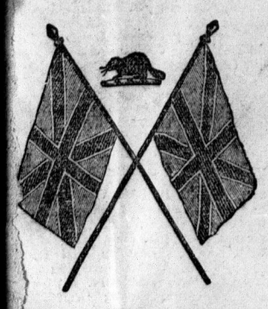
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THE POLITICAL ARENA.

Activity All Along the Liberal Lines.

Bonnar Nominated in North Bruce.

Arch. Campbell Will Contest Kent.

Mayor Taylor Running as an Independent and Equal Rights Candidate in East Middlesex—Political Points.

WEDNESDAY'S NOMINATIONS.

Bruce, N.—Dr. Bonnar (Lib.)
Center Toronto—G. R. R. Cockburn (Con.)
Essex, S.—Lewis Wigle (Con.)
Durham, W.—G. T. Blackstock (Con.)
Florence—Thomas Clyde (Lib.)
Glengarry—John McLennan (Lib.)
Halton—John Waldie (Lib.)
Huron, S.—John McMillan (Lib.)
Kent—Archibald Campbell (Lib.)
Lanark, N.—Joseph Jamieson (Con.)
Lennox—D. W. Allison (Lib.)
Leeds, S.—Geo. Taylor (Con.)
Middlesex, E.—Mayor Taylor (Ind. and Equal Rights).
Norfolk, S.—Col. Tisdale (Con.)
Ontario, N.—F. Madill (Con.)
Ontario, W.—J. D. Edgar (Lib.)
Perth, N.—Jas. Grieve (Lib.)
Peterboro, E.—A. R. Kid (Ind.)
Renfrew, N.—Peter White (Con.)
Victoria, N.—J. A. Barrn (Lib.)
Waterloo, S.—George A. Clare (Con.)
Wellington, S—Jas. Goldie (Con.)
Wellington, C.—W. H. Hunter (Con.)
York, W.—N. C. Wallace (Con.)

EAST PETERBOROUGH LIBERALS.

NORWOOD, Feb. 11.—The Reformers of East Peterborough assembled in convention to the number of about 350 or 400, all representative men of the riding and principally farmers. They elected the various officers of the East Peterborough Reform Association. Nominations were made as follows: Mr. Niven, of Haliburte, J. Lang, ex-M.P., and Thos. Rorke. Messrs. Lang and Niven withdrew, and Mr Thos. Rorke, of Norwood, was made the famous choice of the meeting amid the most enthusiastic applause. Old public me consider the result a forgone conclusion in this riding, and predict a grand victry for Mr. Rorke and reciprocity.

MR. DERBYSHIRE INBROCKVILLE.

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 11.—One of the largest conventions which has ever assembled in this riding was tat to nominate Mr. D. Derbyshire a candidate to contest Brockvillle riding at the coming contest in the Liberal interest. Mr. Derbyshire has bee mayor of Brockville the last two yrs, and is the strongest possible candiate the Liberals could place in the field. He is well-known as a dairyman, and is prident of the Ontario Creameries Association. Though the the riding was gerrymanered, the Liberals have strong hopes of wining with such a candidate, and are full enthusiasm at the prospects.

DR. PLATT FOR PRICE EDWARD.

PICTON, Feb. 10.—The largest and most enthusiastic Reform mss meeting ever assembled in Prince Edwrd was that which gathered to-day in the Twn Hall to select a candidate for the Hse of Commons. The hall was crowded to the doors and the aisles were filled wh standing men. The nomination of Dr. Platt, ex-M.P., was unanimous. No other nominations were made, and as Dr. Platt ame forward the dense crowd almost cered themselves hoarse.

Dr. Platt addressed te meeting in his happiest manner. As he ave notice of the first reciprocity resolutin in the House of Commons some four yes ago, he was glad to know that the sparkhen started had kindled into a flame tht threatended to sweep the present Govermnent from power and restore prosperity o Canada. The Conservatives had circated the report that Dr. Platt was goingo retire. If they got any consolation fromto-day's meeting they are heartily welcoe to it. Prince Edward is all right.

EAST NORTHUMBERLD LIBERALS.

