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THE DAY'S DOINGS

Chronicled in Concise But Comprehensive Form.

Rise in English Wheat—Cholera in Cairo —Accident to Hon. Wm. Macdougall.

Wheat-cutting is now general throughout Manitoba.

The receipts from patents last month exceeded receipts for July last year by $1,500.

Wm. Northcote, living near Lakefield, supposed to be of unsound mind, is charged with placing obstructions on the G. T. R. track.

A young man named Nesbitt received a fatal wound by the accidental discharge of his gun while he was hunting near Hepworth.

Mr. S. J. Dawson, M. P. for Algoma, admitted, in an interview yesterday, that reciprocity would be a good thing for that district.

Hon. Wm. Macdougall was injured at Cobourg through stepping from a moving train. At last accounts he was reported to be doing well.

The Dominion Government has informed Mrs. Allen, widow of the owner of the ship Bridgewater, that it does not hold itself liable for the detention of the ship.

Conductor Napoleon Wright, of Aylmer, Que., was accidentally killed at Lake Edward yesterday morning, by falling into a culvert on the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway.

Seventy-five per cent. of the barley acreage, 20 per cent. of the wheat, and perhaps 5 per cent. of the oats in Manitoba has been cut to date. No damage from frost is reported.

AMERICAN.

It is stated that 31 of the 54 tableware glass factories in the States have joined the combination.

The rise in American wheat has stimulated the English product. In the Leeds market yesterday wheat was 9d above Tuesday's quotation, and corn advanced 6d.

FOREIGN.

Cholera has appeared at Cairo. People of all classes are making hurried preparations to depart.

Hundreds of dock laborers at Cardiff, Wales, have been discharged. Further trouble is feared.

Recent floods in Beloochistan have done enormous damage to property, and many persons have been drowned.

Secretary Balfour says the poor law unions in Ireland will meet any cases of distress caused by the failure of the potato crop.

The Vienna Fremdenlatt says: "Emperor William's visit to Russia is a favorable symptom, and cannot fail to influence peaceful developments."

Emin Pasha denies that he bound himself to Germany after promising to assist England. He says he is under no obligation to anyone, and that he is marching into the interior of Africa simply as an adventurer.

TORONTO LETTER.

New and Interesting Features for the Exhibition—The Bigamous Printer—Mrs. Forsyth Shoots at a Neighbor.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.

Bro. Munn, one of the delegates to I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge, has been attacked with diphtheria.

The Toronto exhibition will this year be worth coming many miles to see. All entries for live stock and manufactures of all kinds close to-day and judging from those already in the coming Fair, which is to be held from the 8th to the 20th of September, will be greater and better than ever. The Governor-General and Prince George of Wales will be unable to open the exhibition, but have expressed their hope to be able to visit it during the second week. The official programme of special attractions and other features will be issued on Monday and will be found to contain a large number of new and interesting features. Part of the exhibit from Spain has arrived and the balance is being sent by the next steamer. A number of bronchos and bucking horses fresh from the prairies arrived from Montana this week and will form part of the great Wild West Show which is being specially organized for the Toronto Fair. There will be over 40 horses and 50 people in it. The space in the various buildings has nearly all been applied for.

Luther B. Willsie, the printer, arrested on a charge of bigamy, pleaded not guilty at the Police Court and was remanded till Wednesday.

Mrs. Forsyth, of Birtle avenue, was charged with shooting with intent at Mrs. Duffy, her next door neighbor. The complainant's boy attempted to steal apples from Mrs. Forsyth's orchard. The latter's dog bit his leg. His mother came to the rescue with a pitchfork, and in a dispute that followed struck one prong of it in Mrs. Forsyth's leg. The latter procured a revolver and fired at Mrs. Duffy, fortunately not hitting her. The case was adjourned.

Alfred Regan, a young man belonging to this city, where he lived with his mother at 48 Wilton avenue, was drowned off the Badger State, one of the propellers running between Buffalo and Duluth. On making her weekly trip from Buffalo to Duluth, deceased was missed when the vessel had got about fifteen miles from the former port. It is not known how the accident occurred.

A man named Ward, digging a well on a farm owned by Mr. Wallace Bailey, on Lake Shore road, near Lorne Park, Thursday morning, met his death by the well caving in upon him. Mr. Ward was a very respected man.

Scott & Cross' planing and sash mill and two or three small tenement houses on Hayter street, were totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Four or five other houses fronting on Hayter street, were badly gutted and several large piles of lumber burned. Loss $10,000; partially insured.

A Boy Drowned in a Well.

PORT ROBINSON, Ont., Aug. 16.—The 4-year-old son of Wm. Hannah, a farmer residing about two miles east of this place, was drowned in a well Thursday night.

The Coats Thread Works.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—In connection with the formation of a public company by the J. & P. Coat Thread Works, Paisley, Scotland, Messrs. Hanson Bros., who were instrumental in placing it on the Canadian market, have received the following cable: Total amount applied for exceeds £14,000,000, or $70,000,000, being over £7,000,000, or $35,000,000 of ordinary stock, and £5,000,000, or $25,000,000 of preference debenture stock. This is made up of over 15,000 applications.

LAST MOMENT DISPATCHES.

It has been decided to partially restore the Notre Dame Cathedral at Paris.

Mrs. Henry E. Dixey, wife of the actor, has brought suit for separation from her husband.

Sergt. Montgomery, of the Northwest Mounted Police, was thrown from his horse at Prince Albert and killed.

A Dunedin, N. Z., telegram says: "The threatened strike of men employed on the railways and the shipping trade has been averted."

John D. Rockfeller, Cleveland, denies the report that he is to endow with $2,000,000 a national university in the city of New York.

Lewis A. Hall's yacht Ramona has sunk near Sault Ste. Marie in sixteen feet of water. She collided with a tug. She is valued at $25,000.

The Dunnell Print Works at Pawtucket, R. I., were partially destroyed by fire this (Saturday) morning. Loss estimated from $150,000 to $200,000. Fully insured.

Hon. A. M. Ross, having retired from the Ontario Cabinet, Hon. J. M. Gibson has taken temporary charge of the Treasury Department and public institutions.

Rev. T. J. Stiles, of Frankville, Ont., has received a call from the Diocese of Iowa, U. S., offering him a salary of $2,300 and rectory. Mr. Stiles has declined to accept.

The Cronin and anti-Cronin factions of the Clan-na-Gael celebrated "Lady Day" in Chicago Friday by going on picnics. There were large crowds in attendance at both.

The Dominion Grey Cotton Association at its third annual meeting Friday decided to continue the association, and to maintain cotton at its present price until next meeting.

A Buffalo telegram says the time lock of the Wyoming County National Bank, of Warsaw, refusing to work this morning, caused $77,000 to be tied up. The works won't run down till Saturday night.

Col. G. D. Rogers, wheat export, estimates the spring wheat crop of the Northwest at 93,000,000 bushels, 43,000,000 in Minnesota and 50,000,000 in the Dakotas. This is based on careful acreage and threshing reports.

Fuller information from the seat of trouble on Lake of the Woods verifies the statement that it is a matter in which the Canadian authorities are not interested. There is no danger of any violence being offered the whites.

CRASHED INTO THE DEPOT.

Disastrous Accident on the Michigan Central—Two Persons Killed and a Number Injured.

DETROIT, Aug. 16.—At Augusta, Mich., at 5 p.m. yesterday the east-bound North Shore limited train on the Michigan Central Road struck a protruding car of a train which had been side-tracked. The engine then jumped the track and crashed into the depot, wrecking the building. It is rumored two boys who were inside were killed outright. After striking the building the engine exploded, blowing Fireman Gregg to atoms and instantly killing Engineer McRoberts.

DETAILS OF THE DISASTER.

BATTLE CREEK, Aug. 16.—The North Side limited ran into the way freight east at Augusta at 4:20 yesterday afternoon. Both trains were bound east. The way freight was on a side track waiting for the limited to pass. The cause of the accident was an open switch left by a brakeman of the way freight. The limited train consisted of five Pullman coaches drawn by locomotive No. 255 in charge of Engineer Charles McRobert and Fireman Robert Gregg. The latter was found between the two trains with the top of his head off, having been instantly killed. McRoberts was found twenty feet away from the cab and fatally injured. The locomotive struck train No. 31 nearly in the center, wrecking five freight cars.

THE INJURED.

Mrs. J. R. Hulton, of Pontiac, had her neck hurt.

Mrs. B. Creasey, of Detroit, was hurt in the face.

Mrs. Anna Freattman, of Blue, Island, face hurt and teeth knocked out.

Clare Caisidy, of Augusta, collar-bone broken and scalded.

George C. Morris, of Detroit, three ribs broken.

Mrs. Powell, of Chicago, scalp wound.

C. S. Keene, Chicago, head cut.

The freight train was in charge of Conductor Lafayette Saunders, and his brakeman (named Harris), who is responsible for the open switch, is missing.

This was Fireman Gregg's second trip on this run. He had been firing on the train with which he collided, and had just been promoted. The dead brakeman has a wife and three children, and the wounded engineer the same family.

The force of the blow from the collision moved the depot six feet. Two cars next the one struck had 250 pounds of dynamite in them, which would have spread destruction had it been struck.

Station Agent Barry, at Augusta, failed to notice the carelessness of the brakeman in leaving the switch open, and waved a white flag from the top of a freight car, signaling the limited men that the track was clear. The responsibility of the terrific accident, which results in two deaths, lies between Conductor Saunders, Brakemen Mosher and Harris and Station Agent Barry, who was on the car to wave the signal.

Suicide of a Windsor Man.

LANSING, Mich., Aug. 16.—John H. McCall, a clerk for Burnham & Co., was found dead last night in the clothes press in his room at the Vandyne House. McCall went home last night under the influence of liquor, and, it is supposed, committed suicide while intoxicated, stripping off all his clothes and hanging himself by a trunk strap to a hook in the wall. His feet dragged on the floor. McCall was 23 years old, had lived in Lansing one year and was well liked. His people are a well-known family living on Gennet avenue in Windsor.

Only a Sister.

"My sister and I each tried a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters with great success for bilious headache. We recommend it to all as a specific for headache."

"MISS CARRIE SCHERER, Baden, Ont."

BLUSTER AND BLUNDER.

Press Comments on the Behring Sea Controversy.

Blaine and Salisbury Both Come in for Hard Hits.

The British Commons to Meet in November—Spread of the Potato Blight in Ireland.

Ferdinand's Return.

SOFIA, Aug. 16.—Prince Ferdinand returned to this city yesterday. He received an ovation.

Terrific Hail Storm.

VIENNA, Aug. 16.—A terrific hail storm yesterday destroyed the vinyards on the left bank of the Danube and in Southern Moravia.

Russia's Doings.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—A Vienna special declares Russian agents are trying to provoke revolution as a pretext for the Russian occupation of Erzroum.

Australian Labor Troubles Spreading.

MELBOURNE, Aug. 16.—The marine officers here have decided to strike. The paralysis of the shipping trade, consequent upon the strike, extends to Sydney, Adelaide, Brisbane and other ports.

French Naval Movements.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—The French squadron of evolution which has been cruising in the Atlantic, has arrived at Toulon. Several of the torpedo boats and dispatch boats were disabled, and it was necessary to tow them into port. The iron clads behaved well.

Great Britain and Portugal.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Sir James Fergusson, Under Foreign Secretary, states that the convention with Portugal is still unsigned, but that the matters in dispuute with that country are on the eve of an amicable settlement. In reply to queries, Mr. Goschen stated that it is absolutely fixed that the House would meet in November.

A Colossal Concert.

VIENNA, Aug. 16.—Twenty thousand persons practiced with the choral societies. The Ringstrasse was thronged with people. The Germans were especially applauded. There were 12,000 singers in the procession, most of them were in picturesque costume. The American singers were greeted with hurrahs. Fifteen thousand persons were invited to the Mayor's supper.

Celman and the Cordova Bank.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The Buenos Ayres correspondent of the Times states that orders have been sent to imprison the directors of the Cordova National Bank, should they persist in defying the law. One of the leading ministers declares Celman will risk being hanged at his own door if he interferes in favor of his friends. It is estimated the bank has lent recklessly $30,000,000 to Celman's check.

Is Leprosy Contagious?

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The Government of India reports that the medical authorities are unable to agree as to whether leprosy is contagious or not. The local Governments also differ on the question. The proposed legislation will therefore be postponed until further details have been collected through the national leprosy fund in conjunction with a medical commission which will leave England in October.

Failure of the Irish Potato Crop.

DUBLIN, Aug. 16.—Reports received here show the potato blight is spreading in the counties of Donegal, Cork, Walesford, Tipperary and Limerick. Prices have already doubled at Westport, where the guardians are making exertions to avert a disaster. The blight has spread to the whole of Galway. The blight is mostly due to the rainy season. The Catholic primate, preaching recently at Armagh, declared that great distress threatened the poor in Ireland, owing to the failure of the potato crop throughout the country.

The Behring Sea Trouble.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Sir James Fergusson, speaking for the Government, says no adequate judgment can be formed on the negotiations or on the diplomatic correspondence in the Behring Sea matter until the House possesses Lord Salisbury's final reply, which had just been presented to Secretary Blaine. When the whole correspondence was published he believed the House would be satisfied with the manner in which the negotiations had been conducted on the side of the British Government. Lord Salisbury had aimed to establish a close time for seals by an international arrangement, and at the same time to prevent further seizing of British vessels and secure compensation for seizures already made.

Blaine's Bluster.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Commenting on the Behring Sea Blue Book the Times declares it confirms the conclusion that the conduct of the American Government in rejecting Sir Julian Pauncefoote's modus vivendi, in instructing the American cruisers to dismantle British vessels and in breaking off the negotiations, evinces an arbitrariness and contempt for reason happily rare in international treaties nowadays. It will be childish of Mr. Blaine to treat the fact that we want our colonists restrained from fishing as the foundation of an obligation not to fish."

The Standard says the thunders in which Mr. Blaine has been dealing are of the most transparent and artificial kind. From first to last the taint of domestic American politics infects the negotiations. Even if America possessed the exclusive rights claimed England would be justified in resenting most strongly the mode by which the pretension was made. The article concludes thus: "The position as it stands is not one that the friends of good will between the nations can view without misgiving." The Chronicle says: "We would think little of Salisbury's diplomacy if these dispatches ended the tale. England and America may have differences but they must remain friends." The Chronicle hopes Mr. Blaine's rejection of Salisbury's proposals will be only transient as a protest against an apparent breach of faith on Lord Salisbury's part.

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FOR TEMPERANCE.

Resolutions Adopted by the Dominion Alliance Council.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.—The annual convention of the Council of the Dominion Alliance continued its second day's proceedings yesterday and took up the discussion of the resolutions on political action and Parliamentary action. The question of asking for a plebiscite was not considered favorably. Rev. Mr. Chown, Rev. Mr. Bell, of Hamilton, Mr. Carson and Mr. Jamieson were against it. Mr. Maclaren thought it un-British and unconstitutional. He submitted the following resolution, which was assented to:

That this alliance is not prepared to advocate or indorse a national plebiscite on the question of prohibition, but would recommend the friends of prohibition in the country to devote their energies toward securing the enactment of a prohibitory law by endeavoring to elect a majority of members of Parliament favorable to such measures.

Hon. Senator Vidal, Mr. Jamieson, M.P., and Mr. J. R. Dougall were selected a sub-committee to decide what Parliamentary returns should be asked for from Parliament and from the Provincial Legislatures.

At the afternoon session the following were appointed

OFFICERS:

President—Hon. A. Vidal.
Corresponding Secretary—F. S. Spence.
Recording Secretary—J. H. Carson.
Treasurer—W. H. Orr.
Vice-Presidents—Hon. J. C. Aikins and W. H. Howland for Ontario, J. R. Dougall and S. A. Fisher, M.P., for Quebec, the President of the Nova Scotia Alliance and F. McClure for Nova Scotia, Rev. R. S. Crisp and J. W. McCready for New Brunswick, the President and Secretary of the Provincial Alliance of Prince Edward Island for Prince Edward Island, D. Nixon and R. D. Rorison for Manitoba, G. H. V. Buiyea and James Weidman for the North-west Territories, the President and Secretary of the Provincial Alliance of British Columbia for British Columbia.

Executive Committee—J. J. Maclaren, Jacob Spence, A. M. Featherstone, Rev. Dr. Sutherland, Dr. C. V. Emory, W. W. Buchanan, Rev. Dr. Williams, D. Fleming, W. Tees, James Baylis, Rev. A. M. Phillips, Rev. W. A. Hunter, Jos. Jamieson, M.P.; Major Bond, Rev. Dr. Thomas, Rev. T. W. Campbell, L. C. Peake, A. A. Batcheller, H. O'Hara, J. B. Hay and J. Brooks.

Committee on Legislation—J. R. Dougall, A. M. Featherstone, Rev. D. J. Wood, J. H. Carson, R. C. Smith, Hon. J. C. Aikins, Rev. S. D. Chown, M. B. Jewell, W. H. Howland, J. J. MacLaren, E. S. Spence, together with the following members of the Senate and House of Commons: Hons. M. A. Girard, R. W. Scott, David Wark, A. R. McLellan, G. G. Stephens, E. Murphy, A. Vidal, Messrs. J. Rowland, J. Waldie, P. McDonald, J. McMillan, A. T. Lepine, J. A. Kirk, J. M. Freeman, F. H. Hale, T. Bain, J. Jamieson, W. F. Roome, A. Boyle, W. C. Edwards, J. B. Mills, F. W. Borden, T. Robertson, A. H. Gilmour, S. A. Fisher, Jos. Lavergne, Julius Scriver, G. Turcot, A. B. Dickey, J. D. Eisenhauer, J. Lovitt and Robert Watson.

The committee appointed to consider the letter from the Northwest Prohibitory Alliance, asking for aid, recommended as follows:

That the Northwest Prohibitory Alliance be informed of the sympathy of this council; that the secretary be instructed to forward to them the resolution already adopted with regard to the matter referred to in the document; that the executive be instructed to make an appeal for a special fund to send an authorized agent to the Northwest Territory.

The report of the Committee on the Constitution having been read and adopted, Mr. Spence moved the following which was concurred in:

That the Executive Committee of the council be instructed to appoint a deputation to the approaching session of the General Conference of the Methodist Church and the next session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, to lay before these bodies the fraternal greetings of the council and to call attention to its principles and work.

The following motion was passed on the proposition of Mr. J. R. Dougall:

That the executive be instructed to inquire into the possibility of securing an identical petition to Parliament from the general courts of the various religious bodies.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

The Royal Templars of Temperance camp appeared full of interest to the knights. The proceedings opened with a marching drill of the knights and cadets under Brigade-Major Faulkner. Dr. McKenzie addressed them on physicial development and urged a good all-round training, conducting to a better physical and moral nature. In the afternoon a mass meeting was held in the canvas tabernacle to celebrate the centenary of the Father Mathew movement. W. T. L. Reed, of Fredericton, presided, and speeches full of recollection and hope were delivered by a number of prominent temperance workers.

FATAL COLLISION.

Three Men Killed and a Number More or Less Injured.

ALTON, Ill., Aug. 16.—A construction and passenger train collided last evening on the St. Louis, Alton and Springfield Railroad near Clifton. The passengers all escaped. Both engineers jumped and saved themselves. The list of killed and wounded is as follows:

Killed — Peter Smith, of Springfield; Charles McGee, of Alton, water carrier on construction train; James Murray, St. Louis, laborer.

Wounded—Frank Lee, Springfield, engineer on passenger train, leg badly crushed; Joseph Daly, Alton, conductor; M. S. Seymour, Alton, superintendent St. Louis, Alton and Springfield Railway; W. H. Cassedy, Alton; Patrick McCullagan, Alton; John King, Jerseyville; B. Howell, C. J. Owens, Henry Hunter, Alton; Mr. Cantrill, Alton; John McCufleny, George German, Delhi; Richard J. Lesson and Chas. Foss.

Died at the Age of 120.

GALENA, Ill., Aug. 16.—Bridget Doody, the Mineral Point, Wis., centenarian, who was believed to be the oldest person in the United States, died on Wednesday night at her home in that city after a brief illness. Rev. James O'Keefe wrote to her native parish in Ireland some years ago and received information on the authority of the record books of the parish that she was born in the year 1770.

Steamship Arrivals.

Aug. 15.	At	From.
Rosarian	Father Point	Glasgow
Avlona	Father Point	Middlesboro
Ocean King	Father Point	London
City of Chester	Queenstown	New York
Saale	New York	Bremen
Vancouver	Liverpool	Quebec
Friesland	Antwerp	New York
Augusta Victoria	New York	Hamburg
Polynesian	Heath Point	Liverpool
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The Queen	New York	Liverpool

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THE WORLD OF WORK.

New York Central Strikers Claim to Have Been Misrepresented

English Printers Discharged from the Ottawa Bureau—Protest from British Columbia Miners.

ALBANY, Aug. 16.—The railway strikers claim the newspapers are misrepresenting matters and have issued a bulletin which says:

The condition at present is a great improvement upon the strike as it stood at 7 o'clock on Aug. 8. The best of feeling prevails all along the line, all our members being hopeful and remaining staunch and true to the cause. Reports which are constantly being received here that the company are moving freight as well as passengers are entirely untrue. None is being moved to any extent, and they still refuse to receive all shipments of freight offered them, which entirely disposes of Mr. Webb's assertions. The efforts of the company to incite our people to riot and violence by employing Pinkerton's men with clubs and Winchesters has so far been an utter failure. Caution all of our brothers to remain firm and vigilant, and all will end in our favor."

THE TROUBLE EXTENDING.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Vice-President Webb of the New York Central Road, received a dispatch from East Buffalo this morning, which stated that the freight conductors and yard switchmen at that point went out this morning on strike.

BUFFALO SWITCHMEN QUIT WORK.

BUFFALO, Aug. 16.—The switchmen on the New York Central Railroad struck at 3 o'clock this morning. Freight trains are blocked. Several cars of Canadian live stock are lying at Black Rock, awaiting transportation to East Buffalo. It is reported that the West Shore switchmen at East Buffalo have also quit work.

RUMORS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—There is a rumor that the switchmen between Albany and Chicago have gone out.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 16.—At noon everything was running as usual at the Central depot. No more men have gone out. Passenger trains from the east are an hour late. Not many freights came in.

ENGLISH PRINTERS BOUNCED FROM BUREAU.

OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—Twenty-eight English printers were discharged from the Government printing bureau Wednesday night. They complain that this is an injustice on the part of Supt. Senecal, as the entire staff, including the French printers, was engaged all summer at English composition.

A LOCKOUT AT LYNN.

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 15—The morocco dressers here have been locked out on account of a strike at Moulton's factory—600 hands are out and the number will be increased to 1,500. The manufacturers say they will not yield to any demand.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The Central Railroad strikers here are firm, and claim to be sure of ultimate success. They say unless the troubles are settled by arbitration the strike will be extended to all Vanderbilt lines to Chicago and Denver. At Albany the strikers claim an improvement in the situation.

STONE-THROWING.

Last evening a number of Pinkerton men were stoned by persons in hiding, and five were injured. The Executive Board of Locomotive Firemen, in session at Utica, decided not to strike unless ordered by higher authority. Wabash switchmen at Chicago have struck, owing to the postponement of pay day, and traffic is stopped.

CARON "CAN'T HELP IT."

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.—Mr. Gordon, M.P., Victoria, B. C., has sent a protest to the Militia Department about the calling out of the troops to settle the strike or trouble at the coal mines at Wellington, B. C. Sir Adolphe replied that he personally had no jurisdiction, the troops having been called out by three magistrates who possessed this power under the terms of the Militia Act.

THE TAX QUESTION.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.—The Trades and Labor Council last night adopted a motion commending the proposed business tax in the following terms:

Resolved, that the abolition of the tax on merchandise and the substitution of a normal business tax it a step in the direction of the ultimate concentration of all taxes on land values, and as such deserves the hearty approval of all who work for wages.

LABOR NOTES.

The Manufacturers' Defense Association of the United States and Canada asked the Molders' National Convention to appoint a conference committee to meet with them in future and adjust all differences.

At St. Paul soft-stone cutters work eight hours at 50 cents an hour. The granite cutters work nine hours for 35 to 40 cents.

Woodworkers at St. Louis want eight hours and no piecework, nor Sunday labor.

The Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators has 185 unions and 10,000 members. They will probably demand eight hours next May.

Printing on Sunday is prohibited in Austria, and they have no Monday papers.

The harness-makers of Halifax, N. S., have secured a nine hours day.

A third of the 150,000 tailors of the United States are, it is said, located in New York City.

At Pittsburg 500 iron puddlers went on strike against the admittance of negroes to the puddling department.

The Trades and Labor Council of Winnipeg propose to take action against railway agents who are inducing workmen to buy tickets for points in the Northwestern States by promising employment at impossibly high wages.

I. O. O. F.

Closing Session of the Grand Lodge—The Age at Which Candidates May be Admitted Lowered.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.—The convention of the I. O. O. F. was resumed and concluded yesterday. Among the more important changes made in the constitution was one rendering a six months' residence within the jurisdiction necessary to entitle a person to membership. Bro. J. T. Hornibrook, Toronto, proposed an amendment, which, it carried, would extend the term to twelve months. The proposed change was not adopted. A proposal to revive the custom of granting annuities to members' widows, which was abolished by the Grand Lodge at Barrie two years ago, was unsuccessful. The report of the committee on statistical returns showed that the order had made encouraging progress since the last meeting. There was an increase of 880 in the membership. This increase had been augmented by the addition of 404 during the past half year of 1890. In 1889 there were 2,091 sick brethren relieved at a cost of $31,836, while during the last six months there had been 1,966 cases. The Committee on Order reported that the Grand Master had been able to satisfactorily adjust the difficulty in Hillsburg Lodge, 167. The committee approved of the action of the Grand Master in taking action to prevent illegal use of emblems of the order for advertising purposes. The year past had been one of the most brilliant in the history of the order. The committee recommended that the new Pelican lodges be granted charters, and was confident that this branch of the order would wield an influence during the coming year.

The Appeals Committee decided that no lodge can use its ordinary funds for entertainments. It was decided to admit members at the age of 18 instead of 21 as at present. It was also decided that the presentation of a jewel was a fitting emblem for an officer of 25 years standing. The Grand Master was requested to visit the district lodges with a view to stirring them up to greater activity.

The Traveling Committee reported that the mileage of the delegates was 39,543, at a cost to the lodge of $1,972. The daily fees ($2) amounted to $3,379.

A vote of thanks was passed to the retiring officers, and also to the Toronto brethren for their hospitality, and the convention adjourned.

Salvador and Guatemala.

SAN SALVADOR, Aug. 16.—President Esteta says: "The people are unanimous in repelling forcibly all foreign interference and are perfectly willing to fight out the question with Guatemala. I have no confidence in the peaceful efforts of diplomatic corps, and soon expect a reopening of hostilities."

CITY OF GUATEMALA, Aug. 16.—While hostilities have been suspended the army of Guatemala has been constantly recruited until there are now, it is claimed, 40,000 at the front. President Barillas will soon go to the frontier.

Business Across the Border.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Bradstreet's Weekly Review states that there are few changes in either the agricultural, industrial or commercial situation. The rains throughout Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska came too late to repair the damage done the cereal crop, particularly that to Indian corn. Cotton crop estimates are not as favorable as a few weeks ago, while those of wheat, corn, oats and barley are as low as previously reported. The sugar and rice crops promise well. Fruit yields are short and prices higher. The feature of the week is the continued advance for hides and leather.

Wheat, corn and oats have been affected by unfavorable crop reports and heavy speculative demand, the first-named advancing 5 cents to 6 cents; corn, 1¼ cents, and oats fully 6 cents per pushel.

Drygoods in satisfactory demand. Woolens in better request, but unchanged in prices. Wool steady and unchanged.

Business failures 148 in the United States this week, against 150 last week, and 177 this week last year. Canada had 29 this week, against 25 last week. The total number of failures in the United States, Jan. 1 to date, is 6,503, against 8,029 in a like period of 1889.

