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Chas. Trebilcock Gored by a Bull; London Tp. Man Seriously Injured

Prize Shorthorn Attacked Him in a Field on His Farm.

Mr. Charles Trebilcock, The Grove, a well-known farmer of London Township, and a member of the Western Fair board, was seriously, if not fatally, gored by a bull at his home this morning.

He is badly torn and bruised, and it is feared that he is injured internally, but he is resting easily this afternoon.

A Prize Bull.

Mr. Trebilcock is the owner of some prize cattle, among which is a fine Shorthorn bull.

This animal had not shown any signs

of being ugly, but this morning it became infuriated.

Mr. Trebilcock was passing through the barnyard and the animal made a rush at him.

The bull lifted him on its horns, and threw him up his back. The animal then threw him on the ground, and proceeded to roll him.

Rescued by Neighbors.

Some neighbors who happened to be near rushed to Mr. Trebilcock's assistance, and by forks and clubs, drove the bull away.

Mr. Trebilcock was taken into the house and medical aid summoned.

Dr. H. A. Stevenson attended him. He states that Mr. Trebilcock was very badly injured, being badly torn and bruised, but it is hoped that his injuries are not fatal.

His escape from a terrible death was very narrow.

Englishman Is Heir to a Large Sum

James Bates, a young man from London, England, who has been working as porter at the Grand Trunk station for the past fourteen months, is leaving on the afternoon Canadian Pacific express for his home as the re-

sult of news which he received yesterday.

He was notified that through the death of an uncle he had fallen heir to about £800 and is leaving at once to secure the money.

Mr. Bates stated that he likes Canada very well and that he intends to return.

Trustee Strong Wants Investigation Into the Coal Supplied City Schools

Under Present System There Is No Protection for Citizens, He Says.

The present system of handling coal by the board of education will be subjected to a rigid investigation, if the ideas of Trustee Strong and others are carried out.

Yesterday at the meeting of the board Mr. Strong explained that there were many rumors going about the city to the effect that there had been coal taken off the cars intended for the schools of the city that had been delivered to private parties.

His statement elicited the information that a carload of coal had been delivered to the school without being weighed on the city scales, and that the practice would cease.

Trustee Strong is authority for the

statement that there have been nearly three cars placed in one school that had not been weighed on the city scales.

Doesn't Charge Dishonesty.

"I do not say that there has been any dishonesty," said Trustee Strong this morning "nor do I say that the board has not got every ton of coal that is paid for, but I do say that the system is bad. There is no way of checking the coal, as it comes in, and no way of preventing dishonesty. The coal bill of the city is very large every year, and it must be looked after in a business-like way. The janitors in the schools sign the slips, and that is all. One janitor kept track on a calendar, and it would have been an easy matter to have added a load or two to the way he had reckoned. Again I repeat that I do not say there has been dishonesty, but there is plenty of room for it if anybody desired."

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No 3's Surplus Will Be About \$5,000

No. 3 committee will have a surplus of \$5,000 this year, a very splendid record. Chairman Gillean and his committee have been very careful, and have seen to it that the citizens' money has not been squandered. In the spring the water commissioners were of the opinion that they could not furnish water for the street watering, owing to the limited supply at disposal. Therefore the \$2,500 that is usually paid the commission for that purpose was saved, as the commission agreed to furnish the water free if it were obtainable.

Then the committee sprinkled the

streets by day labor at a saving of a great deal of money. The streets were better sprinkled than in many years past, at a much less cost. Then over \$1,000 were saved by the committee in the fire department.

No. 2 committee will keep within its appropriation this year, although some steady financing will have to be done to gain that end. Considerable work has been done by the committee this year, too.

No. 1 committee is also well within the appropriations, and therefore it looks as if the council will have a fairly-sized surplus this year.

The Mystery of a Plate Glass Window

Who broke the large plate-glass window in the west side of the Richmond House last night?

That is a question which is bothering Cook Bros., the proprietors of the place, the police, and the insurance people.

It isn't the value of the window which bothers everybody so much, for it was only valued at somewhere about \$30. It is the mystery which surrounds the affair that is so tantalizing. Everything was all right when the house was locked up last night.

This morning the broken plate glass was discovered. Who broke it?

The solitary policeman along the beat declares that he saw no one even

standing near the place on his rounds. People living overhead heard no crash. No stones or other missiles were found near the scene.

The window is partially protected by iron bars, which run across in front of the glass about a foot out from the window, and it would seem to be impossible for a person to stagger into the glass.

The opinion is held that someone deliberately broke the big glass some time during the night in a spirit of malice.

Beyond the slight inconvenience caused, the proprietors of the hotel will lose nothing, as the window was fully insured.

Child Badly Burned on a Stove

The 3-year-old daughter of Mr. Russell, who lives on Dufferin avenue, near Adelaide street, met with a painful accident yesterday.

The child was playing in the kitchen, and climbing up on a chair she began to frolic.

The chair tipped, throwing her on the stove, which at the time was very hot. Mrs. Russell heard the child cry

and rushed to her assistance. The little girl's arm was very badly burned, and her side was also burned considerably.

Medical aid was at once summoned, and the injuries dressed. She is making as rapid progress as can be expected.

No serious results are anticipated, although the burns are very painful.

MUST DROP SPORTS

Conditions on Which Lady Leaves \$1,000,000 to a College.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—The will of Miss Anna T. Jeane, who died recently at the Friends' Home in this city, which she established, and who a fully \$1,000,000.

short time ago gave \$1,000,000 to be used for the betterment of the colored people of the south, was admitted to probate today. It disposes of property said to be worth \$5,000,000.

Miss Jeane bequeathed to Swarthmore College all coal lands which she owned in Pennsylvania on condition that the college shall discontinue all participation in intercollegiate sports. The bequest is estimated to be worth \$1,000,000.

FORSTER SLATED TO SUCCEED CROMBIE

Popular Night Chief at the Grand Trunk Will Be Promoted.

It is rumored in railway circles that Mr. Charles Forster, the popular night chief at the Grand Trunk depot, will be appointed to succeed Mr. James C. Crombie, who was yesterday appointed master of transportation.

As chief dispatcher Mr. Forster is regarded as one of the most efficient men in the company's employ and his many friends will be glad to hear that he is likely to succeed to such an important position.

ELBOW KILLED

Landslide on Railway—Sixteen Men Entombed.

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 2.—News reached here last night of another slide on the Mexican Railway near Victoria, in which sixteen laborers were buried. Eleven more were fatally injured.

FRANK ARNOLDI'S BILL

Reported That Attorney-General Will Investigate Disclosures Made.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Oct. 2.—It is reported in official circles that an investigation is likely to be ordered by Attorney-General Foy, as the result of disclosures made in Frank Arnoldi's bill for legal defense of G. R. R. Cockburn, of the Ontario Bank.

REGISTRATION IN LONDON

Board Has Been Appointed to Register the Manhood Suffrage Vote.

The board of manhood suffrage registration for the coming bye-election in London has been appointed as follows: Judge Macbeth, Judge Elliott, Magistrate Love and Mr. R. K. Cowan, master-in-chancery.

PROMOTION FOR A LONDON OLD BOY

Mr. Marcus Talbot is Doing Well in the American West.

Mr. Marcus Talbot, vice-president and general manager of the Columbia River and Northern Railway at Portland, Ore., has been appointed superintendent of the Portland and Seattle Railway Company, with office in Portland.

This is in addition to his present position, and speaks well for his ability as a railroad manager.

Mr. Talbot is a London old boy. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Talbot, of Wyton, and a brother of G. F. Talbot, of Dufferin avenue, city.

WAS WALL STREET VICTIM

Death of a Once Wealthy Operator Reduced to Poverty.

New York, Oct. 2.—The newspapers today reported the death and burial of William Francis Cary, who was a wealthy Wall street operator until the recent slump in stocks.

Mr. Cary, who at one time had a home in Madison avenue, where he entertained extensively, ending his days in lodgings and poverty. It is stated that just before his death he was seeking employment by the day, though at one time he rejected an income of \$20,000 a year.

MISS DEBBIE ALWARD HAS BEEN LOCATED

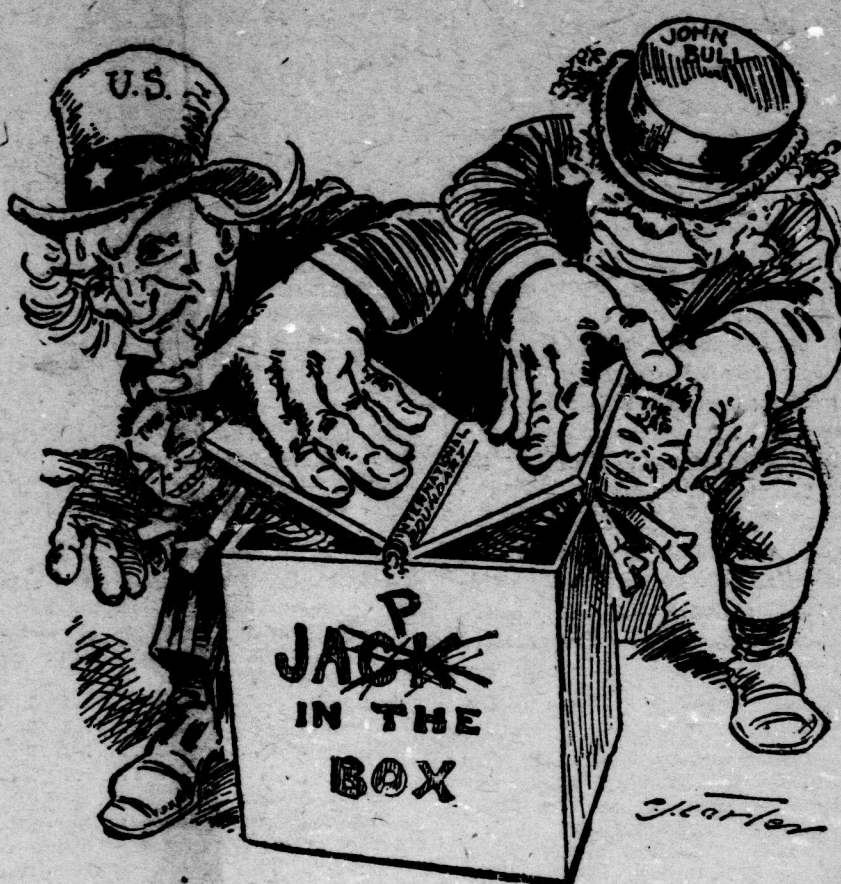
The Missing Heiress Reported To Be in Vancouver, B. C.

Detroit, Oct. 2.—Miss Debbie Alward, the missing heiress, for whom the police have been searching for a week, is located at Vancouver, B. C.

Last week W. H. Alward, of St. Thomas, arrived in Detroit in search of his sister, whom he has not seen for many years. He said through the death of his aunt, Mrs. Maggie Ostrander, in San Francisco, who was one of the earthquake victims, he and his sister were the heirs to her \$67,000 fortune. In order to get his share of the fortune, Alward said he was compelled to find his sister, or produce evidence of her death. Alward and the police searched Detroit in vain for some trace of the missing girl.

On Sunday Superintendent of Police John Downey received the following telegram from Vancouver: "Have seen notice regarding missing heiress. My name was formerly Debbie Alward, but now it is Mrs. William O'Hara. Wire me at the Iroquois Hotel."

The police began to search for W. H. Alward, of St. Thomas, but he could not be located. Detective Baker, who has charge of the case in Detroit, will make an effort to locate Alward in St. Thomas and instruct him to make further inquiry regarding the Vancouver woman's claim.



Carter in the Minneapolis Tribune.

A DUPLEX VARIETY (ON THE PACIFIC COAST).

AXLE BROKE ON HORTON ST. HILL

Accident to Wagon of J. Tune & Sons—Mr. C. H. Tune Injured.

Mr. C. H. Tune, of the firm of J. Tune & Sons, York street, suffered a serious accident on the Horton street hill, near the gas house this morning.

Mr. Tune was driving a spanking team of brown horses attached to the big supply wagon of the pop works, and was on his way to Mount Brydges with the wagon heavily loaded.

Midway in the hill the hind axle snapped in two, and the rear end of the wagon was thrown to the ground. The horses became frightened and dashed down the hill, but Mr. Tune pluckily held on to the ribbons.

He was placed in a very dangerous and awkward position, however, as the top was up and he could do little with the horses. He was thrown to the ground, one foot being badly sprained and his hand badly cut.

A belt line car was passing at the time and four or five men jumped off the rear platform and seized the team in time to prevent a bad runaway.

A large number of bottles of cool drinks were smashed.

SAID TO BE SETTLED

The Great Northwestern Telegraph Operators' Trouble Over.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—A dispatch from New York is to the effect that the general offices of the Western Union Telegraph Company had been advised that the operators on strike in Canada had agreed to resume work.

For the last few days striking operators have been going back to their old positions, though many of them have already obtained work elsewhere. On Sunday a meeting of the strikers was held here, when it was decided to abandon the methods pursued and go back to work if possible. Great Northwestern officials say that the normal number of employees are now working.

"We have as many operators now as we had at the time of the strike," said General Manager McMichael of the G. N. W. yesterday. "But we have more new operators at work now than have returned. The strike is all over so far as we are concerned."

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—MOSTLY FAIR;
WARMER.
FORECASTS.

Toronto, Oct. 2-8 a.m.
Fresh easterly to southerly winds; some local showers or thundershowers tonight and on Thursday, but mostly fair and warmer.

TEMPERATURES.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.
Calgary 32 30 Fair
Winnipeg 48 46 Fair
Port Arthur 46 44 Cloudy
Perry Sound 46 36 Fair
Toronto 48 42 Clear
Ottawa 36 34 Cloudy
Montreal 44 40 Fair
Quebec 38 34 Cloudy
Father Point 42 32 Clear
The first column records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.
The high pressure system which has been over the lake region is now moving to the Atlantic seaboard, and the western depression is approaching the Lake Superior district. Showers have been general in the Maritime Provinces, also in Manitoba and the upper lake region, and have occurred locally in Saskatchewan and Alberta, attended in the latter Provinces by a change to colder weather again.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.
Minimum and maximum temperatures:
London, 30.5-50; Dawson, 32-42; Atlin, 24-44; Victoria, 50-58; Vancouver, 42-55; Edmonton, 44-58; Battleford, 42-58; Prince Albert, 30-64; Medicine Hat, 44-70; Regina, 37-53; Winnipeg, 44-50; Port Arthur, 35-53; Toronto, 38-53; Montreal, 42-53; Quebec, 38-53; St. John, 44-53; Halifax, 46-52.

Aged Lady Injured in a Fight; Was Acting Role of Peacemaker

Rowdies Attacked Her Son in a Most Disgraceful Manner.

As a result of a row between two strangers and her son, Monday night, in which she attempted to act the role of peacemaker, Mrs. Della Cahill, an aged resident of William street, lies at Victoria Hospital suffering from a badly injured hip and other injuries.

Mrs. Cahill resides at 858 William street with her son, a young man over 20.

Monday night two strangers came to the house and asked for a Mrs. Watson.

Mrs. Cahill replied that there was no one in the neighborhood by that name, to her knowledge.

The strangers insisted that Mrs. Watson lived at No. 858 William street.

Just then Mrs. Cahill's son came to

the door and took part in the argument, which became very heated.

Son Objected.

The son had heard of the Mrs. Watson in question and had understood that her reputation was none of the best. He was therefore highly indignant that anybody should mistake his mother's residence for the house the men sought, and said so in no uncertain voice.

One word brought on another, and when matters were at the heated point one of the callers struck at young Cahill.

The latter replied in kind, and the battle was on.

Mrs. Cahill attempted to stop hostilities and was thrown down the steps, causing the injuries mentioned.

The strangers then ran away and nothing has been seen of them since.

Mrs. Cahill was taken to Victoria Hospital Tuesday. At first it was thought her hip had been dislocated, but an examination revealed nothing worse than a very bad strain and a number of painful bruises.

London Lad Run Over By an Auto

Gerald, the 9-year-old son of Mr. Arthur White, met with a serious accident at the corner of York and Thames streets last evening shortly after 5 o'clock.

The little fellow was crossing the street when he was struck by automobile No. 2,446, belonging to Mr. John

Coote, which, it is alleged, was proceeding along the street at a rapid rate.

The little fellow was taken to his home and Dr. Moore, who was called, found that he was suffering from internal injuries, besides being badly bruised.

The machine passed over the boy and it was necessary for the chauffeur to pull him out from under the front wheel.

Taxes Collected Amount To \$452,495

The total amount of taxes received by Major Hayes, tax collector, on the second installment, amounted to \$44,000.

This makes the total amount paid to date \$452,018 89, with discounts al-

lowed of \$10,476 11, a total of \$462,495.

The total taxes for 1907 amount to \$551,332, leaving \$88,837 yet to be collected.

"The taxes are coming very satisfactorily," said Major Hayes this morning.