WARKWORTH, Feb. 11—At the call of the president of the Rorm Association, W. R. Mather, of Hoa's Station, there assembled in the town hl yesterday one of the largest conventis ever held in this riding. It was unimous and enthusiastic. With one mi the Liberals of East Northumberland ha brought out a candidate in the perso of Mr. M. P. Ketchum, private bank of Brighton village, who will carry victory with him on March 5 and set at politi rest the voting machine who has mspresented this riding during a part of th last Parliament.

KENT.

CHATHAM, Feb. 11.—Th Liberal convention to nominate a candidte for the House of Commons met this afternoon at Bright's Opera House, and althou called on short notice it is universally cknowledged to have been the largest and most enthusiastic v er held in Kent. Every municipality in the county was represented. The delegates who filed credentials numbered 405, and there were several hundreds of active Liberals present in addition. The chair was occupied by Mr. D. M. Christie, president of the association, who opened with a rattling fifteen-minute address. On the platform were Dr. Samson, Mayor Mulholland, of Blenheim; Jas. Leslie, Dr. McCully, Richard Young, of Harwich; Alex. Goulet, David Smith, of Raleigh; A. W. Greesey, of Tilbury; Dr. Mitchell, of Tilbury Center; J. W. Fleming, of Dover; James Dillon, Dr. Fleming, J. A. Walker, of the town of Chatham, and in the hall were noticed such veterans as ex-Mayor Malcolmson, Wm. Hickey, ex-Warden McGregor, John Richardson, Jas. McFarlane, John Wright, S. Hadley, James Gardiner, H. F. Cumming, Robt. Stone, S. Winter, John Pexton, Johnson Soper, Chas. Mallory, Reuben Palmer, Wm. Cameron, Arch. Hunter, David Caughill, Philip Knight, Colin Campbell, Duncan McCaig and scores of others who have done noble service in many a hard-fought contest.

A resolution was adopted indorsing the Liberal policy, unrestricted reciprocity, economy in the management of public affairs, and the better development of the resources of our magnificent country, and expressing the utmost confidence in Hon. Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues. Messrs. Arch. Campbell, ex-M.P., Dr. Samson, James Dillon, Dr. Bell, Dr. McCully, John Wright, D. Caughill, T. L. Pardo, J. A. McGregor, Wm. Hickey, J. A. Walker, Jas. Leslie and Dr. Fleming were severally named as the Reform candidate. Commencing at the foot of the list, each gentleman addressed the convention, all retiring in favor of Mr. Campbell and pledging their most enthusiastic support to that gentleman, whose course in Parliament during the past four years has given such satisfaction to his constituents. On motion of Mr. Dillon, seconded by Mr. Goulet, Mr. Campbell was renominated without a ballot, all the delegates joining heartily in the cheers with which the motion was declared carried.

In the evening a rousing ratification meeting was held, addressed by Mr. George C. Gibbons, of London, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Christie and Dr. Samson. The hall was crowded, fully 800 people being present, including many former Conservatives. The meeting was an enthusiastic one throughout, a grand start on the campaign which is being entered upon with so much enthusiasm. The campaign will be continued every evening till the eve of the polling.

THE OXFORDS.

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 11.—The feeling in Oxford for unrestricted reciprocity is very strong, and both ridings will return supporters of the Liberal party by sweeping majorities. In South Oxford a Tory has been pressed into the field, but without the slightest hope of success, against Sir Richard. The Tory outlook in the north riding is still more disheartening. The farmers are almost unanimous, irrespective of party, in favor of unrestricted trade with our neighbors, and although a convention is called for Saturday next it is a foregone conclusion that the present popular Liberal member, James Sutherland, will be returned by acclamation. The following resolution was passed unanimously at the meeting of the West Zorra Farmers' Institute: Moved by R. W. Parker, seconded by Wm. Forbes, and resolved:

That we the members of the West Zorra Farmers' Institute hereby express our appreciation of the services of our esteemed member in the Dominion Parliament, James Sutherland; that we have the fullest confidence in him to act in the future as in the past for the best interests of his constituents, and that as an election has been so suddenly sprung upon the country by the Conservative Government of Canada, we take the earliest opportunity of extending to Mr. Sutherland our hearty support during the present contest.

NORTH BRUCE.