Uncle Sam's Border Defenses.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—United States Secretary of War Proctor is about to make a personal visit to the eastern frontier posts with a view to determining their reliability in case of a personal war with England. Visits will be made to the post of Sackett's Harbor, Plattsburg barracks and possibly Fort Brady, on the Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. At Fort Brady new barracks and other buildings are about to be erected. The Secretary and Gen. Schofield have already recommended the enlargement of Plattsburg barracks by the enlargement of several companies, as they consider this to be a most important strategic point for the defense of the eastern part of the State of New York. They may look over the ground of the frontier between this point and Madison barracks, at Sackett's Harbor, with a view to the establishment at some convenient spot of a new post, designed to cover the approach to the lakes and to prevent inroads from the north. The Welland Canal is the only hope that England has of being able to place a gunboat fleet on the lakes, and to the mouth of this means of communication the Secretary and General will pay some attention. The Secretary has recently had called to his attention a plan for the enlargement of the Erie Canal, which is at present about six feet deep, with a view to its possible use as a water way for defensive and offensive measures in case of war.

This tour is only one of inspection, but it is a fact that the Behring Sea agitation has had the effect to call the attention of the Government to the inadequacy of the fortification system of the country if war with Great Britain is at any time contemplated.

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QUEEN'S PARK METHODIST CHURCH—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

SOUTH LONDON METHODIST CHURCH—Services tomorrow as usual, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

HORTON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching at 11 o'clock; Sabbath school at 3 p.m., and preaching at 7:30 p.m.

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by the pastor. Bible class and Sunday school at 3 p.m. All welcome.

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LONDON WEST METHODIST CHURCH—Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Rev. W. McDonagh, pastor.

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VOTERS' LIST, 1890

Municipality of the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I have transmitted or delivered to the various persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of the Ontario Voters' List Act, 1889, the copies required by said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at municipal elections; and that the said list was first posted up at my office, at the City Hall, in London, on the 15th day of August, 1890, and remains there for inspection. And electors are required to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated the 15th August, 1890.

JAMES GRANT,
Clerk of London township.

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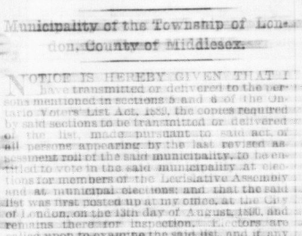
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UNDER THE SEMAPHORE.

Double Tracking the Michigan Central—July Earnings of American Roads.

The M. C. R. will be double tracked from Niagara to Detroit in time for the World's Fair at Chicago in 1892. The work is being pushed forward very fast.

Mr. Van Horne says he does not anticipate much trouble with the United States. They are not the kind of people to smash a dollar glass of their neighbor's while they have a ten-dollar glass of their own exposed.

Bradstreet's report says: July was the month of moderate gain in railway earnings, when the large increase last spring are considered. The percentage of gain is slightly larger than that for June. The earnings of 125 railroads for July aggregate $30,702,000, an increase over July, 1889, of 8.69 per cent.

Mr. Geo. Stovel, railway contractor, Calgary and Edmonton Railway, now in Winnipeg, says that 92 miles of road is graded and finished ready for track layers; culverts will have to be put in every mile or two. One hundred and fifty miles have to be graded this fall and track laid to Red Deer.

Since the N. P. and M. R. gained connection with Portage la Prairie, shippers in the east in Manitoba have been astonished and that the road has been discriminated against by the Manitoba and Northwestern road and that local rates have been charged on freight considered by the N. P. and M. R., whereas through rates were granted when shippers consigned via the C. P. R. and M. and N. W. R. The Winnipeg Board of Trade has forwarded letters of protest against such action to Premier Greenway and Sir John Macdonald.

VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

C. P. R. Time to Chatham.

To the Editor of the Advertiser:

As there is a difference of opinion among several of those who went to Detroit on the C. P. R. complimentary excursion to the civic corporations and Board of Trade regarding the time made on the run to Chatham from this city, you would greatly oblige a subscriber by publishing in your valuable columns the actual running time made on that trip. By actual running time I do not include the time lost for stoppage.

Rosebud Alexander.

London, Aug. 16.

[Note.—Two stops were made on the run to Chatham—Komoka for G. T. R. connection, Komoka, and Alvinston—the time at these points is estimated at twelve minutes, which would leave the actual running time one hour and eight minutes. The distance from Chatham to London is 55 miles.—Editor Advertiser.]

Sarnia's View.

From the Sarnia Observer.

The London Free Press was for years in the habit of making political capital for Carling's benefit out of the location of the annual drill camp for the militia in this city's claim being that to Mr. Carling's influence, rather than to London's merits, was due the selection of that city for the camp. But Stratford has twice of late snatched away the plum and now Windsor has had to have demanded a turn. Carling influence is no longer paraded by the Free Press, as the all powerful lever at military headquarters, but instead, the Free Press has been exerting itself to the very anti-London's successful. Nothing was too mean or too absurd to urge to Stratford as a camp site, and to damn as Windsor's prospects. It recently devoted editorial prominence to the following unmitigated bugaboos:

Windsor is not exactly suitable for a military camp; first, the grounds are no better than at Stratford, and secondly it is unthinkable that our militia force should be brought so directly in contact with the border populations, as the constant interchange of familiarities through possibly at some time ensue that quality of tongue which familiarity is said to breed, in relations and duty uses which would be provoking. In view of the amicable and good neighborhood which is the avowed desire and prudent policy of both peoples to promote.

All of which will be read with broad smiles of incredulity by the border populations. A militia drill camp, more than double in size and numbers any ever held in London, was located in Windsor about fifteen years ago, when the friction between the border populations, arising out of the American war and Fenian raids was greater than it is now. There was then a plentiful exchange of familiarities between the border populations, and no resulting displays of loss of temper or good opinion occurred, such as the Free Press alleges would surely follow the presence of our volunteers on the frontier. The same might also be said of Sarnia, where the drill camp was twice located. Though Windsor and Sarnia were not well provided with water those days, they are now in position to meet all the demands of a military camp with that necessary commodity, so that no complaint on that score need be feared.

We have always contended that the principle of location, which formed a feature of the militia camps when they were first introduced after the Fenian raids, is the proper one from a military standpoint, and that the points selected should be those on the frontier most likely to become points of attack, and the strategic points in the interior, which would form bases for supplies and supports. And the fortunes of the country and their military value and importance would be by means of these camps become familiar to officers and men, an advantage of first importance should the necessity ever arise for putting the knowledge so acquired to practical use. It was largely with this object in view that the annual camps were created into existence. The London Free Press knows these facts, and there was a grave lack of knowledge on the part of our military officers on the frontier.

The claim set up by London that because land for the purpose was purchased there from Mr. Carling the camp should be held there permanently, is not a good one now that all other likely places are in position and the frontier towns, totally unfit for camp purposes, are exceeding seemly unfair and untruthful.

All men are everlastingly grinding some axe or another, but among them it is seldom fully suspected how ever got hold of the axe used for splitting the kindling wood.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Groom—A ring around the moon is a sign of rain. Bride (sweetly)—And a ring around a woman's finger is the sign of—Groom (sadly)—Reign.

Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, sciatica, bruises, cuts and sores succumb to its action.

"Will you love me when I'm old?" sang a maiden of uncertain age. "Will I?" murmured a crusty old bachelor. "Do I, you mean?"

No medicine in the world is in better repute or more widely known than Ayer's Sarsaparilla. As a safe and certain remedy for all impurities of the blood, disorders resulting from malaria, and all diseases originating in a low state of the system, every one should use it in preference to any other.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Rodney is to have a lockup.

Simcoe is to have gas works.

A brass band has been organized at Milverton.

Woodstock has 2,563 voters and Tilsonburg 784 this year.

The Ingersoll taxes will be collected in two installments this year.

There were 26 tons of cheese made in Springfield cheese factory in June.

The Dundas Canada Tool Works celebrated its 21st birthday last week.

Jos. McIlhargey, of Clandeboye, has a pumpkin vine in his garden 22 feet long.

A new pipe organ, costing $1,500, is to be purchased for the Exeter Methodist Church.

The work of further testing the Harp wells east of Aylmer will be proceeded with at once.

Dr. Amos, of Crediton, has purchased the practice, good will and premises of Dr. Cowen, of Elyth.

Mr. John Caster, of Kerwood, cut seven and a quarter acres of peas for Mr. Peter McAndrew in two days.

A son of Mr. Chinneck, Elora, has invented a caliper that will measure to the 2,000th part of an inch.

Sir Knight Provincial Commander T. Fred Corey organized a tent of the Knights of the Maccabees at Ingersoll.

The Watford agency of the Traders' Bank will be closed owing to business of the office not being profitable.

Rev. T. Brown and Mrs. Brown, of East Missouri, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding the other day.

White & McConnell, St. Thomas, killed a large tarantula in their store Thursday. It measured three inches across.

A new court of the I. O. F. has been instituted at Watford, and another will shortly be organized in Warwick village.

The Reeve and Treasurer of West Nissouri were authorized to borrow the sum of $1,200 to meet current expenditures for this year.

Sam Barnes is erecting a building near the railroad, at Oil Springs, for a cup factory and a chopping mill, a thing much needed.

Three or four months ago a 10-year-old son of Marshall Bodine, of Fingal, ran away from home. The lad was found in Detroit.

Thos. Pressy, of Vienna, received a kick in the face last week from a colt, which split his nose open. He will be disfigured somewhat.

The Aldborough Council gave a grant of $25 towards clearing and opening out the division line between the 4th and 7th concession lines.

A lime, brick and tile yard has been started in Oil Springs by the brickmaker at Alvinston, and the first kiln of brick and tile has been burned.

The bylaw granting $500 to the Sydenham Valley Canning Company was carried at Wallaceburg the other day by a vote of 137 for to 37 against.

No. 6, the new commercial wire strung by the M. C. R., runs from Suspension Bridge to Detroit, a distance of 228 miles, and was strung in sixteen days.

D. W. McIntyre has just completed a fine new granary at North Glencoe on the C. P. R., competition promising to be keen in the grain trade there this season.

George Barr, Putnam, leaves in a few days for Portage la Prairie, Man., where he has been engaged to teach in the Commercial College for one year. Salary $450.

The Presbyterian Church at Springfield, which has been undergoing considerable repairs and improvements, will be reopened for divine service on Sunday, Aug. 24.

The work of locating poles and preparing to string the electric wires in Ingersoll is being vigorously pushed ahead, and the system will be in operation in a short time.

The Walkerville Council has decided to co-operate with Windsor, and build a sewer to empty into the Detroit River below rather than above the latter town's waterworks.

A petition has been circulated and signed in St. Thomas for presentation to the City Council asking for repeal of the bylaw limiting the number of hotels to eighteen and shops to four.

Ed. Harrison, of Strathroy, has invented a combination center table and writing desk, which is a handsome piece of work, besides showing ingenuity in its style of arrangement.

In Ingersoll on Friday evening last Mr. Robert Smart, grocer, was presented with a gold-headed cane and Mrs. Stuart received a silver fruit dish from their friends in St. Paul's Church.

Brantford has decided to purchase a fire alarm system, costing $4,000, and has awarded the contract for the erection of the same to the Gayner Electric Company, of Louisville, Ky.

Messrs. Noxon Bros., Ingersoll, have in their possession a hand reaper over 100 years old. It was originally used in Prince Edward county and is supposed to have been made in Ireland. It is a curiosity.

Miss Milligan, of Erin, has been chosen as assistant teacher in the Milverton public school. She has had three years' experience in teaching, and has just returned from the Normal School, bringing excellent recommendations.

A very sad and fatal accident occurred at Phillipsburg a week ago Saturday, in which a young man by the name of Becker lost his life. He was working in the brickyard digging, when the clay fell in, killing him instantly.

Five horses belonging to John Richards, Wellesley, strayed into a barn where only loose boards were used as flooring and fell through, and were found hanging in all shapes. They were speedily rescued from their critical position.

One of the needlebeams of the Beachville bridge was broken a few days ago, the result of the extra strain caused by the passage over it of Will Gorman's traction engine. It has been temporarily braced and rendered comparatively safe, but requires new timber.

About five years ago a young man of unsound mind, son of Mr. Alex. Linton, of Hibbert, wandered away from his home, and no trace of his whereabouts could be found until a few days ago, when he received word that the young fellow is in a Minnesota hospital.

Professor Saunders, of the Experimental Farm, has returned from a trip to the East. He reports that the crops in the eastern townships are very fair and quite an average crop. In the Sussex Valley, in New Brunswick, and other more fertile parts of the Province the crops looked very well.

W. Chetman, collector-elect of Walkerville, declines the position with thanks. He does not care about putting up $4,000 bonds for the sake of drawing the magnificent salary of $40 per year. To please him the Council raised his salary to $50 per annum, and also raised the bonds to $5,000. It also fixed the auditor's salary at $10 per year.

A farewell gathering was held by invitation at the residence of Mr. Wm. Haldane, Maple Grove, Westminster, Thursday, 14th inst. An excellent dinner and supper was served by Mrs. Haldane. The occasion was the departure in a few days of Mrs. Dr. Aikman and Miss Alice and Mana Lancaster, who are leaving for Cedar Falls, Iowa, where their mother resides, and where the two youngest ladies are going to finish their education.

The Dundas Banner says: "Dr. Walker has disposed of the Dundas and Waterloo road, the arrangement being that the road is to revert to the Government on repayment to him of the money he paid on it. The price which he was to pay was $21,300. This was six years ago. He paid the deposit and met one payment of $9,000, making $12,000. This sum is to be returned to him with interest at 6 per cent. The impression is that before long the road will be in the hands of the Ontario Government, to whom it has all along been contended it properly belongs."

On Sunday evening the 10th inst., a heavy storm passed over Farquhar, the lightning striking the barn of Mr. D. Coward, of the 9th con., burning it to the ground together with its contents, consisting of his fall wheat and barley, also two wagons with their loads which had been drawn in late on Saturday night. Mr. Coward's loss will be heavy, as there was no insurance on the contents; the buildings were insured.

A number of changes were made in the circuit at the quarterly official business meeting held at Dorchester Station lately. Nilestown circuit being lately abandoned by the last Conference, Nilestown Church is attached to this circuit and the preaching services at the appointment known as the Hamilton Road Church is discontinued; numerically and financially it takes a front rank. The salary of the superintendent minister was raised $50 and that of the junior minister $30.

The Elgin Royal Templars, of which a district meeting was held in St. Thomas lately, seems to be in a flourishing condition the membership being: St. Thomas, 84; Aylmer, 95; Richmond 50, and Sparta over 100, making a total membership of about 330. It was decided to hold the next district meeting in Sparta some time in January, the date to be fixed by the Sparta Council and the Executive of the District Council.

Thursday was Windsor's civic holiday and all of the business places were closed and the streets had a deserted appearance. The All Saints' Church excursion to Sugar Island and the Methodist Church excursion to Slocum's Island were both well patronized. The Keystone Gun Club tournament on their grounds was very successful and there were so many contestants that it was dark before the programme was finished. Louis Youngblood won the challenge cup and James Purser the gold medal. The rest of the prizes were divided.

A special meeting of the Brantford City Council took place Wednesday for the purpose of opening the tenders on the sewerage works construction. G. A. Dana, of Brockville, was the lowest with $37,977 for both sections of the work, and Nihan, Elliott & Phinn, of Brantford, second with $40,713 11. Mr. Dana only sent a check for $1,000, instead of $2,000, and for this reason several of the aldermen contended that the whole thing should be thrown over and new tenders called for. This was finally decided on by a vote of ten to five.

The Aylmer Sun: A visit to the Southern Counties Pork Factory found everything in fine order for a large fall and winter business. The facilities for killing and curing of hogs are unsurpassed in the Dominion and reflect great credit on the skill and shrewdness of Mr. Scott. To those who have never visited the factory the process is truly interesting. Although the business is conducted on a much smaller scale than Armour's, of Chicago, yet the same convenience and mastery of detail are everywhere apparent. The hogs, after being weighed, are penned in lots, the same animals which have been reared by the one person being placed in one pen. This gives the animals a home feeling and they are not so likely to injure each other as they would be were they mixed up indiscriminately. The plan of execution is superior to Armour's. The hog is driven on a large platform, knocked down and stuck. The method of hauling them up by the legs, as in Chicago, is said to injure the meat considerably. After being scalded, the carcass takes the overland railway for the cooling shed, where a post-mortem is made and the remains sidetracked to the cooler, which is surrounded by ice. Here it remains until the animal heat evaporates, then the cutting-up process begins. The hams and side bacon go to the curing cellar, which is also amply supplied with ice. Every part of the hog is used for some purpose, so that the waste is comparatively nothing. Every convenience in the shape of slide, hoists, tanks for hot and cold water, etc., are at hand. Their sausage machine is one of the best made, as is also the contrivance for rendering lard. The most perfect ventilation prevails, and a set of fans supply the cooling room with a strong current of pure air.

DORCHESTER STATION.

The garden party held at the residence of R. E. Shaw the other evening was a pronounced success. Rev. J. E. Moore occupied the chair in the absence of J. Gibson, M.P., who failed to attend. Able addresses were given by Revs. S. Scofield and G. N. Hazen. Rev. J. A. Ayearst gave a fine reading, and Miss Armstrong favored the audience with a couple of recitations, which were well given and well received. Mrs. Bark and Miss Hayden sang a couple of duets and Miss Dolly Shaw sang a solo. The Dorchester Brass Band enlivened the proceedings throughout the entire evening and never played better. The Ladies' Aid sold their handsome autograph quilt to C. D. Burdick for $12. After a vote of thanks to Mr. Shaw and family the entertainment came to a close. Proceeds about $45.

Some sneak thief broke into Sid Shaw's cellar on Wednesday evening during the absence of the family and stole eight jars of fruit.

It is said Mr. Cartwright, a couple of miles south of this village, had a span of horses stolen the other night and a quantity of preserved fruit.

PUTNAM.

The marriage of the Rev. Richard Whiting, of Brownsville, to Miss Jessie Dundass, of Putnam, took place Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. Dundass. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Whiting, of St. Thomas, father of the bridegroom, assisted in the service by the Rev. J. E. Moore, of Dorchester Station, in the presence of 60 or 70 invited guests. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Annie Dundass, and Miss Annie Hunt, of Dorchester, and the bridegroom by his brothers, W. A. and Jas. Whiting, of St. Thomas, all of whom were handsomely and becomingly dressed. The marriage ceremony took place on the lawn, after which all partook of the sumptuous "wedding supper" provided. The newly-wedded pair left on the evening train for Grimsby Park and other eastern points on their honeymoon expedition. The following is a list of the guests and presents: Dinner set, Rev. J. and Mrs. Whiting; china tea set, Mrs. Chas. Dundass; cheese dish, Mrs. J. Loud; water set, Miss Maggie Dundass; lemonade set, Miss Allen; silver berry dish, W. A. Whiting; biscuit jar, Miss Annie Hunt: silver sugar bowl, R. W. Venning; chair, Robt. Dundass; table drape, Miss Annie Dundass; rocking chair, W. C. Dundass; easel and picture, Jas. Whiting; salad bowl, Rev. G. N. Hazen; silver fruit knives, Rev. J. A. Ayearst; table cloth, Rev. J. E. and Mrs. Moore; colored lemonade set, F. and Mrs. Butler; table cloth and napkins, Mrs. Jas. Dundass; silver cream and sugar holder, Mrs. D. Meadows; silver fruit dish, Miss Annie Rowse; decorated cheese and butter dishes, Mrs. R. Dundass; decorated fruit, finger and salt dishes, Mrs. Thos. Dundass; decorated cream and sauce dishes, Brock Dundass; decorated catsup dish, Miss Mabel Dundass; decorated vinegar dish, Miss M. Rumball; table cloth, Mrs. W. Uglow; Milton's Poems, Miss Addie Dundass; volume on "Woman," Mrs. (Rev.) J. Whiting; perfume holder, Miss A. Dundass; tablecloth, the Misses Craik; chair drape, Miss Lyon; toilet cover, Miss Brook; lace curtains and pitcher, Mrs. S. Bennett; fruit dish, Miss Lizzie Dundass; fruit dish and gobiets, Mrs. R. Clifford; silver napkin ring, Miss Skinner; salt and pepper set, Miss Edith Dundass; flower basket, Miss Ethel Dundass; card-receiver, Miss Clara Dundass; silver spoons, A. J. Dyer; silver knives and forks, Mrs. Morrish; purse and $30 cash, Rev. R. Whiting, Kingston, uncle to the bridegroom. The ADVERTISER joins in hearty congratulations to Rev. R. Whiting and his bride.

STRATHROY.

Two young ladies came into Strathroy one day this week and laid an information before Magistrate Noble against a farmer and his son, of Medcalf township, for cruelly and unmercifully beating a horse, thereby causing his death. The defense set up is that the horse, a 6-year-old stallion, was a vicious animal, and that the beating was done to get him away from another horse, which he had attacked, and that in so doing the father and son were in turn attacked by him, and in defending themselves the horse received blows which they supposed killed him. Decision reserved until next Monday.

Those who are unable to attend to the sweeping of the block pavement, opposite their places, have it attended to for them by their more charitably disposed neighbors.

Mr. Graham has again hung out his sign on Front street.

A little child was bitten on Thursday by a dog belonging to Mr. Tuttle. As soon as the matter was reported to the owner of the dog he, to satisfy the mother of the child, immediately had the animal killed. The wound on the child's back, a very slight one, was cauterized, and no danger is anticipated. Mr. Tuttle, however, was asked to pay $2 10 costs.

M. C. McIntyre, agent for Patterson Bros. Manufacturing Company, reports the harvest as being nearly finished, and the crops a fair average.

T. Brunton, of Caradoc, says his wheat will turn out over 40 bushels to the acre, and other crops are a good average.

FERGUSON.

The Exeter district meeting—Methodist Church—presided over with his usual ability by the general chairman, Rev. A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D., was held on the 12th inst. in the Littlewood Church near Ilderton. The members evidenced their appreciation of the rich repast furnished by the ladies in the basement of the chuch, both by the ample justice they did to the dinner and tea and by a hearty vote of thanks tendered the ladies. Amicable arrangements for the year's campaign on missionary and educational lines were made The outlook for the year is hopeful.

Rev. P. W. Jones preaches morning and evening in the Melrose Church next Sabbath, 17th inst.

Rev. J. Husser, of Ravenswood, who, with Mrs. H., is visiting at his mother's home near this village, is taking a month's holidays for his health, which is already much improved.

Rev. J. Husser and lady visited the Melrose parsonage the other day, and among other diversions the two divines had a short contest at air-gun shooting, but unless they are more successful at aiming the arrows of divine truth few of the King's enemies will be wounded.

Miss Maggie Dickie, of Lobo village, died Thursday morning, Aug. 14, of heart disease, and will be buried next Saturday at Melrose.

Mrs. Kitteridge, of Petrolea, with her two children, is visiting her uncle, Andrew Ferguson, of this village.

Salvage.

A large quantity of the best goods saved from Brunton's fire are still unsold, notwithstanding the immense quantities that have been already disposed of. Four cases of men's and youths' fall felt hats and caps, which were only received three days before the fire and which were fortunately in the cellar, will be opened to-day. They are all the latest styles, and will be sold at a bargain. There are a few of those extra fine Scotch all wool underclothing left—both ladies' and gentlemen's wear. These are manufacturers' samples and of a finer quality than usually kept in general stocks. 7-u

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—OF—

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at the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto.
ARTHUR S. HARDY, Commissioner.

NOTE.—Particulars as to localities and descriptions of limits, area, etc., and terms and conditions of sale will be furnished on application, personally or by letter, to the Department of Crown Lands, or to Wm. Margach, Crown Timber Agent, Rat Portage, for Rainy River berths, or Hugh Munroe, Crown Timber Agent, Port Arthur, for Thunder Bay berths. ywt

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VOTERS' LIST, 1890

Municipality of the Township of London, County of Middlesex.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 5 and 6 of the Ontario Voters' List Act, 1889, the copies required by said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said municipality, to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at municipal elections; and that the said list was first posted up at my office, at the City of London, on the 13th day of August, 1890, and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated the 15th August, 1890.

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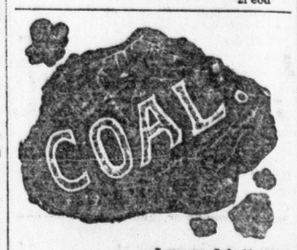
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UNDER THE SEMAPHORE.

Double Tracking the Michigan Central —July Earnings of American Roads.

The M. C. R. will be double-tracked from Niagara to Detroit in time for the World's Fair at Chicago in 1892. The work is being pushed forward very fast.

Mr. Van Horne says he does not anticipate much trouble with the United States. They are not the kind of people to smash a dollar glass of their neighbor's while they have a ten-dollar glass of their own exposed.

Bradstreet's report says: "July was a month of moderate gain in railway earning when the large increases last spring are considered. The percentage of gain is slightly larger than that for June. The earnings of 135 railroads, for July, aggregate $36,752,786—an increase over July, 1889, of 8.69 per cent.

Mr. Geo. Strevel, railway contractor, Calgary and Edmonton Railway, now in Winnipeg, states that 25 miles of road is graded and finished ready for track layers. Culverts will have to be put in every mile or two. One hundred and fifty miles have to be graded this fall and track laid to Red Deer.

Since the N. P. and M. R. gained connection with Portage la Prairie, shippers in the east in Manitoba have been astonished to find that the road has been discriminated against by the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway, and that local rates have been charged on freight consigned by the N. P. and M. R., whereas through rates were granted when shippers consigned via the C. P. R. and M. and N. W. R. The Winnipeg Board of Trade has forwarded letters of protest against such action to Premier Greenway and Sir John Macdonald.

VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

C. P. R. Time to Chatham.

To the Editor of the Advertiser:

As there is a difference of opinion among several of those who went to Detroit on the C. P. R. complimentary excursion to the civic corporations and Board of Trade respecting the time made on the run to Chatham from this city, you would greatly oblige a subscriber by publishing in your valuable columns the actual running time made on that trip. By actual running time I do not include the time lost for stoppage.

Yours, Robert Alexander.

London, Aug. 16.

[Note.—Three stops were made on the run to Chatham—Komoka Pit, G. T. R. crossing, Komoka, and Appin—the time lost at these points is estimated at twelve minutes, which would leave the actual running time one hour and eight minutes. The distance from Chatham to London is 65 miles.—Editor Advertiser.]

Sarnia's View.

[From the Sarnia Observer].

The London Free Press was for years in the habit of making political capital for Mr. Carling's benefit out of the location of the annual drill camp for the militia in that city, its claim being that to Mr. Carling's influence, rather than to London's fitness, was due the selection of that city for the camp. But Stratford has twice of late snatched away the plum and now Windsor is said to have demanded a turn. The Carling influence is no longer paraded by the Free Press, as the all powerful lever at military headquarters, but instead, the Free Press has been exerting itself to decry and slander London's successful rivals. Nothing was too mean or too absurd to apply to Stratford as a camp site, and to damage Windsor's prospects it recently gave editorial prominence to the following unfounded bugaboo:

Windsor is not exactly suitable for a military camp. First, the grounds are no better than at Stratford, and secondly it is undesirable that our militia force should be brought directly in contract with the border populations. In the constant interchange of familiarities there might possibly at some time ensue that quality of temper which familiarity is said to breed, leading to ructions and disputes which would be provoking in view of the amicable spirit and good neighborhood which is the evident desire and prudent policy of both peoples to promote.

All of which will be read with broad smiles of incredulity by the border populations. A militia drill camp, more than double in size and numbers any ever held in London, was located in Windsor about eighteen years ago, when the friction between the border populations, arising out of the American war and Fenian raids was greater than it is now. There was then a plentiful exchange of familiarities between the border populations, and no resulting displays of loss of temper or good opinion occurred, such as the Free Press alleges would surely follow the presence of our volunteers on the frontier. The same might also be said of Sarnia, where the drill camp was twice located. Though Windsor and Sarnia were not well provided with water in those days, they are now in position to meet all the demands of a military camp with that necessary commodity, so that no complaint on that score need be feared.

We have always contended that the principle of rotation, which formed a feature of the militia camps when they were first introduced after the Fenian raid, is the proper one from a military standpoint and that the points selected should be those on the frontier most likely to become points of attack, and the strategic points in the interior, which would form bases for supplies and supports. The features of the country and their military value and importance would by means of these camps become familiar to officers and men, an advantage of first importance should the necessity ever arise for putting the knowledge so acquired to practical use. It was largely with this object in view that the annual camps were called into existence, the Fenian raid experiences showing that there was a grave lack of knowledge on the part of our military officers concerning the frontier.