Canadian Pacific's Annual Report Big Trunk Line Continues to Boom

Provision Made for the Taking Over of the St. Marys New Line.

Montreal, Oct. 2.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today, the report of the directors was unanimously adopted. Sir William C. Van Horne, Messrs. E. B. Osler, R. B. Angus and Hon. L. J. Forget were re-elected.

A resolution was passed authorizing the lease of the St. Marys and Western Ontario Railway.

The issue of 4 per cent debenture stock was authorized for the following purposes:

For acquisition of bonds of the Northern Colonial Railway, 24 miles, not exceeding \$20,000 per mile.

For an additional issue on the Sudbury branch, not exceeding \$10,000 per mile, for 226 miles.

For two lake steamers, \$180,000, and one Pacific coast steamer, \$125,000.

For the Regina, Saskatchewan and Saskatchewan branch, 165 miles, and for extension of the Moose Jaw branch 100 miles at \$4,000 per mile.

The board authorized to arrange for the construction or acquisition of two

additional steamships for Pacific trade, or to build two larger and faster boats for Atlantic service transferring Emigrants of Britain and Empire of Ireland to the Pacific and to incur necessary capital expenditure therefor.

President Van Horne's Address.

In moving the adoption of the report President Van Horne said: "The twenty-sixth annual report of the company, which I have the honor on behalf of the directors to submit for your approval, shows an increase in your revenue from traffic of more than \$11,000,000 for the year, but the effect of an unusually severe winter and of the enhanced cost of labor and material is shown in the ratio of expense to income."

"You will have noticed by the statements included in the report that the works of improvement on the different sections of your system necessary to facilitate the handling of your traffic have been vigorously prosecuted, and that the outfit for additional cars and locomotives was particularly large."

"I may add that since the close of the fiscal year there has been no change in the policy of your directors with reference to these matters—indeed, unless the business of the country has a serious and prolonged setback (and there are no present grounds for such an apprehension), (Continued on Page Eight.)"

Wants Technical School for London; Chairman Fitzgerald Desires It

Matter To Be Brought to Attention of Board of Education at Once.

A technical school for the city of London is the latest development in school affairs. The crowding of the Collegiate has reached such proportions that immediate action is necessary. The demand for technical education and manual training has also become so great that the matter must be attended to at once.

Chairman Fitzgerald, of the board of education, is anxious to deal with the question forthwith, and is greatly in favor of a technical school. He says that the Ontario Government is anxious to establish such an institution, and it will contribute very considerably to its installation and support.

"I am heartily in favor of a technical school for the city of London," said Mr. Fitzgerald to The Advertiser this morning. "The Ontario Government is very anxious to establish a technical school outside of Toronto. At present the only school of that kind is situated in Toronto, and it is proposed to establish such schools in the Province. At present there are no demands in for such schools, and if London would ask for Government aid for such a 'tech' I am convinced that it would be handsomely supported."

The Cost.

"It would cost between \$20,000 and \$30,000 to establish manual training

in the city, and with Government aid a technical school could be built for half the money. That would relieve the congested condition of the Collegiate, a condition that is becoming acute."

"In the technical school will be established the science department, and household and domestic science could be taught there. That would relieve the Collegiate and give the teachers more room for their ordinary school work. There would be complete manual training classes and all such things. It would be complete manual training."

Wants Technical School.

"When the boy graduates into the Collegiate he can then elect to take a manual training course—a course that would be complete and would fit him for his work in life. With a manual training school as proposed it would fall short of this, as only a smattering of technical education would be imparted to the student. With the technical school it would be complete."

Immediate Attention.

"This is a question that demands immediate attention, and it is my purpose to bring it to the notice of the board of education immediately. The crowding of the schools is a serious matter, and efforts must be made to relieve it at once. I think the best, the cheapest and the wisest policy would be the establishment of a technical school. London is big enough for one, and with the Government's aid, it would be a splendid success. It would also increase London's prestige as center of education in Western Ontario. The matter will be discussed shortly."



MR. FRED HODGES.

Hermitage Club Monday evening. Mr. Frank Miller, president of the club, delivered a brief address, in which he expressed his own and the club's regret at losing so popular a member.

Mr. Hodges had been connected with the Robinson-Little Company, of this city for five years, and has lived in London all his life.

The young man was most popular, and leaves a host of friends to regret his departure.

Children Thrive and Grow Sturdy and Strong on

SHREDDED WHEAT

It makes good brain, healthy tissue, and sound teeth. You can't build "Buster" boys or girls out of white flour bread or pastries.

TRY BISCUIT WITH FRESH FRUITS AND CREAM.
All Grocers—13 cents a carton, 2 for 25c.

WOODS' FAIR

Berlin Wools and Slipper Soles

For making ladies' or gents' bedroom slippers we have a large stock of wool and slipper soles. Start now and give yourself lots of time to make them for Christmas presents.

Slipper Soles, all sizes, at25c, 35c, and 45c pair
Best Berlin Wool in 2, 4, and 8 fold, all colors8c skein

A small quantity of Dotted Swiss Muslin, about 30 inches wide, to clear out at a big reduction this week.

Special Prices This Week in Table Linens

Special fine Table Linens bought at a bargain.
Table Linens, 58 inches wide, semi-bleached and guaranteed pure linen. This line is worth more money, but we will sell a quantity this week at35c yard
New line of Cushion Tops. Special23c each

Burnt Wood Demonstration

We are giving a demonstration on Wood Burning all this week in the back of our store, on main floor. New burnings in wood.

J. M. THOMSON.

Marrying Mary Captured London

Marie Cahill came to town last night in "Marrying Mary," and although it is impossible to marry her audience, she made them hers for life. It was the most satisfying musical production of many seasons in London. It won instant favor. It lived up to its advance notices, and then some. There was a very large audience present.

The story is a mild satire on the divorce laws of the United States, and hinges on the adventures of a woman who has been married overmuch. There is plenty of scope in the plot for amusing adventures, and not once during an evening does Miss Cahill miss a chance.

A word about Miss Cahill. She is a comedienne of the truest type. Bizarre makeups are not necessary, nor grotesque situations.

She is funny, indescribably so, and the audience does not have to be told so. She captures them on the start, and never loses them. She had a multitude of brilliant lines and clever, and the audience never missed one of them. And when she laughs—that laugh! It is as catching as it is possible to be, and the audience finds itself laughing whenever she does. Miss Cahill is a splendid actress. She sang well last night, too. She has not a great voice, but she can make a "coo" song pretty and sweet, and does not lead her auditors to believe that they have stacked up against a boiler factory in disguise, as is the rule with "coo" shouters. Miss Cahill was last seen in London in 1901 in the "Chaperone." She is not a stranger here, and is always a favorite. Come again, Marie.

The leading male role is played by another great London favorite, Eugene Cowles. He is best remembered as the great basso with the Bostonians, the highest-salaried singer in light opera. He was in London in 1902 in his own company. Last night he created as favorable an impression as on his former visits to the city. His voice is the same rich and pleasing bass. His best offering was "Last One Is Best of All." It was splendid. His

duet with Miss Cahill was also very effective.

Sam B. Hardy, who was here with Digby Bell in the "Education of Mr. Pipp," scored last night in the role of a young man with ideals, and demonstrated that in that particular line he is without a rival. He is big, handsome, enthusiastic and a splendid actor. He has a future.

The male chorus was made up largely of matrimonial "has-beens." They added considerably to the gaiety of the audience. Mark Smith, W. T. Clark and William Clifton acted with judgment and skill.

The girls in the chorus are not many, but excellent. They are well-drilled, and sing well. They also wear skirts. Miss Mooney and Miss Anna Belle Gordon had speaking parts, and did well. The other girls are pretty also. The music is tuneful and catchy, but not lurid. The play is sumptuously staged, and well gowned.

Miss Cahill can come often and fill the Grand Opera House. Manager Bowers can be congratulated on such a splendid offering. It is refreshing to observe the absence of slap-stick comedy, and lights.

The offering of the Grand tomorrow evening will be James T. Powers in the big English comedy, "The Blue Moon." This latest importation can be described as an international success, inasmuch as that it played to capacity houses in London for two solid seasons, and all this and last season here in America crowded and satisfied houses have been the inevitable result. It has been Americanized to a certain extent by masterful hands, and the ensemble of the story is unusual, inasmuch as it is devoid of all slap-stick and other low comedy incongruities. There are several big hits, notable among which are, "That's the Way They Let the Secret Out," "Don't You Think It Time To Marry," "Why Don't You Take One Little Boy," and a series of comedy situations by Mr. Powers and Miss Palmer, entitled "Popular Entertainment."

BISHOP OF LONDON WON TENNIS MATCH

Defeated President Roosevelt—Is on His Way to the South.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Prior to leaving for Richmond today to participate in the triennial convention of the Episcopal Church, the Bishop of London held an impromptu reception at the railroad station. He admitted that he won the tennis match at the White House on Friday between himself and President Roosevelt.

BOTH ROADS BLAMED

G. T. R. and C. P. R. Indicted for Nuisance at Toronto.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—The grand jury, in the sessions yesterday morning, returned a true bill against the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways for conducting a nuisance on the Esplanade at the foot of Bay street.

The case arises out of the death of Francis Hart, a sailor, who was struck by an engine and killed at the Bay street level crossing on the night of May 24.

BRITISH GENERAL DEAD.

London, Oct. 1.—Major-General Sir John Charles Adagh, ex-director of military intelligence at the British war office, died today. He was born in 1840, entered the army in 1859 and was promoted to the rank of major-general in 1899. The deceased was a member of the permanent court of arbitration formed at The Hague.

BANK ROBBERING RECALLED

Crown Bank Is Suing Guarantee Company for \$11,000.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—The robbery of \$48,000 from the Crown Bank by Edwin St. George Banwell, a clerk in the bank, who is now serving a three years' term in Kingston penitentiary, is recalled by a motion made in Osgoode Hall yesterday in connection with the action of the Crown Bank against the London Accident and Guarantee Company.

An order was made by the court to the warden of Kingston Penitentiary to produce Banwell in order that he may give evidence in the case. The bank is suing the guarantee company on two bonds, one on Banwell for \$5,000, and the other on F. M. Maunsell, the accountant of the bank, for \$6,000. Of the \$48,000 stolen by Banwell all but \$1,700 was recovered, but the expenses of recovery were \$8,000. The defendants paid the \$1,700 and \$800, which the guarantee company considered its share of the cost of recovery, but the bank is now suing to recover on the bonds given on Banwell and Maunsell.

LIGHT LOAVES.

Galt, Oct. 2.—Under official instructions and from information received Chief Gorman yesterday weighed the bread of the several Galt bakers, and found it weighing 20 ounces, four ounces less than heretofore. Each loaf is duly labeled "20 ounces." The bakers decided on the change at a meeting held on Saturday night. They claim they had to raise the price by reason of the advance of the price of flour, which has gone up \$1.50 a barrel recently.

The West Nissouri Fair Was a Decided Success

Large Attendance of Ladies—Splendid Exhibits, Especially in Heavy Horses.

[By Staff Reporter.]

Thorndale, Oct. 1.—The West Nissouri Agricultural Exhibition took place today in the village of Thorndale, and to say that it was a complete success would be putting it mildly. There was a large attendance, and the exhibits excellent, especially in the live stock department. The weather man certainly was in good humor, the day being an ideal one for a fair.

Thorndale is situated in one of the banner townships of Middlesex. The soil is a clay loam, and capable of producing the finest of cereals, and roots of all kinds. Thorndale, like Ilderton, is the home of the heavy draught horse, and one can always depend on seeing a good horse exhibit when visiting this fair. The entries in light horses was exceptionally gratifying to lovers of this class. There was a very large exhibit and the competition was keen, every class being well represented.

In the speed contests there was some fine sport, some of the races being contested the full mile, which kept the large crowd interested up to the last minute. The large attendance of the fair was a matter of gratification, and was, no doubt, due to the beautiful day and the good roads.

Horses.

In heavy draught horses some fine animals were to be seen. J. A. Calder, of Nissouri, won second in the open class, and a special on a magnificent well-matched team. Jas. McCorquodale, Kintore, captured first money on a fine well-matched team of blacks in the agricultural class. Wm. Mossop, of Blanchard, was the judge in heavy horses.

In light horses, the judges, Mr. Robt. McFarlane, Thamesford, and Mr. G. A. Scott, Ilderton, had their hands full, as there was a large class, and the competition keen. Clinton Woodhull, of Kilworth Bridge, won first on a fine team of carriage horses. He won first at Ilderton on the same team, and no doubt will be heard from again at some of the later fairs. H. Day won second on another fine carriage team.

Wm. Hogg & Son captured first on single carriage with a splendid black mare of fine style and action. James Mathewson, Embro, got second place. In 3-year-old roadsters, first prize went to John Sime, Kintore. (This is the third first prize this season for this youngster—a very good record in such strong competition). W. E. McCutcheon, Thorndale, took second place.

On roaster teams, Douglas Bain, St. Marys, captured the red ribbon.

Special Events.

A number of special events were pulled off during the day. In a team walking match, open to any class of horses, once around the track, Robt. Stevenson, Nissouri, won with ease. Men's footrace, half-mile, was another special—a very good race. A. C. McBride won first; A. Reith, Lucan, second, and G. Haynes, third. Black Boys' footrace (same distance)—Harry Curry, St. Marys, got first place; West Fox, second, and J. Blackwell third.

Alex. Creighton, St. Marys, cleaned up on best single turnout. Miss M. Taylor, Thorndale, won out on lady driver, Miss Kennedy, Ilderton, taking second place.

Poultry.

A fine exhibit of better quality than is generally seen at a township fair. Mr. Byron Harris, of Aylmer, exhibited a pair in nearly every known breed, and some very fine specimens indeed. Mr. A. Reith, of Lucan, another large exhibitor, came in for his share of the prize-money. Mr. James McCormick, of London, placed the awards in poultry, giving general satisfaction.

Sheep and Swine.

This class made a good exhibit. Jas. Fox and Arthur Brown showed some fine animals in Berkshire hogs. Thos. Logan, Nissouri, and R. Rid-

die, Prospect Hill, were the principal exhibitors in Yorkshires.

Cattle.

T. Badgood, Nissouri, exhibited two fine heifer calves in Holsteins. Wm. Hogg & Son, Thamesford, had a pair of Durham calves—a bull and heifer—that were certainly fine animals, and with good care and attention will develop into prize-winners. There was a number of grade cattle as well as some fine thoroughbreds.

In Main Building.

D. McLarty & Son, St. Marys, won everything in buggies. In the main building there was only a small exhibit, but some articles of ladies' work were very nicely finished, and much admired by the large crowd of ladies that visited the hall. Roots, much the same as in former years.

Apples, rather small, here as in other places, being an off-year in this district.

The Races.

The speeding contests were the principal events of the day. In the farmers' trot or pace, horses to be owned in the township, there were four entries. Summary:

Jeau Blewitt 1 1 1
Billy Wilkes 2 2 2
Jim Stanton 3 3 4
Riley 4 4 3

The free-for-all best 3 in 5 was a hummer. The horses changing places many times during the mile. Summary:

Miss Ingles, (P. H. Lawson) 1 1 1
Charles H. (S. G. Hodgson) 4 3 3
Unknown, (D. Weston) 3 2 4
Jeau Blewitt, (W. McMurray) 2 4 2
H. Dreaney, of London, was starter, and judge of the races. Quite a number of green horses took part, which made it very difficult to get the bunch off together, prolonging the sport till almost dark.

Other Specialties.

Miss Taylor, of Thorndale, gave a good exhibition of fancy riding, taking the course at a full gallop, having good control of her horse, and made a good impression on the large crowd as to her ability as a rider.

Mr. Lyons gave an exhibition of fancy bicycle riding in front of the judges' stand that was something marvellous. The I. O. F. band, of St. Marys, furnished music during the day and was well received, being considered the best band heard in Thorndale. The usual caterers for pink lemonade and the 3-balls-for-a-nickel stands were to be seen and all appeared to be doing good business.

The Pushers.

The directors were well pleased with the large attendance and full entry list. The men behind the fair are John Brock, president; Jas. Dawson, vice-president; John Parry, second vice-president, and Secretary-treasurer W. C. Gee.

A great many people from the city attended the fair, and were well pleased with the day's outing. In the evening a concert was given in Harding Hall, which was filled to overflowing. The following was the programme:

Chairman's address; vocal solo, "Go to Sea," Mr. V. L. Hewer; recitation, "Naughty Zeel," Miss Vera B. Hewer; a quartet of an hour of fun, song and jokes, comedian, Earnie Saunders; vocal solo, selected, Mr. V. L. Hewer; reading, selected, Miss Vera B. Hewer; a half hour of mystery (The Wonder Worker) one long big scream, Marlo; vocal solo, "Neath the Rolling Tide," Mr. V. L. Hewer; reading, "How Mr. Simonsen Tended the Baby," Miss V. B. Hewer. (a) The last chance to laugh, (b) the last quarter, (c) the home stretch, comedian, Ernie Saunders.

