ivan Caryll and Lionel Moncton, and there are a number of sweet and fetching lyrics by Aubrey Hopwood and Harry Greenbank.

The sumptuousness and lavishness of the performance captivated the audience. Much that was present might have been omitted and never been missed, but being there it gave an effect of splendid prodigality.

James T. Powers, the grotesque comedian, was irresistible as Flipper, and Miss Rachel Booth as Alice, the minor, was more than ordinarily clever foil. Their coster songs were particularly effective. Miss Ethel Jackson, as Winnifred Gray, made a very charming "Runaway Girl." She is pretty, has a sweet, well-trained voice, and can act. Miss Miriam Lawrence, as Carmelita, and Joseph C. Fay, as Professor Tamarind, also deserve special mention, though for the matter, one might go through half the cast and find something praiseworthy in each. While there were no stars of the first magnitude among the voices, the galaxy was sufficiently pleasing. The choruses were good, the girls pretty and the costumes magnificent. Some of the gowns were exquisitely beautiful. Now and then colored calcium lights were used with splendid effect. The scenery was fully in keeping with the magnificent setting of the piece, and included a charming scene from Venice during the Flower Carnival.

## Matrimonial.

WALKER-REID.

An interesting event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Reid, Peter street, Bothwell, at noon, on Thursday, when their daughter, Miss Annie I. Reid, was married to Mr. Hiram C. Walker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Walker left in the afternoon for Boston, New York and other eastern cities.

## Obituary.

JOHN H. CROWLEY.

John H. Crowley, of Detroit, died at his father's home in Dunwich, Oct. 2, after a prolonged illness of ulcers of the stomach. He leaves a widow, five brothers and five sisters. His father also survives. The remains were taken to Detroit on Tuesday for burial. The funeral took place there on Thursday, at the late home of Lyman Place, to Holy Rosary Church, in charge of societies, A. O. H., Division No. 1, and the C. O. F., of which deceased was a member. Services at the church were conducted by Rev. Father Vanantwerp. The casket was covered with floral offerings, among them being a beautiful harp and cross, presented by the societies. The pall-bearers were Messrs. D. Collins, J. Reilly, C. Shea, B. McEllan, P. Kelly and T. Cleary.

## THE LATE THOMAS CRAWFORD.

The remains of the late Thomas Crawford were laid to rest in the Ingersoll rural cemetery yesterday. Funeral services were conducted at his late residence and at St. James' Episcopal Church. Deceased was a brother of Messrs. James and Robert Crawford, of this city. He was born in Woolwich, England, in 1837, and came with his parents to Canada in 1858, settling in this city. He removed to Ingersoll in 1883, and had resided there ever since. Mr. Crawford had been confined to the house for most of the time for the past five or six years, and had been a great sufferer. He leaves a wife and three sons, Frank and James, of New York, and William, of Ingersoll.

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## SUBJECTS SELECTED

Papers To Be Read Before the Methodist Ministerial Association.

The Methodist Ministerial Association met in Wesley Hall, and have arranged the following subjects to be read before the association monthly, during the year. The names of ministers, their subjects and the dates are as follows:

Rev. J. B. Saunders, M.A., D.D., subject—"Our Lord of the Snows," Dec. 4.  
Rev. A. G. Harris, subject—"Modern Phases of the Doctrine of Entire Sanctification," Dec. 11.  
Rev. J. W. Holmes, subject—"The Class Meeting—Has It Its Place and Influence Declined? If So, Why?" Feb. 5.  
Rev. John Morrison, subject—"Home Ownership vs. Rented Houses. The Moral Results," March 5.  
Rev. George Jackson, subject—"The Church and Its Organizations," April 2nd.  
Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., subject—"Church Worship," May 7.

## Analysis of Kingston Ore.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 11—[Special]—An analysis of the ore found recently near Kingston, which has been made by Prof. Bain of the School of Practical Science, and which is regarded by mining men as a final test of the property controlled by the Equitable Mining and Development Company, has resulted in the announcement being made that the ore is surprisingly rich in metallic iron. Prof. Bain has reported to the company that in seven pieces of ore selected at random from the extensive properties he found the following percentages of metallic iron: No. 1, 60.75 per cent; No. 2, 60.67 per cent; No. 3, 62.79 per cent; No. 4, 61.62 per cent; No. 5, 28.61 per cent; No. 6, 38.74 per cent; No. 7, 35.62 per cent. The evident value of the mines has created an active demand for the issue of one hundred and fifty thousand shares of preferred stock, which the company has placed upon the market. The Trusts and Guarantee Company of this city have issued a statement guaranteeing to the holders of this preferred stock dividends of 8 per cent per annum for five years, and the indications are that when the books close at the offices of the Trusts Company on Friday afternoon next, the amount will be considerably over subscribed. [Advt.]

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## IN LOVE WITH LAURIER

Chicago People Give Him an Ovation Everywhere.

His Face Instinctively Recognized—Crowds Shouting His Name.

[Chicago Times-Herald, Oct. 10.]

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the first servant of "Our Lady of the Snows," shared with the representative of the land of the Montezumas the plaudits of the crowd. After the president, and his cabinet in the afternoon parade came the Mexican party under especial escort, and after them were the distinguished premier of the Dominion of Canada and his companions, also escorted with honor.

Sir Wilfrid may not have contrasted in his mind this procession and this crowd with that of the Queen's jubilee, when the streets of London went wild over him as he rode at the head of the colonials, but certainly he could not complain of his reception at the hands of the people of Chicago. He seemed instinctively recognized, for his is a face once seen never to be forgotten, and he showed himself accustomed to the art of graceful response to popular recognition.

"What's the matter with Canada?" someone would shout from the sidelines at every new turn in the course. Promptly would come the answer, "It's all right." And then:

"What's the matter with Laurier?" "He's all right."

Sir Wilfrid evinced an enjoyment of the whole proceeding. The scenes en route found him a close observer, and to his escort he said many fine things about the city and the parade and the celebration generally.

When his carriage turned into Jackson boulevard on its way to the reviewing stand, those occupying the grand stand received advance notice by the street throng, which brought the name in waves of sound. Persons who crowded the windows of the Western Union building and the Grand Pacific Hotel gave another round of applause when he passed them, and the masses around the reviewing stand settled the public reception by giving the visitor an ovation. The "What's the matter with Canada?" cries that started in one big shout of "All right!" when he took his seat in the Union League balcony in advance of the president.

That he was interested in the parade and enjoyed it was apparent to those on the opposite side of the street, who observed his countenance and actions. Frequently he leaned forward to get a better view of the soldiers and jockies, and he joined with all in the hand-clapping which greeted the procession.

In the parlors of the Union League Club he was also in high favor, and at every moment he was surrounded by a group of persons who wanted to have him talk rather than to talk to him. It was the same story throughout the day—admiration and ovations.

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