WIARTON, Feb. 11.—A mass meeting of Reformers from all parts of the north riding of Bruce was held here yesterday for the purpose of electing a candidate to contest the riding in their interests in the Dominion election. The following gentlemen were nominated: Messrs. Ewart, McMurchy, Robb, Parke, Miller, Muir, Spence, Ashcroft, Chambers, Taylor, McCausland and Dr. Bonnar. All made excellent speeches, retiring in favor of the last named gentleman, when on motion of F. W. Stewart, of Lion's Head, seconded by J. C. Gibson, of Paisley, the nomination was made unanimous for Dr. Bonnar, with ringing cheers. Many leading Conservatives in the riding have signified their intention to do all in their power to elect a free trade candidate. Mr. Abner Elliott, the chief of the Cape Crocker Indians, made a very interesting and intelligent address. He showed himself well posted on the questions of the day. From the spirit manifested at the meeting there is hardly a doubt but that North Bruce will be redeemed on March 5 with a handsome majority.

SOUTH HURON.

CLINTON, Feb. 11.—One of the largest and most enthusiastic gatherings of Reformers that ever assembled in the county of Huron convened here to-day to select a candidate for the House of Commons. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity and many were unable to get inside, over 300 persons being present. Mr. Hannah, the chairman, announced the following nominations: John McMillan, of Hullet; D. McGillicuddy, of the Goderich Signal; R. H. Collins, of Exeter; M. C. Cameron, Q. C., Goderich; R. Holmes, of the Clinton New Era; T. Fraser, Stanley; John Hannah, Seaforth; W. Doig, Tuckersmith. These gentlemen were called upon in inverse order. Mr. Cameron was not present, but his name was allowed to go to the ballot. The other candidates all retired except Mr. McMillan. On a ballot being taken it was found that Mr. McMillan had a substantial majority of those cast, and his nomination was accordingly made unanimous amid the wildest cheering.

WHAT MR BLAINE SAID.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Many curious telegrams are being received here from Canada. Some of them state that the Macdonald Government is endeavoring to make it appear that the Government of the United States is seeking to shape matters so that annexation will become an ultimate necessity for Canada. The latest story is that different persons in Canada have letters from Secretary Blaine indicating what the policy of the Administration is certain to be on various matters. Some of these statements are so positive yet so absurd that Secretary Blaine deemed it expedient today to make this statement, from which it clearly appears that the letter which he has written to Congressman Baker is the only one which he has authorized relative to Canadian politics. Mr. Blaine said: "I have not written a letter to anyone in Canada since I became Secretary of State, two years ago, and further than that I have written no letter on the subject of reciprocity with Canada beyond the note to Mr. Baker."

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—The Liberals are determined that all the seats in Montreal shall be contested, and to-day they decided who was to contest two of them. In Montreal Center Mr. Curran will be opposed by Mr. Ed. Guerin. Mr. Guerin has already made his mark at the bar of Montreal. He will evoke the sympathy and support of all classes, and will make a strong fight for the Liberal party. Mr. L. O. David has definitely accepted the candidature in Montreal East. When Mr. Laurier returns to-morrow it will be agreed who is to oppose Sir Donald Smith in Montreal West.

LIBERAL CONVENTIONS.

Feb. 12—North Norfolk at Waterford.
Feb. 12—East Lambton at Watford.
Feb. 12—West Huron at Dungannon.
Feb. 12—East Simcoe at Orillia.
Feb. 12—North Wellington at Arthur.
Feb. 12—East Lambton at Watford.
Feb. 12—South Grey at Durham.
Feb. 13—Kent at Chatham.
Feb. 13—North Simcoe at Stayner.
Feb. 13—West Bruce at Kincardine.
Feb. 13—South Middlesex at Delaware.
Feb. 13—Center Wellington at Fergus.
Feb. 14—North Waterloo at Waterloo.
Feb. 14—North Oxford at Woodstock.
Feb. 16—North Middlesex at Ailsa Craig.
Feb. 16—South Norfolk at Port Rowan.
Feb. 16—South Waterloo at Galt.
Feb. 16—North Brant at St. George.
Feb. 16—South Oxford at Ingersoll.
Feb. 16—Haldimand at Cayuga.
Feb. 16—South Oxford at Mount Elgin?
Feb. 17—West Elgin at Bismarck.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTIONS.