The Advertiser, in giving a report of the Ilderton fair, overlooked one of the principal prizes of the day, a special for the five best horses in any class, owned by one man. It was won by D. A. Graham, Lobo.

caused by the threshing engine, as it was placed in such a position that the wind would have carried the sparks away from the barn. The damage is estimated at \$4,000, with \$1,800 insurance.

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COPYING FROM CANADA.

The defects of the American bank-
ing system, especially the inelasticity of
the currency, have been always recog-
nized by American financiers, and it
is surprising that a nation so given
to radical and experimental legisla-
tion should have been so conservative
in the monetary field. It now appears
that a definite step has been taken to-
ward currency reform. The American
Bankers' Association, meeting at At-
lantic City, has endorsed for the first
time the principle of a credit cur-
rency, thus approximating the Cana-
dian system. At present national
banks in the United States must put
up Government bonds to the full
amount of their note circulation. The
plan endorsed at Atlantic City au-
thorized them to issue notes to an
amount not exceeding 25 per cent of
their capital, but these are to be gen-
erally secured, not by treasury bonds,
but by the mass of assets in the
custody of the bank. Furthermore,
these issues are to be taxed at the
rate of 2½ per cent, and part of them
at 5 per cent, and against such notes
reserves of lawful money are to be
held in the same proportions as are
required by the existing law against
deposits. The proceeds of the taxes
upon bank notes are to constitute a
guarantee fund to redeem the notes
of failed banks.

The American Bankers' Association
clearly had the Canadian banking sys-
tem in mind, although, strange to say,
the American plan is, in some re-
spects, more conservative. A Cana-
dian chartered bank may issue notes
to the full extent of its paid-up cap-
ital, and there is no tax upon its note
issue. Each bank, however, is re-
quired to keep in the hands of the
Government a deposit equal to 5 per
cent of its average note circulation
for the redemption of the notes of an
insolvent bank. This is called the
Bank Circulation Redemption Fund.
The American Bankers' Association
proposes to establish a similar fund
by another method.

There is one great feature of the
Canadian system which is not pro-
vided for in the plan outlined at
Atlantic City. This is the device for
forcing notes back for redemption.
Each Canadian bank sends back daily
for redemption the notes of all other
banks. This scheme is perhaps not
practicable in the United States owing
to the multiplicity of banks. There are
no branch banks in that country; each
bank is an independent institution.
Consequently the American Bankers'
Association has had to guard against
currency inflation by another method
—that of restricting the note issue to
25 per cent of the capital. But the
principle of basing paper currency up-
on assets, even with the 25 per cent
restriction upon note issues, would go
a long way toward relieving the cur-
rency of the rigidity which is the great
weakness of the American monetary
system.

IS A HOLY WAR COMING?

It is in the near east that the next
international problem will come to
threaten the peace of the civilized
world, according to a usually well-in-
formed writer. The present trouble in
Morocco, he says, is merely the fore-
runner of the greatest Moslem upris-
ing that has been brewing for cen-
turies. Great Britain, France, Ger-
many, Russia and Italy are preparing
for it. Not long since it was an-
nounced in the semi-official German
press that King Edward had discussed
with Emperor William at Wil-
helmshöhe the necessity of adopting
certain measures of a very radical na-
ture in Egypt, it being further inti-
mated that his Britannic majesty was
anxious that the German Emperor
should refrain from giving any sup-
port to protests which might be made
by the Sultan of Turkey. That the
Khedive is aware of the situation is
shown by the fact that he has been
traveling between Vienna and Berlin
making efforts to obtain interviews
with the Emperors of Austria and Ger-
many, which have proven in vain. It
is also regarded as significant that the
Khedive has not gone to London, and
that, although at Vienna when King
Edward was at Marienbad, he re-
frained from calling on him.

The Khedive Abbas has been con-
stantly displaying hostility towards
the British protectors of his country,
who have rescued it from the lowest
depths of ruin, bankruptcy and de-
spair, and converted it into a pros-
perous and a wonderfully thriving
principality. It has been discovered
that he has been intriguing with the
outlaws of the Senousi, which
is said to be once more becoming
active. Both the Khedive and

the Sultan have all along been sus-
pected of Senousi affiliations; but
now, it is stated, the British Govern-
ment has obtained proof of the com-
plicity of the Khedive in a projected
Moslem Jihad, or holy war, which has
for its object the expulsion of the
foreigners from all Mohammedan
countries.

What more than anything else has
worked upon Moslem superstition is
the reappearance of Sidi Mohammed
el Mahdi, grand master of the Senousi
order, and son of its founder, who
three years ago was reported to have
died. This personage was regarded as
the Moslem Messiah, who was des-
tined one day to rid Islam of the
Christian yoke and render Islam mas-
ter over the entire world, and natu-
rally enough the report of his death
caused great mourning among the
faithful. He is the only man who, ac-
cording to Koranic tradition and pro-
phesy, is qualified to proclaim a holy
war, and this, it is believed, he in-
tends to do early the coming year. In
view of all this, the importance at the
present time of the post of command-
er-in-chief and high commissioner of
the British possessions in the Medi-
terranean, and in Egypt and the Sou-
dan, to which the Duke of Connaught,
brother of King Edward, has been
appointed, will readily be seen.

RAILWAY CASUALTIES.

Notwithstanding all the warnings of
the past, the introduction of the block
signal system and the vast increase in
double trackage of late years, official
reports, both Canadian and United
States, continue to show an alarming
increase in the number of persons
killed and injured on the railways of
this continent. For the first six
months of the present year no less
than 460 persons were killed, and 603
injured on Canadian railways, as com-
pared with 361 killed in the whole of
the year 1906. Only 16 of last year's
killed were passengers; this year 42
passengers have been killed and 210
injured. The employees killed last year
numbered 139; this year the total is
placed at 212. The number of persons
other than passengers and employees
killed this year is 206.

According to the annual report of
the inter-state commerce commission
over 10,000 people were killed on the
railroads of the United States last
year. Of these the greatest number
were trespassers or persons crossing
the tracks, comparatively few being
passengers, and but a small propor-
tion employees. Among the two first-
named classes the mortality increases
each year, while as regards passengers
and employees, a continual decrease is
shown. One passenger was killed for
every 2,227,000 carried, and one for
every 70,000,000 passenger miles.

It is evident that amongst the two
hundred or more persons other than
passengers and employees killed the
first half of the present year, the
crossing victim must figure largely.
This at least may be classed as avoid-
able and unnecessary sacrifice of life,
for, were level crossings done away
with in the cities and larger towns,
and those in country districts prop-
erly exposed, the mortality rate would
be largely reduced. A little co-opera-
tion on the part of railway companies
and rural municipalities is only neces-
sary, one would think, to bring about
a vast improvement in this respect.
Country roads, at least, can be so laid
out that a clear view of the iron high-
way can be had by people approach-
ing these crossings. The safety of
human life warrants any trouble or
expense that might be taken in its
behalf.

October is doing better than some
other months this year. It is behav-
ing just like October.

Hon. Geo. Graham is opening fall
fairs and is to be made an LL.D. He
is achieving greatness and having it
thrust upon him at the same time.

Secretary Taft assures Japan that
there is no thought of war in the
United States. Not until the Detroit
and Philadelphia ball teams finish
their battles, at least.

Japan looks to Canada for indem-
nity for the outrages upon her sub-
jects, and will not look in vain. Any
human being, white, black, red, or yel-
low, who stands upon Canadian soil,
is under the aegis of British law and
justice.

Sir Thomas Lipton wishes to build
a yacht, not a freak machine which is
fit for nothing but racing. It is sat-
isfactory to note that the American
press as a whole condemns the New
York Yacht Club's refusal to accept
his challenge. The Irish knight is
showing better sportsmanship than the
holders of the America's cup.

On May 15, 1906, Mr. Borden, from
his seat in the House of Commons,
censured the Government for not hav-
ing accepted sooner the Anglo-Japan-
ese treaty, which he now denounces.
"We have not taken sufficient pains to
promote and develop commercial rela-
tion between Canada and Japan," he
said. Mr. Borden's present conduct is
unworthy of a responsible public man.

BOSTON FASHION NOTES.

[Boston Record.]

A local tailor has made a hit with a
large number of customers by inserting a
secret pocket in the coats of married men
who trade with him. As he broadly ad-

vertises the new trick, it is for the purpose
of enabling married men to hide their
change from their curious wives. Already
he is hiring more help.

THE GOLDEN GOAL.

[The Reader.]

This little weed, a roadside plant,
A parched and piteous suppliant,
Trampled and doomed,
Clung to the dusty skirts of life,
And would not yield the tragic strife
Until it bloomed.

O brave weed, with your crimson prize,
Your destiny has touched mine eyes,
To show me why
Our race, along its sordid way,
Still dreams a coming golden day,
And cannot die.

ACTIONS TELL.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]

You can always tell a bride and bride-
room. They always act as if they were
not.

AN INTERRUPTION.

[M. A. P.]

Fran Mommee, widow of the Roman his-
torian, bore the great historian sixteen
children, of whom twelve—six sons and six
daughters—are still living. Mommee him-
self was so self-centered and engrossed
with his ideas that he often passed his
offspring in the street without recogniz-
ing them. One day a servant burst into
the study of the great man with the an-
nouncement of the birth of his fourteenth.
"It is a boy, Herr Professor!"
The professor turned, annoyed. "Tell him
to wait," he replied.

CLOUDS.

[G. C. E., in Westminster Gazette.]

Clouds that sail on high,
Teach me of your life;
Ye that float or fly,
Ye that sink or soar,
Under sun or moon,
While winds roar or sigh,
Morning, night or noon,
While winds sigh or roar
To their fickle tune;
Clouds that sail on high,
Teach me of your life;
How to bear the changes
Of the soul that ranges
In me evermore.

Taking tints of morn,
Taking tints of evening light,
Eve's red flush forlorn,
Deepening into night;
Clouds that sail on high,
Teach me of your life;
How to bear the changes
Of the soul that ranges
In me evermore.

Clouds that sail on high,
Now, like maiden thought
In a virgin sky;
Then, with vapor caught,
Grayed by and by;
Till with weight o'erfraught
Ye go heavily,
And by fate o'erthrown,
Ye are torn and shaken;
Clouds that sail on high,
Teach me of your life;
How to bear the changes
Of the soul that ranges
In me evermore.

SOME CHARMS LACKING.

[Indianapolis News.]

The country life would be, "is true,
The very life for me and you,
If it had bathrooms for our lavatories,
And round about it asphalt pavements.

THE WISE MAN.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]

The wise man knows his limitations, and
how to keep other people from discovering
them.

HER HAIR.

[New York Press.]

"I've just been combing out my hair,
The locks that you admire,
And thought I'd write you just a line
Before, dear, I retired.
'Twas thus she wrote unto the swain
Who scarce a month ago
Had placed a diamond glittering
Upon a hand of snow.
She told the simple, honest truth,
For she would scorn to lie,
That maiden with the rosy cheek
And innocent brown eye
But what she didn't tell the youth
Was that the flowing hair
She combed so carefully each night
Was fastened to a chair.

GO SLOW!

[Indianapolis News.]

Don't be precipitate. It is entirely too
early to throw away your straw hat. You
may need it next year.

ENGAGED.

[Chicago News.]

"Miss, is there anyone waiting on you?"
Asked the clerk with the ribbon shears.
And the maiden blushed, as maids will do,
And said: "It's a secret, but I'll tell you—
George has been waiting on me two
years."

SONGS OF NEW YORK.

[Ohas. H. Towne, in Broadway Magazine.]

SIX O'CLOCK.
I saw the hosts of toilers take
Their evening way
Out of the bells where their hearts did
break
Through the desperate day,
And once again the old heartache
Seek to allay.

Down the long cavern, the city street,
I watched them go;
The hour had come, the moment sweet
They yearned to know,
Forgetting that soon, with tired feet
Back they must go.

SMOKING BY WOMEN IN ENGLAND.

[Ladies' Pictorial.]

The subject of women's smoking has al-
most ceased to be discussed; it is generally
taken for granted that women will smoke
even when dining in public, while a smok-
ing room is found, as a matter of course,
at every woman's club. But while society
and professional women now smoke with-
out protest, one learns, not without sur-

prise, that the habit in which they indulge
is rapidly becoming a vice of the working
girl class.

If the cigarette is not harmful to any
body, they argue, it cannot hurt her hard-
working sister. But, unfortunately, this is
not the case. The women of the classes
can afford to smoke the best cigarettes,
and they usually limit the number they
consume. But the working girl, like the
working lad, smokes the cheapest she can
buy, and smokes too many.

FOR HONEST VOTING.

[Washington Star.]

"What we want," said the patriotic citi-
zen, "is a system that will compel men
to vote honestly."
"That's right," answered Mr. Ward-
Leeler. "There's too many voters getting
into the way of taking your money and
then voting as they please."

OUR OFFICE BOY.

[Punch.]

His writing was unutterably bad;
His genius for that accomplishment
Resembled in its limited extent
His total inability to add.
Like Wordsworth's maiden he was "wildly
clad."

His little trousers, in their slow descent
From sing to son, had been so often rent
As to obscure what shape they ever had.

Few were the useful rits he could employ.
And dim the luster of his learning's lamp.
He might have been his parents' pride and joy.

If Fate had not ordained that he should
stamp
For them—the hopes they cherished of the
boy:
For us—the adhesive penny postage
stamp.

A COMMON FEELING.

[Tit-Bits.]

Old Smithers—You're a disgrace to your
family, sir. I'm ashamed to call
you my son.
Young Smithers—Say nothing, dad. I'm
as much ashamed of it as you are.

A SUPPER RACE.

[Judge.]

First Advocate—So the prisoner is to be
executed?
Second Ditto—Yes, but what a superb
race between the prosecution and the de-
fense.
First Advocate—Yes; the defense lost by
a head.

AMERICAN

Lloyd Brant, aged 68, was crushed to
death under a train at Black Oak
W. Va.

An oil tank which exploded in the
Bronx, New York, killed Jos. Cooper
and Richard Smith.

While being fed with an apple a
horse in Philadelphia bit off one of
his master's fingers.

Eighty-seven cases of diphtheria
were reported to the health depart-
ment last week in Chicago.

For kissing a member of his flock,
Rev. J. Royer, of Switzerland Coun-
ty, Ind., was suspended for a year.

On account of snow on Mt. Wash-
ington, N. H., it was impossible for
the train to make its usual trips.

Latin has been taken off the cur-
riculum for the first two years in
the colored high school at Evansville,
Ind.

While workmen were blasting
stumps in the Adirondacks, a fine
deer was killed by a stick of hemlock
piercing its side.

Because his baby cried all night
and kept him awake Ross C. Price, a
colored laborer, killed both his wife
and himself in Chicago.

A mad bull terrorized Harrisburg,
Pa., and gored three persons before
it was driven into the country,
where it could do no harm.

E. B. Kiser, a prominent teacher,
is dead at Urbana, Ohio, the result
of eating a piece of raisin pie at the
Logan County fair last week.

Frederick Jager, a 14-year-old mes-
senger boy employed by Dow, Jones
& Co., New York City, was killed by
an elevator in the office building.

While loading corn fodder at Water-
loo, Ill., Fred Schroeder was bitten by

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a water moccasin. Blood poisoning resulted. Schroeder's condition is critical.

Patrick Dougherty, 32 years of age, New York City, stepped on a rusty nail, Sept. 14, and died from lock-jaw two days since in Bellevue Hospital.

After evading arrest for eleven months, John Stenzel was captured at Waterloo, Ia., and fined \$25 and \$15 cost, for shooting a rabbit on a neighbor's farm.

An Illinois syndicate is taking op-
tions on scores of farms in the south-
ern townships in LaPorte County, Ind.
Oil experts say that new oil fields can
be developed there.

Unable to call for help because she
was a deaf mute, Mrs. John Routh,
of Russellville, was burned to death
at Kokomo, Ind. She tried to start
a fire with kerosene.

At the Equitable Powder Works,
East Alton, Ill., 1,500 pounds of pow-
der exploded, killing Chas. McGinnis,
and shocking Charles McGinnis so
that his mind is gone.

Amherst College has just received
more than 1,000 volumes of Chinese
literature, the gift of Sir Chentung
Liang Cheng, former Chinese minis-
ter to the United States.

While the funeral procession of
Arthur A. Smith was on its way to
the Catholic Cemetery at Santa
Cruz, Cal., Charles H. Smith, the
aged father of the deceased, was

seized with an attack of heart fail-
ure and died.

Three hundred members of the de-
funct Wisconsin Jurisdiction of the
Ancient Order of United Workmen at
La Crosse, Wis., have combined to
resist payment of more dues.

Spinal meningitis, brought on by a
fall of two feet out of a hammock in
the summer, caused the death yester-
day of Miss Beatrice Atossa Overton,
a high school girl of Flushing.