The claim set up by London that because land for the purpose was purchased there from Mr. Carling, the camp should be held there permanently, is not a good one from a military standpoint, and its other claims that all other likely places are inferior and frontier towns, totally unfit for camp purposes, are exceeding selfish, unfair and untruthful.

All men are everlastingly grinding some axe or another, but among them it's fearfully singular few ever got hold of the axe used for splitting the kindling wood.

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Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy, and general corrective, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of any other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, earache, bruises, cuts and sores succumb to its action.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Rodney is to have a lockup.

Simcoe is to have gas works.

A brass band has been organized at Milverton.

Woodstock has 2,563 voters and Tilsonburg 784 this year.

The Ingersoll taxes will be collected in two installments this year.

There were 26 tons of cheese made in Springfield cheese factory in June.

The Dundas Canada Tool Works celebrated its 21st birthday last week.

Jos. McIlhargey, of Clandeboye, has a pumpkin vine in his garden 22 feet long.

A new pipe organ, costing $1,500, is to be purchased for the Exeter Methodist Church.

The work of further testing the Harp wells east of Aylmer will be proceeded with at once.

Dr. Amos, of Crediton, has purchased the practice, good will and premises of Dr. Cowen, of Blyth.

Mr. John Carter, of Kerwood, cut seven and a quarter acres of peas for Mr. Peter McAndrew in two days.

A son of Mr. Chinneck, Elora, has invented a caliper that will measure to the 2,000th part of an inch.

Sir Knight Provincial Commander T. Fred Corey organized a tent of the Knights of the Maccabees at Ingersoll.

The Watford agency of the Traders' Bank will be closed owing to business of the office not being profitable.

Rev. T. Brown and Mrs. Brown, of East Nissouri, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding the other day.

White & McConnell, St. Thomas, killed a large tarantula in their store Thursday. It measured three inches across.

A new court of the I. O. F. has been instituted at Watford, and another will shortly be organized in Warwick village.

The Reeve and Treasurer of West Nissouri were authorized to borrow the sum of $1,200 to meet current expenditures for this year.

Sam Barnes is erecting a building near the railroad, at Oil Springs, for a cup factory and a chopping mill, a thing much needed.

Three or four months ago a 10-year-old son of Marshall Bodine, of Fingal, ran away from home. The lad was found in Detroit.

Thos. Pressy, of Vienna, received a kick in the face last week from a colt, which split his nose open. He will be disfigured somewhat.

The Aldborough Council gave a grant of $25 towards clearing and opening out the division line between the 4th and 7th concession lines.

A lime, brick and tile yard has been started in Oil Springs by the brickmaker at Alvinston, and the first kiln of brick and tile has been burnt.

The bylaw granting $500 to the Sydenham Valley Canning Company was carried at Wallaceburg the other day by a vote of 137 for to 37 against.

No. 6, the new commercial wire strung by the M. C. R., runs from Suspension Bridge to Detroit, a distance of 228 miles, and was strung in sixteen days.

D. W. McIntyre has just completed a fine new granary at North Glencoe on the C. P. R., competition promising to be keen in the grain trade there this season.

George Barr, Putnam, leaves in a few days for Portage la Prairie, Man., where he has been engaged to teach in the Commercial College for one year. Salary $450.

The Presbyterian Church at Springfield, which has been undergoing considerable repairs and improvements, will be reopened for divine service on Sunday, Aug. 24.

The work of locating poles and preparing to string the electric wires in Ingersoll is being vigorously pushed ahead, and the system will be in operation in a short time.

The Walkerville Council has decided to co-operate with Windsor, and build a sewer to empty into the Detroit River below rather than above the latter town's waterworks.

A petition has been circulated and signed in St. Thomas for presentation to the City Council asking for repeal of the bylaw limiting the number of hotels to eighteen and shops to four.

Ed. Harrison, of Strathroy, has invented a combination center table and writing desk, which is a handsome piece of work, besides showing ingenuity in its style of arrangement.

In Ingersoll on Friday evening last Mr. Robert Stuart, grocer, was presented with a gold-headed cane and Mrs. Stuart received a silver fruit dish from their friends in St. Paul's Church.

Brantford has decided to purchase a fire alarm system, costing $4,000, and has awarded the contract for the erection of the same to the Gayner Electric Company, of Louisville, Ky.

Messrs. Noxon Bros., Ingersoll, have in their possession a hand reaper over 100 years old. It was originally used in Prince Edward county and is supposed to have been made in Ireland. It is a curiosity.

Miss Milligan, of Erin, has been chosen as assistant teacher in the Milverton public school. She has had three years' experience in teaching, and has just returned from the Normal School, bringing excellent recommendations.

A very sad and fatal accident occurred at Phillipsburg a week ago Saturday, in which a young man by the name of Becker lost his life. He was working in the brickyard digging, when the clay fell in, killing him instantly.

Five horses belonging to John Richards, Wellesley, strayed into a barn where only loose boards were used as flooring and fell through, and were found hanging in all shapes. They were speedily rescued from their critical position.

One of the needlebeams of the Beachville bridge was broken a few days ago, the result of the extra strain caused by the passage over it of Will German's traction engine. It has been temporarily braced and rendered comparatively safe, but requires new timber.

About five years ago a young man of unsound mind, son of Mr. Alex. Linton, of Hibbert, wandered away from his home, and no trace of his whereabouts could be found until a few days ago, when he received word that the young fellow is in a Minnesota hospital.

Professor Saunders, of the Experimental Farm, has returned from a trip to the East. He reports that the crops in the eastern townships are very fair and quite an average crop. In the Sussex Valley, in New Brunswick, and other more fertile parts of the Province the crops looked very well.

W. Chetman, collector-elect of Walkerville, declines the position with thanks. He does not care about putting up $4,000 bonds for the sake of drawing the magnificent salary of $40 per year. To please him the Council raised his salary to $50 per annum, and also raised the bonds to $5,000. It also fixed the auditor's salary at $10 per year.

A farewell gathering was held by invitation at the residence of Mr. Wm. Haldane, Maple Grove, Westminster, Thursday, 14th inst. An excellent dinner and supper was served by Mrs. Haldane. The occasion was the departure in a few days of Mrs. Dr. Aikman and Miss Alice and Mana Lancaster, who are leaving for Cedar Falls, Iowa, where their mother resides, and where the two youngest ladies are going to finish their education.

The Dundas Banner says: "Dr. Walker has disposed of the Dundas and Waterloo road, the arrangement being that the road is to revert to the Government on repayment to him of the money he paid on it. The price which he was to pay was $21,300. This was six years ago. He paid the deposit and met one payment of $9,000, making $12,000. This sum is to be returned to him with interest at 6 per cent. The impression is that before long the road will be in the hands of the Ontario Government, to whom it has all along been contended it properly belongs."

On Sunday evening the 10th inst., a heavy storm passed over Farquhar, the lightning striking the barn of Mr. D. Coward, of the 9th con., burning it to the ground together with its contents, consisting of his fall wheat and barley, also two wagons with their loads which had been drawn in late on Saturday night. Mr. Coward's loss will be heavy, as there was no insurance on the contents; the buildings were insured.

A number of changes were made in the circuit at the quarterly official business meeting held at Dorchester Station lately. Nilestown circuit being lately abandoned by the last Conference, Nilestown Church is attached to this circuit and the preaching services at the appointment known as the Hamilton Road Church is discontinued; numerically and financially it takes a front rank. The salary of the superintendent minister was raised $50 and that of the junior minister $30.

The Elgin Royal Templars, of which a district meeting was held in St. Thomas lately, seems to be in a flourishing condition the membership being: St. Thomas, 84; Aylmer, 95; Richmond 50, and Sparta over 100, making a total membership of about 330. It was decided to hold the next district meeting in Sparta some time in January, the date to be fixed by the Sparta Council and the Executive of the District Council.

Thursday was Windsor's civic holiday and all of the business places were closed and the streets had a deserted appearance. The All Saints' Church excursion to Sugar Island and the Methodist Church excursion to Slocum's Island were both well patronized. The Keystone Gun Club tournament on their grounds was very successful and there were so many contestants that it was dark before the programme was finished. Louis Youngblood won the challenge cup and James Purser the gold medal. The rest of the prizes were divided.

A special meeting of the Brantford City Council took place Wednesday for the purpose of opening the tenders on the sewerage works construction. G. A. Dana, of Brockville, was the lowest with $37,977 for both sections of the work, and Nihan, Elliott & Phinn, of Brantford, second with $40,713 11. Mr. Dana only sent a check for $1,000, instead of $2,000, and for this reason several of the aldermen contended that the whole thing should be thrown over and new tenders called for. This was finally decided on by a vote of ten to five.

The Aylmer Sun: A visit to the Southern Counties Pork Factory found everything in fine order for a large fall and winter business. The facilities for killing and curing of hogs are unsurpassed in the Dominion and reflect great credit on the skill and shrewdness of Mr. Scott. To those who have never visited the factory the process is truly interesting. Although the business is conducted on a much smaller scale than Armour's, of Chicago, yet the same convenience and mastery of detail are everywhere apparent. The hogs, after being weighed, are penned in lots, the same animals which have been reared by the one person being placed in one pen. This gives the animals a home feeling and they are not so likely to injure each other as they would be were they mixed up indiscriminately. The plan of execution is superior to Armour's. The hog is driven on a large platform, knocked down and stuck. The method of hauling them up by the legs, as in Chicago, is said to injure the meat considerably. After being scalded, the carcass takes the overland railway for the cooling shed, where a post-mortem is made and the remains sidetracked to the cooler, which is surrounded by ice. Here it remains until the animal heat evaporates, then the cutting-up process begins. The hams and side bacon go to the curing cellar, which is also amply supplied with ice. Every part of the hog is used for some purpose, so that the waste is comparatively nothing. Every convenience in the shape of slide, hoists, tanks for hot and cold water, etc., are at hand. Their sausage machine is one of the best made, as is also the contrivance for rendering lard. The most perfect ventilation prevails, and a set of fans supply the cooling room with a strong current of pure air.

DORCHESTER STATION.

The garden party held at the residence of R. E. Shaw the other evening was a pronounced success. Rev. J. E. Moore occupied the chair in the absence of J. Gibson, M.P., who failed to attend. Able addresses were given by Revs. S. Scofield and G. N. Hazen. Rev. J. A. Ayearst gave a fine reading, and Miss Armstrong favored the audience with a couple of recitations, which were well given and well received. Mrs. Burk and Miss Hayden sang a couple of duets and Miss Dolly Shaw sang a solo. The Dorchester Brass Band enlivened the proceedings throughout the entire evening and never played better. The Ladies' Aid sold their handsome autograph quilt to C. D. Burdick for $12. After a vote of thanks to Mr. Shaw and family the entertainment came to a close. Proceeds about $45.

Some sneak thief broke into Sid Shaw's cellar on Wednesday evening during the absence of the family and stole eight jars of fruit.

It is said Mr. Cartwright, a couple of miles south of this village, had a span of horses stolen the other night and a quantity of preserved fruit.

PUTNAM.

The marriage of the Rev. Richard Whiting, of Brownsville, to Miss Jessie Dundass, of Putnam, took place Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. Dundass. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Whiting, of St. Thomas, father of the bridegroom, assisted in the service by the Rev. J. E. Moore, of Dorchester Station, in the presence of 60 or 70 invited guests. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Annie Dundass, and Miss Annie Hunt, of Dorchester, and the bridegroom by his brothers, W. A. and Jas. Whiting, of St. Thomas, all of whom were handsomely and becomingly dressed. The marriage ceremony took place on the lawn, after which all partook of the sumptuous "wedding supper" provided. The newly-wedded pair left on the evening train for Grimsby Park and other eastern points on their honeymoon expedition. The following is a list of the guests and presents: Dinner set, Rev. J. and Mrs. Whiting; china tea set, Mrs. Chas. Dundass; cheese dish, Mrs. J. Loud; water set, Miss Maggie Dundass; lemonade set, Miss Allen; silver berry dish, W. A. Whiting; biscuit jar, Miss Annie Hunt; silver sugar bowl, R. W. Venning; chair, Robt. Dundass; table drape, Miss Annie Dundass; rocking chair, W. C. Dundass; easel and picture, Jas. Whiting; salad bowl, Rev. G. N. Hazen; silver fruit knives, Rev. J. A. Ayearst; table cloth, Rev. J. E. and Mrs. Moore; colored lemonade set, F. and Mrs. Butler; table cloth and napkins, Mrs. Jas. Dundass; silver cream and sugar holder, Mrs. D. Meadows; silver fruit dish, Miss Annie Rowse; decorated cheese and butter dishes, Mrs. R. Dundass; decorated fruit, finger and salt dishes, Mrs. Thos. Dundass; decorated cream and sauce dishes, Brock Dundass; decorated catsup dish, Miss Mabel Dundass; decorated vinegar dish, Miss M. Rumball; table cloth, Mrs. W. Uglow; Milton's Poems, Miss Addie Dundass; volume on "Woman," Mrs. (Rev.) J. Whiting; perfume holder, Miss A. Dundass; tablecloth, the Misses Craik; chair drape, Miss Lyon; toilet cover, Miss Brook; lace curtains and pitcher, Mrs. S. Bennett; fruit dish, Miss Lizzie Dundass; fruit dish and goblets, Mrs. R. Clifford; silver napkin ring, Miss Skinner; salt and pepper set, Miss Edith Dundass; flower basket, Miss Ethel Dundass; card-receiver, Miss Clara Dundass; silver spoons, A. J. Dyer; silver knives and forks, Mrs. Morrish; purse and $30 cash, Rev. R. Whiting, Kingston, uncle to the bridegroom. The ADVERTISER joins in hearty congratulations to Rev. R. Whiting and his bride.

STRATHROY.

Two young ladies came into Strathroy one day this week and laid an information before Magistrate Noble against a farmer and his son, of Medcalf township, for cruelly and unmercifully beating a horse, thereby causing his death. The defense set up is that the horse, a 6-year-old stallion, was a vicious animal, and that the beating was done to get him away from another horse, which he had attacked, and that in so doing the father and son were in turn attacked by him, and in defending themselves the horse received blows which they supposed killed him. Decision reserved until next Monday.

Those who are unable to attend to the sweeping of the block pavement, opposite their places, have it attended to for them by their more charitably disposed neighbors.

Mr. Graham has again hung out his sign on Front street.

A little child was bitten on Thursday by a dog belonging to Mr. Tuttle. As soon as the matter was reported to the owner of the dog he, to satisfy the mother of the child, immediately had the animal killed. The wound on the child's back, a very slight one, was cauterized, and no danger is anticipated. Mr. Tuttle, however, was asked to pay $2 10 costs.

M. C. McIntyre, agent for Patterson Bros. Manufacturing Company, reports the harvest as being nearly finished, and the crops a fair average.

T. Brunton, of Caradoc, says his wheat will turn out over 40 bushels to the acre, and other crops are a good average.

FERGUSON.

The Exeter district meeting—Methodist Church—presided over with his usual ability by the general chairman, Rev. A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D., was held on the 12th inst. in the Littlewood Church near Ilderton. The members evidenced their appreciation of the rich repast furnished by the ladies in the basement of the chuch, both by the ample justice they did to the dinner and tea and by a hearty vote of thanks tendered the ladies. Amicable arrangements for the year's campaign on missionary and educational lines were made The outlook for the year is hopeful.

Rev. P. W. Jones preaches morning and evening in the Melrose Church next Sabbath, 17th inst.

Rev. J. Husser, of Ravenswood, who, with Mrs. H., is visiting at his mother's home near this village, is taking a month's holidays for his health, which is already much improved.

Rev. J. Husser and lady visited the Melrose parsonage the other day, and among other diversions the two divines had a short contest at air-gun shooting, but unless they are more successful at aiming the arrows of divine truth few of the King's enemies will be wounded.

Miss Maggie Dickie, of Lobo village, died Thursday morning, Aug. 14, of heart disease, and will be buried next Saturday at Melrose.

Mrs. Kitteridge, of Petrolea, with her two children, is visiting her uncle, Andrew Ferguson, of this village.

Salvage.

A large quantity of the best goods saved from Brunton's fire are still unsold, notwithstanding the immense quantities that have been already disposed of. Four cases of men's and youths' fall felt hats and caps, which were only received three days before the fire and which were fortunately in the cellar, will be opened to-day. They are all the latest styles, and will be sold at a bargain. There are a few of those extra fine Scotch all wool underclothing left—both ladies' and gentlemen's wear. These are manufacturers' samples and of a finer quality than usually kept in general stocks. 7-u

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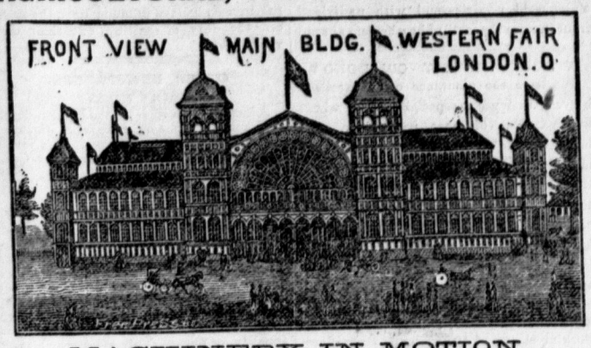
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PROTESTANT FEDERATION.

The financial loss and waste of effort involved in our present management of the Protestant churches, as pointed out in our last article, are by no means the only evils resulting from our separated condition and sectarian spirit. A divided Protestantism must ever be seriously handicapped in the race with Roman Catholicism for supremacy. In our divisions Roman Catholics find a serious bar against accepting the Protestant faith. We who are inside the Protestant camp and know that underneath all this apparent diversity and opposition in Protestantism there is substantial unity of aim and a growing fraternity, can never understand the repugnance with which those who have been schooled from infancy in a belief that visible unity is a characteristic of the Christian Church regard our various church names, creeds and politics. These form a standard objection to Protestantism and generally do duty on all possible occasions. A few years since Cardinal Manning, speaking at Portsmouth, said: "The unity of the church (meaning, of course, the Roman Catholic) was never more marked than now." He contrasted this unity with the divisions of Protestantism, and said that in England "the rival Protestant teachers whittled away the outlines of the truth they undertook to teach." A Protestant federation would certainly present our faith in a much more acceptable light to the millions of our Roman Catholic fellow-subjects.

Again it is well known that outside the pale of all the churches there is a large class of men who find in the divisions of Protestantism an excuse for indifference to or rejection of the claims of religion. Skeptics, some honest and some dishonest, in their expression of doubt, find in the varying creeds of our churches a stumbling block to faith, and in the rival policies of these churches one of the greatest hindrances to a correct view of the religion of the cross. Business men and men of the world who behold the principle of co-operation and union carried out to-day as never before in the industrial and commercial world, cannot possibly understand why Protestants pursue their present wasteful policy. They look upon our mismanagement of the men and money committed to the church for the conquest of the world to Christ, and wonder why the churches cannot learn something from the present age, and manage their resources with as much prudence as they see displayed by business firms and railroad corporations around them. A federation of the churches would largely remove these objections and give us a better vantage ground in presenting the Gospel to such classes.

What Christian has not been pained while contemplating the spectacle of half a dozen Protestant churches presenting their rival claims to the heathen? The divisions of our Protestantism into rival forces on the mission field, both at home and abroad, is an outrage upon common sense and a sin against the world. The carrying of our divisions into heathen lands to prejudice the claims of Christianity (where such infinite issues are at stake) is something more than folly—it is treason. The confusion of the heathen mind in respect to Christianity resulting from the claims of rival churches, creeds and politics is one of the present serious bars to the world's conversion.

All the churches have to lament the little interest taken by the mass of Christians in the cause of missions. Perhaps if a more rational policy were adopted in mission work, if the funds contributed for the evangelization of the heathen were used only where most needed (and never squandered in maintaining rival churches at home), a deeper interest might be awakened in the churches in missions.

In 1881 the Protestant churches of America gave an average of only 26 cents per member to mission funds. Once a year a spasmodic effort is made in each church to revive the missionary spirit and secure missionary donations, and then the church relapses into indifference to the world's conversion.

Why is this so? Doubtless there is a lack of true spiritual Christianity. But there can be no doubt that the sectarian spirit which absorbs so much of the time, thought, labor and life of the average home church is responsible in some degree for this lack of interest in missions. The denominations have been running races for supremacy in the towns and villages, and in some cases using consecrated missionary money for perpetuating beggarly congregations where they were not needed in place of vieing with each other as to who should first plant the gospel standard in the "regions beyond."

The churches have been "holding the fort" of sectarian pride at home too long.

It is now high time to drop our senseless and wicked rivalries and with undivided front "storm the fort" of heathenism abroad

A GOOD HARVEST—CUI BONO?

We have the assurance of an excellent harvest this year, especially of a wheat harvest. But of what profit is a good harvest to the farmer when so much of it must be distributed to the monopolist that the farmer has little left to himself beyond the cost of production? On every bushel of wheat, barley, oats, peas and corn the farmer grows he is obliged to pay toll to a few greedy men, so that they may laugh and grow fat in the enjoyment of their monopolies. He who would be free himself must strike the blow; and the farmers and working classes of Canada must themselves destroy the protective system if they would enjoy a proper share of the fruits of their labor.

THE CAUSE OF MISSIONS.

The cause of Gospel missions was never so hopeful as at the present day. Every new railway, every new steamship, every new telegraph line, every new movement in arts, science, manufactures and commerce, are helping the cause of missions. The men on the far-off fields of India, China and Japan are nearer to "the base of supplies" now than were the missionaries in the frontier townships of Ontario half a century ago. And the cause of missions is educating the world in many ways. There is nothing racial or denominational or national about it, for it is as broad as humanity itself. It was the practice not many years ago to denounce Great Britain for making war upon China because that country would not open her ports to the opium trade. But there was a higher and nobler purpose to be served by that war, for through it China was opened to Christian missionaries. Statesmen may flatter themselves that they are wise, but it is rarely that their purpose in any matter is the purpose of the Divine Governor of the Universe. How true it is that He makes even the wrath of man to praise Him!

CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

Mr. Secretary Blaine is credited with the sensible desire of settling all disputes between his own country, Great Britain and Canada before the turmoil of another presidential election begins, and it is stated that negotiations will be re-opened soon. The people of Canada will hail with satisfaction and thankfulness any fair settlement of matters which have been a subject of controversy between the two countries, and the United States ought not to desire any other than a fair settlement. In the Atlantic and Behring's Sea fisheries the Americans have a historical policy, and they cannot reasonably deny to Canada the same rights which in past years they have strenuously asserted for themselves. On the Atlantic coast they never dreamed of surrendering to Great Britain or any other foreign power a right to fish within the three miles limit, or in the waters of any bays, gulfs or inlets. And in Behring's Sea they never acknowledged the right of Russia in the olden days to declare that water a closed sea. If, therefore, Mr. Blaine is really desirous of settling the disputes his task will be made comparatively easy by claiming no more from Canada than his predecessors in office were in the habit of asserting for his own country. It is largely a trade dispute, and it ought to be settled upon a lasting and liberal trade basis. Only give us unrestricted trade between Canada and the United States, and all matters of controversy may be speedily and wisely settled.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—The Tuppers get $29,000 a year out of the public meal-bin.

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—The best of all times to reform criminals, says the Canadian Baptist, is undoubtedly before they begin to commit crimes. Oliver Wendell Holmes, when asked when he would begin to train children, replied: "A hundred years before they are born."

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—The office of Inspector of Prisons, made vacant by the death of Dr. O'Reilly, is not yet filled. The Government has an opportunity of putting an intelligent and large-minded man in a very important place, and we trust that they are on the lookout for such a man.

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—Mr. Gladstone was recently entertained at a splendid banquet by leading English Wesleyans. Mr. H. H. Fowler, in proposing the health of the chairman, expressed his belief that not a single Wesleyan candidate would stand at the next general election who was not a supporter of Mr. Gladstone.

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—Elsewhere we give the Sarnia Observer's views about the annual drill camp for Western Ontario. Of course, the ADVERTISER would not object to having the camp at London, but it is part of our mission to pay due respect to the opinions of every section of Western Ontario, and we cheerfully give place to the Observer's observations.

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—Bishop Baldwin is down on "trial sermons." He thinks them degrading, and considers a visit to a clergyman's own parish at once a safer and more dignified course. But everybody cannot visit some possibly distant town, and the people may prefer to judge for themselves in preference to trusting to a committee.

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—Is the franchise a chattel or a duty? If the former, the elector has the right to vote or not, as he chooses, or to say "going! going! gone!" to the highest bidder. If a duty, the inference is of another sort.

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—The Mitchell Advocate does not agree with the ADVERTISER on general politics, but it does on the compulsory voting question. What has been lacking hitherto is a little courage on the part of those in both parties who believe in laying upon the electors the duty of getting out their own votes.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS.

ADAM'S PICNIC.

Adam Brown addressed the London Board of Trade last night on trade with Jamaica. Adam is having quite a picnic. His job is almost as good as a sit on the Labor Commission.

THE TARIFF HOG.

Sarnia Observer.

Talk about The Office Hog as an offender against public morals, but he is not a circumstance to the Tariff Hog. The former is generally content with the emoluments of his office, but the latter is never satisfied. Thirty, 40 or 50 per cent. profits extracted from the pockets of the people who are forced to deal with him, only whet his appetite for more. Year after year his cry is Give; Give; and his slave, the Government, is compelled to yield to his demands. Of all the Hogs this country is afflicted with, there is no Hog so hoggishly hoggish as The Tariff Hog.

WHY AN EARLY DOMINION ELECTION IS CONTEMPLATED.

Goderich Signal.

There is another and yet more potent reason why delay will not be the policy of Sir John Macdonald. His years are against him. Already 75 winters have passed over his head, and on the 11th of February last he entered upon his 76th year. At six years beyond the allotted three-score-and-ten it is not given to men to say with any degree of certainty, "Two years hence I shall do so-and-so." At that age it behooves one to think more of to-day than to-morrow—of the present rather than the future. And Sir John, although a skilful tactician and clever withal, is only human—and very human at that. The last good hope of his political career would be to once more lead his cohorts to victory and once again entrench them behind seemingly impregnable works of statesmanship for another five years. Then he could, when it seemed to him best, let the reins drop into the hands of any successor he might choose, and step down and out at his own good pleasure. And that is, in all probability, what Sir John will endeavor to do. He sees the tide rising. A year from now it will be much higher than to-day. A year from now a battle against public opinion by an effete party led by a feeble old man will mean defeat. Two years from now—and that is what it would be were the census returns to be waited for—a contest at the polls with or without redistribution would mean annihilation for the Tory party, for the anti-Restriction leaven which is now working would by that time have permeated the entire electorate.

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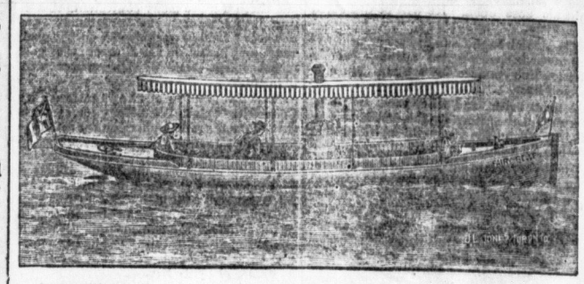
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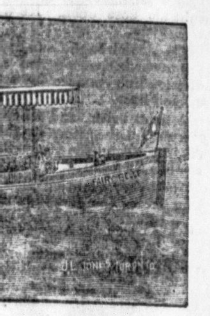


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SECOND DAY'S MEETING.