Feb. 12—North Essex at Windsor.
Feb. 12—North Middlesex at Ailsa Craig.
Feb. 12—Lincoln at St. Catharines.
Feb. 12—North Perth at Milverton.
Feb. 12—East Simcoe at Orillia.
Feb. 12—North Simcoe at Stayner.
Feb. 13—West Huron at Smith's Hill.
Feb. 14—South Wentworth at Hamilton.
Feb. 14—North Oxford at Woodstock.
Feb. 14—North Waterloo at Berlin.
Feb. 14—South Brant at Brantford.

NOTES.

Mr. C. B. Major will probably be an Independent candidate in Ottawa county.

Mr. Thos. Clyde, of Kingston township has accepted the Liberal nomination in Frontenac.

Mr. George T. Blackstock was nominated at the convention at Bowmanville to contest West Durham in the Conservative interest.

Four Conservative M.P.'s will have to seek re-election without having taken their seats in the House, being elected since Parliament rose last year. They are Dr. Leger, Kent; C. Fairbairn, South Victoria; Desjardin, Montmorency, and Paradis, Napierville.

The Conservatives of the South Riding of Wellington held a convention at Guelph Wednesday. There were no less than seven nominees—Jas. Goldie, Mayor Goldie, M. Sweetnam, Col. Macdonald, Dr. Howitt, Geo. Sleeman and Dr. McNaughton, of Erin. All withdrew in favor of Mr. James Goldie.

IN THE FIELD.

Names of the Candidates for Election to the Dominion Parliament.

The following are the candidates nominated in the different provinces up to the present date:

Ontario.

Constituency.	Ministerial.	Opposition.
Addington		Dawson
Brant, S.		Paterson
Bruce, N.	McNeil	Bonnar
Bruce, East	Cargill	Truax
Brockville		Derbyshire
Cornwall and Stt		Snetsinger
Essex, S.	Wigle	Allan
Elgin, E.	Ingram	Wilson
Grey, N.		Horsey
Grey, South	Blythe	
Grey, North	Masson	
Huron, E.	Musgrove	Macdonald
Hastings, E.		Burdette
Kingston	Macdonald, Edw'ds (Ind)	Gunn
Leeds, N., and Grenville		Frost
Leeds, S.	Taylor	Fredenburg
Lanark, N.	Jamieson	Mohr
Lennox	Wilson	Allison
London	Carling	Hyman
Lambton, West		Lister
Lincoln		Gibson
Middlesex, W.		McFarlane
Monck	Boyle	
Northu'ber'nd, W.		Hargraft
Northumb'land, E.	Cochrane	Ketchum
Northumb'land, N.		P. Mitchell
Ontario, N.		Cockburn
Oxford, S.	Walsh	Cartwright
Ottawa	McDougall	
Peterboro, East	Burnham	Rorke
Peterborough, W.	Stevenson	
Prince Edward	Miller	Platt
Prescott	Routhier	
Peel	Culla	Fetherstone
Perth, S.	Sharp	
Renfrew, N.		Barr
Toronto, W.	Denison	
Victoria, N.	Hughes	Barron
York, N.	Pegg	
York, W.		Clement
Welland	Ferguson	German
Wellington, N.	Clarke	
Wellington, S.	Goldie	Innes
Wentworth, N.	Wardell	Bain

Quebec.

Beauharnois		Clapperton (Ind)
Quebec, E.		Poirier, W. Laurier
Quebec, W.	McGreevy	
Montreal Center	Curran	
Montreal, W.	Smith	
Jacques Cartier	Girouard	Michaud
Hochelaga	Desjardins	Lanctot
Rimouski		Tache

Nova Scotia.

Annapolis	Mills	Chipman
Antigonish	Thompson	
Cape Breton	McKeen, McDougall	McPherson, Murray
Colchester	Archibald	
Digby	Jones	Bowers
Guysboro	Fraser	Ogden
Halifax	Stairs, Kenny	Jones, Farrell
Hants	Putnam	
Inverness	Cameron	
Kings		Borden
Lunenburg		Eisenbauer
Pictou	Tupper, McDougall	
Queens	Freeman	Forbes
Richmond	Flynn	Flynn, Panit (Ind.)
Shelburne	White	Robertson
Victoria	McDonald	Ross
Yarmouth		Lovitt

Prince Edward Island.