Rather than run the chance of be-
ing more badly injured, Philip Duffy,
of Indianapolis, caught on the track
deliberately laid down and allowed
several cars to run over his leg and
crush it off.

Walter M. Cowell, of Kenosha,
Wis., has brought suit in the United
States court to oust the present
occupants of 640 acres of land in
Jacksonville, Fla., to which he
claims he holds title.

Mrs. Roxanna Nolan Green, who
eloped with her husband's farm hand,
Frank Green, from New Haven, last
year, has had the latter arrested on
the charge of attempted murder. The
woman had twenty-one children, all
of whom she left when she eloped.

John L. Simmons, of Chester,
Mont., serving a term for manslaughter,
has been pardoned by Governor
Toole on the express condition that
he abstain from the use of intoxi-
cating liquors forever.

Lyle, aged 8, and Claire, aged 4,

sons of James Goatley, were burn-
ed to death in a fire which destroyed
their home in Blandinsville, Ill.
Their mother was badly burned after
having rescued two girls.

Free rides every half hour through
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eration yesterday by the tunnel com-
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Burgundy rolls down."

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Girls' \$1.60 Dongola Blucher School Shoes,
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The White Cat

[BY GELETT BURGESS, AUTHOR OF "VIVETTE,"
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We raced madly for the Harbor, sought the Methodist minister there, went into his cool prim front parlor, were introduced to his wife—who had that day enough to gossip about, I'll warrant—and the thing was done in ten minutes. Then we piled happily into the car and pelted home. Joy looked at me with new eyes. "You've done it, haven't you?" "You bet I have!" "How did you manage it? I thought I had refused you?" "I don't understand it myself, it just happened. It had to be."

"You ought to be a highwayman!" "It's partly your fault, you know!" "And I've known you only a month! How reckless! It must have been that incorrigible, irresistible, unexpected, unmissable nick in your chin! I've gone from new moon to full, at a bound! Now I'm a bride-rampant; I could fight my way to you through eight miles of jungle! Was I pretty, Leah?" She turned and held out her hand.

"Deed you were, Miss Joy, honey, I never see you 'beat'!" How she laughed! "And you were the sweetest bridesmaid, too! See her eyes, Chester, please look around! Never mind if we do run into a tree, today. Did you ever see such hidden depths of gold as are beneath her eyes? Isn't that color and outline perfect? There's no wildfire or heroics about Leah, but she's got more brains than both of us put together! And she's got a southern accent now, that you couldn't dissipate with an electric battery. Leah, you're as beautiful as a Jaguar! Can't you go faster, chauffeur, dear? I'd rather eat fly paper than ride in a slow automobile! Say, it's awfully stimulating to get married, isn't it? I'm going to do it all the time, after this."

I leaned over to kiss her, and we nearly ran into the depot wagon on its way from the train. We were followed by two dozen eyes till we were hidden by a turn of the road.

So her brain coiled as we sped along, shrieking with laughter. But Joy's frolic mood subsided as we approached Midmeadows. She looked at me plaintively and said:

"The idea of the White Cat's being married before she's had her head and tail cut off!" "Oh, that'll be done before you know it!" I said. "What I'm thinking is that now Dr. Copin will be allowed at Midmeadows again, if I have to keep him out by force. With him out of the way, we can manage the rest. But no more of that now. It's our wedding day! We ought to have told King to bake a cake!"

We had quieted down enough by supper time to talk the matter over calmly and plan for tomorrow. The time had, queerly enough, more the effect of parting than the beginning of a new and happy life. Joy grew wistful and distraught as the evening wore on. I would not let her talk of "the murder," as she called it, and I tried to keep her mind from returning to the mystery of Edna's presence. Finally she said:

"Chester, I'd like to send her a message. Just think, I've never had any communication with her!"

"It will do no good," I replied. "It will do no harm," she insisted. "I may never have another chance. I'm going to write a note for you to give her, if she comes tomorrow. Will you?"

I said that of course I would, and she sat down at her secretary and, after thinking a few minutes, biting her pen, she wrote this:

Dear Edna: What has brought us together we can never know. But it is terrible to me to think that, being so closely and mysteriously related, we could not have been friends. For all you have done to me and mine, I forgive you, and somewhere and somehow I hope that you will forgive me for everything I have done to you.

and was, as she had said, quite different from Edna's. It was bold and flowing, sharply slanted and graceful, the hand of a fast writer and a quick thinker. I put the note into my pocket to give tomorrow to Edna. I should not pass it back to the same hands that had written it, it would be read by the same eyes that saw it now—but I could guess with what scorn and anger it would be received. Joy bade me good night with a tremor in her voice, gave me a long, clinging kiss, and looked up into my eyes.

"I'm not really your wife yet, you know, Chester," she said.

"Come slowly, Edna," I replied.

"And I may never be—" The tears filled her eyes.

"Do you think I shall fail, after today?" I said.

"I still have my revolver, if you do. Remember the White Cat, and your promise!"

"That's a sad thought for a wedding night! I'm going to save you!"

"Poor Edna!" she said, releasing herself. Then, as if she thought it unwelcome to leave me sorrowful, she flashed a smile at me, waved her hand and ran upstairs.

CHAPTER III.

I have said so much of my "plan" that it is now quite time to explain it, for it was of the simplest. Many of the recorded cases of multiple personality, had arisen, I found, from a shock, sometimes purely physical, sometimes mental. It was my idea that in Miss Fielding's case the process might be reversed—that I might inhibit her secondary self by some violent excitement. A long process of hypnotic treatment might, I knew, effect a cure more or less stable, but the doctor's superior knowledge and, heretofore, his superior advantages, had made me doubt of succeeding in that way. To take her to any competent specialist was inexpedient, for the reason that we should meet with a steady opposition from Edna, who could do much to make such a course impossible.

The means I intended to employ were, I must confess, brutal. I intended to frighten Edna to within an inch of her life—to frighten her, that is, so that she might be afraid to reappear. This explanation is superficial, but it conveys the idea: what really would happen, I thought, was that Joy would "wake up" and resume permanently her normal condition. I was not competent to explain the rationale of it; I trusted, in a way to the mere reversion of the processes that had been described in similar cases of disintegrated personalities.

Exactly how to accomplish this end I was not yet decided, save that I had prepared myself with a pair of revolvers and blank cartridges; I left the actual operation to the inspiration of the moment, taking advantage of the circumstances. I knew that the mental shock must be severe and that the tension should be prolonged almost to the breaking point. In some way or other it would come to threatening her life. In my mind it was like deliberately breaking a badly-set bone that it might heal again right. So desperate a remedy I had not wanted to describe to Joy, nor did I ever expect to tell her, even should her cure be effected.

Of the cruelty to Edna, I had no thought. I knew no other way of accomplishing what I desired, and my sympathies, naturally, were entirely with Joy. She alone, surely, had a right to exist in that fair body. Seeing that I could not settle the ethical considerations involved, and that they only impaired my will, I cast them aside. I offer no other excuse for my conduct. It seemed expedient in fact the only thing that would be effective, in ridding my life of her incubus. If it were wrong, well, I would take the blame. I have never been able to settle the question in my

own mind even yet.

She slept late the next morning. I was downstairs when she rang for Leah, and so heard nothing, but it was no surprise to me when, a few minutes later, Leah came down and said:

"It's Edna."

The fight was on. I was now prepared to undertake (as it would certainly seem to a spectator) to torture my wife of a day half to death. I shall not attempt to describe my own feelings as I anticipated the prospect.

"Has she tried to telephone?" I asked. My voice, I imagine, was now like that of a surgeon at an operation asking his assistant for a knife.

"No," said Leah.

"Hurry up, then. You must manage to overhear what she says, if possible. I must know whether the doctor's coming or not. Have you sent Uncle Jordan away?"

"He's harnessing up to go to the Harbor, and he'll be gone all the forenoon."

"Good."

She went into the kitchen and prepared Edna's breakfast, while I crept upstairs and listened to hear in case she telephoned. As soon as Leah went up with the breakfast tray, I went down again and walked into the kitchen.

"King," I said, looking square at the Chinaman, "today I'm going to drive the devil out of Miss Fielding. You sabbee?"

He grinned very good-naturedly. "Yep, I sabbee," he answered, paring his potatoes calmly.

"Maybe I make heap noise. You sabbee?"

"Yep I sabbee!" again.

"You no mind me, King? You not be frightened?"

He laughed and said, "Aw, no! I no care. Maybe I come help. I sabbee debil all light!"

"No, I won't need your help, King. I can do it alone. I think. All I want you stay here and not be frightened."

"Aw, I no frighten. What's a-matter? You no think so?"

"Well, you don't know anything about it. Sabbee? You must keep quiet, sure."

"Oh, I sabbee all light. Maybe somebody ask me, I say, 'I not know!' I sabbee. I say, 'you go-to-hell!' he-

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he!" He laughed to himself. "You heap good man, you all light, sure. Dive away debil, that's all. What's a-matter? You no sabbee me? Aw?" He turned away in scorn at my distrust.

I was pretty sure that I could trust to his imperturbability, and returned to the library satisfied, leaving King still chuckling inanely to himself.

In a moment Leah came down again and said hurriedly to me:

"She's just telephoned. She said nothing about yesterday, or that you were here! He must have said he wasn't coming down today, or at least not this morning, for she tried to tease him to come. She's all dressed up—it's astonishing—I can't tell you!" She left me and immediately afterward I heard Edna's footsteps on the stairs.

For what reason she had dressed herself so extravagantly—whether from sheer willful fancy, or a desire to tantalize me or to seduce me from my fondness of Joy—I have never decided. She wore an evening gown of gold tissue, sheer as gossamer, fold on fold, embroidered with gold threads all over the low-necked corsage.

About her forehead was a garland of gold laurel leaves, beautifully modeled and tooled, interlaced with a slender string of coral beads. Her arms were bare. On her right breast was a red velvet rose, she had stockings of scarlet silk and golden slippers. It was a costume for a fancy dress ball and had indeed been originally made for that purpose. To see her appear, now, and shine in the morning sunlight like a butterfly, was to see something as extraordinary as it was picturesque.

She came to me with all Joy's grace and held out her hand, laughing.

"So you're here again after all, Chet," she said. "I thought I'd dress up for you. You've never seen me to advantage. How do you like it?" She turned slowly round for my benefit.

"You're an empress!" I exclaimed. "I don't deserve this honor!"

"She began dancing a minuet all alone, speaking as she swirled."

"Indeed, you don't! I didn't want you here yesterday, really. But now you've come down again, you'd better stay." She curtsied demurely.

"But look out for the doc—let's—let's!" she was off again in a circle. "I suppose it was Joy who invited you! I'll have to entertain Joy's guest, I suppose. There! Now sit down and talk to me."

What was behind her whimsical mood, and why she so willingly received me, I could not guess. When I had taken a seat she tapped me with her fan and said:

"You know, I've always liked you, Chet, but you see the doctor thought it wasn't best for me to have you about. Really, I oughtn't to let you stay now. He'd be perfectly furious you know. He thought you had gone up to town. You must hide, if he comes."

To Be Continued.

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Chicago, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from Wheeling, W. Va., says: Relatives of Mrs. Frederick Hartell, the young wife of a farmer living near Huntington, were bemoaning her death a few minutes before the minister arrived to conduct the funeral services, when she suddenly sat up and cried and then jumped out of her coffin.

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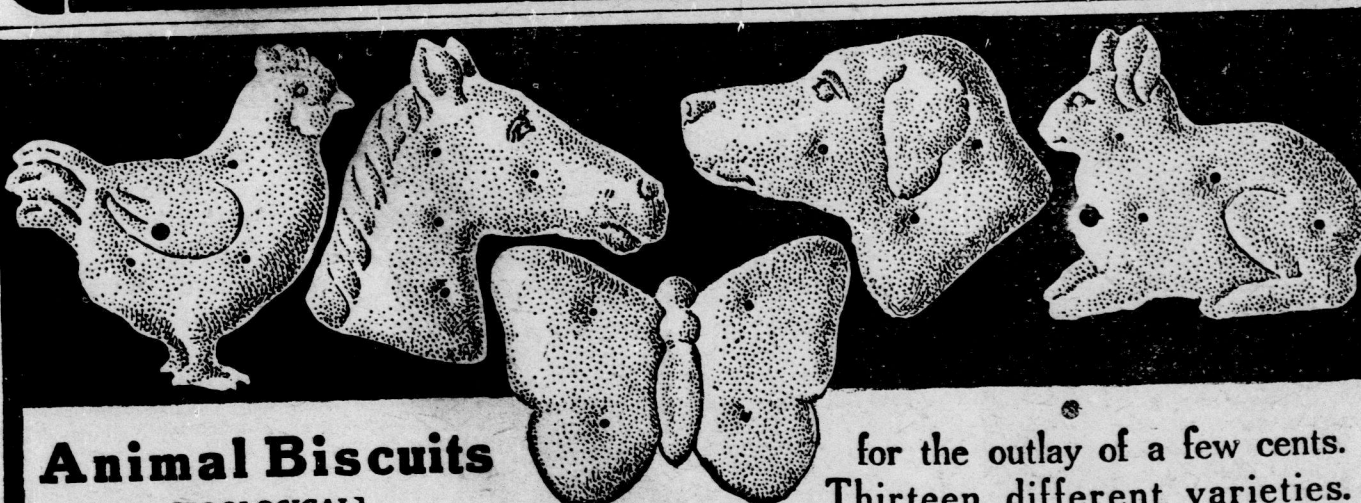
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More Room Wanted at Collegiate; School Is Badly Crowded at Present

Principal Sends in an Important Report—Coal Charges at Board of Education Meeting.

The board of education met yesterday afternoon and transacted considerable business. There was a brush between Trustees MacRobert and Graham over the appointment of a substitute teacher, and the whole question of substitute teachers was threshed out. It was found that there are very few substitute teachers at present, and it is owing to this fact that some of the schools are not properly manned.

The whole matter of salaries to teachers was also discussed, and No. 1 committee will report on the matter. Trustee Strong intimated that some of the coal intended for the schools had found its way into private cellars, and No. 2 will investigate the trouble.

It was stated that a considerable portion of the coal had gone into the schools without being first weighed on the city scales.

A full investigation of the whole matter was promised by Trustee Teasdale, chairman of No. 2 committee.

Principal's Report.

Principal McCutcheon's first report was read as follows:

I beg to report as follows: For the month of September the number of pupils registered at the Collegiate Institute was as follows:

	On roll.	Average
Upper school	58	50
Middle school	151	125.4
Lower school	425	396
Commercial school	134	129.6

Total number of pupils 768 701

This is an increase in registration over last year of 53, and in average attendance of 50, and over that of the corresponding month of two years ago of 78.

Accommodation Exhausted.

The Collegiate Institute is retaining its place as first in the province in point of attendance, and the accommodation is now practically exhausted. At the commercial school even now some of the classes cannot be accommodated in a single room. A similar increase in attendance next year, under present conditions, could not be adequately provided for, and the board must face the problem of enlarging the capacity of its school. In such a case I would suggest the advisability of providing a separate building for the science department, manual training and domestic science, as there is at present no provision for manual training at all, and very inadequate provision for the teaching of science, and by removing the domestic science department from its present quarters, the congestion at the commercial school would be temporarily relieved.

Junior Science Room.

Meanwhile, some provision will have to be made as early as possible for teaching junior science. This is a comparatively new department of study in our curriculum, compulsory for all students in the first two years. At present 425 students are in these science classes with no suitable room equipment for pursuing this study.

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department, with suitable laboratory tables and apparatus, and make provision that the lantern required, both by Mr. Stuart and Mr. Grainger, could be so placed as to be available for use by both.

Ventilation System.

If the board does not contemplate making extensive changes in the science department soon I would suggest to the board the advisability of considering whether a ventilation system should not be installed in the chemical laboratory, as the fumes there are noxious and offensive for a considerable part of the time.

The lighting in a great many rooms and halls of this building is very inadequate and I would suggest that this be remedied. In such a case special provision should be made for extra lighting in some of the laboratories in order to enable the students to do microscopic work.

In order to provide sufficient quantities of water for use in the domestic science department, the board might consider the installation of a boiler and its connections made by the teachers in the room below this department of the sound necessarily made by the pupils in doing their work there, the board might remedy this by placing cork linoleum or some such material on the floor.

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Presentation of Diplomas.

I would ask the board for the use of the commercial building on "Thanks-giving Day" in order that the presentation of diplomas and prizes to the graduating class of the commercial department might be made so as to enable ex-pupils, employed in offices on other days, to attend.

The Collegiate Institute field day is to be held on Friday, Oct. 4, and I would ask the board for the customary generous provision of a band for that day and a grant of \$15.

Others Matters.

As Miss Kelso, who teaches geography at the institute is occupying a new room in the building this term I would ask the board to make provision for properly suspending the maps in that room.