Yesterday proved to be a much more favorable day for good shooting than Thursday and in consequence some excellent work was done, Mr. N. Robinson, of Clinton, however, made the best record, securing 50 out of a possible 50 in the extra No. 1 match. The annual business meeting of the association was held shortly after 1 o'clock, when the following were elected to the Executive Council: Capt. Hayes, 7th Batt.; Lieut.-Col. Lewis; Capt. Young, "D" I. S. C.; Capt. Robson, 26th Batt.; Capt. Heigler, 22nd Batt.; Lieut.-Col. Smith, D. A. G.; Capt. Ashplant, 7th Batt., Lieut.-Col. Munroe, 22nd Batt.; Lieut. W. C. Noble, 7th Batt.; Adjutant Butler, 7th Batt.; Major Wilson, 33rd Batt., Staff Sergt. Crowe, Guelph Field Battery; Lieut. Chrystal, 28th Batt.; Lieut.-Col. Dawson, brigade officer; Lieut.-Col. Tracy, 7th Batt. The committee afterwards elected the following officers: Lieut.-Col. Smith, D.A.G., honorary president; Lieut.-Col. Lewis, R.L., president; Lieut.-Col. Monroe, first vice-president (all re-elected); Sergt. Crowe, second vice-president; Capt. T. Robson, third vice-president; range officer, Adjutant Butler (re-elected); Lieut.-Col. Dawson, treasurer; Capt. Geo. Hayes, secretary. Col. Smith, after complimenting Capt. Hayes for the work he had done at the ranges, moved a vote of thanks to the energetic captain which was greeted with lusty cheers. Capt. Hayes, in responding, thanked those present for their appreciation of what he had done, which made the service much more sweet. He had, he said, contemplated resigning, but he would be pleased to serve the association for another year.

AFFILIATED ASSOCIATION MATCH.

The following were the prize-winners in the affiliated association match, of seven shots at 400 and 500 yards in any position:

	400 yards.	500 yards.	Prize.
Priv. Robertson, 28th Batt	31	31—62	$10 00
Lieut. Wilson, 33rd Batt	30	32—62	7 00
Capt. Hayes, 7th Batt	32	29—61	6 00
Priv. Gillard, 29th Batt	32	28—60	6 00
Quarter-Master Armstrong, 1st B. F. A.	33	27—60	5 00
Lieut. Revell, 22nd Batt	34	26—60	5 00
Capt. Young, 30th Batt	29	32—59	5 00
Trumpt. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	29	30—59	3 50
Staff-Sergt. Crowe, 1st B.F.A.	32	27—59	3 50
Major Wilson, 33rd Batt	28	30—58	3 50
J. Goldie, Guelph	29	29—58	3 50
Lieut Wilson, 33rd Batt	3[illegible]	28—58	2 00
Priv. Ross, 7th Batt	30	27—57	2 00
N. Robson, Clinton	28	28—56	2 00
Sergt. Jardine, 29th Batt	30	26—56	2 00
Priv. Worden, 28th Batt	31	35—56	2 00
Corp. Shipley, 26th Batt	32	24—56	1 00
E. A. Sleeman, Guelph	30	15—55	1 00
Priv. Robson, 26th Batt	28	27—55	1 00
Priv. Wilson, 28th Batt	31	24—55	1 00

The range prize of $4 to the man making the highest score at 500 yards was won by Private Robertson, of the 28th Batt., who made 34 points.

The team prizes were awarded as follows:

	Points.	Prizes.
Guelph Rifle Club	291	$15
33rd Batt. Rifle Association	228	10
Perth Rifle Association	276	8
London Rifle Club	255	5
"D" Co., I. S. C.	230	2

VOLUNTEER MATCH.

The match was opened to bona fide volunteers. Members of "D" Co., I. S. C., together with attached officers or men. Ten shots were fired by each contestant at 500 yards from any position. The following were the successful shots:

	Points.	Prizes.
Trumpeter Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	44	$10
Sergt. Gordon, 22nd Batt	43	6
Priv. Robertson, 28th Batt	43	5
Priv. Gillard, 29th Batt	42	5
Priv. Worden, 28th Batt	42	4
S. Sergt. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	42	4
Lieut. Revell, 22nd Batt	41	4
Capt. Roberts, 33rd Batt	40	4
Sergt. Monroe, "D" Co., I. S. C.	39	3
Corp. Hurst, 7th Batt	39	3
Priv. Allen, "D" Co., I. S. C.	39	3
Sergt. Jardine, 29th Batt	38	3
Corp Young, 30th Batt	38	2
Sergt. Beaumont, "D" Co., I. S. C.	38	2
Priv. Wilson, 28th Batt	38	2
J. Goldie, Guelph	37	1
Lieut. Noble, 7th Batt	37	1
Priv. Ross, 7th Batt	37	1

The battalion prize of $10 was won by the 28th Batt. by 197 points, with the 7th Batt. a good second with 185 points.

The company prize of $5 fell to No. 8 Company 25th Batt. with a total of 127 points, the first brigade of field artillery being second with 119 points.

AGGREGATE MATCH.

The prizes were awarded to the marksmen securing the highest number of points in the all-comers', affiliated and volunteer matches:

	Score.	Prize.
Lieut. Revell, 22nd Batt	166	$7
Priv. Gillard, 28th Batt	162	5
Priv. Robertson, 28th Batt	160	4
S. S. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	160	3
Sergt. Gordon, 22nd Batt	159	2
Lieut. Wilson, 32rd Batt	158	2
Trumpeter Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	157	2
Sergt. Jardine, 29th Batt	156	
Priv. Worden, 28th Batt	154	
Capt. Young, 30th Batt	154	

Lieut. Revell, 22nd Batt. won D. R. A. medal; Priv. Gillard, 28th Batt., C. A. medal; Priv. Robertson, 28th Ba[illegible] D. R. A. bronze medal. Private Wilson [illegible]de 155 points, but was counted out.

EXTRA MATCH NO. 1.

Upwards of 200 marksmen entered in this match, which was at 200 yards, any position. The entries were unlimited, the two highest scores of each contestant being counted. A Martini-Henry rifle valued at $25 was offered by the association as the first prize, the others for the most part being contributed:

		Scores.	Prize.
N. Robson, Clinton	25	25—50	$25 00
Pte. Robertson, 28th Batt	24	25—49	10 00
Major Day, 22nd	24	24—48	7 00
Sergt. Gordon, 22nd	24	23—47	6 00
Qr.M. Armstrong, 29th	23	23—46	3 00
Capt. Hayes, 7th	23	23—46	3 00
Pte. Gillard, 29th	24	22—46	3 00
Pte. Ross, 7th	23	23—46	3 00
Lieut. Chrystal, 28th	23	23—46	3 00
Lieut. Wilson, 33rd	22	24—46	2 50
Pte. Worden, 28th	23	23—46	2 50
Pte. Dunbar, 28th	23	23—46	2 25
Capt. Roberts, 33rd	23	23—46	2 00
Pte. McCain, D Co., I.S.C.	23	23—46	2 00
Pte. Limpert, 33rd	22	23—45	1 50
Lieut. Lawrason, 33rd	22	23—45	1 25
Capt. Robson, 26th	22	23—45	1 25
Lieut. Revell, 22nd	22	23—45	1 25
S. S. Crowe, 1 B.F.A.	23	21—44	1 25
Pte. Robson, 21st	21	23—44	1 25

Four other 24's were counted out.

EXTRA MATCH NO. 2.

Between 60 and 70 entered in this match at 400 yards, and after the smoke had cleared away the following were announced as winners:

	Score.	Prize.
Lieut. Revell, 22nd	25	$10 00
Sergt. Gordon, 22nd	24	10 00
Capt. Hayes, 7th	23	5 00
Qr.M. Armstrong, 1 F.B.A.	23	5 00
E. H. Sleeman, Guelph	22	3 50
Capt. Robson, 26th	22	3 00
S. S. Crowe, 1 B.F.A.	22	2 00
S. Jardine, 29th	21	2 00
Pte. Worden, 28th	21	2 00
Pte. Robertson, 28th	21	1 50
Pte. Robson, 21st	20	1 50
Major Wilson, 20th	20	1 25
Pte. Gillard, 29th	20	1 25
Lieut. Crystal, 28th	19	1 25
Sergt. Limpett, 29th	19	1 00

EXTRA MATCH NUMBER THREE.

This match, the entries for which were unlimited, was at 400 yards range; any position, including back position being allowed, and the two highest scores counting. The first prize was for a Snider rifle, Turner make, valued at $15. The following were the winners:

		Scores.	Prize.
Priv. Allen, "D" Co., I. S. C.	23	24—47	$15 00
Priv. Robertson 28th	23	24—47	7 50
Lieut. Revell, 22nd	23	24—47	6 50
Capt. Hayes, 7th	23	23—46	3 50
Quarter Master Armstrong, 1st B. F. A.	22	24—46	2 00
Priv. Limpert, 29th	21	23—44	2 00
Capt. Payne, 7th	22	21—43	2 00
C. E. Sleeman, Guelph	22	20—42	2 00
Major Day, 26th	20	22—42	1 75
J. Anderson, Clinton	20	22—42	1 25
Priv. Robson, 26th	21	21—42	1 25
Capt. Ashplant, 7th	20	21—41	1 25
Priv. Robson, 28th	20	21—41	1 25
John Goldie, Guelph	20	21—41	1 25
Sergt. Henderson, 25th	20	21—41	1 00

CITIZENS' MATCH.

With a view to adding to the amusement of the shots a citizens match was announced, the prizes in which were donated by citizens. Five shots were fired at 400 and 500 yards respectively from any position.

	Score.	Prize.
Q.M. Armstrong, 1st B.F.A	46	$7 00
Sergt. Henderson, 25th	46	5 00
Pte. Gillard, 25th	45	5 00
Sergt. Crowe, 1st B.F.A	44	4 00
Pte. Robertson, 28th	44	3 00
Capt. Hayes, 7th	43	3 00
Pte. Worden, 28th	43	2 50
Sergt. Cadville, 28th	42	2 50
Lieut. Revelle, 22nd	42	1 50
Pte. Jardine, 29th	42	1 25
Trumpeter Crowe, 1st B.F.A	41	1 25
Lieut. Wilson, 33rd	41	1 00
Sergt. Major Monroe, "D" Co., I.S.C.	40	1 00
J. Goldie, Guelph	40	1 00
Corp. Hurst, 28th	39	1 00

Capt. Young made 39, but was counted out.

NOTES.

At the P. Q. R. A. matches at Montreal the Governor-General's gold medal was won by Sergt. J. Riddle, Sixth Fusiliers, and the Governor-General's silver medal by Pte. Macfarlane.

THE TURF.

Ovens Bros., con. 2, McGillivray, have sold a team of Clydesdale brood mares to Mr. Shoults for the sum of $385. Mr. Shoults also purchased a fine mare from Mr. Alex. Smith.

CLOSING DAY AT ROCHESTER.

ROCHESTER, Aug. 15.—The closing day of the Grand Circuit meeting drew a large crowd. The 2:17 pacing race was spirited, and gave Cricket a chance to whittle down the pacing record on the Rochester track. Summary:

2:25 class—Purse, $2,000, divided:

Walter E.	1	1	3	1
Leopard Rose	2	2	1	2
Stevie	4	3	2	3
Mamie E.	3	4	4	4

Time—2:19, 2:18, 2:21½, 2:20.

2:17 pacing race—Purse, $1,500, divided:

Cricket	1	4	1	1
Emma	2	2	4	3
Maggie R.	4	3	3	2
Dallas	3	1	2dis	

Time—2:14¼, 2:18½, 2:12, 2:16.

Free-for-all—Trotting; purse, $2,000, divided:

Rosalind Wilkes	1	1	1
Susie S	2	2	2

Time—2:18¾, 2:15½, 2:16½.

TROTTING AT GEORGETOWN.

GEORGETOWN, Ont., Aug. 15.—The demonstration held here to-day proved a grand success, there being good weather and fully 2,500 people in attendance. The programme was fully carried out and resulted as follows:

Open trot:

Grey Lobe, H. Garbutt, Wingham	2	1	1	2	1
Crown Imperial, H. Crozier, Orangeville	1	2	2	1	2
Brown Charlie, P. Riddle Orangeville	3	3	3	3	3
Nellie Baker, W. R. Glasby, Milton	4	4	4	4	4

Time—2:31¼, 2:31, 2:34, 2:34¼, 2:31½.

Three-minute trot:

Flying Dexter, B. Wallace, Acton	1	4	1	1
Little Joe, P. Sayers, Acton	4	1	3	2
Goldring 2nd, D. Robertson, Milton	2	2	4	3
B. B., R. Robson, Brampton	3	3	2	4

Time—2:54¼, 2:51½, 2:53, 2:51.

Green trot—

Nettie Newman, S. B. Kaiser, Edmonton	3	1	1	1
James L. Hughes, E. R. Biggar, Georgetown	1	3	5	4
Nina F., S. Fuller, Streetsville	2	2	2	3
Aristocrat, Jun., P. Courtiss, Dickie	4	4	3	2
Syndicate, Alex. Duff, Milton	5	5	4dr	
Daisy B., F. Chisholm, Milton	6	6dr		

Dog v. pony race, half-mile heats—First heat awarded to dog Tom, of Elora; second and third heats won by brown pony Topsy, of Georgetown. Best time, 2:05½, by pony.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO TWO JOCKEYS.

LAWSON, Mo. Aug. 16.—Eugene Arthur, a jockey, while exercising his horse in company with others on the track near here on Friday, ran into a sulky to which George Sweet was driving a trotter. Both drivers and horses were thrown into a confused mass. Arthur's neck was broken, while Sweet was fatally wounded in the back, head and shoulders. Both horses were permanently injured.

AGAINST TIME.

On Sept. 4 Mr. Robert Bonner's mare, Sunol, 2:10½, will trot at Belmont Park, Philadelphia, against the record of Maud S., 2:08¾, and on the same day and place Senator Stanford's Palo Alto will trot against the stallion record of 2:12, held by Axtell.

CRICKET.

Wingham and Brussels played at Brussels Friday. Brussels 69 and 92, Wingham 48 and 39. Brussels won by 74 runs. Harriston plays Brussels next Monday.

At Guelph on Wednesday in a cricket match "Grits vs. Tories" the former were victorious, 94 to 41.

BASEBALL.

FRIDAY'S GAMES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6, 10, 7; Boston, 4, 8, 7. Batteries—Terry and Clark, Nichols and Ganzell. Umpire—Powers.

At New York—New York, 3, 5, 3; Philadelphia, 2, 4, 5. Batteries—Welch, Russie Clarke and Buckley, Smith and Clements. Umpire—Lynch.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 2, 9, 4; Chicago, 9, 11, 2. Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge, Mullane and Harrington. Umpire—McQuade.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 15, 17, 1; Pittsburg, 0, 3, 7. Batteries—Hecker and Decker, Beatin and Zimmer. Umpire—Strief.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Toledo—Toledo, 14, 15, 11; Brooklyn, 11, 11, 3. Batteries—Cushman, Sprague and Sage; Murphy and Bowes. Umpire—Doescher.

At Columbus—Columbus, 2, 2, 6; Syracuse, 5, 5, 0. Batteries—Knauss, Chamberlain and Doyle, Casey and Burke. Umpire—Peoples.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

At Boston—Boston, 7, 9, 4; Philadelphia, 3, 6, 18. Batteries—Radbourne and Kelly, Buffinton and Milligan. Umpires—Gaffney and Sheridan.

At New York—New York, 5, 10, 3; Brooklyn, 4, 6, 4. Batteries—Ewing and Ewing, Sowders and Kinslow. Umpires—Holbert and Ferguson.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 2, 5, 4; Buffalo, 11, 13, 3. Batteries—Bakely and Sutcliffe, Twitchell and Mack. Umpires—Snyder and Pearce.

At Chicago—Chicago, 3, 6, 1; Pittsburg, 1, 7, 6. Batteries—Baldwin and Boyle, Maul and Quinn. Umpires—Knight and Jones.

HOW THEY STAND.

Standing of the amateur clubs to date:

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.	To play.
G. T. R.	5	1	.833	12
Imperials	9	3	.750	6
Riversides	3	3	.500	12
Stars	1	1	.500	16
Alerts	2	5	.285	11
Clippers	1	5	.166	12
Wolverines	0	3	.000	15

FLYS.

Zimmer still keeps on catching every game.

Virtue is making his long hits with Cleveland.

Nothing much is heard of "Big Sam" Thompson this season.

Rochester is well pleased with its Toronto contingent of players.

Eddie Burke is stealing bases just the same as ever for Philadelphia.

The London Baseball Association get one-half of the receipts of Monday's games here.

The Glencoe and Newbury teams played at Glencoe Friday, and the Glencoes won by a score of 22 to 1.

Smith, of Cleveland Nationals, formerly with Detroit, is pitching good ball against the old League sluggers.

A match played at Barrie Friday between the Creemore Grays and the Galt club, of Galt, resulted in favor of the latter by 16 to 7.

On Monday the Diamond Baseball Club, of Strathroy, will play two matches on the Agricultural Grounds here. The first will be played at 10 a.m. with the Beavers, of London, and the second at 3:30 with the Stars, of London.

Kinslow, who is with the Brooklyn players, was indeed a great find for Ward. At the opening of the season the papers said he was no good, especially in his throwing, but he now leads the quartet of catchers in that club with the largest number of played games, showing him to be the most reliable catcher.

The current issue of the New York Clipper contains an excellent likeness of P. J. Donovan, the ex-London player, and now with the Brooklyn National League Club. Since joining this club Patsy has played about 25 games, and up to last Monday had made but one error in some 50 chances, leading the club in fielding. His batting has also improved the past two weeks.

THE STICK.

The lacrosse match to have been played at Fergus between the Lornes, of Mount Forest, and the Fergus club, has been postponed until Aug. 21.

A lacrosse match was played at Goderich Friday between the Junior Beavers, of Seaforth, and the Junior Hurons, of Goderich, resulting in a draw, 2 to 2.

THE KENNEL.

A very enthusiastic meeting of sportsmen was held at the Garner House, Chatham, on Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a field trial club, and about twenty sportsmen were present from London, Forest, Detroit and other places. Sheriff Mercer, Chatham, was elected president; F. W. Eddy, Detroit, first vice-president; Dr. Totten, Forest, second vice-president; Executive Committee—J. B. Field, C. A. Davidson, H. Avery and another Detroiter; Montague Smith, Forest; T. G. Davey, London; T. Holmes, C. R. Atkinson, jun., Jos. Emie, V. S., and F. Bennett, Chatham; W. B. Wells, Chatham, secretary and treasurer. The feeling of the meeting was in favor of the spotting system as against the heat system for judging the trials, and in favor of three judges instead of one.

The trials will begin Nov. 3, and will take the place of the trials which were to be held under the auspices of the Canadian Kennel Club.

The International Field Trial Club was the name adopted.

THE WHEEL.

H. E. Laurie, an English bicycle rider, cut the five mile record from 13:43 3-5 to 13:39:24, at Hartford, Ct., on Friday. P. J. Hurlo, of Boston, cut the one mile American record from 2:37:24 to 2:36.

A good lathering is the first requisite of a good shave. It is also the best thing for a bad shaver.

The Pittsburg Post recommends the administering of Monongahela water to murderers, if electricity does not prove to be instantly fatal.

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One of these pads will kill more flys every day for a month than can be caught upon a large sheet of sticky paper. A 10c. packet of Wilson's Fly Poison Pads will last a whole season. Sold by all druggists.

There are some well educated people in the world who cannot remember all the letters of the alphabet. They usually stick on their "I. O. U.'s"—[Detroit Free Press.

Half of the exports of Germany to Africa during last year consisted of liquor, and of the remainder a good share was gunpowder. Civilization is a great thing, when it is worked for revenue only.—[Detroit Free Press.

Of the 18,000 physicians assembled at the recent congress in Berlin, 3,000 were from the United States. It is said that in spite of the extremely hot weather, this has been one of the healthiest summers in the history of this country. Can there be any connection between the absence of the doctors and the low death rate.—[Detroit Free Press.

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IN A DOUBLE ROLE.

Number One Committee Transacts Its Business and Then Forms a Court of Revision—List of Appeals Disposed Of.

No. 1 Committee met last evening for the joint purpose of dealing with committee work and also for disposing of the work of the Court of Revision. The following members were present: Ald. Moule (chairman), Anderson, Luney, Glass, Taylor, Mayor Taylor, Secretaries Pope and Abbott, Commissioner Grant and Assessor Buckle. The committee decided to deal with the committee business first.

Secretary Pope stated that he had communicated with the different insurance companies whose rate had been agreed upon at last meeting, and that the Manchester and Phœnix refused to stand by their agents' contracts. The Agricultural Company had not been withdrawn.

One of the representatives of the latter was present and stated it his belief that his company would stand by its contract.

The tenders of the London Mutual, Gore Mutual and Waterloo Mutual Insurance Companies were also accepted, the amount of the insurance ($36,000) to be equally divided.

The petition of George Taylor, asking for remission of taxes, was granted.

A communication was received from Mrs. Margaret Muirhead, requesting a remission of the taxes on three buildings in her name, and stating that the property was mortgaged for nearly $1,000 more than the assessment. Filed.

A letter was received from Wm. Gilmour, asking $50 compensation for the inconvenience caused him by the C. P. R. on Talbot street. The committee thought the matter should be dealt with by the C. P. R., and filed the letter.

The taxes of Mrs. Sinclair, $4 90, were remitted.

A communication was received from Mr. V. Cronyn, stating that there was no income of the Street Railway Company this year. Referred to City Solicitor.

Mr. R. K. Cowan requested a remission of a portion of the income tax on Walker & Sons', late dry goods merchants in the city. Granted.

The auditors' half yearly report was to hand and 100 copies were ordered to be printed.

The July report of Police Clerk Keary was referred to the Council. It showed six convictions for breaches of the Liquor License Act.

The letter of the Governor-in-Council, re the use of sinking funds, was received.

A communication was received from the Board of Education, asking the Council to make arrangements towards having the money in the hands of the London South ex-School Board treasurer handed over. The committee decided to act accordingly.

It was agreed to advertise for sale the school property not at present used for school purposes, the sale to take place the second Tuesday in December.

Communications from the ADVERTISER and Free Press regarding special editions were filed.

The petition of M. J. Durkin for remission of taxes was filed, as the committee had no power to deal with the matter.

Petitions were received asking for remissions of taxation from London Baseball Association, Agnes Portwood and T. O'Callaghan. The first two were granted, and the last referred to the City Treasurer.

The committee decided to recommend the Council to grant $500 to the Police Benefit Fund.

The communication of the Canada Life Association re assessment was laid over.

An account from Westminster township was referred to the Joint Amalgamation Sub-Committee.

THE COURT OF REVISION.

This finished the committee business, and the members resolved into a court of revision. Following were the appeals and how disposed of:

Joseph Swanwick—Stating he had three dogs and not five as assessed for. Allowed.

Allan Swanwick—Against real assessment. Fifty dollars struck off.

Thomas Jones—To be enrolled as owner and against real assessment. Allowed.

Thomas Fox—Against real assessment. Confirmed.

Mrs. Parkinson—Against real assessment. Fifty dollars struck off.

Robt. McDonald—Against real. Confirmed.

L. W. Stevens, per Noxon Bros.—Against personal. Reduced from $300 to $200.

Waterloo Manufacturing Company. Reduced $100.

Chas. Cadham—Against real. Confirmed.

C. J. Mills—Against income. Assessment reduced to $400.

James McMann—Against dog tax. Allowed.

W. J. Thompson—Against factory, hotel and personal. Reduced $1,000 each on factory and personal and $2,000 on hotel.

Ball Electric Light Company—Against personal assessment of $8,000. Decision reserved.

From Jas. I. Anderson—On behalf of First Presbyterian Church, asking for clerical exemption on a manse for the pastor, Rev. Mr. Clark. Granted.

Thos. P. Porte—Against real assessment. Decision reserved.

John D. O'Neil—Against personal assessment. Reduced one-half ($500).

Ed. McGarvey—Against real estate. Allowed.

Rev. Jas. McEwan—Asking clerical exemption. Allowed.

Walter Fairbairn—Against income. Confirmed.

Gibson Wright — Against real for Smith estate. Confirmed.

Richard Booth—To be entered as owner. Allowed.

Wm. Orme—Against real. Reduced to $700.

Angus McCormick—To be rated as owner. Allowed.

James Robertson—To be entered as tenant. Granted.

The members were then rather tired, and they decided to adjourn.

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New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16—1 p.m.—Stock market dull; barely steady; American Express, 114; Canadian Pacific, 84½; Canada Southern, 55½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 145¾; Delaware and Hudson, —; Lake Shore, 108½; Northern Pacific, 34½, preferred, 82½; Michigan Central, —; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 71½, preferred, 119½; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 60½; Western Union, 84½.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Aug. 16—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 96 5-16 for money, 96⅜ for account; U. S. 4s, 126; U. S. 4½s, 104¾, ex-interest; Erie, 29½; Erie seconds, 105¾; St. Paul, 73⅜; Pacific Central, 54⅜; Reading, 22½; Canadian Pacific, 84½; New York Central, 110½; Illinois Central, 115; bank rate, 5 per cent.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Saturday, Aug. 16.

There was a small attendance of farmers at the market this morning. The bulk of the receipts in the grain line were wheat, which sold freely at 93c per standard bushel or $1 53 to $1 55 per cwt. Oats, supply not been equal to the demand, and prices advanced again to $1 35 and $1 37 for old oats. New oats, $1 15. Hay, $7 50 to $8 50 per ton and in good demand. Fruit and vegetables in fair supply; demand good. Quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 93	to	$0 93
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 53
Wheat, Delhi, per 100 lbs	00	to	00
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	00	to	00
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Buckwheat	1 00	to	1 00
Oats	1 15	to	1 37
Corn	1 15	to	1 15
Peas	90	to	95
Beans, per bush	1 25	to	1 50
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 00
Apples, bar	00	to	00
Dressed hogs	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, per lb	4½	to	6
Mutton, per lb	6	to	7
Lamb, per lb	9	to	10
Veal, per lb	5	to	6
Chickens, per pair	50	to	70
Ducks, per pair	50	to	70
Turkeys, each	1 00	to	2 00
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	15	to	16
Eggs, basket	14	to	15
Eggs, store lots	13	to	13½
Butter, pound rolls	19	to	21
Butter, crock or large rolls	17	to	19
Butter tub or firkin	12	to	17
Cheese	8	to	9
Lard		to	10
Turnips, per bush	00	to	00
Carrots, per bush	00	to	00
Potatoes	1 00	to	1 10
Onions, per bush	00	to	0 00
HAY, ETC.			
Hay, per ton	7 50	to	8 50
Clover seed, per bush	0 00	to	0 00
Straw, per ton	2 00	to	3 00
Timothy seed, per bush	0 00	to	0 00
Flax seed, per bush	00	to	00
Bran	12 00	to	14 00
Shorts	20 00	to	22 00
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	6	to	6
Hides, No. 2, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 3, per lb	4	to	4
Wool, per lb	20	to	22½
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	5
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0
Lambskins, each	40	to	55
Sheepskins, each	40	to	55
Pelts	00	to	00
Tallow, rendered, per lb	6	to	6
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	3
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	3 00
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 75
Stone flour, stone	2 50	to	2 50
Buckwheat flour	2 00	to	2 00
Oatmeal, standard	2 40	to	2 40
Oatmeal, granulated	2 40	to	2 40
Oatmeal, rolled	2 50	to	2 60
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 00

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.

WHEAT—Spring, No. 2, $c 96 to $0 97; fall, No. 2, $0 00 to $0 00; red winter, No. 2, $0 99 to $1 00; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 19 to $1 20; No. 2, $1 17 to $1 18.

PEAS—No. 2, 66c to 69c.

OATS—No. 2, 43c to 45c.

FLOUR—Extra, $4 20 to $4 35; straight roller, $4 50 to $4 60; strong bakers, $0 00 to $0 00.

Market unsettled. Sales—No. 2 fall wheat outside at 93c; No. 2 spring outside at 99c; No. 2 hard Manitoba at equal to $1 18, here; oats outside at 42c; peas outside at 60c to $1 00.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn strong.

Arrivals—Wheat, 3; corn 3; sold, wheat, 2; corn, 1; waiting orders, wheat, 4; corn, 1.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn strong. Weather in England unsettled.

Liverpool—Spot wheat upward tendency, corn firmer.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Aug. 14.		Aug. 15.		Aug. 16.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	7 4½	7 5	7 4	7 4½	7 4	7 4½
Red winter	7 3½	7 4½	7 3	7 4	7 3	7 4
No. 1 Cal	7 6	7 6½	7 5	7 5½	7 5½	7 6
Corn	4 5½	0 0	4 4½	0 0	4 4½	0 0
Peas, per c	5 5½	0 0	5 5½	0 0	5 5½	0 0
Pork	56 6	0 0	56 6	0 0	56 6	0 0
Lard	31 0	0 0	31 0	0 0	30 9	0 0
Bacon, s. c.	30 0	00 0	30 0	00 0	30 0	00 0
Bacon, l. c.	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 0
Tallow	25 0	00 0	25 0	00 0	25 0	00 0
Cheese, wh	40 0	00 0	40 6	00 0	40 6	00 0
Cheese, col	40 0	00 0	40 6	00 0	40 6	00 0

Wheat firm, demand poor, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, demand improving.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.