King's	McDonald, Muttart	McIntyre, Robertson
Queen's	Blake, Ferguson	Davies, Welsh
Prince		Yeo, Perry

New Brunswick.

Charlotte	Chipman	Gilmor
King's	Foster	Domville
Restigouche	Moffatt	Haddon
Gloucester	Burns	
Pontiac		Taylor (E.R.)
Albert	Weldon	
Carleton	Vince	
Northumberland	Adams	

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Just received a large assortment of spring overcoating at Harry Lenox's. Call and examine. 61-k

THE NATIONALIST SPLIT.

Little Prospect of Settling the Irish Dispute.

Negotiations for a Reunion Fall Through—O'Brien and Dillon Will Go to Prison.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Freeman's Journal says Mr. McCarthy has been informed that Parnell and his supporters have adandoned any present hope of coming to a satisfactory and honorable understanding with the McCarthyites.

It is stated that Parnell is incensed over the Catholic primate's action in having a pastoral letter read in the Irish churches on Sunday last condemning Parnell's conduct, and that this is partly the cause of the new rupture between the Irish factions. In an interview to-day Mr. Parnell declared he would not recede from his former position, which he said was consistent. He would not submit, he said, to the dictation of Mr. Gladstone and the priests.

The McCarthyite members seen in the lobby of the House of Commons to-day say Parnell's refusal to come to amicable terms will stiffen their attitude and increase their resolve to resist his claims.

The News says: "We assume Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien have withdrawn from the negotiations with Mr. Parnell because the Liberal leaders declined to give any assurance in regard to the Home Rule Bill."

Mr. Parnell has written Mr. O'Brien as follows: "The last information Mr. Gill conveyed to me on our negotiations being of a final character, I conclude that nothing is left to be done on my part but to bring our endeavors to a close. Although these negotiations have failed, they have not been entirely unsuccessful in advancing our cause. On this, at least, you may congratulate yourself. The country has recovered considerably from its painful distraction and panic, and the controversy is raised to a plane whereon, unless it sinks again, it can be conducted without national humiliation and discredit."

William O'Brien has issued a long statement on the Irish situation. He says: "It is my duty to solemnly declare that no difficulty has existed which a little more sacrifice of personal feelings on both sides might not have surmounted." Mr. O'Brien explains that the idea of a public truce was abandoned because both sides declared it was impossible, and no useful purpose would follow the publishing of the details of the negotiations. "I cannot too strongly express," continues Mr. O'Brien, "with what feelings we found a settlement so vital shipwrecked at the last moment by mere contests of words and phrases—contests which with a little more magnanimity and less suspiciousness on both sides might easily have been arranged." O'Brien says the irreconcilables of all sections have carried the day. "Mr. Dillon and myself can not longer stand between them and their deplorable work. We can do nothing more till we have recovered freedom of action by getting through with with the sentence standing against us. On the expiration of that term I shall be happy to submit myself to the judgment of my constituents, and if I cannot otherwise assist I can enable them to commit their interests to other hands."

Mr. Dillon, in a shorter statement, admits he had been largely influenced to mediate by the action of Parnell's most prominent opponents by whom he had been assailed with shocking personal vindictiveness and brutality in utter disregard of what was due him in return for his splendid services. Mr. Dillon continues, "I have resented unceasingly the whole of Mr. Parnell's proceedings. I was utterly unable to accept his leadership after the famous manifesto. The Havre conference found myself in perfect accord with Mr. O'Brien on the facts submitted to me—that no alternative but the arrangement he suggested would free our cause from disaster. Events have fully borne out Mr. O'Brien's views, and prove the arrangement he contemplated was perfectly possible. Those who either from ignorance or malice sneered at and misconstrued our efforts will before long realize the full extent of their responsibility. For my own part I cannot even now abandon the hope that the good sense of the Irish people will assert itself, and insist upon an end to the insane conflict that can only result in her humiliation and ruin."