I have to report that through the courtesy of Col. Galtshore and Mr. Chas. White, the senior science pupils of the institute under the direction of Mr. Stuart have been permitted to visit the plant of the McClary Manufacturing Company and the London Rolling Mills. The opportunity to observe scientific processes in large manufacturing concerns is a valuable supplement to the work of the school.

The report was referred to No. 1 committee.

Inspector Edwards' Report.

Inspector Edwards' report was adopted. It recommended the following matters:

He reported that Principal McCutcheon and himself, acting under the board's instructions, had arranged for the use of the Sunday school of All Saints' Church for the model school term. It is used all day, heated and swept, for which the sum of \$50 is asked, which we recommend for your adoption.

In obedience to the board's directions an afternoon kindergarten has been opened in Aberdeen school, and it is recommended that Miss Lillian Forsythe be the director therein, and that Miss Leona Wood, of Stratford, be placed as assistant in Rectory street.

Simcoe Street Vacancy.

The matter of filling the vacancy in the Simcoe street school, which was referred by the board to the chairman and the inspector, has been acted upon by transferring Mrs. M. Hawken from Grade V, Aberdeen school, to Grade V, in Simcoe street school, Miss Sadie Mills being placed in Aberdeen school.

St. George's school reopened on the 24th of September with an enrollment of 659. Three new teachers will be required, and it is recommended that they be appointed to begin their duties when required.

The registered attendance in the public schools, including the kindergartens, for September, 1907, was 5,657, and for September, 1906, 5,592. St. George's, Chesley avenue and West London show a decided increase in attendance since a year ago.

Manual Training.

It was recommended that the board of education take into its consideration the advisability of providing facilities for the teaching of manual training (to the boys) and household science (to the girls) in the fourth-book classes (Grades VII and VIII).

If the principal of each of the large schools were at liberty for a day or two each month he could become thoroughly familiar with each of the classes in his school, and it would be of great benefit. It is therefore respectfully recommended that a teacher be appointed to take charge of the principal's class in each school for such time each month as may be designated by the board.

Teachers for St. George's.

The matter of securing three new teachers for St. George's school, referred to in the inspector's report, was referred to No. 1 committee.

The matter of providing manual training and household science, was also sent to No. 1 for consideration. Trustee Officer Weir reported that he had more trouble with truants this year than ever before. More boys and girls under 14 years were working than at any time during his experience. This was due to the fact that many parents were compelled by force of circumstances to send them to work, and, also, to the fact that the children do not want to go to school, owing to being backward in their studies.

Several notices had been served on manufacturers and employers who

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invariably stated that they did not desire to employ boys under age, but the boys always said they were over 14 years.

The registration cards were found to be of great help to him in keeping track of truants. Considerable difficulty was caused by several weak-minded children, and Mr. Weir was of the opinion that they should be taken from the public schools and sent to some institution. The report was sent to No. 1 committee.

The Coal Problem.

Trustee Strong asked what was the price of coal, and whether it was weighed on the city scales or not. Trustee Teasdale, chairman of No. 2, replied that hard coal cost \$6.75, soft coal \$4.55, and wood, \$7.50. All the coal placed in the city schools had been weighed on the city scales, with the exception of a carload or two.

Trustee Strong replied that he had been informed on good authority that coal had been placed in six schools that had not been weighed on the city scales, and that some of the coal that the board was paying for had been placed in certain private places in the city.

All the coal used by the board should be weighed on the city scales. The rumor was widespread, and should be corrected. He moved that the matter be referred to No. 2 committee to investigate.

A Serious Accusation.

Trustee Teasdale thought the accusation was a serious one, and should be properly investigated. This was the first intimation he had of it. In justice to Mr. Buchanan, who supplied the coal, this matter should be probed. If he had a man doing this thing, it should be known. He trusted that Trustee Strong would give the board all the information he had in his possession.

A Little Breeze.

The recommendation that Miss Eva Winnett be appointed to the substitute staff provisionally, created somewhat of a breeze between Trustees Graham and MacRobert.

The inspector, under Chairman Graham's suggestion, had written to Miss Winnett, who is teaching in Galt, asking her to come to London to take a position in the London school. Trustee Graham pointed out that teachers were very scarce, that there were practically no substitutes at all. Students from the Normal School had to be obtained for the purpose, and the plan was not working out satisfactorily. Miss Winnett had several years' experience, but was not qualified according to the rule of the London board of education. It was her intention to take up the few subjects necessary for qualification next summer, and the recommendation was

that Miss Winnett be put on the substitute staff provisionally.

Opposed to It.

Trustee MacRobert strongly opposed the appointment. The rule was laid down and it should be lived up to. It had been applied before, and many good teachers had been turned down. Then the matter should not be settled over the head of No. 1 committee.

This matter had come up before in the committee, and had been decided upon. Chairman Graham had no right to arrange any such matter. He was going outside his jurisdiction. "To satisfy some thin-skinned members of the board," retorted Trustee Graham sharply, "I will move in amendment that the matter be referred to No. 1 committee, and in the meantime Miss Winnett will be given employment. The schools have to be manned, and it is better to have them supplied by experienced teachers than have them ruled over by girls from millinery stores."

Trustee Strong wanted to advertise for more teachers. There could be obtained plenty of teachers who would gladly come to the city of London. He would move to that effect.

The incident was closed by Chairman Fitzgerald ruling the discussion out of order.

Trustee Teasdale moved that Inspector Edwards and No. 1 committee look over the qualifications as laid down by the board and make whatever changes thought necessary, and that in the meantime Miss Winnett be allowed to teach. The motion was carried without objection.

Trustee Dr. Tillmann moved that No. 1 committee be instructed to advertise immediately for teachers to take the positions made vacant in the Collegiate by the resignation of Mr. W. C. Ferguson and the promotion of Mr. McCutcheon, the teachers to take their position on Jan. 1, 1908. He pointed out that if the difficulty was as great as it seemed to be in filling these positions, the committee should get to work immediately. There was a great need of good teachers.

Trustee Graham said it was a mistake to advertise for teachers at the present time, as the salaries in London, in grade of teachers' salaries, were low. There were many high schools and colleges paying much larger salaries than London.

Trustee MacRobert moved that the whole question of salaries of teachers, both collegiate and public school, be submitted to No. 1 committee, said committee to report whatever changes it thought necessary. He thought that it was time that this matter was taken up by the board and settled. The rate of salary was not high enough in this city, and it should be raised.

This motion carried without discussion. Trustee Teasdale asked that No. 2 committee be empowered to arrange for the setting of four new rooms of St. George's school.

should be the most modern available. Trustee Teasdale informed the board that it would be the best available.

Trustee Graham asked when St. George's school would be heated. Trustee Teasdale pointed out that the cold snap coming so suddenly had caused much inconvenience, but the contractors were making as much headway as possible. The school would be heated very shortly. On motion of Trustee MacRobert, Friday afternoon was declared a half-holiday for the Collegiate Institute, so that the students could attend the annual games.

Various Matters.

Miss Roberts' staff was appointed to the kindergarten.

Mr. H. G. Martyn, Berlin, informed the board that it will be impossible for him to accept the position of modern teacher owing to the fact that the Berlin board refused to release him.

Applications were received from Miss B. Norris and Miss S. A. Kibben for appointment to the kindergarten, and Miss A. W. Vale to the public school staff. Miss May Burgess and Miss May Gibson applied for the privilege of becoming students in the kindergarten. Referred to No. 1.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE, GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—3:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 6:25 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 7:48 p.m., 10 p.m.
Arrive from the west—11:05 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 6:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the east—12:05 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:55 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.
Depart—3:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 1:55 p.m., 8:05 p.m.
The 7:40 a.m. and the 8:55 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:40 a.m., 4 p.m., 6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7:55 p.m. (International Limited).

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—3:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:55 p.m.
Depart—6:10 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 5 p.m.

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Arrive—9:45 a.m., 8:10 p.m.
Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
Trains marked thus * run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Arrive—From the east—11:30 a.m., 8:00 p.m., 11:00 p.m. from the west—4:30 a.m., 8:20 a.m., 5:20 p.m.
Depart—For the east—4:35 a.m., 8:28 a.m., 6:28 p.m. For the west—11:35 a.m., 8:10 p.m., 11:10 p.m.
Trains marked thus * run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday. *From Chatham only. **Runs only to Chatham.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY

Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:35 p.m.
Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

Runs through to Waterford.

PERE MARQUET & E. RAILWAY.

Depart—5:40 a.m., 6:50 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:40 p.m., 7:35 p.m.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., 9:20 p.m., 11:30 p.m.
*From and to Walkerville, without change. Trains not "fast" to Port Stanley. Between London and St. Thomas only.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.		
	Won.	Lost.
Detroit	88	55
Philadelphia	84	59
Chicago	82	61
Cleveland	81	62
New York	79	64
St. Louis	78	65
Boston	76	67
Washington	68	75

GAMES TODAY.		
Detroit at Washington.	Chicago at New York.	Cleveland at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.		

Washington, Oct. 1.—Once again the Tigers proved their staying powers by coming from behind after the first inning to defeat the Senators 4 to 2 in a game that was a real battle to the end.

Today they opened the battle against Joe Cantillon's scrappy Senators. Siever was in the box for the Detroiters and was opposed by the Idaho State League phenom, Walter Johnson. The Tigers opened by gaining a slight lead and then losing it by some play made bad by their nervousness.

But, two runs behind in the sixth inning, they struck their champion pitcher stride and forged to the front. Everything broke against them in the early part of the fight, and it looked as though it were their day to lose.

Then came the score of the Philadelphia game, showing that the Naps had continued their listless play at Philadelphia also.

With the posting of the final score of that game there was a visible change in the attitude of the pennant pursuers. They rounded Johnson all over the lot, pulled off some star fielding stunts and won out with ease.

Tigers Hold Slight Lead.
By their victory the Tigers held pace with the Athletics, maintaining their slight lead.

The Tigers had gleamed one run in the first round. Davy Jones walked and reached second on Schaefer's sacrifice. Crawford had popped to short.

Once on first, he stole second, and as Jack Warner threw into center field trying to catch him Jones scored. Cobb himself was nipped at the plate on a fast, relayed throw. Neither team did anything the second round.

Johnson Starts Trouble in Third.
Pitcher Johnson began all the trouble when he rolled an easy one to short.

Bill to handle it. Johnson was safe. Milan sent a high foul to Rossmann. Gantley rolled one past the pitcher's box that Rossmann jumped in for. Siever was slow in going to first to cover and Schaefer made a desperate try to get over there himself. He struck the bag all right, but Rossmann tossed slow and wide to him and he rolled fenceward.

Before Schaefer could get back to his feet Johnson was on third. Gantley started to steal with Siever holding the ball just about ready to pitch. Eddie threw to O'Leary, but the sun was in Charles's eyes and as the throw was wide it was not stopped. Johnson scored and Gantley doubled for third. Cobb felled the ball and threw to third trying to nail Gantley. The ball went by Coughlin and Gantley sprinted home.

Further trouble was averted when Siever struck out Delehanty and forced Blankenship to roll to Coughlin.

Meanwhile this western colt, Johnson, was keeping the Tigers busy going back to the bench. In the fourth Charney put the Tigers further in the hole when he doubled to left field. Warner sacrificed and Jones scored when Shipke singled to center. O'Brien dropped one in front of Siever and Eddie threw to second to catch Shipke. Schaefer, however, couldn't see the ball because of the sun and it bounded from his mitt.

Shipke made third on the play and a moment later O'Brien stole second, but Siever tightened up and struck Johnson out and forced Milan to ground to Rossmann.

Get at Johnson in Fourth.
In the fourth the Tigers began to get to Johnson. Schaefer singled, but Crawford fled to center. Cobb's rap to second was a safe one, but Rossmann popped to Shipke. Schaefer tried to steal third and was caught, killing the Tigers' chances there.

In the fifth Coughlin singled to center and Schmidt was safe on O'Brien's fumble. With no one out and two on it again looked promising. But Johnson struck out O'Leary and Siever. Jones forced Schmidt to second, retiring the side. In the sixth, looking hopeless again, Schaefer had started the inning by grounding to O'Brien, and Crawford had popped to Delehanty. Then Cobb started for the Debutters. He hit cleanly to center. Rossmann followed this with a clean drive over third base for two bases. Ground rules held Cobb at third, but Coughlin brought both men in with another terrific swing to right for two bases, both Cobb and Rossmann scoring. Schmidt singled past third and Coughlin, by a great spurt, scored from second. O'Leary ended the fun, grounding to Shipke. Siever retired the Senators easily in the next round, and the Tigers started after Johnson again. Siever struck out and Jones fled to center. But Schaefer hit cleanly over second and stole second. Crawford singled to center and the Dutchman scored.

From then on Siever was the master of his opponents. In the ninth inning Kahoe and Block were sent up to bat for Warner and Shipke, but both were easy.

Johnson, who had been saved by Manager Cantillon to go against the Tigers, pitched a fair game, but his work was scarcely up to his standard. Gantley did great work with the stick for the Senators, getting four hits out of four times up. Ty Cobb and Bill Coughlin, for the Tigers, each secured three hits. The feature of the game was a one-hand stop by Shipke of Rossmann's drive in the second inning score.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Washington	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Gantley, 1 f.	4	1	4	2	0	0	0	0
Delehanty, 2 b.	3	0	0	5	2	0	0	0
Blankenship, 1 b.	4	0	0	5	2	0	0	0
Crawford, c. f.	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
C. Jones, c. f.	3	0	0	6	3	1	0	0
Warner, c. f.	3	0	0	6	3	1	0	0
Shipke, 3 b.	3	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
O'Brien, s. s.	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
T. Smith, s. s.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Johnson, p.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kahoe, 1 b.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Block, 2 b.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	8	27	11	2	0	0

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Detroit	4	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
D. Jones, 1 f.	4	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Schaefer, 2 b.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Crawford, c. f.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Cobb, r. f.	4	1	3	2	1	1	0	0
Rossmann, 1 b.	4	1	1	10	0	1	0	0
Coughlin, 3 b.	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Schmidt, c. f.	4	0	1	6	2	0	0	0
O'Leary, s. s.	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
Siever, p.	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	35	5	11	27	10	4	0	0

Batted for Warner in ninth.
2 Batted for Shipke in ninth.
Washington.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3
Detroit.....1 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 5
Two-base hits—C. Jones, Rossmann, Coughlin. Sacrifice hit—Schaefer. Stolen bases—Schaefer, Cobb, Gantley 2, Shipke, O'Brien. Double play—Cobb and Rossmann. Left on bases—Detroit 7, Washington 4. First base on balls—Detroit 1, off Siever 1. First base on errors—Detroit 1. Struck out—By Johnson 5, by Siever 6. Time, 1:55. Umpires, Brown and Hunt.

EXCURSION TO DETROIT

Dan Bowen Will Run One If Games Are Played in Detroit.

Mr. D. H. Bowen, secretary of the Temple Camp, Woodmen of the World, announces that in case Detroit wins the championship of the American League, he has secured from the C. P. R. the privilege of running an excursion to Detroit at the rate of \$1.60 for the return trip.

The train will be a solid vestibule, and will make the trip to Detroit without a stop.

KICKERS' COLUMN

Bole, Wood, halves; McArthur, q.; Rau, Young, Brown, scrimmage; Watson, Sage, Rowland, Blackwell, Baker, and Moore, wings.

Second team—Hueston, f. b.; McLean, Spry, Jackson, halves; McQueen, q.; McRobert, Wilson, Duffield, scrimmage; Lackie, McColl, Gilmore, Ball, Tierney, Craig, Westland, Ferguson, wings.

The contest will begin shortly after 6 o'clock and great sport is anticipated. Hammond, of Westmounts, who is out with the Argos, is a big, husky fellow, and knows the game.

Guy Clarkson will be out with the Argos again. At present he is on a visit to Muskoka. Brother Austin is in British Columbia.

Cassels and Lee of Ridley will be valuable additions to the Varsity team.

Johnston, formerly captain of Trinity, is doing some great tackling at the Argos practices.

Elliott Maxwell, captain and center half of Ridley last year, will play on the Argos this season.

Sheriff, McEwan and Malfour are candidates for quarter on the Argos team.

Kalls Hall, middle wing of last year's A practice game of Rugby will be played this evening at Tecumseh Park between two teams picked from the candidates for positions on the regular team.

The rugby contest between the first and second teams tonight at Tecumseh Park will begin at 6 o'clock sharp. A second game will come off tomorrow evening. The teams will line up as follows:

First team—Hague f. b., Whetter, Varsity team, is out with the Tigers. Pfeiffer will be the center scrimmage for the seniors. He is fast, has great endurance, and has muscle like the side of a house. He is helping the ball out nicely, and is the best the Tigers have had for that line of work for some time—Hamilton Spectator.

The Poor Old White Sox



Chicago Tribune—CHICAGO FAN—THE SOX? FUD GE!