FLOUR—Receipts, 3,300 bbls.; sales reported, 1,100 bbls. The market to-day is quiet but firm. Quotations are as follows: Patents, winter, $5 25 to $5 75; spring, $5 50 to $5 80; straight roller, $4 80 to $5 00; extra, $4 40 to $4 60; superfine, $3 25 to $4 25; strong bakers, $5 00 to $5 25; Ontario bags, $1 25 to $2 25; city bags, $5 40 to $5 50.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 25 to $1 30; corn, 63c to 64c; peas, 77c to 78c; oats, 44c to 48c; barley, 56c to 70c; rye, 55c to 56c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 80 to $5 00; cornmeal, $2 75 to $2 80.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 17c to 17c per lb.; lard, 9c to 10c; bacon, 11c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13c; cheese, 7c to 8½c; butter, townships, 13c to 16c; Morrisburg, 13c to 16c; Western, 12c to 14c; creamery, 15c to 17c; eggs firm, 16c to 17c.

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American Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.

WHEAT—Receipts, 16,200 bu; exports, 119,345 bu; sales, 53,840 bu futures; 13,000 bu spot; spot unsettled; closing higher, with options dull; No. 2 red, $1 05½, elevator; No. 1 northern, $1 15½ to $1 16; No. 1 hard, $1 16½ to $1 17; options declined early; ½c to ½c on weak cables, and realizing recovered 1⅝c to 1¾c on Russian cholera scare and effects of Silver Bill, shorts covering; closing strong at the highest; No. 2 red, Aug., $1 04⅞; Sept., $1 05½; Oct., $1 05⅝; Nov., $1 06½; Dec., $1 07⅝; Jan., $1 08; May, $1 11.

CORN—Receipts, 32,150 bu; exports, none; sales, 1,528,000 bu futures; 46,000 bu spot; spot firm, higher and dull; ungraded mixed, 54c to 55½c; options early were ½c to ⅝c down on crop news and free selling, advanced ⅝c 1⅛c on covering and closed firm at ½c to ⅝c up; Aug., 54c; Sept., 54⅛c; Oct., 55⅛c; Dec., 56⅛c; May, 58c.

OATS—Receipts, 29,000 bu; sales, 110,000 bu futures; 68,000 bu spot; spot dull; easy; options dull and unchanged to ⅛c up; Aug., 41⅝c; Sept. 40⅝c; Oct., 40½c; spot No. 2, 45½c to 46½c; mixed western, 44c to 47c; white, do., 47c to 55c.

SUGAR—Active; 11-16c higher; standard "A," 6¼c; cut-loaf and crushed, 6⅞; powdered, 6 9-16c; granulated, 6 3-16c.

DETROIT, Aug. 16.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 97c cash; No. 2 red, $1 01 cash, $1 01½ bid Sept., $1 05½ Dec.

TOLEDO, Aug. 16.

WHEAT—Active; $1 01½ cash and Aug., $1 02½ Sept., $1 05½ Dec., $1 10½ May.

CORN—Dull; 52c cash and Aug., 50½c Sept.

OATS—Dull; 38c Aug.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.

WHEAT—Sept., $1 03; Dec., $1 06½; May, $1 10½.

CORN—Sept., 49⅞c; May, 53⅜c to 53½c.

OATS—Sept., 36⅝c; May, 39⅝c.

PORK—Sept., $11 45; Jan., $12 30.

LARD—Sept., $6 12½; Jan., $6 72½.

SHORT RIBS—Sept., $5 40 to $5 42½; Jan., $5 85.

OSWEGO, Aug. 15.

WHEAT—Unchanged; white State at $1 03 to $1 05.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 yellow at 62c.

BARLEY—Market quiet; No. 2 extra Canada nominally 68c to 69c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Aug., $1 00½c; Sept., $1 01⅝c; Dec., $1 04½.

CORN—Aug., 48⅛c; Sept., 48½c; May, 52⅜c.

OATS—Aug., 36½c; Sept., 35⅞c; May, 39½c.

MESS PORK—Sept., $11 35; Oct., $10 75; Jan., $12 15.

LARD—Sept., $6 15; Oct., $6 30; Jan., $6 67½.

SHORT RIBS—Sept., $6 37½; Oct., $5 47½; Jan., $5 80.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, $1 00½; No. 2 red, $1 01½; No. 2 corn, 46½c; No. 2 oats, 36½c to 34c; mess pork, $11 25; lard, $6 07½; short rib sides, $5 30 to $5 35; dry salted shoulders, unchanged; short clear sides, $5 70 to $5 80.

Receipts—

Flour, bbls	11,000	Wheat, bu	71,000
Corn, bu	228,000	Oats, bu	216,000
Rye, bu	7,000	Barley, bu	6,000

Shipments—

Flour, bbls	11,000	Wheat, bu	93,000
Corn, bu	165,000	Oats, bu	233,000
Rye, bu	2,000	Barley, bu	4,000

Live Stock Markets.

BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Cattle—There was a heavy supply to-day, mainly owing to lack of facilities for eastern shipments, but the quality was decidedly common, and the only demand was for small bunches; unchanged.

Sheep and Lambs—Twenty cars on sale; trade dull; several lots of Canada lambs consigned through because falling sale here; choice to extra sheep, $4 75 to $5 25; fair to choice, $4 25 to $4 75; choice to extra lambs, $6 25 to $6 50; they had to be very choice to bring $6 35; good lambs sold at $6 to $6 25, with little doing.

Hogs — Twenty-six loads on sale; good weight and quality of hogs found a fair sale, but common light weights and grassers were hard to get a bid on; mediums and heavy, $4 to $4 15; good corn-fed Yorkers, $3 90 to $4; grass Yorkers, $3 60 to $3 75; grass pigs, $3 to $3 25.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Hogs—Estimated receipts, 30,000; official yesterday, 27,236; shipments, 7,716; left over, about 9,000; light mixed, $3 20 to $4; mixed packing, $3 25 to $3 95; heavy shipping, $3 20 to $4; rough grades, $3 20 to $3 50.

Cattle — Receipts, 8,000; including 3,000 Texans; market higher.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Aug. 16.—Oil opened and closed at $1 32½ to-day.

MONDAY'S ADVERTISER.

As usual on holidays, the ADVERTISER will be delivered to all subscribers early in the morning.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—The Grand Trunk will run a special train to Port on Monday at 1 p.m.

—Walter Mann left on his bicycle this morning for a trip to Woodstock.

—Mrs. I. D. Smith is laying dangerously ill at her husband's residence, London West.

—Detective Phair resumed his duties this morning after a pleasant two weeks' holidaying.

—Mr. Charles Norman left this morning for a holiday trip to Detroit, Toledo and other Western cities.

—Thos. Kennedy was remanded at the Police Court this morning on a charge of assaulting Sarah Davis.

—Major John Herald leaves to-night on a two or three weeks' trip to Toronto, Montreal, New York and the Hudson.

—Master Bertie Winnett left by the C. P. R. for Toronto and will spend two weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Thos. Beattie.

—The London Cricket Club will leave for Woodstock on Monday, where they meet their Woodstock friends in a friendly game.

—The conductors of the M. C. R. hold their first annual picnic on Tuesday, Aug. 19, at Brantford. A pleasant time is expected.

—Mrs. W. H. Winnett left by the C. P. R. for Shelburne to-day and will spend two or three weeks visiting Dr. Barr and family, M. P. P. for Dufferin.

—Adjutant John Herald has received the appointment of assistant inspector general of division of the Atlantic Patriarchs Militant with the rank of major.

—Reeve Lacey, of London West, left to-day for Colpoy's Bay, where he will join his wife and family who have been summering there for the past few weeks.

—A gang of men are at work raising and and straightening the tracks in the west end of the C. P. R. yard. A large power shovel greatly facilitates the work.

—Mr. J. F. Collett, of the St. John's Cricket Club, who was injured in a recent game, has had a relapse, and is unable to attend to business, inflammation having set in.

—A large crowd passed through the city to-day en route for Niagara Falls. Their incentive was a cheap excursion from points along the London, Huron and Bruce and Sarnia branches to the Falls.

—The Collegiate Institute cadets of St. Thomas, spent an hour or two in the city this morning while on the homeward trip from Kincardine, where they were attending the firemen's tournament.

—Mr. George Herland, who was in the Grand Trunk Railroad accident on Aug. 6, lost his wife through the effects of la grippe yesterday at St. Thomas. She leaves a family of seven children.

—Resident of London West complain of the number of boys and young men who persist in bathing in the river near Blackfriar's bridge in full view of everybody who walk or drive to and from the village.

—Mr. J. C. Mackay, of the firm of Carver & Mackay, of Chicago, and son of Mr. W. C. Mackay, of Adelaide street, with his wife and child, arrived in the city to-day to spend a few weeks with his parents.

—John Swinier, Andrew Fisher, Thomas Wadmore and John Holgate formed the regular inebriate corps in the Police Court cage this morning. Swinier was allowed the option of paying $1 or spending three days in jail. Fisher was remanded for a week and the other two were given another chance.

—Since the river steamers have been chartered to carry the workmen down to Springbank by the Water Commissioners, a large number of young ladies who pride themselves on early rising have made a practice of sailing down the river and back before beginning their day's duties in the city stores. They one and all pronounce the morning trip as very invigorating.

—The people of Windsor will regret the removal of the Globe Tobacco Works from Windsor to London. The productions of this company are favorably known throughout the Dominion, and have helped to a considerable extent to advertise the town. The proprietor, Mr. Beneteau, is an energetic business man, and his removal from the business arena of the town will be a distinct loss.—[Windsor Review.

—Charles Johnstone, and George, Peter, Alexander, William, John and Henry, his six sons, were arrested by Detective Graham and County Constable Ward last evening on a charge of stealing a quantity of furniture from the Guthrie Home. The most of the stolen goods were found in the prisoners' house across from the Home. The case was adjourned until Friday next, bail being taken for the prisoners.

—The members of the Forest City Bicycle Club started on their annual tour this afternoon. The following members, accompanied by as many fish horns, comprised the party: Capt. Lawrason, Lieut. Tune, Secretary Burns, Whipperin Owens, Privates Weld, Milne, Dromgole, Smith, Mullins, Brown, Stringer, Fewings, Ellis, Angus and Thorne. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb also formed part of the company, which will be met by Mr. and Miss Payne a few miles out of the city. The trip will include Exeter, Goderich and other points.

"Tough" for the Teachers

"Wait, Mr. Reporter, till I tell you one of the most comtemptible actions on record," said a London Wester on the market to-day. Murdock and Brown are chairman and secretary of the School Board, and have the handling of the finances. Well, the teachers can't get a cent of their last month's salaries, so perforce they have to stay around and wait the pleasure of those exceedingly small-souled officials, instead of being able to go and enjoy their well-earned holidays. I believe their action is illegal, and if I were a teacher I would sue these doughty trustees and endeavor to have them brought to time."

Where to Go on Monday.

To Port Stanley.

To Springbank.

To morning and afternoon ball games at Tecumseh Park.

To the afternoon baseball match at Queen's Park.

To Detroit or Toronto, or any intervening point on the C. P. R. for single fare.

To Detroit on the C. P. R. with the Foresters.

To Niagara Falls on the M. C. R.

To any place on the Grand Trunk for single fare.

To see friends in the country; hire a livery rig from some of the men who advertise.

To private picnics down the river.

FATALITIES AT HAMILTON.

Suicide by Jumping from a Window—A Somnambulist's Jump—Fatal Fall.

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 16—Mrs. Adam Ballantine, wife of Adam Ballantine, grocer, corner of John and Augusta streets, committed suicide yesterday morning by jumping from an upper story window in her residence. Mrs. Ballantine has been sick for some months, having had a severe attack of grippe, and her mind has been deranged. It is supposed she was suffering from mental aberration when she took her life.

Fred Penfold, hostler, jumped from a window in a barn adjoining Greene's Hotel, Merrick street, and injured his spine so severely that an operation had to be performed on him yesterday. It is not likely he will recover. Penfold fell asleep in the hay mow and was not yet awake when he jumped from the loft.

A German laborer named Henry Aderholz fell from the top of Tuckett & Son's new building on Oxford street yesterday afternoon and was instantly killed. Aderholz was married and leaves a wife and a small family.

FALL FAIRS.

Among the agricultural exhibitions to be held this fall are the following:

WESTERN	LONDON	Sept. 18-27
The Industrial	Toronto	Sept. 8-20
Midland Central	Kingston	Sept. 1-6
Southern	Brantford	Sept. 9-11
Northwestern	Goderich	Sept. 15-17
N. Wellington	Mount Forest	Sept. 16-17
Southern Counties	St. Thomas	Sept. 16-18
N. and W. Oxford	Ingersoll	Sept. 17-18
Listowel	Listowel	Sept. 18-19
Great Central	Hamilton	Sept. 22-26
Central Canada	Ottawa	Sept. 22-27
South Grey	Durham	Sept. 23-24
Normanby	Newstadt	Sept. 23-24
Wellesley	Wellesley	Sept. 23-24
Center Bruce	Paisley	Sept. 24-26
Central	Guelph	Sept. 25-26
West Durham	Bowmanville	Sept. 25-26
Esquesing	Georgetown	Sept. 26-27
Essex	Windsor	Sept. 29-30
Exeter	Exeter	Sept. 29-30
Lincoln county	St. Catharines	S. 29, O. 1
E. Huron	Wingham	Sept. 30-Oct. 1
N. Waterloo	Berlin	Sept. 30-Oct. 1
Seaforth	Seaforth	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
N. Riding of Oxford	Woodstock	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
County Peel	Brampton	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Mornington	Milverton	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
East Simcoe	Orillia	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Haldimand	Cayuga	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
E. Flamboro	Ancaster	Oct. 1-2
W. Flamboro	Dundas	Oct. 1-2
South Dorchester	Belmont	Oct. 2
Northern	Walkerton	Sept. 30, Oct. 3
Great Northern	Collingwood	Sept. 30, Oct. 3
Huron Central	Clinton	Oct. 1-2
South Oxford	Norwich	Oct. 1-3
Gt. S. Western	Essex C'r.	Sept. 30-Oct. 1 2
Art. Ind. and Agr	Windsor	Oct. 21-31
S. Middlesex	Belmont	Oct. 2
Peninsular	Chatham	Oct. 1-3
South Waterloo	Ayr	Oct. 2 3
North Perth	Stratford	Oct. 2-3
West Monck	Dunnville	Oct. 2-3
North York	Newmarket	Oct. 2-3
Howick	Gorrie	Oct. 4
W. Middlesex	Strathroy	Oct. 2-3
South Grimsby	Smithville	Oct. 6-7
Greenock	Pinkerton	Oct. 7
Wawanosh	Belgrave	Oct. 7-8
North Brant	Paris	Oct. 7-8
Howard Branch	Ridgetown	Oct. 7-7
Stanley	Bayfield	Oct. 8-9
Northern	Alias Craig	Oct. 9-10
Central Wellington	Elora	Oct. 9-10
Halton	Milton	Oct. 9-10
Bosanquet	Thedford	Oct. 10
Arthur Union	Arthur	Oct. 12
Norfolk Union	Simcoe	Oct. 14-15
Mitchell	Mitchell	Oct. 23-24

On civic holiday the famous excursion of the Foresters to Detroit over the new line of the C. P. R. takes place. Quick time will be made (only three hours) and tickets are good for two days. Everybody who has traveled on one of the "Foresters'" excursions knows that they are well managed, and it is sufficient guarantee that this one will be no exception. This will be one of the best excursions of the season and will no doubt be well patronized. Remember, Monday, 18th Aug., Detroit via C. P. R.

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He laughed. "I don't believe they can. It seems to me that you are slightly cleverer than they are. But don't quarrel with me, Diana, because, in the natural order of things, you and I ought to be friends, not enemies. I am the bad doy of the family, as I have no doubt you have already been told; and I have always heard of you as being the naughty girl of your family."

Not Charlotte Bronte, placed in the category of those who wrote "naughty books," could have felt more repulsion for the unfortunate speaker than Diana did for her cousin when he said this. She answered nothing; she only looked at him, but it was a look which made him say:

"Why do you look at me like that? What have I said? You are like no other girl I ever knew."

"That is rather to my advantage, I should think," she answered briefly; and she was just moving away to join the others, when Gertrude suddenly addressed her, with a reproachful look.

"I think you are forgetting, Diana, that aunty is alone all this time."

"Then why don't you go to her?" asked Rupert, breaking in before Diana had time to speak. "Is Diana the only person who is admitted into aunt's room? That won't suit me, because I intend to go myself and pay my respects to her to-morrow."

"Diana always sits with her at night," said Gertrude, and Diana moved away, saying:

"I will go now; I had really forgotten the time. Good-night; I shall not come down-stairs again," and she passed out of the room without another word to Rupert.

CHAPTER XIX.

BLUNDERS.

From the time of Rupert's return, Diana's position at the Abbey was materially changed. She saw it, although she did not at first know to what she should attribute it. Dora at once became openly hostile, and her friend Muriel Hope, appeared to share her feelings, for she scarcely ever spoke to Diana, but withdrew from her the slight amount of intimacy which had once existed between them. Gertrude began to look anxious and worried, and to find every day fresh reasons why Diana should spend more time in her mother's room. Diana herself was passive in the matter. As the time she had spent in Jacewo faded more and more into the past, her thoughts dwelt ever more exclusively on John Garthwaite; and all her musings in her long solitary walks were on the intercourse they had enjoyed, and especially on that last long talk which had been so provokingly interrupted. More and more she regretted that promise to Tom; nay her feeling was not regret, but passionate, unceasing rebellion against it. Her only hope—it was founded on belief—was that Tom would prove faithless. She had no belief in his love for her; she looked upon it as merely accidental—a love of the eyes only, in which her heart and reason had little, if any, place. She knew she was not the wife for Tom, and she hoped he would find it out by falling in love with some one else, and that he would in that way set her free. But she got no tidings from him. Before they had parted, she had half-laughingly told him she did not believe he really loved her; and in the same mood she had charged him, should he change his mind, to let her know. He had promised, but she had heard nothing. Now and again she thought she would write to him, but there seemed no sufficient reason, and she never did. It was months since they had had any news of him.

With Rupert she was friendly. He had seen that the first impression he had produced upon her had been a disagreeable one and he had been clever enough to change it materially. Perhaps Diana was glad to have it changed. He had brought a new element into life at the Abbey, and that was on his side when he had set to work to make Diana look upon him with more friendly eyes. Yet, underneath all her friendliness was a feeling of distrust and repulsion for which she could not account, but which prevented her from enjoying his society as much as he intended she should enjoy it. She began to doubt if he was really attached to Muriel. As far as she could see, he was as happy with herself as with Muriel; and the importance which she might have attached to his manner and that of all the others at any other time was now lost sight of in her absorbing thoughts of John. She lived more in her thoughts than in real life, and that was the reason why she walked blindfold into the position she occupied later. They were, of necessity, thrown much together. Mrs. Wentworth's health was much improved, and her daughter could leave her safely for hours at a time. Both she and Rupert were exceedingly fond of out-door exercise, while Gertrude and Dora were only moderately so; and they walked or rode together nearly every day. Mrs. Wentworth had maintained perfect silence on the subject ever since her daughter's summary rejection of her proffered advice. Rupert was well aware that his intimacy with his cousin was looked upon with no friendly eye, but he paid no heed to it, it not being in his nature to deny himself any enjoyment. Diana's manner with him was perfectly frank and careless—so different from that of the many girls living around, and who all had, as he expressed it, their eyes upon him, that he was more attracted and interested than he had ever been before. He like many other people, enjoyed hearing her talk. There was a piquancy in her ideas and modes of expressing them which he had not encountered before; and they had long conversations on many odd subjects, often begun by him merely to hear what she would say. She began conversations, too, sometimes, but it never occurred to him that her object in beginning them might be the same as his own. As yet she knew very little about him, and had no clue to the position he held in his family; and sometimes she wondered what was the hindrance to his marrying, for he seemed to her the kind of a man whose people are usually anxious that he should "settle down early with some nice girl." One day Rupert himself gave her the key to the enigma.

They were riding home, having been out nearly all the afternoon. It was now the end of September, and the evenings closed in betimes. They had ridden eastward, out into the plain of York, along the level country roads, which wound past villages, orchards, and cornfields, and from which they, seated high in their saddles, commanded a view scarcely to be equaled anywhere for peaceful, sylvan beauty.

They were not thinking about it. Rupert was not a lover of nature, and he only approved this broad, rich plain, because he got good hunting on it; and Diana, a lover of the rocks and hills and wild, bare heaths which rolled westward, never paid much attention to the kind of country in which they were now.

They had been silent for some time, and Rupert spoke first, in the tone of one who continues a conversation which has been interrupted.

"You don't believe me, I know, when I say I have practically got the whip-hand of the old man and Guy. The popular belief is that they have got the whip-hand of me, because I am almost entirely dependent upon them for my supplies; but it is one of those things that cut both ways. I have only to threaten them with my marriage, and they will give me pretty nearly everything I want."

"You say so very often, but I believe you are only boasting. What reason have they for objecting to your marriage?"

"None that I can see, but very strong reasons in their own opinions; and it is because I don't care that they do, that I am stronger than they are, and can get from them almost as much money as I like."

"What do you do? How do you manage it?"

"Have they been telling you anything about me?"

"Mamma said uncle did not wish you to marry, and that you were a very dangerous man for any girl to know."

"Did she say that?"—with a smile of gratified vanity which showed the relationship between himself and Dora. In many ways they were much alike—both loved flattery, to be told that they were invincible and irresistible, and to think that others were impressed by what came as a matter of course to them. Diana had soon discovered this common quality, and it was that which alienated her from them. Gertrude and Guy were quite free from this taint. "I dare say you agreed with her," he concluded.

"I did not know you then."

"But you know me now; do you think she was right?"

"I should think you would be very dangerous for some girls to know."

"What kind of girls?"

"Girls like Dora, for instance, or girls very unlike her—trusting, simple-minded girls."

His face fell.

"Dora!" he echoed, contemptuously. "Do you give me credit for being able to score nothing better than a girl like Dora? And what do you mean by trusting? Do think I am not worthy of trust?"

"Nay," she answered; "you know best about that. I have had no experience yet."

"Well, but," he said, "why do you take Dora, my own sister, as an example? There is another girl really in the running—I mean Muriel Hope."

"Muriel Hope!" she echoed, suddenly remembering all she had heard about her and Rupert. "Why do you bring her in?" she asked cautiously; for her intercourse with Rupert was developing in her many hitherto unexercised qualities.

"Because she is the very person I gain all my points with. When the old man and Guy refuse supplies, I threaten that I will go and ask Muriel to marry me; that brings them to their senses at once."

"But why?" asked Diana, thoroughly interested.

"Because she would accept me."

He laughed as he spoke, the triumphant, self-satisfied laugh Diana hated so; but she was too much interested to heed it now. She only said:

"Why should she not accept you? Why do they wish you not to marry?"

"Well, you see, I have no money; my father would have to find me an income, and he does not like forking out."

"That is not the reason. Muriel is rich; he would not need to give you anything."

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There can be no hope of a visible unity embracing Christendom until all masses of Christians wish it, and can conscientiously agree upon a common basis of union. Ecclesiastical or other legislation avails only in proportion as it is the free expression of the convictions and will of the subjects of it. At present external uniformity appears not only impossible but, as men are now, undesirable. There is a store of love in the harshest, yearning for good in the most depraved, and love for truth in every man who utters a falsehood. There is an unfathomed capacity for liberality in the most bigoted, for conciliation in the most contumacious. There is a well of generosity in every heart. It is only required to find it and draw therefrom. The need of the world is now a properly directed channel for pent-up charity—some device by which the hidden love in every heart may be manifested and kindliness fostered.

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4. That I will endeavor to avoid noticing ugliness in nature, faults in individuals, error in philosophy and controversy in religion, in so far as I may be able conscientiously to do so.

(Signature.)

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4. The truth in spiritualism—The material is spiritual.
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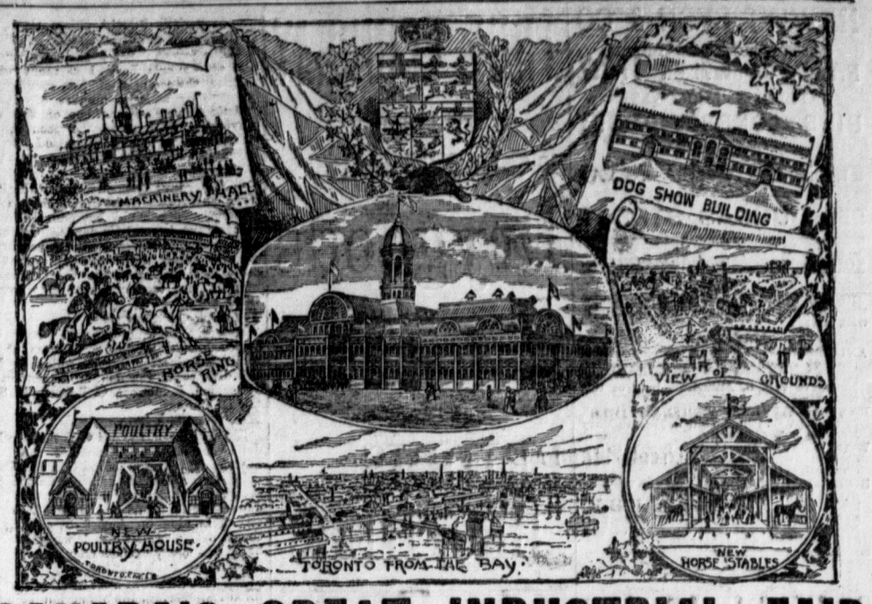
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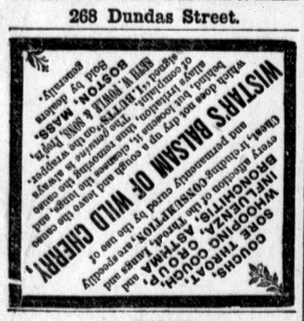
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TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

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—Mr. Walter Simpson, of John Marshall & Co., left last evening for the east, via C. P. R., to enjoy a few holidays.

—Mr. J. D. Findlater, foreman of No. 2 fire station, has left on a holiday trip to Toronto and other eastern cities.

—Miss A. Riddell, of Toronto, who has been visiting her cousin, Mr. W. F. W. Findlater, of East London, has returned home.

—William Woolway, of Woodstock, is visiting friends here at present, and on Tuesday will continue his trip as far as Duluth via Sarnia.

—Percy Kerr, of Hamilton, who was so badly hurt in Detroit Thursday, while boarding the steamer for Montreal, is a nephew of Mr. Thomas Muir, of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Black, Mr. John Cameron and party, of Arkona, were in the city to-day for an hour or two on their way to Grimsby, where they will sojourn for a short time.

—Messrs. William Lind, David Mills, Cyril Murray, Fred Beltz and Harry McIlwain, five young Londoners, left at 6 o'clock this morning for Windermere, Muskoka, where they will camp until the end of the month.

—A large number of bathers went down to Port at 4:15 yesterday, but the lake proved too cold for comfort, and many of those who attempted to brave the chilly water did not succeed in taking more than the proverbial "duck" before they were glad to retire and dress again.

—The Seventh Band gave another concert at Victoria Park last night which, despite the coolness of the evening, was enjoyed by a large number of citizens. "Little Annie Rooney," one of the tunes played by "D" Band at the recent ADVERTISER picnic, has been added to the Seventh's repertoire and was much appreciated.

—Yesterday afternoon while bathing in the river at a spot called "Claybanks" in East London, a 10-year-old boy named Thomas Roberts got beyond his depth. One of the bathers named James Maxwell, hearing his screams, swam to the spot and caught him as he was sinking for the third time and brought him to the shore. The boy was taken home.

Teachers' Certificates.

Among those candidates who have been awarded senior leaving certificates at the recent examinations are the following from this district: F. Cornish, A. Johnstone, E. Johnstone, J. McCool, C. Robson, J. Spittal, E. Vining.

Mrs. Wheeler's Death.