TORONTO WINS THE CLASS A TITLE

Columbus, Oct. 1.—Today's victory gave Toronto the Class A championship. The two teams have played five games, the Canadian team winning four of them. Summary:

Toronto	10	0	2	0	1	0	6	10	3
Columbus	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	8
Applegate and Carrigan	Wicker	Townsend and Blue							

TIGERS MUCH WEAKER THIS YEAR

According to all accounts the Hamilton Tigers will not be as strong this season as last. The Tigers have not been able to secure the large and enthusiastic turnouts that characterized their preparatory work in previous seasons. Six of their strongest men, or nearly half of the team that landed in the Canadian championship for the year, have retired from the game, and have not had a uniform this season.

This number includes Sep. DuMoulin, whose place will be impossible to fill on the back division. Then there are Marriott, McCarthy, the big center man, Burkholder, Dave McKeand and Ralph Ripley. Of these there is a possibility, but a very remote one, that Marriott will be in line perhaps next week.

In the meantime, as they appear in practice, the team looks to be easily 25 per cent weaker than a year ago. The loss of so many men has necessarily impaired the great team work and system that was the chief factor in the past success of the Tigers, and though George Ballard has returned to Hamilton and was out last night with the team he finds it an entirely different matter drilling the new recruits and developing material to handling the finished team of last year, a team that had played three years together.

The Big Baseball League Scores

[FROM THE ADVERTISER BULLETIN SERVICE.]

AMERICAN LEAGUE.		
At Boston	R. H. E.	
St. Louis	2 5 1	
Boston	1 6 2	
Batteries—Bailey and Spencer; Harris and Shaw. Umpire, Sheridan.		
At New York	R. H. E.	
Chicago	1 9 1	
New York	3 7 1	
Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; Chesbro and Thomas. Umpire, Egan.		

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		
At Pittsburgh	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	12 19 3	
Pittsburgh	5 9 2	
Batteries—Corrigan and Jackisch; Ladd and Gibson. Umpires, Klem and Johnston.		

PUBLIC SCHOOL SOCCER GAMES.		
Victoria, 2; Talbot, 0.		
Princess, 3; Rectory, 0.		
St. George's, 3; Simcoe, 0.		

Wonderful Miracles Worked By Dr. Hamilton's Pills

Learned Physician Astounded by the Increasing Number of His Cures.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 19.—That unusual knowledge is possessed by Dr. Hamilton is evidenced by the statement of Mrs. MacLeod, of 514 Campbell road, of this city. For years this lady suffered with torturing, reeling headaches that could only be allayed by strong narcotics. "Different physicians," she states, "failed, so I decided to see what Dr. Hamilton could do. I purchased a few boxes of his Mandrake and Butternut Pills and used them immediately gave the most grateful relief. Headaches and their depressing influence left me. Spells of fainting weakness, long hours of sleeplessness, fear of nervous collapse, all these disappeared after treating with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. My restoration to vigorous health is complete and no remedy could do more than Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.

By searching out all weak spots, by enriching the blood, nourishing and purifying the system, Dr. Hamilton's Pills work marvels for the sick and weak. 25 cents per box at all dealers.

The English wife of a Chinese "magician" summoned him for desertion. He explained that she had grown so stout that it was now impossible for him to perform his trick of turning her into a duck.

Umpires for World's Series

The umpires for the world's championship post-season baseball games between the Chicago of the National League and whichever team wins the American League pennant will be Jack Sheridan and probably Hank O'Day. Sheridan already has been selected by Ban Johnson as the American League umpire, and one reason for thinking Pulliam will choose O'Day as the National League official, is that Emalie has been assigned for the post-season series in Boston and Johnstone for the St. Louis Brown-Cardinal series. Johnstone and Evans will be the St. Louis umpires, while Connolly will be Emalie's mate in Boston. Evans has recovered from his injury in St. Louis, and wants to get back in harness. Sheridan and O'Day officiated at the New York-Philadelphia world's series in 1905. President Pulliam, of the National League, also has Rigger, Klem and Carpenter to choose from to assign to the world's series, and may, of course, select one of them.

RACES AT TILLSONBURG.

Tillsonburg, Oct. 1.—Following are the results of the races at the Tillsonburg fair, which opened today with a good attendance:

Three-minute trot or pace:
Belle, George Lane, St. Thomas, 2 1 1
Maggie McGregor, Turner, Hamilton, 2 2
Johnnie D. Dent, Woodstock, 3 3
Jimmie L. Talburt, Tillsonburg, 4 5
Lady Bell, Smithson, Aylmer, 5 6
Jack Albert, Sage, Ingersoll, 6 7
Time—2:25, 2:24, 2:24.

2:20 trot or pace:
Young Colin, A. W. Pierce, Aylmer, 1 1
Bon Ton, Skinner, Ingersoll, 2 2
Coal Wood, Horton, Shelden, 3 3
Time—2:22, 2:23, 2:23.

Farmers' run:
Maggie L. Lee, Northfield, 1 1
Jim Green, Tillsonburg, 2 2
Lad Stockwood, W. Burn, Tillsonburg, 3 3
Dug, Allen, Ostrander, 4 5
Time—57, 56, 57.

FIRST DAY AT STRATFORD

Exhibits Are Made in Tents—Weather Conditions Favorable.

Stratford, Oct. 1.—The annual fair of the Stratford Agricultural Society was formally opened here today under favorable weather conditions. The exhibits are being made in tents pitched at Athletic Park. While the inside exhibits are not well filled, the live stock entries show an advance over other years.

Tonight a crowd of citizens visited the park and for a couple of hours enjoyed the programme provided, which included fireworks display, special acrobatic features and music.

BEAR KILLED IN MCKILLOP.

Seaford, Oct. 1.—Mr. W. J. Welsh, of Wintthrop, McKillop Township, shot a bear near his own farm yesterday afternoon. The bear was met in a piece of woods. The carcass is now on exhibition in Kennedy's butcher shop.

FULL MAIL BAG FOUND.

Galt, Oct. 2.—Mr. Tom Elliott, of the Stevens Company, Rose street, while going towards the C. P. R. station, found a mail bag on the side of the track near the tank. It was bulging with stuff. He handed it over to the mail carrier, who said it had not dropped from the bus, but had been pitched from the mail car after he had left the station.

BEWARE OF THE BACKACHE NOW

This Simple Home Mixture Relieves Lame Back and Urinary Troubles.

More people succumb each year to some form of kidney trouble than any other cause. The slightest form of kidney derangement often develops into Bright's kidney disease, diabetes or dropsy. When either of these diseases are suspected the sufferer should at once seek the best medical attention possible. Consult only a good, first-class physician, leave patent medicines alone.

There are many of the lesser symptoms of kidney trouble which can be treated at home as stated by a well-known authority. For some of these, such as backache, pain in the region of the kidneys, weak bladder, frequency (especially at night), painful urination and other urinary troubles, try the following simple home remedy: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Sarsaparilla, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sassafras, three ounces. These simple ingredients, these harmless and can be obtained at any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them by shaking well in a bottle. The dose for adults is a teaspoonful after each meal and again at bedtime.

THE TURF.

WINNERS YESTERDAY.
At Hamilton—Ormondes Right, 4 to 5; Chief Desmond, 1 to 2; Bailey Castle, 1 to 2; Conney K, 7 to 10; Herman Johnson, 4 to 5; Prospero, 2 to 5; Sam Bernard, 2 to 5.

At Brighton Beach—Jane Swift, 2 to 1; Ambush, even; Wes, 5 to 2; Salvadore, 1 to 2; Master Robert, 4 to 5; Security, 2 to 1; St. Ilario, 1 to 2.

The French War Department is engaged in making out lists of motor vehicles which may be regarded as available in case of war. The automobiles are divided into three classes, according to the carrying capacity. The census includes the public service vehicles.

Philadelphia Applies Kalsomine To Lajoie's Cleveland Misfits

Dygart On the Job Every Moment of the Game.

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—The Naps were easy for the Athletics today, Dygart having the sign on them at all stages. The score:

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plicker, r. f.	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Bradley, 3 b.	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Nill, s. s.	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Lajoie, 2 b.	3	0	1	1	1	0	0
Bemis, c. f.	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Hinchman, c. f. i. f.	4	0	1	3	0	0	0
Birmingham, c. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0	0
Lister, 1 b.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berger, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rhoades, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	4	24	14	0	0

*Batted for Berger in third.
Error—Murphy.
Cleveland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Philadelphia.....1 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 4
Two-base hit—Lajoie. Hit—Off Berger.
2 in 3 innings—off Rhoades, 3 in 6 innings.
Sacrifice hit—Oldring. Stolen bases—Nill, Davis, 1 b., Cleveland 7, Philadelphia 7.
0 Base on balls—Off Rhoades 4, off Dygart 2. First base on errors—Cleveland 1. Hit by pitcher—By Dygart 1. Struck out—By Rhoades 1, by Dygart 8. Wild pitch—Rhoades 1. Time, 1:50. Umpires, Connolly and O'Loughlin.

COFFEE BEAN CHOKES CHILD.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—A coffee bean caused the death of Loretta Martin, 4-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mary Martin, 5221 Fifth avenue. Mrs. Martin was grinding coffee for dinner while the little girl played about the kitchen floor. Several beans flew from the mill held in the mother's lap, and the child picked one up and put it in her mouth. By accident she partly swallowed it and it lodged in her windpipe. Before it could be removed the child choked to death in her mother's arms.

TORONTO SUBURBS FOR ANNEXATION.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—If Toronto Junction and the portions of York Township which are asking to be taken in by the city are granted their request, the population of Toronto will be increased by 15,500. Yesterday the board of control was waited upon by deputations from those places asking for annexation.

KINGSTON IS GROWING.

Kingston, Oct. 2.—The assessment returns give a total value of \$8,298,775, an increase of \$330,000. The increase in population is only 300, but this is

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.
Philadelphia	4	2	2	0	0	0	0
Hartel, 1 f.	4	1	2	1	0	0	0
Nicholls, s. s.	4	1	2	1	0	0	0
Seybold, r. f.	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Davis, 1 b.	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Murphy, 2 b.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Collins, 3 b.	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Oldring, c. f.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Schreckengost, c. f.	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Dygart, p.	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	4	10	27	13	0	0

*Batted for Berger in third.
Error—Murphy.
Cleveland.....0 0

WHISKY MADE HIM
PUNCHOUT WINDOWSJohn Griffith Had a High Old Time,
But Had to Pay the
Piper.

Fred Dutton, who was arrested last week on an information laid by his wife charging him with stealing chickens from the coop of his little boy, was bailed this morning in the sum of \$100 to appear in a week.

His worship said that it was unnecessary for him to dwell again upon the meanness of the crime, but he thought it advisable that in future Dutton and his wife had better come to some understanding about living apart, so that she will not be bothered with him any more. Dutton was given a week to make the arrangement in.

Punched Out Windows.

John Griffith got a big cargo of joy water on board yesterday and started out to paint whole townships red. After sticking his fist through the plate glass window of Mr. Charles, the Dundas street barber, Griffith was placed behind the bars.

This morning he stated that he was pretty drunk and did not remember having broken the window.

He paid Mr. Charles \$5.25 for the damage occasioned, and after paying the court \$1 more was allowed to go.

Merely Medicine.

William Davidson who has appeared several times before for being drunk stated that he had got cramps Tuesday and took some liquid refreshments as a means of alleviating his suffering. The excuse didn't go, however, and he left the court after reluctantly separating himself from \$3.

Absent-Minded.

Joseph McGinnis, who recently took the pledge, apparently forgot all about it until he found himself before the magistrate this morning. Then he was willing to sign half a dozen pledges if necessary, but his worship thought that a short stay at Camp Carter might be more effective. In vain McGinnis pleaded that some horses he had would be starved if he were not let go to feed them and his worship said that some means would have to be devised to feed Mrs. McGinnis of her husband, who uses her anything but kindly.

Joseph Tait was sent to jail for a week to get some of the whisky out of his system.

WANTS INVESTIGATION

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to try it. I feel very keenly about this matter. I want the board to get every pound of coal it pays for, and more than that I want the board and the citizens to know beyond a doubt that every pound of coal paid for is delivered. Then there will be no chance for the rumors that one hears on the street. I have figures and affidavits for the committee, and that will show that something has been wrong; at least, if not wrong, then very careless. It is a serious matter."

Made an Investigation.

This morning Trustee Strong went on an investigation into conditions. He found that from between 190 and 200 tons of coal had been delivered at the Collegiate Institute and there were vouchers for only 50 tons that had been weighed on the city scales. This would be from five to six cars of coal.

Trustee Teasdale, chairman of No. 2 committee, admitted that the contractor had permission to put in some coal from the cars without weighing.

He also found a man who delivered coal at the Alder street school, the Lorne avenue school, St. George's school, the Talbot school and the Collegiate and he is prepared to swear. Mr. Strong says that he never had the signature of any of the janitors of these schools for any coal he delivered.

The janitor of the Talbot street school says that two or three cars of coal were delivered at the school which he never signed for.

Different Last Year.

Last year every ton of coal had vouchers for, and there was no difficulty whatever. In addition there are fifteen other schools and it is presumed that conditions are the same in these schools.

The matter of delivering coal to outsiders from the cars supposed to be for the schools, will also be sworn to, says Trustee Strong.

The affair is very interesting from the fact that \$1,087.30 was spent for fuel last year, and the sum will be larger this year. There should be vouchers for every ton of coal going into the schools, Mr. Strong says.

ANNUAL REPORT OF C. P. R.

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circumstances will make it necessary to continue these expenditures year by year, but it may be on a somewhat reduced scale.

To provide the requisite means your directors will, at a future date, sanction the issue of the balance of share capital, and when required, but there is sufficient funds in hand to meet all immediate requirements.

In Ontario, although the yield of wheat was satisfactory, the season has not been an auspicious one for other crops, and in Western Canada, where you are more largely interested, the very dry season has resulted in a shrinkage of 25 per cent in the quantity of marketable wheat as compared with last autumn.

There will, however, be a very considerable increase in the quantity of oats and other grains, so that, with the higher price of wheat, the farmers of Western Canada will receive in the aggregate quite a good deal more for their produce as they did last year.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

PRIVATE SALE, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, stoves, bed room sets, dining room set, carpets. 53 Colborne street.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING AND LADIES' tailoring. Terms moderate. Miss Brown, 46 Dundas.

WANTED—PAINTERS WANTED: AP-PROX 125 Bruce street, after 6 o'clock.

TROUBLES ARE ON
INCREASE DAILYAnother Charge Against Charles
Johnson, Who Was Arrested
in London.

A charge of stealing a suit of clothes, hat and shoes from O. M. Wigle, of Kingsville, confronts Charles Johnson, who is now under prison in Stratford for forgery. This evidence is believed by the police to be Clyde N. Johnson, who served three years for the theft of a horse some time ago. He was arrested in London as a pickpocket and has since been very much in demand. The Stratford police wanted him on four charges of forgery and got him. Now evidence has been secured to convict him on the theft charge.

A man who claimed to have been Johnson visited Kingsville three months ago under the name of Hal Herrington, and got away after stealing the clothes from Wigle. Since then the police have been looking for him in Windsor and Detroit without success. When Johnson was arrested Chief Wigle communicated with the Stratford police, sending a description of the articles and Monday he received the clothes from him.

Y. M. C. A. BOWLING ALLEY

Formally Opened for the Season Last Night.

The Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys were opened for the season last night when Hon. President E. R. Wilson, threw the first ball down alley No. 1, amidst cheering and applause by those present. After the opening ceremony, two picked teams composed of the executive and alley committee, bowled the games of the evening. The team captained by F. Wilson winning out over J. Russell's team by only ten pins.

High score was made by J. Russell, as well as high average, but he was closely followed by F. Wilson, only two or three pins separating them.

The alleys are now open to all members of the "Y" on Monday and Friday nights, and to "Y" members who are also members of the bowling club, the rest of the week, so it would be well to join the club at once.

NO CURVE IN 70 MILES

A Remarkable Stretch of Roadbed on the Grand Trunk Pacific.

There is a remarkable stretch of railway without any bend or curve on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, according to the report of Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald, of Peterboro, who has just returned from a surveying trip along the Metagan River for the Ontario Government. It is over 70 miles in length, has no rock cuttings and no obstructions other than rivers, and is believed to be the longest tangent on any railway on the American continent.

Mr. Fitzgerald is accompanied by his fellow-surveyors, Messrs. J. W. Cole, Alvinston, and Jas. H. Guelph. They bring encouraging reports as to the character of the country. The soil found was better than that reported last year, and the country more rolling, higher and drier.

TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA

No Reply to Canada's Proposals for Reciprocal Trade.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—A report has been received at the Department of Trade and Commerce from Mr. Ross, the Canadian agent at Melbourne, in which he says that the proposals made by Canada for a reciprocal trade agreement with Australia were submitted to the acting prime minister on Aug. 29, with a request that the negotiations should be entered upon at the earliest possible date. To the progress made, Canada would be advised by cable.

So far no advice of any progress has been made. Mr. Ross complains that on some cases not being attended to, and in other canceled after having been received, because of a change in the price of goods.

MUST PAY THE POLICY

Decision in Favor of Dead G. T. R. Switchman's Mother.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Oct. 2.—The Belleville jury decided last night that Mrs. Crooks, mother of J. J. Crooks, G. T. R. switchman, was entitled to \$1,000, the amount of a policy in the Mutual Life of Canada. The company claimed that the deceased insured as a car checker when he was actually a switchman, a risk they would under no circumstances take, and they were therefore not liable.

He was killed a few days after the policy was taken out.

Dreadful things have been taking place in the famine districts of China. A missionary wrote early in the present year: "We see children left to die on the road; others stripped of their clothes and deserted; women weeping for their babies whom the husband and father has drowned; others sold for food; families committing suicide wholesale, or dying in batches of starvation. Oh, it is awful! The figures run into millions and our countrymen are one big camp and a veritable hotbed of disease and crime. The roads are full of hungry men getting desperate."

For Sunday Cars.

The committee solicit subscriptions to aid in campaign for Sunday cars. All those willing to help send subscriptions to Mr. W. J. Jex, Ridout street south, treasurer. Mr. Ernest Atkins and Mr. H. Ashplant have been appointed auditors.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

In case the world's championship baseball games are played off in Detroit the Hermitage Club of this city will run an excursion. The rates will be \$1.60 for the round trip, tickets good from Saturday until Monday inclusive.

A social was held on Monday evening at the First Methodist Church in the form of a farewell to Dr. and Mrs. Crawford, outgoing missionaries to China. A splendid programme was provided, at the close of which they were presented with a purse of \$100 in gold by the Sunday School and Epworth League. Refreshments were then served.

Civil Service Exams.

The civil service examinations will be held on the 5th of November at the custom house, and will be conducted by Mr. George Duncan.

Liberal Club Alleys.

The Liberal Club bowling alleys are running again and good crowds are on the alleys every evening. The competitions will commence soon.

The McWatters Fund.

The Advertiser today received the following contributions for the McWatters relief fund: J. B. Lucas, \$1; member of Advertiser staff \$5; C. S. \$1.

Popular Fire Chief.

Chief TenEyck won the gold watch donated by the Hamilton Veteran Firemen's Association in connection with a recent entertainment, for the most popular fireman. The award was made at a meeting of the Vets., and the chief made a runaway race of it.

Goes to New York.

Mr. Thomas Collison, of the Collison House, Mitchell, breeder of high-class cocker spaniels, has sold "Talbot," one of his year-old dogs, to a gentleman in Brooklyn, N. Y., for a good figure. This dog took first prize at the Toronto Exhibition, and his mate, "Mystery," was the winner of the second prize.

Mr. Wise's Condition.

The condition of Mr. John Wise, who was so terribly injured at the McClary works yesterday, shows no change today. Owing to the numerous fractures he sustained the physicians have deemed it advisable not to remove his bandages for several days. If blood poisoning does not develop there is some hope of saving the patient's right arm.

Bonus to Teachers.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education, has issued two circulars with a view to developing "elementary agriculture and horticulture and school gardens" in the village and rural schools. It has been decided to grant direct to the rural teacher, who is qualified for the teaching of this branch at the Ontario Agricultural College, and inaugurates the work in the school, a sum of \$30 per annum as long as the work is continued.

Journeyed to St. Thomas.

Approximately sixty of the local Knights of Pythias journeyed to St. Thomas last night, where a most enjoyable evening was spent. The third of the visitors, who were much pleased with the manner in which the work was gone through. At the close of the lodge meeting a splendid banquet was tendered the London Knights, during which speeches were given by prominent members from both cities.

Miss Cahill's Father.

The story that Miss Marie Cahill's father was in London, and in a certain institution here is evidently made up. Miss Cahill was born in Brooklyn, and is not a Canadian by birth. She has seen Woodstock, but did not live there. There are a number of people by the name of Cahill, but not many of them are relatives of Marie. That was the information given to The Advertiser by a theatrical man connected with the company in which Miss Cahill is playing.

Ask for a Stay.

The Monarch Fire Insurance Company, which had been made the defendant in a suit for alleged non-payment of premium due on loss by fire, has signified its intention of asking for a motion to stay proceedings on the part of the plaintiffs, the London Hat and Cap Company, until such time as the indebtedness can be appraised. The matter will come on for judgment next Saturday. McKillop & Murphy are acting for the Insurance company, and Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons are attending to the interests of the plaintiffs.

A Canadian in Iowa.

A couple of years ago, Mr. W. R. Manning, a gifted Middlesex boy, well known to many in this city, who had won distinction as a public and model school principal in Western Ontario, accepted a position as teacher and training secretary for the Sabbath School Association of Iowa, which he has since filled with devotion and marked success. This has opened the way to his cordial reception as a minister in the Des Moines Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and his appointment as pastor of the important charge of Highland Park Church, adjacent to the famous Highland Park College of 2,000 students, in a fine residential portion of the city of Des Moines, where he began his ministerial duties last Sunday.

Late Arch. McAlpine.

The remains of the late Archibald McAlpine, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital Tuesday, were taken to Glencoe this morning where the funeral took place this afternoon. The late Mr. McAlpine, who was in his 70th year, was an old and highly-respected resident of Glencoe, having lived there almost continuously until about five years ago, when he went to Alberta, where he was most successful. He is survived by his wife, six sons and one daughter, as follows: Miss Elizabeth McAlpine, Detroit, Mich.; John S. Al-pine, Charles A. Joseph, William D. Archibald, all of Alberta. He also leaves four brothers and three sisters, as follows: Mr. Alexander McAlpine, Mr. Duncan McAlpine, of Vancouver, Ont.; Dr. McAlpine, of Glencoe; Donald McAlpine, of Bruce street, this city; Mrs. Margaret Gillies and Mrs.

RUBBER

When you buy rubber it pays to get it. There are few things in which quality counts for more than in rubber goods.

The demands of our trade require us to carry more than one quality of rubber goods, but one quality is sold for what it is, and is sold at an honest price. We carry practically everything in the line of Syringes, Hot Water Bottles, Sickness Supplies, etc.

W. T. Strong.

Chemist and Druggist,
184 DUNDAS ST., LONDON, ONT.
Strong's Baking Powder Leads.
Others Follow.

Catherine Gillies, of Glencoe; Mrs. Jas. Dewey, Sarnia, Flimflammed Strangers.

Five Englishmen, who have lately come to this city, certainly do not like this country. Not long ago the party obtained work, and the five of them went to board with a lady who lived at 246 Dundas street, so they say. They started to board all right, but the first day the lady said that it was customary to pay board in advance in this country, and the Englishmen, although none too prosperous, got enough money together to pay the one week's board each. Then the lady moved out, and left the Englishmen with no landlady, and no board. They had their luggage, but nothing else.

Judgment Reserved.

At Osgoode Hall Tuesday in the case of Pense vs. Northern Life Assurance Company—T. H. Purdon, K. C., for defendants, appealed from judgment of Mabee, J., 8 O. W. R., 646, in favor of plaintiff, an action to recover from defendants \$2,000, the amount of two insurance policies issued by them upon the life of George Zieler, jun., and assigned to plaintiff. The defense was that the policies had lapsed by reason of non-payment of the premiums, but Mabee, J., upon his construction of the peculiar wording of the policies, held that they were in force at the time of the death of the insured, on Nov. 8, 1906, and gave judgment for \$2,000, less the current year's premium on the second policy, with interest from date of writ and costs. A. B. Cunningham (Kingston), for plaintiff, opposed appeal. Reserved.

FLOGGING FOR BAD BOYS

Suggestion Made by the Petersburg Grand Jury.

Peterboro, Ont. 2.—The fall assizes, Mr. Justice Magee presiding, closed yesterday. The grand jury in its presentment recommended better remuneration for the grand and petit jurors, and that corporal punishment by flogging of all youths under the age of eighteen years for petty crimes be at the discretion of the police magistrate.

AMONG THE FINEST

Splendid Work Done on G. T. P. From Portage la Prairie.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—Judge Killam, chairman of the railway commission, who returned to Ottawa after a two month absence in the west, states that the railway conditions in the western provinces were now much improved, as compared with last fall, and no difficulty in handling grain traffic was experienced during the rest of the year.

The commission's Winnipeg inspector has inspected seventy miles of the new G. T. P. line from Portage la Prairie, now ready to handle traffic, and reports it to be one of the finest bits of railway in the world.

Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, the Government consulting engineer, goes west from Ottawa today to inspect the progress of construction work on the G. T. P.

LEFT A TRAIL OF SPARKS

Sky-Gazers in New York Report Seeing a Majestic Meteor.

New York, Oct. 2.—A meteor of majestic proportions swept the western sky early last night. To onlookers here it appeared larger and brighter than any arc light seen a block away, but was of a more bluish hue. It left a track of sparks also. It left the course as it seemed to travel from due north to due south, and the apparent slowness of its movement greatly impressed all those who saw it. Some declare it to have been seen for a full minute.

MEDAL FOR BRAVE DIVER

Frank Hughes, of Australia, Specially Honored by the King.

Toronto, Oct. 2.—Another breezy session of the counsel engaged on the York County Loans and Savings Company took place before Official Referee Kapelle, at his office, yesterday. In most of the classes were formally filed with the court, and the bylaws of the company were put in. Accountant Alfred Herington, of the National Trust Company, was sworn, and certified to a schedule of claims which have been filed with the liquidator. The great mass of the claims comprised in class 4 will be taken up immediately following Oct. 15.

ROBBERS HOLD UP TRAIN

Opened Mail Car With Dynamite and Held Up 200 Passengers.

Odesa, Oct. 2.—A train, having on board over 200 passengers, was held up last night by a band of robbers. They opened the mail car by exploding dynamite. The explosion sent the car on fire and the passengers communicated to a crowd of passengers on the train. The children were badly burned before they could escape.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Oct. 1. Reported at. From.
Carnegie. New York. Liverpool.
Kron Prinz Wilh. Bremen.
Petersburg. New York. Bremen.
Venezia. New York. Bremen.
Marian. Greenetown. Philadelphia.
Nordland. Boston. Philadelphia.
Laurentian. Glasgow. Philadelphia.
Barbarossa. Bremen. Boston.
Kaiser Wilhelm. Bremen. New York.
Der Grosse. Bremen. New York.
Finland. Antwerp. New York.
Princess Irene. Gibraltar. New York.
America. Marseille. New York.

R. J. Young & Co. — R. J. Young & Co.

A SPLENDID ASSEMBLAGE OF NEW COATS AND SKIRTS

New garments have been continuously coming from the hands of Canada's best ladies' tailors, until now we have a stock of women's garments that is in every respect a display of good taste and exclusiveness. Make selection now while stocks are most complete. A deposit will hold any skirt or coat until you're ready for it.

A Smart Coat at \$8.50

Made of stylish imported tweeds in dark colorings, both semi-fitting and full box back, self strapped over shoulder, full 50 inches long. Special, each.....\$8.50

A Stylish Black Coat for \$10

Forty-six inches long, coat collar, two straps of goods front and back, made of all-wool black kersey, a cloth that will give the most satisfactory wear. Special, each.....\$10.00

Elegantly Tailored, Tight-Fitting Black Coats

Made of all-wool black kersey cloth, 50 inches long, all welted seams, half lined. A particularly natty garment. Same as cut. Very special, at.....\$15.00

A New Walking Skirt at \$3.95

Nine-gore style, pleated to knee, silk trimmed, made of good quality vicuna cloth, in black and navy.

All-Wool Venetian Skirts

Made in nine and eleven gore styles, with three folds of goods around bottom; black, navy and new brown. A regular \$7.00 skirt for.....\$5.50

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How to Prevent Typhoid Fever

A circular from Ottawa embodying precautions regarding typhoid is timely. In part it reads:

Public methods of sanitation have been developed in a splendid manner wherever population has admitted of the expenditure. These methods have actually lessened the typhoid, despite the fact that dense populations have rapidly concentrated where nothing was prepared for their reception.

Public water supplies replace old wells which invariably become polluted, and pure water reservoirs are carefully guarded to prevent contamination by debris from human beings.

Sewers do away with open pits, and also drain out old sewers. All contaminated drainage is carried to outlets whence the germs will not reach the food or water used by human beings.

Large cities control and inspect all supplies of milk, fruit and vegetables, and other foods.

The urgent necessity of personal effort to stamp out this plague of typhoid is forgotten because the individual unwittingly depends too much on general methods alone.

Human beings are the only animals that contract typhoid fever. It is a germ disease. A germ may be considered a very minute plant growth. It is like a fine particle of moss, easily transported, and if fresh, ready to take root and grow.

The typhoid germ is taken through the mouth, swallowed, passed into the stomach and into the intestines, where it takes root and grows. The growth creates substances which poison the system, until our bodies automatically produce an antidote.

Yellow fever enters the South only by importation from less careful communities.

AFTER OCTOBER 13

Class 4 of York Loan Claims Will Soon Be Taken Up.

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PITCHING INTO C. P. R.

Telegraph Company is Charged With Unjustifiable Discrimination.

Winnipeg, Oct. 2.—A case is being prepared that may affect telegraph rates all over Canada. Because of the alleged arbitrary action of the C. P. R. in charging friendly interests in the newspaper business less rates than those avowedly hostile, a case is being prepared to be carried before the railway commission at once.

The charge has been made for years against the C. P. R. that this discrimination was being made in order to control the western dailies. Lately these papers have broken away and formed an associated press of their own. Telegraph rates in all C. P. R. territory are many times the rates for the same distance in the States, and it is claimed are made prohibitive where papers are un-derfriendly. The case being prepared for the railway commission will allege other charges, such as censoring press reports.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Oct. 2.—Wheat—Spot nominal; firm and steady. December, 8s; March, 8s 1/2d; May, 8s 3/4d.

Corn—Spot, prime mixed American, steady, 5s 10 1/2d; Futures steady; December, 5s 9 1/2d; January, 5s 9 1/2d.

Barley—Spot, prime mixed American, steady, 5s 10 1/2d; Futures steady; December, 5s 9 1/2d; January, 5s 9 1/2d.

Peas—Canadian firm, 7s 2d.

Pork—Prime mess western, 7s 3d.

Bacon—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 46s.

Lard—Short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, strong, 57s 6d; long clear middles, light, 55 to 58 lbs, firm, 54s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 55s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 45s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 54s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 36s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tins, steady, 46s 3d; American refined, in tins, steady, 46s 6d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, strong, 60s; do, colored, strong, 51s.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 33s 6d; Australian (in London) easy, 33s 6d.

Resin—Refined steady, 10s 9d.

Turpentine—Spot, steady, 7s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined firm, 7 1/2d.

Linseed Oil—Firm, 25s 1/2d.

Cottonseed Oil (Raid refined)—Spot firm, 27s 1/2d.

A Bad Stomach

Lessens the usefulness and mars the happiness of life.

It's a weak stomach, a stomach that can not properly perform its functions.

Among the symptoms are distress after eating, nausea, belching, heartburn, bloating, vomiting, flatulence and nervous headaches.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures a bad stomach, indigestion and dyspepsia, and the cure is permanent.

Accept no substitutes.

PETERS' TEA ROOM

Luncheon

Served from 11:30 till 2 o'clock

Afternoon Tea

From 4 till 6:30 o'clock

Comfortable Room. Good Service. Delicacies Daily Served.

PETERS' TEA ROOM

STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Beecher, stockbroker, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, New York, Oct. 2:

New York, Oct. 2.—No. 1.—Very little attention was paid to the lower prices for American in London this morning. Brooklyn Rapid Transit sprang into prominence, a tip having been given to the market to buy it for a sharp advance. There is a report current that as soon as the investigation of the Interborough Metropolitan is over, a dividend of 4 per cent will be declared on Brooklyn Rapid Transit. London houses were fairly good sellers, but arbitrage business was fairly good. The selling of Atchison was owing to the narrowness of the London market. The selling of Atchison was based upon the unfavorable character of the August statement, which was published yesterday afternoon. Anxiety in relation to the President's speech is diminishing. It is believed that he will simply reiterate what he has said before, and that his speech will be largely discounted by the low prices which exist for securities. It is rumored that one large bear operator is nervous over his position, and has been trying to cover stocks.