The inquest on the death of the late Mrs. Jane Wheeler was concluded at the Police Station last night before Coroner Campbell. After hearing the evidence the jury returned a verdict which stated that Mrs. Jane Wheeler came to her death at the city of London, on Aug. 9, by cutting her throat with a razor while laboring under a fit of temporary despondency.

Concert at Port Stanley.

The Town Hall at Port Stanley was well filled last evening, the attraction being an entertainment gotten up for the benefit of Christ Church (Episcopal) in that place. Mr. John Price occupied the chair in his usual happy manner, which always has an enlivening effect on an audience. The following ladies and gentlemen were contributors to the splendid programme: Miss Raymond, instrumental selections and accompanist; Mr. F. O. Hyde, Mr. C. A. Jones, Mr. W. Graham, Mr. Farley and Mr. Bert. Leys, songs; Mr. Walter Fairbairn, readings; and violin and piano duets by Mr. and Mrs. Farr. The audience was very appreciative, and the demand for encores resulted in cutting the programme somewhat short, the Londoners present wishing to catch the homeward bound swimming train.

FROM START TO FINISH.

How "Featherbone" Is Made—A Trip Through the New Featherbone Factory.

Prompted by curiosity yesterday afternoon an ADVERTISER reporter sought and received permission to inspect the working of the new featherbone factory which has but recently been established in the city. This new and promising industry is owned and controlled by Messrs. Reid Bros. & Co., and, accompanied by Mr. George Reid, the reporter made a tour of observation, noting the progress of the work from the time the raw material of cloth and feathers entered the building until it was turned out in the form of finished corsets of the most approved fashion. Commencing in the storeroom where countless sacks were stored, each filled with turkey feathers, which protruded through the sacks and gave each the appearance of an inturiated porcupine, the visitor passed into the preparation room in the basement of the large building erected to shelter this infant industry, the sole one of its kind in Canada. All the machines in this room were run by steam power. The first, called the plumage machine, has two sharp, circular knives operated by the shafting. Into this the feathers are fed and stripped of their plumage, the latter being sold to upholsterers. A splitting machine is then brought into requisition by which the quills are divided in the center. A small pair of steel cylinders, dressed with sand-paper, constitute the pithing machine; and the split quills after passing through this, came out straightened and free from all pith. The fibre machine, made up of innumerable small knives, cuts the quills into shreds, which in turn are fed into the spinners—small machines which bind about six of the shreds into one cord. A double spinner is also kept busy, which binds several of the single spinner's cords into one flat body, not unlike a whalebone in appearance. This latter article is put into none but the best of corsets, which, by reason of their acknowledged excellence, have already created a market for themselves almost beyond the capacity of the firm to manufacture. Their chief points of merit are that they fit more easily than those with steel ribs and yet offer sufficient support to the wearer. They cannot rust, and thus soil the clothing, nor can they be broken by proper usuage.

So much for the featherbone. The cloth, which assists in the make-up of the corset is first handled by the cutter. Forty-eight thicknesses are fastened to the table, while by the aid of a series of brass patterns and a sharp knife the cloth is prepared for the girls in the stitching room. Here upwards of 60 machines are "whirring" as the patterns are stitched together, the prepared featherbone inserted properly, folded, passed over to have the eyelets punched in and returned again to the flossing machines. Leaving this room the corsets are turned over to the laundry men, who after treating them to a thorough steaming from a faucet, iron them out, and then place them on steel molds where the busts are formed. Laces are then attached to the corset, the firm's trade mark affixed and the mold of feminine grace is ready to be packed in its card-board box and be shipped to its destination. Mr. R. Wray, formerly of Toronto, and one of the best corset-makers of the country, superintends the manufacture of the Featherbone Corset, and each day's production but proves his ability to fulfill the duties of his position. Ladies when purchasing corsets should ask for Featherbone and thus support and be supported by home industry.

Crowds and Crushes.

Monday began the second week of our great clearing sale. The opening week has been a week of daily crowds and crushes. The season is short and summer goods must go. Here is another and entirely new list of special bargains for this week: 85c henrietta cloth, all shades, for 55c; $1 10 black henrietta for 72c, 30c all wool serges for 18½c, 12½c prints for 8c, 25c French sateens for 12½c, 10c tennis flannels for 5c, 25c sheeting 2 yards wide for 16½c; bargains in table linen, napkins and towels; 300 remnants of prints and wool dress goods at 5c a yard. Those goods are worth from 10c to 25c a yard, but we will clear the lot out at 5c. We always have what we advertise, so call and see the bargains we offer in all kinds of fine drygoods. THE LONDON BARGAIN DRYGOODS STORE, 136 Dundas street, opposite the Market Lane. 7 u

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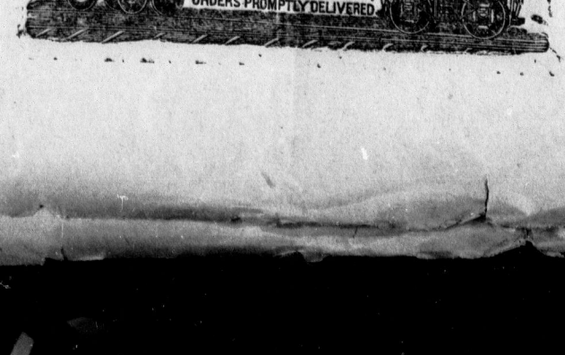
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"She ought to have 'We are even' on it."

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"Let me have a five, please. I want to go to a church social."

"Why, it's free."

"You don't say so! Then you'd better let me have a ten."

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Little Boy (to Italian of whom his father has just made a purchase)—Are you Italian?

Italian—Si, signor.

Boy—Papa, what is that in American?

Papa—Yis, begorra.

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Stranger—Why are those policemen hurrying around the corner?

Citizen—There is going to be a fight.

"Where? Around the corner?"

"No, it is going to be here."

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Indeed it Was.—"Are you sure it was the spirit of Lindley Murray who came at the medium's call?"

"Oh, yes; he said so himself. I said, 'I want the spirit of Lindley Murray,' and the ghost replied, 'I'm him.'"

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Wife (revisiting the scene of her betrothal)—I remember, Algernon, so well when you proposed to me. How painfully embarrassed you were!

Algernon—Yes, dear; and I remember so well how kind and encouraging you were, and how very easy you made it for me, after all.

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Captain—Sergeant, note down Private Grasgrun—three days on bread and water for slovenly turn out on parade.

Sergeant—Beg pardon, captain, but that won't make the slightest difference to him—he's a vegetarian.

Captain—What? Then put him for three days on meat and soup.

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A lady who had taken several equestrian lessons asked her English instructor one day:

"Well, Mr. Pummell, have I made good progress?"

"Well, I can't say, ma'am," said the instructor, "as 'ow you rides very well as yet, but you falls hoff, ma'am, a deal more gracefuller as wot you did at firs."

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"Before I engage board with you, Mrs. Small, I wish to ask one question."

"Yes, sir."

"How often do you serve hash?"

"Never, sir."

"Never?"

"No, never. For breakfast every morning we have my justly-celebrated croquettes."

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"No, Hiram," said the young girl, sadly, "I cannot be your wife. We are too compatible."

"Compatible!" he exclaimed. "Isn't that the very reason why——"

"Not in our case. I should probably insist, from motives of economy, on dispensing with a servant and doing my own housework, and you would probably let me do it, Hiram."

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It is said that some years after Daniel Webster had reached his zenith, he went out early in the morning over his Marshfield home and saw an old woman picking cranberries. "What are you about?" said the great jurist. "Don't you know it's against the law to do what you are doing?"

She turned round upon him, and, fixing her feeble old eyes upon him, said:

"Men make laws, but I don't mind 'em;
I pick cranberries wherever I find 'em."

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A discontented king was told that to become happy he must find a perfectly happy man and secure his shirt to wear. He searched long, and at last found one man who professed to be perfectly happy. Now it only remained for the king to gain possession of the magic garment, but when he made haste to buy it, at no matter what price, the "perfectly happy" man replied, "Your Majesty, I never had a shirt."

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A lady to whose home a Scotchwoman sometimes comes to work, once received from her a good lesson in contentment.

"Jean," said the lady, "with so many children, I suppose you can hardly get enough to wear. It is too bad, when you work so hard."

"Oh, I've plenty, mem," Jean replied, brightly. "I've a Sunday goone, and a work-day goone, a goone off and a goone on."

"Really, four gowns! I'm glad of it. That is being very comfortably clothed."

"Yes, mem," answered Jean, with a radiant smile. "I'm content wi' 'em, but it's two goones, mem. My Sunday goone is off, an' my work-day goone is on, ye ken."

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Daisy was lost. From garret to cellar they searched for her, and then went out to rouse the neighbors and scour the town. At last, near nightfall, the little girl was found asleep by the side of a haycock in a neighbor's field.

Disturbed by the joyful outcry about her, she began to cry, and was only comforted when mamma rushed through the groups and cuddled her to her heart. Then the happy procession went home, and in half an hour Daisy was asleep in her little bed.

Papa, however, had gone in another direction, and came home tired and anxious to hear the good news.

Now that there was no longer cause for worry, he grew a little cross at having suffered such needless fright, and in the morning, when Daisy appeared at the breakfast table, tried to greet her with judicial severity.

"Well, little runaway," he said, in a vain attempt at gruffness, "how do you find yourself?"

Daisy looked up at him with eyes shining in limpid innocence.

"I didn't find myself," replied she, simply, "mamma found me."

Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, is ear-ache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are specially subject.

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HOW SOCIETY LIVES.

Saratoga.—Small armies of painters, carpenters, upholsterers and cleaners have been at work upon lordly pleasure houses for a month in anticipation of the most successful season in Saratoga's history.—[New York World.

Grim want, attended by sickness and a water famine, stalks through the poorest and dirtiest portion of the great east side tenements quarter. Seven thousand of its bread-winners in one industry alone are idle to-day. Only these and the mouths dependent upon them for food can realize what that means. The "sweating" system and the greed of employers is responsible. The seven thousand who are out of work are not idle from choice. Neither are they strikers. They want to work, but cannot, unless they bind themselves by contract that make them little less than slaves.—[New York Telegram.

Mrs. Oppenheim gave a magnificent ball on Tuesday night in Bruton street; and in Berkeley square meanwhile the Hon. Mrs. Albert Brassey had a particularly bright and cheery dance. The house, which formerly belonged to the late Duke of Marlborough, has been entirely renovated by Mr. Brassey. The floral decorations—triumphs of Mrs. Green's art—were of quite exceptional beauty. Thick ropes of sweet peas, spheres of pelargoniums and mirrors framed in tiger lilies and London pride, greeted the guests on the staircase. The mantelpieces, doorways, and fireplaces were glorious with rare orchids, grasses, La France roses and lilies lightly festooned; while, downstairs, palms grouped around huge blocks of ice preserved a refreshing coolness.—[Pall Mall Budget.

The shut-down of many of the mines in the Pennsylvania coal region has been followed by scenes of destitution and suffering which no artist's pencil can adequately depict. In the Lackawanna and Wyoming valleys men and women, deprived of work, starve themselves that their children may now and then have a meal, and the situation is constantly growing worse from the shutting down of the supply of food by the merchants who are unable or afraid to give credit any longer to the unfortunates who have no prospect of ever being able to pay for what they eat. In the Punxsutawney region the condition of affairs is said to be even worse, wives and little ones having been turned out in the streets to care for themselves. The men average when at work only $34 per month, which after the compulsory deductions exacted by the companies left the miner a little over $23 on which to support his family for a month.—[Frank Leslie's Newspaper.

The fabulous prices paid by wealthy Americans for fishing privileges in Canada have long been a matter of public notoriety, and there are brokers in New York who have laid out more for a month's sport after the salmon than would run a seaside or country cottage for a whole season. Not one of the 50 members of the Restigouche Salmon Club would be likely to sell his share in its stock, giving him the right to a rod's fishing in the magnificent preserves of the club, on the river from which it takes its name, for less than $5,000 to $6,000.

Notwithstanding the large and extravagant scale upon which this wealthy club does business, it has been outdone during the past few days by the prices that have been paid for other privileges upon this same stream. Harry B. Hollins, broker, of New York, the confidant, friend and fishing companion of Mr. Vanderbilt, has just paid no less than $15,000 to Charles Fearing, of the same city, for his share of the fishing of the Brandy Brook pools, where the small stream of that name empties into the Restigouche.

Big as was the price paid by Mr. Hollins, Mr. Breeze, of New York, has paid still higher for his newly acquired rights. He has given $35,000 for the salmon fishing privileges of John and Samuel Wilmot on the Restigouche.—[New York Sun.

The four children of Henry Mooney, an ash cart driver, were found almost naked and starving in a dirty and wretched room at No. 464 East One Hundred and Forty-Fourth street, yesterday, by Agent Becker, of Mr. Gerry's society. The youngest child, 15 months old, was found lying nude on a heap of rubbish in the room and had wasted away until it was a skeleton.

It was taken to Bellevue Hospital, where the doctors said the child would probably die in a few days. The mother of the children jumped into the Harlem River two weeks ago and was sent to the island. The father is to be arrested.—[New York Press.

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CLAD TIDINGS.

A Recent Great Convention.

The magnitude and spirit of the recent National Christian Endeavor Convention made certain things very apparent:

1. That God is moving mightily upon the young people of this age. History has never seen the like. The crusades were a superficial movement. It is very significant that the highest form of Christian loyalty and enthusiasm is finding its embodiment and greatest emphasis in the youth of this generation. It means a transformation in religious life and work, and a new force in the kingdom of God. Is not this the largest fulfillment of that prophecy which foretold the coming of the Holy Spirit upon "the sons and daughters" of the covenant people?

2. The magnitude of this movement. Who can measure the multiplying spiritual power of 10,000 consecrated young people? Forty-two States and the British Provinces will be conscious of new life coming from this great convention and thrilling through their every spiritual artery. On this principle the mustard seed of the kingdom is to become a great tree.

3. Christian endeavor has in it the true principle of Christian unity. It solves the problem of practical without organic unity among the denominations. It deals with the larger things in the kingdom of God. It lifts Christians out of narrowness and exclusiveness. It teaches them that they have a common leader, a common cause, a common enemy, and that they ought to share in a united victory. Nothing has ever so stimulated the spirit of fellowship among Christ's followers of whatever name. It enlarges their sympathies, broadens their intelligence, and, by making the smaller things subordinate and incidental, enables them to take in the vast, comprehensive, eternal plans of the Messiah's kingdom.

4. In such a movement as this lies the hope of America and every country and continent. Devoted Christians are the truest patriots. Love of Christ makes them lovers of their country and of the world. "Missouri for Christ," said the delegation from Missouri. What prompts this devotion and zeal but love for souls? America for Christ is the necessary motto of every true Christian Endeavor on this continent. Only as the principles of Christian Endeavor are wrought out in actual life can the great foes of our country be overthrown. Materialism, infidelity, intemperance and lust must be met by an aggressive, spiritual Christianity. Who can tell what marvelous developments will take place in Christ's kingdom in the immediate future through the agency of this new movement?

An Ungracious Procedure.

The rights of women to representation in the governing bodies of the Methodist Church are boldly championed this week by Zion's Herald. It concludes as follows: "In the church, where women form so large a percentage of the membership, her exclusion from high official position is a most ungracious procedure. In the State where the sexes are nearly equal in numbers the injustice is less glaring, but even there it is coming more and more to be felt to be an anomaly and a wrong which civilization must right. The difficulties the State finds in the way of its realization do not pertain to the church. The moral force with which the church is armed is more conspicuous in women than in men. Finally, the talents of women would be of incalculable value in the counsels of the church as the complement and balance of those of men, supplying the missing hemisphere of wisdom and practical skill. Adam was complete only when offset by Eve; the tact and insight of the one was set over against the strength and courage of the other. Ever since that creation day each has been indispensable to the other—a lesson society is more and more learning. Without the wit and prudence of woman no one can properly build or guide a house, and our educators are learning how needful woman is in planning and running schools. Did you ever stop to think how much better women would arrange some things in the church than men? The planning of this great spiritual house, in which women have so large a stake and perform so important a part, should not be effected without the suggestion and aid of the fair sex."

A Satisfactory Exhibit.

The New England Independent this week makes its annual exhibit of the strength and increase of the Christian churches of the United States. It says: "We have now in the United States 21,757,171 members of Christian denominations. We have 103,303 ministers, and we have 151,261 churches. These figures indicate a clear gain for the year of 1,089,853 members, 4,867 ministers and 8,494 churches. We say that such an exhibit as this is eminently satisfactory. It is in itself a most overwhelming refutation of the assertions we hear now and then from various quarters that Christianity is losing its hold upon our people and that our churches are declining. An examination of the tables which we present this week will show that there is absolutely no ground for making such an assertion concerning any one of the numerous branches into which the Christian church is divided in this country, except in one or two cases, where decline is to be explained by division or absorption by other denominations."

Gin, Gunpowder and Missionaries.

Rev. B. Kephart, a missionary on the west coast of Africa, who recently voyaged from this country to Liberia, gives the following as the cargo of the steamer which carried him: Ten thousand casks of rum, eleven cases of gin, 460 tons of gunpowder and fourteen missionaries. This is, says the Churchman, what might well be called a "mixed" cargo. Mixed also must be the motives of the nation that freighted the ship, which, if not "built in the eclipse," was undoubtedly "a fatal and perfidious bark" "rigged with curses dire." Fourteen missionaries certainly can do little among savages when are taken along with them 10,000 casks of such rum as is shipped to Africa. If the ten times fourteen consigners of the wretched "fire-water" had accompanied their cargo they would have been little bread to so much sack had they been, as we are tempted to think they should be, turned over with the liquor to be the prey of anthropophagi.

Items of Interest.

A Miss Taylor, connected with the China inland mission, has adopted the Thibetan style of dress, and will proceed alone to that country as a missionary.

The Missionary Record computes that the whole missionary revenue of the Protestant world is not as much as is expended in kid gloves.

Silver Wedding of the Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army still thrives wonderfully in England, its native home. The 25th anniversary of its organization was recently celebrated at the Crystal Palace, near London. Besides crowds of spectators, it is said that 60,000 members of the body were present, and representatives from 33 countries. General Booth prophesied that in another quarter of a century the army would have a crystal palace of its own. The Times wonders, at its triumphs, but surmises that they will prove only temporary. The same journal, after observing that the religious basis of the army is exceedingly wide, expresses its opinion that the really active salvationists are nearly all "chapel people." The general has opened a bank for his adherents, whose faith in him financially is boundless.

BOYS AND GIRLS.

OUR LETTER BOX.

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ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 10.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

My mother has been reading the letters that other boys and girls have written to you, and I think they're splendid. My mother is writing this for me, because I'm a little lame boy. I don't write with my foot, you understand, but you know how it is when there's anything the matter with one part of you, how all the other parts seem to want to take it easy. It seems very sad to be a poor little lame boy, and not be able to run around, but you won't feel so sad when I tell you the lameness was caused by a stone bruise. A stone bruise is a mean thing to have, but it don't last forever, thank goodness! Mine has a poultice on it, and the same leg has three big mosquito bites on it, and a very large black and blue mark where I fell when I stubbed my toe, and five deep scratches, and a piece of skin knocked off the heel, and a bite where a turtle got hold of me, and a hard look generally. I wouldn't care for the rest if the stone bruise was only well. I wish some of the ADVERTISER cousins would write and tell us what kind of a time they're having this summer.

From your loving nephew,
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BRANTFORD, Aug. 11.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I went to London last week but did not see any one that looked like you. I'm pretty sure you are "fat, fair, and forty," with a big, broad heart, and a bright, smiling face. If you hadn't it you could not get so many nice letters from children. I read every one and thought I would like to write too, and see my name in print for the first time. I must close now, as I'm going in swimming with a cousin of mine that I'm visiting. I can't swim very well, but I can float on my back first rate.

Your affectionate niece,
EMMA GARLAND.

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WOODSTOCK, Ont., August 2, 1890.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

May I become one of your nephews? We take two other papers that have letters for children, and I have written to them too. I am 8 years old, have two sisters named Annie and Helen. They are younger than I, and are very easily teased, but most girls are, I think. I like my dog Carlo better than anyone in the house. He is the best dog in the world—even boys with dogs themselves say so. On Christmas I got a box of carpenter's tools, and mamma says I'm really of use in nailing up things. The girls like to get the long curls of shavings I make to put on their heads. I have only had to ask how to spell six words in this letter. I don't spell well.

GUY HUNTER.

SAVING IT FOR DESSERT.

"Give me a kiss, Tot," said her papa, as he seated himself by her side at the table.

"It isn't time for dethert," replied the little miss, pouting out her lips, which indeed looked as tempting as strawberries.

AN ERRONEOUS IMPRESSION.

A fat little yellow Banana
Was brought to New York from Havana;
He thought that the ship
Had been sent on the trip
Just to fetch him—that little Banana!

As proudly he took a front seat in
The window, "I cannot be beaten,"
He said: "I'm unique."
But before he could speak
Any farther, he straightway was eaten!
—[Margaret Vandegrift.

JUDGED BY HIS CLOTHES.

"My father's older than your father."

"No, he ain't, neither. My father's 40."

"No, he ain't, neither. He nothin' but a boy."

"He ain't, neither."

"He is. I saw him playing tennis in short pants—so."

OUR PUZZLE BUREAU.

31.—VERBAL CHARADE.

In cat, not in dog; in oak, not in bog; in year, not in day; in corn, not in hay; in ale, not in beer; in there, not in here; in pink, not in red; in Tom, not in Ted; in rain, not in shower; my whole, a very nice flower.

32.—ENIGMA.

Billingsgate was famed of old
For women who could row and scold.
With engine swift, in time of need,
How much you bless the pow'r of speed.
And householders will grumble most,
When I display the parish cost.

33.—DIAMOND PUZZLE.

The ocean; before: a place for the meeting of lovers; to find fault with; punished; quackery; a public building of London, recently admired by several ADVERTISER agents; that which contains anything; the state of being enlivened; a cup standing on a foot; suit of cards; a unit on cards; the head of an eagle. The centrals, read downwards and across, will name a popular place of entertainment in London.

34.—SQUARE WORDS.

1. A river; to hang overhead; elephants' tusks; firmness; each one (transposed).
2. A city; to endure; split; thoughts; perception.
3. A battle, recently fought; to elude; notes of time; skillful; homes of birds.
4. A fortress; a repeated sound; slender; a girdle.

35.—LOGOGRIPH.

Complete, I am a precious gem,
Both glittering and white;
Cut off my head, and then I bring
A title into sight.

Curtail me, and you will perceive
I am possessed by all;
Change my first letter, it was I
That caused proud France's fall.

Cut off my tail, another grant,
I am of sickly hue,
And when you change my head again,
A vessel meets your view.

My middle letter change, and I
Am useful though I'm small;
Again, though I'm so absurd,
I'm relished by you all.

36.—CHARADE.

Through the chapel's windows
The soften'd daylight steals;
A fair and happy girl,
Rapt in devotion, kneels.
She for one whom she loves
To the Madonna pleads,
And she repeats my first.
While telling o'er her beads,
When nations to the fate
Of cruel war appeal,
And deadly foemen meet
In battle's fierce ordeal;
Though mercy aid and soothe
After the battle's won,
Yet is my second there
Until the fight is done.
My whole's a word oft us'd
When speaking of those who fall,
Compar'd with those who in war
Escape the steel and ball.

☞ ANSWERS IN TWO WEEKS.

ANSWERS.

19.—700.
20.—Reward, drawer, warder.
21.—Need-le-work.
22.—Hold up your head in honest pride,
Though rough and swarth your hands may be;
Those hands are sap-veins, that provide
The life-blood of the nation's tree.
23.—1. Handy Andy. 2. Papa.
24.—Lindon, pear, beech, fir, fig, cedar, lemon, larch, palm, aspen, willow, pine, olive, oak, apple.



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THE WORLD OF WOMEN.

Women and Bank-Checks—Flowers as Used Nowadays—Hints to Keepers of Summer Boarders—Toothsome Dishes—Novelties in Dress, etc.

Women and Bank Checks.

The following conversation between the paying teller of a bank in New York and a reporter of the New York Times is so full of hints and suggestions that it is given a place in these columns:

"What sort of a time do you have with your lady depositors?"

The question was asked of a patient-looking, middle-aged gentleman who stood behind the counter over which was the sign, "Paying Teller," in one of the up-town National banks.

"Well," he replied with a smile—a very agreeable smile—"now that I have become a practical philosopher, I do not find it irksome. Indeed, I rather enjoy myself. The efforts of a lady to master the intricacies of banking rules and practices used to make my head ache. Now they provide entertainment for me all day long. I used to sigh when I saw a lady approach the window with an expresston on her face which indicated she was in doubt about something. Now I observe her comnig with pleasure, for she may have some new problem—though that is unlikely—or she may develop some new phase of character. That is unlikely also, however. I think I know them all. I ought to."

"Why is it they can't understand?"

"Many of them understand everything. The majority do. The woman who cannot comprehend all that is required of a depositor is an exception. But those who do not understand, do not understand at all. What do you think of a lady coming here and demanding to know why a check drawn by her was not paid when there was no money to her credit? I've had that happen to me a number of times. It happened this morning. When I told the annoyed woman that her account was slightly overdrawn, she asked me why I hadn't sent her word."

"You could have told very easily by consulting the stubs in your check book and comparing the total with the total deposits of your bank book,' I said.

"'Oh, she replied, 'I can't bother with figures. I always hated 'em.'

"And I had some difficulty in convincing her that it would be necessary to put money in the bank before she could draw any more out.

"Frequently their checks are for ridiculously small amounts. It is the new depositors who write them. It is a novelty, and they appear to leave all their small change—and big change, too, for that matter—at home, for the privilege of enjoying it. have had as many as fifteen checks from one woman in one day, and some for amounts as small as 5 cents. The other day a check was presented here for 19½ cents."

"Do they lose their tempers often?"

"Oh, sometimes, of course."

Just at that moment the angry notes of a woman's voice were heard. She was talking to the cashier. It appeared that a check of hers had been refused because it was drawn for an amount larger than the sum to her credit.

"The check," said the cashier, calmly, "called for $23. You have only $14 in the bank."

"I have, too," she answered fiercely; "I've got $37."

"You're mistaken, madam," answered the official, still calmly.

"Well, here's my book. You can see for yourself."

The cashier took the book with the resigned air of a man who had been there before, many a time. He examined it quickly.

"The trouble is," he said, "that you have drawn a check hurriedly some time and neglected to fill out the stub."

"I couldn't possibly have done that," she replied, "because I always fill out the stub first. And, besides, I don't write checks hurriedly. I don't do busine.s that way."

The cashier smiled, and that exasperated the woman still further.

"You've made the mistake yourself," she declared.

"We do not make mistakes here," was the quiet response.

"But you might," she said, with emphasis.

"Yes, we might, but we never do."

"It's possible, isn't it?" she demanded, with more emphasis.

"Yes, it's possible. Almost everything is possible. But we have never made one in our 22 years of business life."

The lady sniffed at this, and then, throwing her check book on the counter, she said, sarcastically, "Well, if this institution needs money so badly, you can have it." She flounced out.

"Will the bank be that much richer?" was asked of the paying teller.

"Hardly," he replied; "she'll undoubtedly come back and draw it out."

It is very difficult for some women to understand that a check, until filled out and indorsed, is nothing but a piece of paper. That if it is lost, even after indorsed, payment can be stopped by notifying the bank on which it is drawn that it is lost.

Not long since a lady, who has done business long enough in her own name to understand a little about banks and checks, spent a week in absolute torture because an unsigned check that she had sent away had been lost in the mails on its return journey. Money could not be drawn on it, for there was no way to tell whose check it was, but the sender was sure that some one would forge her name to the check and draw the money. The finder would be as likely to forge the name of any person as that of the sender of the check, and with just as much certainty of getting the money. A line to the bank, giving the number of the check, would stop payment on that check no matter whose name appeared on the check. The misery of the sender was enough to rouse sympathy till you thought of the interviews she held with the bank official, and then the object of sympathy was changed.

The routine governing the transaction of business with the aid of checks is very simple, and it is not a credit to a woman's intelligence not to understand that routine.

Something "Warm and Nice."