NEW YORK.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Open	High	Low	Close
Amalg. Copper	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
American Locomotive	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
American Foundry	37	36 1/2	37
American Refining Co.	87	86 1/2	87 1/2
Am. Steel & Wire	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Baltimore & Annapolis	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Chas. & Ohio	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Cole, Great Western	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, Oct. 2.
Hay was in small supply and the demand was good, at \$15 to \$16 per ton.
Straw sold at \$7 per ton.
Date sold at \$1.54 to \$1.55 per cwt.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The markets the past week were well attended by the farmers and buyers. Trade was brisk in nearly every line, and the prices obtained by the farmers should have been satisfactory to them, as they were considered high by those who had to make purchases.
Grain—The supply of oats is about equal to the demand; prices are steady at \$1.55 to \$1.57 per cwt for new and \$1.60 for old oats. Wheat is selling at 90c per bu. Barley, at \$1.35 per cwt. A nice lot of beans sold at \$1.25 per bu.
Hay and Straw—Hay continues to be a brisk sale, and there is no indication of lower prices at present; sales are made in nearly every case at \$15 per ton. Straw is scarce and higher in price, at \$7 per ton.
Butter and Eggs—Butter is exceedingly scarce; prices are 25c to 26c for crocks, and 26c to 27c for rolls; creamery, 29c to 30c. Eggs are in excellent demand and prices are higher than a week ago; sales are made at 22c to 23c for crates and basket lots, and 25c by the single dozen.
Poultry—The demand is fairly brisk, at 80c to \$1 per bag; most of the sales are made at 90c.
Apples—Not many are being bought for winter yet; most of those offered are of inferior quality; sales are made at 40c to 50c per bu; winter apples, at \$4.50 to \$5.00 per barrel, and they will be higher.
Poultry—The dealers are offering 50c per lb for spring chickens which are of large size, and 10c per lb, live weight, for birds which weigh about 5 lbs to the pair; old fowl are dull, and 7c to 8c for ducks in fair demand, 10c to 12c for geese in fair demand; turkeys, 11c to 12c per lb.
Dressed Hogs—Most of the sales are made at 8c 50 per cwt; the demand is good.
Live Hogs—The buyers are looking for lower prices; for last Monday's shipment \$5 per cwt was paid; the price for next Monday will be about the same.
Butcher's Meats—Beef, at \$4.50 to \$5.00 per cwt; mutton, at \$5.50 to \$6.00 per cwt.
Hides—Prices are 1c per lb lower, at 6c for No. 1, 5c for No. 2, and 4c for No. 3.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRIORS.
Glasgow, Oct. 1.—Edward Watson & Ritchie report 212 cattle on offer, with a sharp trade for top quality; secondary and inferior are slow; tops, 12c to 13c; secondary, 11c to 12c; butts, 10c to 10c 50c.

CHICAGO.
Chicago, Oct. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, about 2,000; market steady; beef, at \$7.50 to \$8.00; hogs, at \$6.50 to \$7.00; sheep, at \$5.00 to \$5.50; butts, at \$4.50 to \$5.00; mutton, at \$5.50 to \$6.00; lamb, at \$6.00 to \$6.50; yearlings, at \$5.50 to \$6.00; lambs, at \$5.50 to \$6.00; western, at \$5.50 to \$6.00; hays, at \$1.50 to \$1.75; straw, at \$1.50 to \$1.75.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Oct. 1.—Baled Hay—Steady, at \$15 to \$17 in car lots on track; unbaled straw steady, at \$8 to \$9.50 on track.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.
New York, Oct. 1.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.40c; molasses sugar, 3.10c; refined steady.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Sugar—Steady; fair refining, 3.40c; molasses sugar, 3.10c; refined steady.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.
Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 1.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.78.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Oct. 1.—Credit balances, \$1.78.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.
Detroit, Oct. 1.—There is a big demand for beans, and offerings are small; the price gained 5c to 10c yesterday, and only one car changed hands. Quotations: Cash, \$2.15; October, \$2.15 bid; November, 1 car at \$2.25; December, 2 cars bid, \$2.25 asked.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Oct. 2.—Dollar wheat is still in evidence in the street market here, while out-of-town buyers are quoting 97c to 98c. The great bulk of the new winter wheat is so good that dealers are inclined to pay good prices. Deliveries are found to be gradually improving as the price advances. Prices are:
Wheat—No. 2 white winter, \$1. at Toronto; No. 2 red or mixed, 98c to 99c at Toronto; Manitoba, No. 1, 98c to 99c; northern, \$1.00; No. 2, 98c to 99c, at lake ports.
Barley—Firm, at 55c to 70c, according to grade.
Oats—No. 2 white, 50c; mixed, 49c outside.
Rye—75c outside.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 85c outside.
Corn—No. 2 yellow American, 75c. Toronto freight: No. 2 yellow, 72c; No. 2 mixed, 71c.
Flour—Ontario 50 per cent patents, \$3.55 bid for export; Manitoba special brand, \$3.50; second patents, \$3.20; strong bakers, \$3.25.
Milled—Bran, \$2.50 to \$2.55, in bulk outside; shorts, \$2.50 to \$2.55.
Butter, Cheese and Eggs—Firm and unchanged.

WOOL MARKET.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Oct. 1.—Wool—Business is very dull, but traders are still able to pay last week's prices. Quotations are: Unwashed, 12c to 13c per lb; washed, 22c to 23c; rejects, 15c.

LEATHER MARKET.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Oct. 1.—Leather—Travelers who are now in the west report that the movement of goods into consumers' hands has been retarded by the general uncertainty, and that stocks in retailers' hands are quite large. Prices have a steady tendency to fall, but the general uncertainty is a factor in the market. Sales are made at 22c to 23c for Spanish sole, No. 1, 20c to 21c for Spanish sole, No. 2, 18c to 19c for Spanish sole, No. 3, 16c to 17c for Spanish sole, No. 4, 14c to 15c for Spanish sole, No. 5, 12c to 13c for Spanish sole, No. 6, 10c to 11c for Spanish sole, No. 7, 8c to 9c for Spanish sole, No. 8, 6c to 7c for Spanish sole, No. 9, 4c to 5c for Spanish sole, No. 10, 2c to 3c for Spanish sole, No. 11, 1c to 2c for Spanish sole, No. 12, 10c to 11c for Spanish sole, No. 13, 8c to 9c for Spanish sole, No. 14, 6c to 7c for Spanish sole, No. 15, 4c to 5c for Spanish sole, No. 16, 2c to 3c for Spanish sole, No. 17, 1c to 2c for Spanish sole, No. 18, 10c to 11c for Spanish sole, No. 19, 8c to 9c for Spanish sole, No. 20, 6c to 7c for Spanish sole, No. 21, 4c to 5c for Spanish sole, No. 22, 2c to 3c for Spanish sole, No. 23, 1c to 2c for Spanish sole, No. 24, 10c to 11c for Spanish sole, No. 25, 8c to 9c for Spanish sole, No. 26, 6c to 7c for Spanish sole, No. 27, 4c to 5c for Spanish sole, 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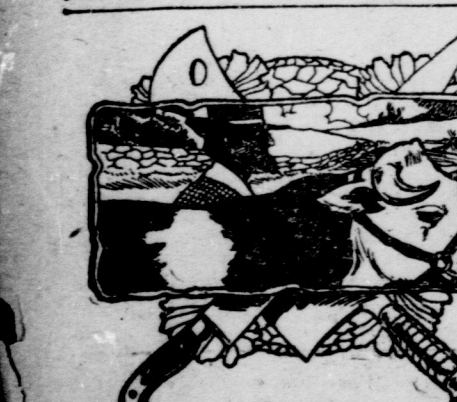
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. R. R. Brett, editor of the Essex Free Press, was in the city today.

—Major Beattie and Mr. Samuel Monroe have returned after a short visit to Wallborough.

—Mrs. G. E. McBride and daughter, of Victoria avenue, are the guests of Mrs. Henderson at Wardsville.

—Sergeant Webster, R. C. R. Wolseley Barracks, has left for Chatham, where he will be instructor of the provisional school.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas, Gore road, have left on a month's visit to Iowa, where two brothers of Mrs. Thomas reside and whom she has not seen in thirty-five years.

—The case against the Wright Hat Company, of London, for an infringement of the trademark of the act in St. Thomas was adjourned in St. Thomas court until Monday next.

—Mr. Charles James, of the Windsor Hotel, King street, wishes it understood that the three men ejected from his premises on Saturday obtained no liquor there, but were put out because they were quarrelling in the hallway. They were not hoboes, as stated, but city men. "I am conducting a good hotel and keeping the law," said Mr. James, "and I will not tolerate objectionable characters, or any brawling on my premises."

Will Take a Course.

Lieut. S. H. Langford and Lieut. J. L. Tranter, of the Thirty-second Regiment, have arrived at Wolseley Barracks, where they will take a six week's course.

Card of Thanks.

At the last regular meeting of the W. C. T. U., a vote of thanks was passed to all those who assisted in the serving of meals at the W. C. T. U. dining hall during the fair.

New Songs.

Paterson & Sons, of Edinburgh, the leading Scottish music publishers, have just placed on the market, "A Wee Sprig O' Heather," a pretty Scottish song written by John Alexander; Alice Buntin's sweet lullaby, "Hush-a-bye, Birdie," and "Over the Sea to Skye," by Robert Louis Stevenson. Other publications of this firm in the form of quaint Scottish airs are fast finding favor.

Miss Wilkie Will Sing.

Miss Isabel Wilkie, late of Scotland, who has recently created a great impression in musical circles with her marvellously sweet contralto voice, will appear with Mr. W. H. Hewlett, Mus. Bac., of Hamilton, at an organ recital in the First Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, Oct. 3.

Miss Wilkie is a pupil of Mr. J. L. Galbraith, and by request she will render one of his own compositions, "Lead, Kindly Light."

Lodge Instituted.

A lodge of the International Order of Good Templars was instituted at 24 Ridout street last night, following being the officers installed: C. T. Fred W. Robins; V. T. Miss Ethel Phillips; secretary, Thos. Foreman; F. S. J. A. Bailey, treasurer; Mrs. Robins; L. D. and chaplain, Harry Johnson; marshal, Fred R. Peak; guard, Miss Maggie Robins. No less than ten English lodges were represented by those present, the meetings will be held at above address every Tuesday evening.

Well-Deserved Presentation.

The home of Mrs. Will Burnett (nee Lambourne) on "The Grade" of London Township, was the scene of a very pleasant event last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Burnett before her recent marriage was a member of the choir of the First Methodist Church, and on the evening named the members of the choir gathered at her home and presented her with two very handsome pieces of art china. The presentation was made by Mr. Chas. Goulding, leader of the choir, assisted by Miss Martha Maxlock, organist, and Miss Irene Guest.

A Presentation.

A very pleasant event took place on Thursday evening, Sept. 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bolton, Marmora street, London, when Mr. and Mrs. W. Lane were surprised by a large gathering of friends representing the choir and Sabbath school of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, and were presented, on behalf of the former, with a half dozen knives, forks and spoons, and on behalf of the latter.

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ter, with a comfortable rocking chair, after which lunch was served. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all. Mr. Lane is superintendent of the Sabbath school and Mrs. Lane (formerly Miss Millie Ebbett) who formerly lived at 215 Watford, has been a very useful worker since her coming to London. All friends wish the young couple a happy and prosperous life-journey.

WATER TO PROVIDE CHURCH MUSIC

Commissioners Will Have the Pressure Turned On on Friday and Sunday Nights.

The water commissioners held their regular meeting last evening, but only routine business was transacted. The members present were: Chairman Darch, Commissioners Saunders, Engineer Moore, and Secretary Ellwood.

Smith Bros., plumbers, who had the contract for putting in the services in the Bank of Commerce building, protested against the account of \$107.07 charged against them by the commission, on account of the expense caused by the opening of the street. The firm claimed that Superintendent Moore had estimated \$75.

The work had to be done on Sunday, and the cost was necessarily larger.

The matter was referred to Chairman Darch for adjustment.

Petitions for services on Methuen avenue were referred to Engineer Moore.

Lawns for bowling and tennis will be built on the old baseball grounds, south of the pavilion at Springfield.

The pumping engineer's report showed a daily average of 3,100,000 gallons.

The usual lot of accounts were passed.

Superintendent Moore was instructed to see that the pressure was turned on Friday, as well as on Sunday evenings, as many churches had complained that it was impossible to run the organs owing to the lack of pressure. This will be done whenever the conditions of the reservoir will permit it.

ST. PAUL'S CLUB

Will Meet on Thursday Night to Discuss Interesting Subjects.

The first meetings of the St. Paul's Club will take place in Cronyn Hall at 8 o'clock, on Thursdays, the 3rd and 10th.

The men of St. Paul's congregation have established this club for the discussion of questions of vital importance to modern Christian life and are cordially inviting all men interested in the welfare of the church and city to attend.

An able address by some well-known speakers will open each discussion, and the result should be strengthening of knowledge and mutual fellowship.

The topic on Thursday is "The Canon (Gen. 1, 1-5) Introduced by Canon Darch. On the following Thursday, "The City Water Question," on which Sheriff Cameron will first speak. These meetings will be continued throughout the winter and should be not only enjoyable, but of great service to the members.

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DR. J. D. WILSON FOR PRESIDENT

Stated for High Honor in the Canadian (L) of London.

A well-attended meeting of the members of the Canadian Club was held in the city hall last night for the purpose of appointing a committee to nominate officers for the coming year.

Frank Lawson was elected chairman, and the following officers were named, and will be voted upon at the general annual meeting of the club to be held on Tuesday evening next:

Past president, George C. Gibbons, K. C.; hon. president, Sir John Carlisle; hon. vice-presidents, Rev. Canon Dann, Senator Coffey; president, Dr. John D. Wilson; first vice-president, Frank Lawson; second vice-president, C. B. Edwards; secretary, S. Frank Glass; treasurer, J. A. Cottam; literary secretary, John M. Gunn; chairman literary committee, Jared Vin-ling; sports, B. C. McCann; financial, R. Arkell; executive committee, T. J. Murphy, Dr. Merchant, Arthur White, F. W. C. McCutcheon and C. R. Somerville.

POSTAGE REDUCTION

Cheaper Letter Rates to Great Britain and Elsewhere.

There is much important new information in the October local Postoffice Guide issued by London postoffice. Regulations as to Yukon winter mails; particulars as to extension of Special Delivery system; and announcement of further postage reduction. The postage on letters to Great Britain, Egypt and all parts of the British Empire, except Australia and Rhodesia, which has hitherto been 2 cents per half ounce, or fraction thereof, will be 2 cents per ounce or fraction thereof. Since Australia and Rhodesia have not yet signified their adherence to this change in the unit of weight, the rate on letters to those colonies will be as hitherto, 2 cents per half ounce or fraction thereof. The postage on letters to all postal union countries, with the exception of Great Britain and the British colonies mentioned in the foregoing paragraph, of the United States, Mexico and Egypt, will be 5 cents for each letter weighing one ounce or less. On letters weighing more than an ounce, the postage will be 5 cents for the first ounce, and 3 cents for each subsequent ounce or fraction of an ounce. Copies of the October Postoffice Guide may be obtained gratuitously, on application, or at general delivery wicket.

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Owing to the crowded condition of our factory at 195 Dundas street, we find it absolutely necessary to dispose of all pianos that have been returned from summer rent, and all odd styles of case in order to make room for our stock of new pianos that are coming on. Most of these instruments are partially new, having only been used a short time, some for the summer, some for concerts, some entirely new but in case design.

They are all the makes we have always sold, every one the best in their respective grade, and sold on our guarantee. This stock consists of Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, and Empress pianos. This will be the greatest opportunity ever offered in Western Ontario to the public. If you intend buying within the year, buy now. Come early and have a good chance to select from the large stock. Low prices, easy terms, store open evenings.

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It is stated by C. C. Georgeson, special agent of the United States department of agriculture, in charge of Alaskan investigations, that Alaska has agriculture possibilities to an extent which will make the fullest development of her resources practicable. The territory can furnish homesteads of 320 acres each to 200,000 families, and has abundant resources to support a population of 3,000,000 persons.

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ALL NAVIES NEED DREADNAUGHTS

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Sketch plans of many of the new battleships building are given, though in some cases these are largely conjectural. In the newly British Bellephophon class, according to Mr. Jane, the tripod mast has been moved about the after-funnel instead of being abaft the forefunnel, as in the original Dreadnaught. It is stated that the tree Dreadnaughts to be laid down this year will carry either eight 13.5-inch or twelve 12-inch guns. The former will probably prove to be correct, and in that case the British admiralty will have made a new and startling departure in abandoning the 12-inch gun, and going forward to a much larger and heavier weapon of about 75 tons weight.

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It is, however, now believed that the German ships are to carry twelve 12-inch guns in six turrets, two in each turret. But it is still possible that they will be so arranged as to fire all on the broadside. Four ships of this class are represented by Mr. Jane as having been laid down, but we have reason to believe that only one is as yet actually in hand. So, too, four of the six French Dreadnaughts are not as yet really laid down.

The total number of Dreadnaughts built, building or projected is, according to Fighting Ships, as follows:

Built. Bldg. P'ected. Total
England . . . 2 3 3 7
Germany . . . 0 4 0 4
France . . . 0 6 0 6
Italy . . . 0 4 0 4
Russia . . . 0 2 2 4
U. S. . . . 0 2 2 4

Of monster armored cruisers, corresponding in type to the Dreadnaught, England has three launched and Germany two laid down.

IN A FEW MONTHS

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