A correspondent in the Christian Union offers the following timely hint:

"Having seen in your excellent paper many articles in regard to summer homes, we too would like to say a word on that subject, but of something that has, as yet, not been spoken of. A small matter it may be in itself, but one that adds considerably to the comfort and satisfaction of the guests. I do not write in regard to hotels or large boarding houses, but of pleasant little homes in small villages and at farm-houses. To come directly to the point, why do not the proprietors try to make the supper a more appetizing meal! City people are accustomed to substantials at the last meal, and consequently, although they have had a dinner in the middle of the day, they feel the need of something relishing, particularly as the country air and exercise increases their appetite for something "warm and nice." I do not mean heavy and expensive dishes, but cheap, simple articles, such as a nice hash of cold meat and potatoes, salt codfish picked fine, and prepared with milk or cream; smoked beef prepared in the same way; cream potatoes (these could be prepared from potatoes left from the dinner), or a nice hot dish of milk or cream toast. All these dishes (and many others as cheap) are but little trouble, but are so much enjoyed by the guests, and doubly so after a cold, rainy day, when one feels dull and a little homesick. After such a day it is very cheering to go into the dining-room and find a warm, savory little supper spread, instead of, as at so many boarding-places, preserves and fancy cake, and perhaps a plate of cold meat, but often not even that. A savory supper warms the heart as well as the stomach, because it is an evidence that the hostess tries to give a homelike feeling to her guests, instead of thinking only of their money. And such a woman is herself benefited, for her boarders will remember such a summer home, and will come again. I am sure many would be very willing to improve their suppers in this way did they know it would give pleasure, but few boarders like to suggest it.

Flower Decorations.

Flowers are occupying considerable more space each day in modern luxury, and in fact there is no more beautiful decoration. With a perfume of cut flowers the most modest drawing-room takes on a look of splendor. For table adornment they seem to be indispensable. At a dinner given recently in Newport a basket was arranged for the central ornament, which was charming. It was a long oval of rushes, painted green, and was set thick with maiden-hair ferns on a foundation of moss. Quantities of beautiful alamander flowers were placed among the ferns which shadowed without hiding them, and their bright golden yellow made a charming contrast to the somber green of the ferns.

Pink and white sweet peas were the decorations at a young girls' luncheon last week. They were massed together without foliage, and filled three wicker baskets painted white. Loose, single blossoms, either pink or white, were strewn over the table and there was a bunch of the same flowers of alternate pink and white at each place. The white ones, which have a pale greenish tinge were tied with green ribbons, the pink ones with ribbon of the same color.

Shaded roses from the palest pink to the deepest crimson are much used in Newport this season for table decoration, and most splendid effects are obtained. Flowers were prettily arranged upon the walls at a house wedding recently. Large circular straw hats made of plaited grasses were used, and these were bronzed or gilded. A broad, pink ribbon placed around them drew up the two sides sufficiently near to form a kind of basket. Pink roses were used to fill them and they were suspended from the walls by long loops of the pink ribbon.

The floral decorations on the occasion of a dinner lately given at Newport to a distinguished guest were very beautiful. The table was circular in shape and was covered by a cloth of the finest linen damask embroidered on one side with the family coat of arms, and trimmed with a wide edging of Irish point. All around the table about eighteen inches from the edge, lay a magnificent wreath of pink roses and ivy closely massed together. In the center a large white crystal bowl, very flaring in shape, and mounted in silver gilt was filled with similar roses. On each side of the bowl were silver gilt dishes of antique form which contained fruit piled up in studied disorder, peaches, grapes, pears and nectarines, with here and there a pink rose among them. Two tall silver gilt pitchers occupied the other sides, and at the ladies' places loose bunches of pink roses were laid, tied with long pink ribbons. The menus were printed in silver upon pink satin cards, and stood upright upon a small silver frame. No compotiers or other dishes were to be seen. The table was most beautiful in this guise, and the pure white cut glass sparkled with gemlike radiance. The china used was blue Sevres, and the ices were in the form of pink roses.

Traveling Trunks.

Few subjects are of more importance just now than the traveling trunk—the world in general is, so to speak, living in trunks. And what an ingenious and complete construction is the modern trunk. The trunk that is literally a succession of trays has ceased to be a novelty. Not so is the one with the adjustable front piece, which when unlocked rolls down exposing five trays arranged like the drawers in a chiffonier, each supplied with small brass knobs and separate lock and key. Obviously this trunk is distinctly for gowns and their special accompaniments; millinery has its special "box," as our English cousins have it. These are made of stout leather, and are furnished with stands for the hats and bonnets, like those seen in a milliner's window, and bands of elastic keep the feathers and flowers from crashing against the sides.—[Table Talk.

An Observation Party.

What is it? Some 30 people received neatly written invitations to attend an observation party, at the home of one of their acquaintances. Much excitement was caused, as no one knew what an affair of that name meant. The eventful evening came, and all interested were present. After a brief season of remarking about the weather, etc., cards similar to dance programmes, with pencil attached, were given each person. It was explained that observation was composed of the five senses, sight, hearing, touch, smelling, and tasting. The cards were arranged with these headings, and numbers below, with space to write.

The first to be done was to observe with the sense of touch. All were blindfolded, and six articles passed in turn. No one could see what they were, and only had their fingers to aid them. When the objects were all disposed of, the handkerchiefs were removed, and each wrote on their card in its proper place, what they thought the things were. Then all were taken into an adjoining room where twelve articles were laid upon a table, and after a hasty look, all returned to the first room and wrote upon their cards what they had seen. The sense of hearing was illustrated by six instruments sounding at once in an adjoining room. We all think our sense of taste is keen, but mix together six ingredients in a white powder, and see if you can tell what the composition is, unless you know. This was passed on a small waiter with coffee spoons, and was laughable enough. Again the waiter was called into service with six small bottles filled with liquid of the same color, and the sense of smell was called into action. This completed the list, and the cards were collected, each one having added their name to their list.

Prizes had been announced to be given to the ones having the most correct numbers, also to the ones having the least, so an examination must be made of the lists. In the meantime, music, etc., kept anxious hearts from getting too excited.

I have written this, thinking it might be of some use to some of the many readers who would like something to entertain their friends, in a way that is profitable as well as amusing. The prizes can be selected to suit one's fancy and pocketbook. This entertainment was a complete success, and was novel and laughable. Ice cream and cake were served after announcement of the prizes. The cards for this party were printed, and each subject was prefaced with a suitable rhyme, but they could be written as well by a good penman.

Masters—Not Drudges.

We are to be the masters of work, not its slaves; and the intelligent worker jealously protects himself against the tendency to become a drudge. Many of us, for lack of clear intelligence in ordering our work, spend ourselves on things that are of small consequence, or unsuccessfully diffuse over a wider surface the energy and strength which if focused would compel success. It is a good plan not to work for the sake of work; not to do with our own hands or brains those things which someone else can do as well; and never to do work that is not really necessary and important. The secret of success with eminently successful workers, men who build up and carry on great enterprises, is rigid exclusion and concentration; such men do a few things and do them with immense force, because all their power converges to a single point. The Duke of Wellington used to say that he never did anything himself which he could get anyone else to do for him. This was the application of intelligence to work, the clear perception that a man can do only a few things with masterly vigor, and that all the rest must be passed over to other hands. The exhausted people are generally those who have not learned this lesson, and who insist that everything shall pass through their hands. This was the old-time country-store method of doing business; nothing could be more out of date or place in the great commercial enterprises of to-day.—[Christian Union.

What Shall I Wear?

Cornflowers, fleur-de-lis and orchids are used for decorating the picture hats.

Bonnets are as small and hats as large as it is possible for a woman to wear them.

Even the dresses of toddlers uncertain of locomotion brush the ground and raise the dust.

The so-called cream breakfast coat is a white flannel jacket made with a loose front lined with pale blue silk and trimmed with gold braid.

Gold is in favor. There is a rage for gold lace, gold braid, gold passamenterie and gold ribbons. Gold dollars have lost none of their worshipers.

Sleeves in the cotton gowns are being fashioned after those in a man's shirt, the wristband, however, being soft laundered and ornamented with fancy jeweled buttons.

Trimmings for white goods consisting of insertion, tucking and lace or embroidered edgings may be bought in the shops by the yard. This novelty means a small expense and a saving of a month's sewing or more to the woman who prefers home-made underwear. The factory girls who do this sort of work receive 1 cent per 100 yards and are obliged to find their own cotton.

No better business dress for women could be devised than the Jenness-Miller system furnishes, with the one exception that the skirts are a little longer than they should be for perfect cleanliness, health, and safety to the wearer. Mrs. Miller knows this; but, wise in her day and generation, she makes a concession in order that the greater number may be induced to conform to the greater good. Briefly described, the dress consists of a combination undergarment of soft silk or wool; another, to be worn over this, of any goods the wearer desires. Extra drawers, or divided skirts, of material suited to the weather, are worn instead of underskirts; all these snugly fastened to an easy, nice-fitting waist. A gown form, extending from neck to feet, upon which the gown is made, completes the costume. The body is smoothly fitted everywhere, but compressed and weighted nowhere. Nothing could be more simple and comfortable for work at home or abroad than this, and nothing can be more beautiful and complete than her more ceremonious toilettes.

The full sleeve has become so firmly an established fact that it is the greatest rarity to see a pair that fit the arms with the least suggestion of snugness. And the amplitude steadily grows, reminding one of the bygone days, when the wide—then called Bishop—sleeves were put to other uses than arm coverings. It was into their sleeves that the thrifty dames slipped their "tatting-work" when they went out to afternoon tea. The fan, handkerchief and netted coin purse were similarly bestowed; and, to all intents and purposes, the dress sleeve supplied conveniently, the place of the perennial reticule. Glancing over an old New York journal, dated back some 70 years, a curious account of a daring robbery meets my eyes. The victim was a young lady who, on returning from a party had, not her pocket, but her sleeve, "picked." The account showed that the thief secured "several love letters, received in the course of the evening; a pair of light shoe coverings, a small wrap, in case the night should grow cold, six oranges, several pieces of sponge cake, a handful or two of motto kisses, and various other knick-knacks she was taking home for the children." Fates forefend that our sleeves should assume such weighty proportions!

Toothsome Lunch Dishes.

Baked Quinces.—Bake ripe quinces until done and very soft. When cold, strip off the skins, place them in a deep dish and sprinkle with sugar and serve with cream.

Cheese Biscuit.—One cup grated cheese, 1 cup flour, 1 egg, pinch of salt, dash of Cayenne. Mix all together, roll into a sheet, cut into rounds and bake to a light brown.

Peach Cream.—One cupful of thick, sweet cream, one cupful of sugar; beat smooth and add the whites of two eggs, beaten stiff. Have a dish of sliced, ripe peaches. Sprinkle with sugar and pour the cream over. Serve very cold.

Baked Bananas.—Select large ripe bananas and bake them in the oven as you would potatoes. When the skin begins to split at the seams they are done. Take them out and serve one to each person, as a vegetable. They should be peeled and eaten with butter and a little salt.

Smothered Figs.—Three cupfuls of milk, 1 cupful of sugar; a lump of butter, 2 well-beaten eggs and 2 spoonfuls of corn starch to thicken when the milk boils. Place a layer in a glass dish and spread sliced figs thickly over. Add more cream and another layer of figs; continue till all are used. Ice the top and serve cold.

Lemon Tarts.—Fill a number of tart shells with puff paste and bake. Grate the rinds of 2 lemons, add 2 cupfuls of water, 1 cupful of sugar, a spoonful of almond flavoring, and boil and thicken with 2 spoonfuls of cornstarch. A small lump of butter improves it for some tastes. Fill the tarts while warm; ice the top.

Pressed Chicken.—Stew two chickens until the meat will drop from the bones. Chop fine, season to suit taste; a very little sage is an improvement in some cases. Place in a deep jar, cover with a plate after moistening with the liquor in which the chicken was cooked. Weigh down with a stone or flat-iron. It will be ready to cut in ten hours.

Blackberry Empress.—Two cupfuls milk, 1 egg, half a cupful of butter, a spoonful of baking powder, and flour to make a thin batter. Place a layer in a pudding dish, cover with a quart of blackberries well covered with sugar and a few dabs of butter. Cover with the remaining batter. Bake one hour; serve either hot or cold with sweetened cream, this is delicious, and other fruit may be used if desirable.

Liver Toast.—One cupful cold boiled or stewed liver, half cupful brown gravy of any sort, enough mustard, salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce to season the liver highly, several squares of buttered toast. Rub the liver smooth with the back of a spoon, add the seasoning, heat to boiling with the gravy, and heap or spread upon the toast. Set in the oven two minutes before sending to table.

Lobster Croquettes.—Meat of one large boiling lobster, half-pint white sauce, 2 eggs, juice of one lemon, salt and Cayenne to taste. Mince the meat fine, stir it into the white sauce, add the eggs well beaten, and last, the lemon juice. Turn out on a plate to cool. When perfectly cold, form into small croquettes with the hands, roll in beaten egg, then in fine crackers crumbs, and fay in deep fat.

Deviled Mutton.—Rub slices of rare mutton with a mixture made as follows: 1 teaspoonful Worcestershire sauce, 1 teaspoonful vinegar, 1 teaspoonful made mustard, tablespoonful melted butter. Let the meat lie in this for an hour. Then dip each slice in a frying batter made as directed in recipe for "ham fritters," and fry in deep fat. Or the deviled meat may simply be broiled over a clear fire. In either cases serve very hot.

Rusk.—Two cups milk, 2 eggs, 2½ cups flower, ½ cup butter, 1 cup sugar, ½ a yeast cake dissolved in warm water. Set a sponge made of the milk, the yeast and part of the flour—enough to make a good batter. Let this rise all night. In the morning work in the beaten eggs, the sugar, butter and the rest of the flour. Knead well, and make into balls with the hands. Set these together in the pan, let them rise until light, and bake in a steady oven. Just before taking them out brush the tops with molasses and water.

A Scrap Hash.—Two cups cold beef (roast, boiled, corned, or fresh), 1 or 2 cold sausages, 2 or 3 slices cold bacon, 1 cup potato, 4 olives, tablespoonful Worcestershire sauce, a little cold stewed tomato (if you have it), half an onion minced fine, 1 cup gravy or soup stock, or 1 cup boiling water and a tablespoonful of butter. Heat the gravy or stock to boiling in a frying-pan; stir into it the other ingredients chopped fine; simmer for fifteen minutes, stirring constantly. You can either serve the hash soft or let it brown on the bottom. Olla podrida though it seems, it will be savory, and will be relished by nearly every one.

Ham Fritters.—Two cups minced cold ham, 1 egg, half-pint good stock, salt-spoonful dry mustard, teaspoonful Worestershire sauce, tiny bit of scalded onion (chopped), half teaspoonful minced parsley, 1 tablespoonful butter, 1 teaspoonful flour. Heat the stock to boiling, and thicken it with the butter and flour rubbed together; stir into it the ham, seasoned with the mustard, onion, Worcestershire sauce, and parsley; add the beaten egg. Pour the mixture on a flat plate to cool. When cold and firm, make the mixture into flattened balls about the size of a small plum; drop each into a batter made of melted butter, a small cup of warm water, the beaten white of egg, and a little salt. Lay each fritter out of the batter into boiling fat. They will puff up at once, and should be of a delicate brown.



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A CONFLICT ENDED.

In Acton there were two churches, a Congregational and a Baptist. They stood on opposite sides of the road, and the Baptist edifice was a little further down than the other. On Sunday morning both bells were ringing. The Baptist bell was much larger, and followed quickly on the soft peal of the Congregational with a heavy brazen clang which vibrated a good while. The people went flocking through the street to the irregular jangle of the bells. It was a very hot day, and the sun beat down heavily; parasols were bobbing over all the ladies' heads.

More people went into the Baptist Church, whose society was much the larger of the two. It had been for the last ten years—ever since the Congregational had settled a new minister. His advent had divided the church, and a good third of the congregation had gone over to the Baptist brethren, with whom they still remained.

It is probable that many of them passed their old sanctuary to-day with the original stubborn animosity as active as ever in their hearts, and led their families up the Baptist steps with the same strong spiritual pull of indignation.

One old lady, who had made herself prominent on the opposition, trotted h this morning with the identical wi vehemence which she had manifested te years ago. She wore a full black silk skirt which she held up inanely in front, and al lowed to trail in the dust in the rear.

Some of the staunch Congregationa people glanced at her amusedly. On fleshy fair-faced girl in the blue muslin said to her companion, with a laugh; "See tha old lady trailing her best black silk by t the Baptist. Ain't it ridiculous how sh keeps on showing out? I heard some on talking about it yesterday."

"Yes."

The girl clouded up confusedly. "O dear!" she thought to herself. The lad with her had an unpleasant history con nected with this old church quarrel. Sh was a small bony woman in a shiny purpl silk, which was strained very tightly across her sharp shoulder-blades. Her bonnet wa quite elaborate with flowers and plumes, a was also her companion's. In fact she wa the village milliner, and the girl was her apprentice.

When the two went up the church steps they passed a man of about 50, who was sitting thereon well to one side. He had a singular face—a mild forehead, a gently curving mouth, and a terrible chin, with a look of strength in it that might have abashed mountains. He held his straw hat in his hand, and the sun was shining full on his bald head.

The milliner half stopped, and gave an anxious glance at him; then passed on. In the vestibule she stopped again.

"You go right in, Margy," she said to the girl. "I'll be along in a minute."

"Where are you going, Miss Barney?"

"You go right in. I'll be there in a minute."

Margy entered the audience-room then, as if fairly brushed in by the imperious wave of a little knotty hand, and Esther Barney stood waiting until the rush of entering people was over. Then she stepped swiftly back to the side of the man seated on the steps. She spread her large black parasol deliberately, and extended the handle towards him.

"No, no, Esther; I don't want it—I don't want it."

"If you're determined on setting out in this boiling sun, Marcus Woodman, you jest take this parasol, of mine an' use it."

"I don't want your parasol, Esther. I—"

"Don't you say it over again. Take it."

"I won't—not if I don't want to."

"You'll get a sunstroke."

"That's my own lookout."

"Marcus Woodman, you take it."

She threw all the force there was in her intense, nervous nature into her tone and look; but she failed in her attempt, because of the utter difference in quality between her own will and that with which she had to deal. They were on such different planes that hers slid by his with its own momentum; there could be no contract even of antagonism between them. He sat there rigid, every line of his face stiffened into an icy obstinacy. She held out the parasol towards him like a weapon.

Finally she let it drop at her side, her whole expression changed.

"Marcus," said she, "how's your mother?"

He started. "Pretty well, thank you, Esther."

"She's out to meeting, then?"

"Yes."

"I've been a-thinking—I ain't drove jest now—that may be I'd come over an' see her some day this week."

He rose politely then. "Wish you would, Esther. Mother'd be real pleased, I know."

"Well, I'll see—Wednesday, p'haps, if I ain't too busy. I must go in now; they're most through singing."

"Esther—"

"I don't believe I can stop any longer, Marcus."

"About the parasol—thank you jest the same if I don't take it. Of course you know I can't set out here holding a parasol, folks would laugh. But I'm obliged to you all the same. Hope I didn't say anything to hurt your feelings?"

"Oh no; why, no, Marcus. Of course I don't want to make you take it if you don't want it. I don't know but it would look kinder queer, come to think of it. Oh dear! they are through singing."

"Say, Esther, I don't know but I might as well take that parasol, if you'd jest as soon. The sun is pretty hot, an' I might get a headache. I forgot my umbrella, to tell the truth."

"I might have known better than to have gone at him the way I did," thought Esther to herself, when she was seated at last in the cool church beside Margy. "Seems as if I might have got used to Marcus Woodman by this time."

She did not see him when she came out of church; but a little boy in the vestibule handed her the parasol, with the remark, "Mr. Woodman said for me to give this to you."

She and Margy passed down the street towards home. Going by the Baptist Church they noticed a young man standing by the entrance. He stared hard at Margy.

She began to laugh after they had passed him. "Did you see that fellow stare?" said she. "Hope he'll know me next time."

"That's George Elliot; he's that old lady's son you was speaking about this morning."

"Well, that's enough for me."

"He's a real good steady young man."

Margy sniffed.

"P'haps you'll change your mind some day."

She did and speedily, too. That glimpse of Margy Wilson's pretty, new face—for she was a stranger in the town—had been to much for George Elliot. He obtained an introduction, and soon was a steady visitor at Esther Barney's house. Margy fell in love with him easily. She had never had much attention from the young men, and he was an engaging young fellow, small and bright-eyed, though with a nervous persistency like his mother's in his manner.

"I'm going to have it an understood thing," Margy told Esther, after her lover had become constant in his attentions, "that I'm going with George, and I ain't going with his mother. I can't bear that old woman."

But poor Margy found that it was not so easy to thrust determined old age off the stage, even when young love was flying about so fast on his butterfly wings that he seemed to multiply himself, and there was no room for anything else, because the air was so full of loves. That old mother, with her trailing black skirt and her wiry obstinacy, trotted as unwaveringly through the sweet air as a ghost through a door.

One Monday morning Margy could not eat any breakfast, and there were tear stains around her blue eyes.

"Why, what's the matter, Margy?" asked Esther, eyeing her across the little kitchen table.

"Nothing's the matter. I ain't hungry any to speak of, that's all. I guess I'll go right to work on Mis' Fuller's bonnet."

"I'd try an' eat something if I was you. Be sure you cut that velvet straight, if you go to work on it."

When the two were sitting together at th work in the little room back of the Margy suddenly threw her scissors en. "There!" said she, "I've done it; new I should. I've cut this velvet bias. new I should cut everything bias I ished to-day.

ere was a droll pucker on her mouth; n it began to quiver. She hid her face her hands and sobbed. "Oh, dear, dear, !"

Margy Wilson, what's the matter?"

George and I—had a talk last night. 've broke the engagement, an' it's kill- me. An' now I've cut this velvet bias. dear, dear, dear, dear!"

"For the land sake, don't mind anything out the velvet. What's come betwixt u an' George?"

"His mother—horrid old thing! He id she'd got to live with us, and I said he shouldn't. Then he said he wouldn't arry any girl that wasn't willing to live ith his mother, and I said he wouldn't ver marry me then. If George Elliot hinks more of his mother than he does of me, he can have her. I don't care. I'll show him I can get along without him."

"Well, I don't know, Margy. "I'm real sorry about it. George Elliot's a good, likely young man; but if you don't want to live with his mother, it was better to say so right in the beginning. And I don't know as I blame you much; she's pretty set in her ways."

"I guess she is. I never could bear her. I guess he'll find out——"

Margy dried her eyes defiantly. "I've spoilt this velvet. I don't see why being disappointed in love should affect a girl so's to make her cut bias."

There was a whimsical element in Margy which seemed to roll uppermost along with her grief.

Esther looked a little puzzled. "Never mind the velvet, child; it ain't much, anyway." She began tossing over some ribbons to cover her departure from her usual reticence. "I'm real sorry about it, Margy. Such things are hard to bear, but they can be live through. I know something about it myself. You knew I had some of this kind of trouble, didn't you?"

"About Mr. Woodman, you mean?"

"Yes, about Marcus Woodman. I'll tell you what 'tis, Margy Wilson, you've got one thing to be thankful for, and that is that there ain't anything ridickerlous about this affair of your. That makes it the hardest of anything, according to my mind—when you know that everybody's laughing, and you can hardly help laughing yourself, though you feel most ready to die."

"Ain't that Mr. Woodman crazy?"

"No, he ain't crazy; he's got too much for his common-sense, that's all, and will teeters the sense a little to far into air. I see all through it from the be- ing. I could read Marcus Woodman like a book."

"I don't see how in the world you ever to like such a man."

"Well, I s'pose love's the stronger when e ain't any good reason for it. They it is. I can't say as I ever really ad- Marcus Woodman much. I al- see right through him; but that didn't er my thinking so much of him that I r felt as if I could marry any other And I've had chances, though I dn't want you to say so."

"You turned him off because he went to ng on the church steps?"

"Course I did. Do you s'pose I was go- to marry a man who made a laughing- k of himself like that?"

"I don't see how he ever come to do it. he funniest thing I ever heard of."

"I know it. It seems so silly nobody'd ve it. Well, all there is about it, cus Woodman's got so much mulish- in him it makes him almost miraculous. see, he got up an' spoke in that church ting when they had such a row about Morton's being settled here—Marcus awful set again' him. I never could ny reason why, and I don't think he d. He said Mr. Morton wa'n't doctri- that was what they all said; but I don't ve half of 'em know what doctrinal I never could see why Mr. Morton 't as good as most ministers—enough better than them that treated him so, ay. I always felt that they was really g him in a pulpit high over their heads zing him the way they did, though didn't know it.

"Well, Marcus spoke in that church king, an' he kept getting more and more very word he said. He always had a of saying things over and over, as if as making steps out of 'em, till their no moving him at all. And he did that t. Finally, when he was up real high, said, as for him, if Mr. Morton was led over that church, he'd never go in- the door himself as long as he lived. mebody spoke out then—I never quite w who 'twas, though I suspected—an', 'You'll have to set on the steps, then, ther Woodman.'

"Everybody laughed at that but Marcus. didn't see nothing to laugh at. He oke out awful set, kinder gritting his th, 'I will set on the steps 50 years be- I'll go into this house if that man's tied here.'

"I couldn't believe he'd really do it. e were going to be married that spring, it did seem as if he might listen to me; t he wouldn't. The Sunday Mr. Morton gun to preach, he begun to set on them ps, an' he's set there ever since, in all nds of weather. It's a wonder it ain't lled him, but I guess it made him tough."

"Why, didn't he feel bad when you ouldn't marry him?"

"Felt bad? Of course he did. He took terribly. But it didn't make any differ- nce; he wouldn't give in a hair's-breadth. declare it did seem as if I should die. His mother felt awfully too—she's a real good woman. I didn't know what Marcus would have done without her. He wants a sight of tending and waiting on; he's dreadful babyish in some ways, though you wouldn't think it.

"Well, it's all over now, as far as I'm concerned. I've got over it a good deal, though sometimes it makes me jest as mad as ever to see him sitting there. But I try to be reconciled, and I get along jest as well, mebbe, as if I'd had him—I don't know. I fretted more at first than there was any sense in, and I hope you won't."

"I ain't going to fret at all, Miss Barney. I may cut bias for a while, but I sha'n't do anything worse."

"How you do talk, child!"

A good deal of it was talk with Margy; she had not so much courage as her words proclaimed. She was capable of a strong temporary resolution, but of no enduring one. She gradually weakened as the days without her lover went on, and one Saturday night she succumbed entirely. There was quite a rush of business, but through it all she caught a conversation between some customers—two pretty young girls.

"Who was that with you last night at the concert?"

"That—oh, that was George Elliot. Didn't you know him?"

"He's got another girl," thought Margy, with a great throb.

The next Sunday night, coming out of the meeting with Miss Barney, she left suddenly. George Elliott was one of a waiting line of young men in the vestibule. She went straight up to him. He looked at her in bewilderment, his dark face turning red.

"Good evening, Miss Wilson," he stammered out finally.

"Good evening," she whispered, and stood looking up at him piteously. She was white and trembling.

At last he stepped forward suddenly and offered her his arm. In spite of his resentment, he could not put her to open shame before all his mates, who were staring curiously.

When they were out in the dark, cool street, he bent over her. "Why, Margy, what does all this mean?"

"O George, let her live with us, please. I want her to. I know I can get along with her if I try. I'll do everything I can. Please let her live with us."

"Who's her?"

"Your mother."

"And I suppose us is you and I? I thought that was all over, Margy; ain't it?"

"O George, I am sorry I treated you so."

"Are you willing to let mother live with us now?"

"I'll do anything. O George!"

"Don't cry, Margy. There—nobody's looking—give us a kiss. It's been a long time; ain't it, dear. So you've made up your mind that you're willing to let mother live with us?"

"Yes."

"Well, I don't believe she ever will, Margy. She's about made up her mind to go and live with my brother Edward, whether or no. So you won't be troubled with her. I dare say she might have been a little trial as she grew older."

"You didn't tell me."

"I thought it was your place to give in, dear."

"Yes, it was, George."

"I'm mighty glad you did. I tell you what it is, dear, I don't know how you've felt, but I've been pretty miserable lately."

"Poor George!"

They passed Esther Barney's house, and strolled along half a mile further. When they returned, and Margy stole softly into the house and upstairs, it was quite late, and Esther had gone to bed. Margy saw the light was not out in her room, so she peeped in. She could not wait till morning to tell her.

"Where have you been?" said Esther, looking up at her out of her pillows.

"Oh, I went to walk a little way with George."

"Then you've made up?"

"Yes."

"Is his mother going to live with you?"

"No; I guess not. She's going to live with Edward. But I told him I was willing she should. I've about made up my mind it's a woman's place to give in mostly. I s'pose you think I'm an awful fool."

"No, I don't; no, I don't, Margy. I'm real glad it's all right betwixt you and George. I've seen you weren't very happy lately."

They talked a little longer; then Margy said "Good night," going over to Esther and kissing her. Being so rich in love made her generous with it. She looked down sweetly into the older woman's thin, red-checked face. "I wish you were as happy as I," said she. "I wish you and Mr. Woodman could make up too."

"That's an entirely different matter. I couldn't give in in such a thing as that."

Margy looked at her; she was not subtle, but she had just come out triumphant through innocent love and submission, and used the wisdom she had gained thereby.

"Don't you believe," said she, "if you was to give in the way I did, that he would?"

Esther started up with an astonished air. That had never occurred to her before. "Oh, I don't believe he would. You don't know him; he's awful set. Besides, I don't know but I'm better off the way it is."

In spite of herself, however, she could not help thinking of Margy's suggestion. Would he give in? She was hardly disposed to run the risk. With her peculiar cast of mind, her feeling for the ludicrous so keen that it almost amounted to a special sense, and her sensitiveness to ridicule, it would have been easier for her to have married a man under the shadow of a crime than one who was the deserving target of gibes and jests. Besides, she told herself, it was possible that he had changed his mind, that he no longer cared for her. How could she make the first overtures? She had not Margy's impulsiveness and innocence of youth to excuse her.

Also, she was partly influenced by the reason which she had given Margy; she was not so very sure that it would be best for her to take any such step. She was more fixed in the peace and pride of her old maidenhood than she had realized, and was more shy of disturbing it. Her comfortable meals, her tidy housekeeping, and her prosperous work had become such sources of satisfaction to her that she was almost wedded to them, and jealous of any interference.

So it is doubtful if there would have been any change in the state of affairs if Marcus Woodman's mother had not died toward spring. Esther was greatly distressed about it.

"I don't see what Marcus is going to do," she told Margy. "He ain't any fitter to take care of himself than a baby, and he won't have any housekeeper, they say."

One evening, after Marcus's mother had been dead about three weeks, Esther went over there. Margy had gone out to walk with George, so nobody knew. When she reached the house—a white cottage on a hill—she saw a light in the kitchen window.

"He's there," said she. She knocked on the door softly. Marcus shuffled over to it—he was in his stocking feet—and opened it.

"Good evening, Marcus," said she, speaking first.

"Good evening."

"I hadn't anything special to do this evening, so I thought I'd look in a minute and see how you was getting along."

"I ain't getting along very well; but I'm glad to see you. Come right in."

When she was seated opposite him by the kitchen fire, she surveyed his and his surroundings pityingly. Everything had an abject air of forlornness; there was neither tidiness or comfort. After a few words she rose energetically. "See here, Marcus," said she, "you jest fill up that teakettle, and I'm going to slick up here a little for you while I stay."

"Now, Esther, I don't feel as if——"

"Don't you say nothing. Here's the teakettle. I might jest as well be doing that as setting still."

He watched her in a way that made her nervous, as she flew about putting thing to rights; but she said to herself that this was easier than sitting still, and gradually leading up to the object for which she had come. She kept wondering if she could ever accomplish it. When the room was in order, finally, she sat down again, with a strained-up look in her face.

"Marcus," said she, "I might as well begin. There was something I wanted to say to you to-night."

He looked at her, and she went on—

"I've been thinking some lately about how matters used to be betwixt you an' me, and it's jest possible—I don't know—but I might have been a little more patient than I was. I don't know as I feel the same way if——"

"O Esther, what do you mean?"

"I ain't going to tell you, Marcus Woodman, if you can't find out. I've said full enough; more'n I ever thought I should."

He was an awkward man, but he rose and threw himself on his knees at her feet with all the grace of complete unconsciousness of action. "O Esther, you don't mean, do you?—you don't mean that you'd be willing to—marry me?"

"No; not if you don't get up. You look ridickerlous."

"Esther, do you mean it?"

"You ain't thinking—I can't give up what he had the trouble about, any more now than I would then."

"Ain't I said once that wouldn't make any difference?"

At that he put his head down on her knees and sobbed.

"Do, for mercy sake, stop. Somebody'll be coming in. 'Tain't as if we were a young couple."

"I ain't going to till I've told you about it, Esther. You 'ain't never really understood. In the first of it we was both mad; but we ain't now, and we can talk it over. O Esther, I've had such an awful life! I've looked at you, and—— Oh, dear, dear, dear!"

"Marcus, you scare me to death crying so."

"I won't. Esther, look here—it's the gospel truth; I 'ain't a thing again' Mr. Morton, now."

"Then why on earth don't you go into the meeting-house and behave yourself?"

"Don't you suppose I would if I could? I can't, Esther—I can't."

"I don't know what you mean by can't."

"Do you s'pose I've took any comfort sitting there on them steps in the winter snows an' summer suns? Do you s'pose I've took any comfort not marrying you? Don't you s'pose I'd given all I was worth any time the last ten year to have got up an' walked into the church with the rest of the folks?"

"Well, I'll own, Marcus, I don't see why you couldn't if you wanted to."

"I ain't sure as I see myself, Esther. All I know is I can't make myself give it up. I can't. I ain't made strong enough to."

"As near as I can make out, you've taken to sitting on the church steps the way other men take to smoking and drinking."

"I don't know but you're right, Esther, though I hadn't thought of it in that way before."

"Well, you must try and overcome it."

"I never can, Esther. It ain't right for me to let you think I can."

"Well we won't talk about it any more to-night. It's time I was going home."

"Esther—did you mean it?"

"Mean what?"

"That you'd marry me anyway?"

"Yes, I did. Now do get up. I do hate to see you looking so silly."

Esther had a new pearl-colored silk gown, and a little mantle like it, and a bonnet trimmed with roses and plumes, and she and Marcus were married in June.

The Sunday on which she came out a bride they were late at church; but late as it was, curious people were lingering by the steps to watch them. What would they do? Would Marcus Woodman enter that church door which his awful will had guarded for him so long?

They walked slowly up the steps between the watching people. When they came to the place where he was accustomed to sit, Marcus stopped short and looked down at his wife with an agonized face.

"O Esther, I've—got—to stop."

"Well, we'll both sit down here, then."

"You?"

"Yes; I'm willing."

"No; you go in."

"No, Marcus; I sit with you on our wedding Sunday."

Her sharp middle-aged face as she looked up at him was fairly heroic. This was all that she could do; her last weapon was used. If this failed, she would accept the chances with which she had married, and before the eyes of all these tittering people she would sit down at his side on these church steps. She was determined and she would not weaken.

He stood for a minute staring into her face. He trembled so that the bystanders noticed it. He actually leaned over towards his old seat as if wire ropes were pulling him down upon it. Then he stood up straight, like a man, and walked through the church door with his wife.

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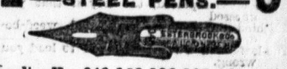
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Morbus Sabbaticus.

Morbus Sabbaticus, or Sunday sickness, is a disease peculiar to church-goers. The attack comes on suddenly every Sunday; no symptoms are felt on Saturday night; the patient sleeps well, and awakes feeling well; eats a hearty breakfast; but about church time the attack comes on, and continues until the services are over for the morning. Then the patient feels easy, and eats a hearty dinner. In the afternoon he feels much better, and is able to take a walk, talk politics and read the Sunday papers; he eats a hearty supper, but about church time he has another attack, and stays at home. He retires early, sleeps well, and wakes Monday morning refreshed and able to go to work, and does not have any symptoms of the disease until the following Sunday. The peculiar features of the disease are as follows: 1. It always attacks members of the church. 2. It never makes its appearance except on the Sabbath. 3. The symptoms vary, but it never interferes with the sleep or appetite. 4. It never lasts more than 24 hours. 5. It generally attacks the head of the family. 6. No physician is ever called. 7. It always proves fatal in the end—to the soul. 8. No remedy is known for it except prayer. 9. Religion is the only antidote. 10. It is becoming fearfully prevalent, and is sweeping thousands every year prematurely to destruction.—[Church Messenger.

Sabbath Among the Ancients.

A correspondent inquires if the Sabbatical day was peculiar to the Jews, or whether other nations as well had their rest days. The latest information shows that the observance of a Sabbath or rest day prevailed among the Assyrians, in which every month is divided into four weeks, and the Seventh days, or "Sabbaths," are marked out as days on which no work should be undertaken. More precisely, the 7th, 14th, 19th, 21st and 28th days of the month were called sulum, or "rest," and the calendar contains lists of works forbidden to be done on these days. Mr. George Smith remarks: "I cannot find any reason why the 19th day of the month was also a day of rest;" but the 19th was not observed in the same way as the other Sabbaths. The Assyrian year consisted of twelve months of 30 days each, and thus by the above arrangement, every fourth week would have to consist of nine days. But the plan of holding the Sabbath on fixed days of the month was quite as scientific as our plan of letting them range all over the dates. Nor does it make any essential difference between the Assyrian Sabbaths and the Hebrew. The late Mr. Samuel Sharpe pointed out that we can only understand certain passages in the Bible on the supposition that the week was not at first of seven days exactly. It was the quarter of a lunar month, and therefore sometimes of seven days and sometimes of eight days, the Hebrew months being of 29 and 30 days alternately. The day of the new moon was always a Sabbath, and so was the day of the full moon, the 15th of the month. From the 15th, the following Sabbath was fixed on the 22nd; and then the fourth week contained eight days. This made things right for the short month of 29 days; the long month of 30 days had two new moon days, the other arrangements remaining the same. To conclude, there can be no doubt that the Assyrians had their weekly rest. Moreover, since the Assyrians confessedly derived their religious system from the Babylonians, we must credit the Babylonians with having a weekly rest as well,—and perhaps the Accadians, who were not a Semitic people, but were the parents of the Babylonians in religious culture.

The Death of Puck.

I.

I fear that Puck is dead; it is so long
Since men last saw him; dead with all the rest
Of that sweet elfin crew that made their nest
In hollow huts, where hazels sing their song.

Dead and for ever, like the antique throng
The elves replaced; the Dryad that you guessed
Behind the leaves; the Naiad weed-bedressed;
The leaf-eared Faun that loved to lead you wrong.

Tell me, thou Wood-Mouse, hast thou seen an elf
Whom they call Puck, and is he seated yet,
Capped with a small shell on his mushroom shelf?

II.

The Robin gave three hops, and chirped, and said:
"Yes, I know Puck, and loved him; though I trow
He mimicked off my whistle chuckling low;
Yes, I knew Cousin Puck, but he is dead.

We found him lying on his mushroom bed,
The Wren and I; half covered up with snow,
As we were hopping where the berries grow.
We think he died of cold. Aye, Puck is dead."

And then the Wood-Mouse said: We made the Mole,
The old, blind Mole, dig deep beneath the moss,
And four big Dormice placed him in the hole.

The Squirrel made with sticks a little cross;
Puck was a Christian elf, and had a soul;
And all we velvet jackets mourn his loss."

—Eugene Lee-Hamilton in the Academy.

Chicago in the Silurian Age.

We are now ready, through data furnished by our rocks, to picture to ourselves Chicago in the Silurian age. In Silurian times Chicago lay at the bottom of a salt, warm, and shallow sea. To the north lay a land area of unknown extent, the oldest of our continent, if not in the world. We will call it Laurentia. To the east, bordering what is now our Atlantic coast, lay another strip of land we will call Appalachia; to the west, bordering the Pacific, lay still another we will name California. These lands furnish thus early, by their position and arrangement, the first rough sketch of North America. It is more than probable that along their shores stretched the primordial beaches, whereon the lowest, earliest, simplest, forms of life appeared. But the lands themselves were without life. Rain and streams cut down their bald rocky surfaces, ocean waves ate into their coast lines, the air above conveyed clouds and transmitted sunlight; yet aside from these there was no sign of movement. But these lands were distant; they do not concern us most. Let us fix our thoughts on this particular spot.

The point is indicated by long white lines of surf, thrown into spray as it encounters the submerged reefs. There were teeming populations then as now, but they moved in water, not in air. There was consciousness, there was great activity, there must have been enjoyment, since without it life cannot be keenly active. There must have been also pain, for life was over-abundant. There was a struggle to elude, a struggle to capture. There were eyes for seeing, teeth for tearing, claws for grasping, tentacles for feeling, stinging, or paralyzing.

There was color, from the iridescent pearly lining of sea shells to the gorgeous banks of coral flower-beds. There were waving meadows of sea-plants, fairy groves sponges, amid which each lived according to his kind. But in this exuberant existence there was no voice; all animate nature was mute. There was no sound save the dashing surf; ears, such as they were, gave heed to vibrations only. Yet these were the possessors of the earth. For them at that time "all things were made that were made." Nor is this all. They possessed a form of life as unique as were their physical conditions. The world and its inhabitants were suited to each other.—[From "Some Geology of Chicago and Vicinity," by Ellen B. Eastin, in Harper's Magazine for August.

The Wonders of Sound.

Some interesting particulars relating to the transmission of sound are given by the Scientific American. For instance, a train of cars running on the line of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad as it passes a spot called the Needles can be plainly heard at Cottonwood Island, distant 78 miles away. The discharge of the sunrise gun at Fort Mohave can be plainly heard at Colorado Canon a distance of 100 miles. Sounds can be understood in the narrows of the Grand Canon of the Colorado for a distance of eighteen miles; or, in other words, if a man in one end shouts "Bob!" the man at the other end can plainly hear the echo—"Bob." The whistle of a Colorado steamer can be heard from El Dorado Canon to Weaverville, the head of navigation, a distance of 78 miles, and if somebody tumbles a rock over the precipice at Lee's Ferry you can plainly hear the echo down the river at Weaverville, a distance of 36 miles. This is a true story.

A Dream.

My dead love came to me, and said,
"God gives me one hour's rest,
To spend with thee on earth again;
How shall we spend it best?"

"Why, as of old," I said; and so
We quarrelled, as of old;
But, when I turned to make my peace,
That one short hour was sold.

—[Stephen Phillips.

Arctic Exploration.

What seems most likely to be one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of Arctic exploration will begin in 1892. Dr. Nansen, whose wonderful journey across Greenland on foot has made him famous as an explorer, proposes to fit out a small ship—of only 170 tons—specially constructed so that the ice cannot crush it, but will force it, when hemmed in, on to the top of the ice floes. With this boat and with twelve companions, he hopes to solve two great questions of Polar exploration: 1. Is there a passage going north from Behring's Strait through the Polar regions and down to the coast of Greenland? 2. What are the meteorological and other conditions of the immediate vicinity of the North Pole? Dr. Nansen holds that the Siberian river, the Lena, enforced by the currents of the Obi and Yenisei, sends an enormous volume of comparatively warm water upward toward the Pole, and that a passage from it and to it may be found. This theory, curiously enough, is strongly confirmed by the extraordinary fact that relics left by the crew of the ill-fated Jeannette were found three years after the vessel sank near Julianshaab in Greenland, having been carried from the opposite side of the Polar Sea on an ice float. The Nansen expedition will be provisioned for five years, and it is reasoned that where these relics floated there this small vessel can be carried by the drift of the water and ice. Dr. Nansen is a man of great energy and force of character, and has had a wide experience in Arctic exploration. The world will look forward to the results of his novel experiment with interest and expectation.—[Christian Union.

THOUGHTS THAT BREATHE.

After you have weighed your neighbor in the balance, drop a nickel of fairness in the slot of self-examination and ascertain your own moral avoirdupois.

Not to fear life is a slight to him who made it our special punishment. Not to desire death is an indifference to him whom we can only reach by passing through it.—[W. F. Fabr.

If anyone should set your body at the mercy of every passer-by, you would be indignant. When, therefore, you set your own mind at the mercy of every chance to be troubled and perturbed when anyone may revile you, have you no shame of this?—[Epictetus.

"Mother," asked a child, "since nothing is ever lost where do all our thoughts go?" "To God," answered the mother gravely, "who remembers them forever." "Forever!" said the child; he bent his head and drawing closer to his mother, murmured: "I am frightened!" Which of us has not felt the same?

Can you not hear God's voice speaking to you? What! When he says: Bear this, I am here to aid thee; you will refuse? He says: Continue another half hour the work that wearies thee, and you would stop? He says: Do not that, and you do it? He says: Let us tread together the path of obedience, and you answer no?—[Gold Dust.

The future is not yet ours; perhaps it never will be. It is exposing ourselves to temptation to wish to anticipate God, and to prepare ourselves for things which he may not destine for us. If such things should come to pass he will give us light and strength according to the need. Why should we desire to meet difficulties prematurely, when we have neither strength nor light as yet provided for them? Let us give heed to the present, which is pressing upon us; it is fidelity to the present which prepares us for fidelity in the future.—[Fenelon.

Generally, we bargain with God; we wish always to set a limit and to see the end of our trouble. The same hidden root of obstinate self-love, which makes us need crosses, makes us repulse them, and hinder their work. And so it has to begin again continually; we suffer, yet do not allow the mission of suffering to be accomplished in us. I pray the Lord that we may none of us fall into that torpid state in which our crosses do us no good. St. Paul says that "God loveth a cheerful giver." How much more must he love those who give up cheerfully all their own will, to surrender themselves wholly to his crucifying dealings with them!—[Fenelon.

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

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It is unreasonable to expect a man to be collected if his bills are not.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

THE TEN LEPERS.*

[By the Rev. Lyman Abbott.]

Christ, one day, on a journey to Jerusalem, was passing along the borders of Samaria and Galilee toward the Jordan, probably intending then to go southward along the Jordan Valley to Jerusalem—a customary route of pilgrims to the Holy City—when he came upon a group of ten lepers, sitting just outside one of the villages through which he was to pass. In the absence of any hospitals or other adequate retreats for these incurables, this grouping of themselves together in the company which even misery loves is not uncommon to this day. Christ's fame as a healer and teacher had reached them, and with one accord they cried out to him for mercy. Under the Levitical law the priests constituted the sanitary authorities of the land, and before a leper who believed himself to be cured of his leprosy could return to society he was required to show himself to the priest, and have his case examined and his cure certified to, while he made certain offerings and went through certain prescribed rituals. The particulars will be found in the fourteenth chapter of Leviticus. Christ's answer to the lepers was very brief; it implied, but did not explicitly include, any promise of cure. "Go, show yourselves unto the priests," he said. Despair clutches at hope; in this direction they saw a promise of healing, and, with the taint of leprosy still upon them, they started for the temple at Jerusalem. As they went the cure was effected; the fever departed, the blood was purified, the unclean skin showed evidence of the healing wrought. Nine of the lepers continued their journey to the priest, more solicitous to insure the cure and to obey the letter of the law than to express their thanks for the grace conferred by the Stranger. One returned to thank the Healer, more solicitous to give expression to his gratitude and love than to follow the letter of the law and receive the official authentication of his cure. He was a Samaritan; possibly in this fact may be found a partial explanation of his less scrupulous adherence to the law. It is evident from Christ's language that Christ approved his course rather than that of the other nine. And yet it is easy to construe the arguments by which the nine sought to dissuade the one from turning back. "The law," they would have said, "is explicit. 'In the day of his cleansing, the leper shall be brought to the priest.' And this law the Master who has cured us has ratified. His command to us was, 'Go, show yourselves to the priests'. We have no discretion. To obey is better than sacrifice. Let us obey our conscience and the law, not follow our impulses of gratitude, however natural and even noble." And we can also imagine the reply of the Samaritan: "If I do not turn back now to thank the physician who has healed me, I can never thank him; he will be gone, and I shall see him no more. To carry through life this debt of thankfulness with no expression would be insupportable. I shall obey the law; I shall obey the Master; for when I have found him and thanked him, I will return and hasten to Jerusalem to fulfill the appointed rite. But first I must acknowledge my debt to him who has saved me from a life that was worse than death." And so he turned back, and all the way sang praises to the God who had redeemed him.† The lesson, then, which I draw from this incident is this:

The impulses of love are a better guide of conduct than scrupulosity of conscience.

Obedience to law is the foundation of character. It is the first lesson the father has to teach his children, the first lesson the heavenly father taught his children. Judaism was a religion of law; the lawgivers, the prophets, the poets, emphasized in reiterated instructions this principle. "If you will obey my voice in deed, and keep my covenant, ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people," is the declaration of Moses to Israel at Mount Sinai.‡ Israel is continually falling into the error of imagining that it can disobey God in practical life and placate him by sacrifices, and the burden of the prophetic utterances is ever, "To obey is better than sacrifice." None other than the obedient do really ever ascend his holy hill or enter his temple. "Who shall ascend unto the hill of the Lord? or who shall stand in his holy place? He that hath clean hands and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity, nor sworn deceitfully; he shall receive the blessing from the Lord, and righteousness from the God of his salvation." In vain do men by ritual endeavor to make good deficiency in righteousness. "Incense is an abomination to me," cries the prophet, speaking in God's name. "Your new moons and your appointed feasts my soul hateth; when ye make many prayers I will not hear. If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land." Christ repeats the same lesson. No emotionalism, no ritualism, can serve in lieu of obedience. "If a man love me, he will keep my words." "He that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man which built his house upon a rock." "Ye are my friends, if you do whatsoever I have commanded you." And in the ordination sermon, preached at the setting apart of the twelve apostles, the master warns them against careless teaching on this subject: "Whosoever shall relax one of the least of these commandments, and shall teach men so, he shall be called the least in the kingdom of heaven." Let no word of mine bring me under the condemnation of this declaration.

But there are two kinds of obedience; obedience that is conscious and deliberate to an outward law or statute, and an obedience that is unconscious and instinctive to a law wrought into one's own nature. The former is only a means to the latter. To follow whithersoever one's unregulated impulses may lead is lawlessness—that is, sin. To keep a perpetual watch on one's impulses, and by constant and conscious acts of the will compel them to submit to some external law or standard, is what Paul calls "the righteousness which is of the law." It is better than lawlessness, but it is not the ideal. It is Judaism, Pharisaism, Legalism, Puritanism; none of which are Christianity, all of which are preparations for Christianity. Thus the law is a schoolmaster to lead us to Christ. To be a law unto ourselves, to have our impulses themselves the impulses of love and gratitude, to be impelled by our instincts toward righteousness, and to walk therein because our instincts so impel us, to please to do right and to do as we please, and to do this because the love of God dwells in our heart by faith—this is the consummation, the end, the righteousness which is by faith and works in love. Then is the man born again, a new creation, filled with the spirit, a child of God, born of God, having the spirit of Christ in him. This is what I mean by saying that the impulses of love are a better guide of conduct than scrupulosity of conscience.

I shall not attempt to apply this principle in detail, as it might be done, to all the various actions of life. If we lived according to this spirit, we should accept the Sabbath as a gift, and should rejoice in it, not as a law and conform to it; Sabbath worship as a joy, and apould delight in it, not as an obligation and submit to it; service of our fellow-men as an opportunity, and should glory in it, not as a duty and be driven to it; sacrifice as the glorious inheritance of Christ in which we, joint heirs with him, are graciously permitted to share, not as a cross which we resign ourselves to endure. "I beseech you," says Paul, "by the mercies of God, that ye preserve your bodies a living sacrifice unto God, which is your reasonable service." This is the principle broadly applied. A sense of gratitude to him who has redeemed us, to him whose mercy has surrounded, fed, educated, comforted, guided, pardoned, and saved us, inspires us to life of love toward him; we ask not what ought we to do, what does law require, but what can we do, what opportunity for our love does life afford; and we look at his law, not to see what obligations are imposed upon us, but to get light upon the question how we can best please him, since to please him is the supremest object and purpose and joy of our life.

* International Sunday School Lesson for Aug. 17, 1890.—Luke, xvii., 11-19.

† Lit.: Turned back with a loud voice glorifying God (verse 15); i. e., on his way back to Jesus.

‡ Exodus, xix., 5.

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A TANGLE OF TRAINS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 17.—The strike on the New York Central Road was further complicated yesterday morning. At 3 o'clock the switchmen in the Central yards struck work and those on the West Shore system in this city followed suit. There were upwards of 200 men in the movement. The closing of the West Shore Road for freight is the most serious aspect thus far, as it completely cripples the Central's facilities for forwarding freight.

There was the worst tangle of trains and engines in the Central depot yesterday morning that has been seen since the strike began, a week ago this morning. West Shore and Central engines crowded every track from the north to the south side of the depot and for a long distance east.

A telephone message from Black Rock stated that all the Central switchmen had struck there, but that the firemen were still at work.

The action of the switchmen gives a new phase to the Central strike. It has now spread beyond the Knights of Labor. The men who went out yesterday morning are members of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association, an organization extending all over the country. It has a membership of about 800 in this city. Comparatively few switchmen are in the Knights of Labor here. It was Grand Master Sweeney, of the switchmen's organization who ordered the latest strike. It is said by the men that the strike is likely to extend all over the Vanderbilt system if the trouble here is not speedily settled, and that it certainly will spread should an effort be made to have non-union switchmen handle Central or West Shore trains.

It is also stated that should roads outside the Vanderbilt system consent to take Central freight, the switchmen on these roads will be called out. In this connection it is reported that the Erie road has refused to handle Central freight, fearing trouble with its switchmen. There is no concealing the fact that the switchmen's strike has greatly added to the gravity of the situation.

Business at the East Buffalo yards is at a standstill. The several railroad tracks from Bailey avenue to Chicago street are lined with trains of freight cars. A good deal of the freight is likely to spoil if not moved quickly.

THE KNIGHTS JUBILANT.

To say that the local striking Knights of Labor are jubilant would be to put it mildly. They are overjoyed at the turn affairs have taken, and seem more confident of success than ever. They held an important meeting for the purpose of discussing the situation. Maj. McGown, of the Executive Committee from Albany, says:

Buffalo is considered the key to the situation, and we will do our best to hold it. I made one prediction and that materialized, so I will make another: Inside of five days you will see steps taken by the railroad company, looking towards arbitration; you mark my words.

EMBARGO ON THE CATTLE TRADE.

The live stock shipments from this point, despite the assistance given by the West Shore, the Lackawanna and Erie, are at least a week behind. There is no knowing how long it will take to get caught up.

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ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 17.—Trouble was expected all along the line of the Central road within the city limits to-day owing to the fact that the Pinkerton men were all known to be armed. These expectations were in part fulfilled. Nearly all the Pinkerton men were withdrawn to-day from duty at crossings within the city limits in consequence, as their presence served to excite the frenzy of the throng of onlookers. The police took their places and it is owing to this change that more than the following affrays are not recorded. The stoning of the Pinkerton men was continued to-day up to noon with no serious results. About 1 o'clock James Hatton, of New York city, a Pinkerton man, was patrolling the tracks in the vicinity of Van Woert street. He claims to have been struck with a stone in the chest, while his companion, who was on duty at that point was knocked down and severely hurt by a gang of roughs. He then

FIRED HIS REVOLVER INTO THE CROWD,

the ball striking a small boy aged 16, named Richard Dwyer. Dwyer received an ugly wound in the hip, and is now in the hospital. Hatton had no time to fire another shot. The crowd surged around him, and before the police could interfere his clothes were torn off his back, he was struck with fists and clubs, and presentad a pitiable sight when rescued from the anger of the crowd by the police, who were obliged to draw their revolvers to stem the crowding mass of people. One policeman had his coat torn off him in the fight. Hatton was taken to the station, when, after his wounds were dressed by the police surgeon, he was locked up on the charge of assault in the second degree. Hatton would

SURELY HAVE SUFFERED DEATH

had the police not come to his assistance when they did. These occurrences aroused the passions of the spectators, mostly roughs and hoodlums, as nothing else has since the strike was declared. Their number increased, and the Chief of Police fearing further trouble established his headquarters in the station house near by and placed all the reserves at that point. At intervals after this, freight trains came down from West Albany past the crossing on their way to New York. About 3 o'clock one of these trains passed through the city which the Pinkertons say was stoned. The police claim such was not the case, at any event when the train reached the Broadway viaduct, the Pinkertons on top of the freight cars carrying Winchesters ... rifles began

A RECKLESS FUSILLADE ON THE CROWD,

standing in that vicinity. Four or five shots were fired without any provocation