The Pall Mall Gazette says heavy responsibility rests upon O'Brien and Dillon, who have showed strange vacillation in treating Parnell as co-equal with the Irish representatives and in negotiating on the lines of committee room fifteen, and if no deposition or Kilkenny election had occurred. The Gazette adds that when Parnell's defeat promised to become final it was incredible weakness to consent to a one-sided truce, leaving Parnell to prosecute his ends while O'Brien suppressed the only organ of Dublin opinion left to the Irish people. Parnell has haughtily ruptured the negotiations his opponent humbly initiated.

John Dillon says O'Brien and himself will go to England to-morrow.

The End of a "Glorious" Drunk.

WINDSOR, Feb. 11.—A report was received here yesterday that a colored man was frozen to death near Edgar's Mills. He with a companion started for home while gloriously drunk, and the next morning he was found in the railroad ditch with his head and shoulders out of water, but frozen stiff.

Twenty Peasants Devoured by Wolves.

VIENNA, Feb. 11.—Horrible reports of depredations by wolves have been received from Szanda, Hungary. On Baron Woodlauer's estate alone twenty peasants have been devoured by the ravenous beasts. The Government authorities are organizing a party of hunters which will undertake the extermination of the wolves.

Assignments in Ontario.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports the following assignments in Ontario: Blenheim, F. M. Northwood, general store; Ridgetown, Meredith Grass, general store; Toronto, Boyd Bros. & Co., wholesale drygoods; Welland, Pursel & Gordon, drygoods; Windsor, Wm. Weir, tailor; Woodstock and Brantford, Dick Bros., clothing.

Mrs. Moses Abbot, Hammondsport, N. Y., was in consumption for twenty years, became so week as to be unable to sit up, and supposed her case incurable. She was cured by using WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

Every housekeeper should use Strong's Baking Powder. Test its merit by securing a free sample package at Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. This powder is sold at 25 cents per pound, and is unequaled in purity and strength. 24-tf

CAN'T STAND IT LONGER.

Specimen Letter from a Convert to Unrestricted Reciprocity.

The following letter is a specimen of many communications to the ADVERTISER, written and verbal, and shows which way the current of public opinion is moving:

To the Editor of the London ADVERTISER:

I desire through the medium of your widely-circulated paper to let it be known that I have withdrawn from the Conservative party, with which I have been closely allied for many years, but whose abuses of the country I cannot tolerate any longer. I have now allied myself with the Liberals, whose honesty of purpose must commend them to every pure-minded man. Yours,

Bothwell, Feb. 9, 1891. E. SAUNDERS.

Mr. Saunders is an observant buyer of cattle, and has had ample opportunity to judge of the rightfulness of the two policies.

THE RAILWAYS.

Consolidation of the Northwestern Roads Predicted—The C. P. R. Said To Be in the Swim.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The World this morning prints the following: "Before 1891 has expired all the railroads in the Northwest will be operated under a single management.' These were the prophetic words of a man who was one of the prime movers in organizing the Western Railroad Association. The event he predicts as outlined by him, is the most gigantic railroad consolidation that has ever been undertaken. The roads in the Northwest include the Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Chicago and Northwest and Great Northern. Plans for their practical consolidation under one management are now nearly complete. Exactly what the plan is the World's informant refused to state, but it has met the approval of all those directly interested in it, and little remains to be done except to work out some of the details. With these great systems knitted in a community of interest, they would absolutely control the territory of the great and rapidly-developing Northwest. They could fix rates at a remunerative price, and, what is more to the purpose, they could maintain them."

Canadian Pacific traffic returns for the week ending Feb. 7 were $322,000; same week last year, $218,000. Earnings of the New Brunswick Railway are included in both years.

Plot to Blow Up a Distillery.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—A man named Gibson has been arrested on the charge of conspiring to blow up Shufelot's distillery, a large concern which has been fighting the whisky trust. He engaged a gauger named T. S. Dewar to place a dynamite fuse under the big tanks, fire the fuse and escape, and told him he would be given $10,000, and could make $25,000 by doing the job. Dewar told the police and Gibson was arrested with the machine, the materials to make it effective, letters and a contract between Gibson and Dewar in his possession. Had Dewar fallen in with the plot, not only his own life, but the lives of 150 men employed in the building would have been sacrificed.

Chicago, the Silent.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Chicago feels that the ground beneath her feet is a little bit shaky in regard to the World's Fair. Her merchants are compelled to resort to all manner of means to avoid giving offense. Some time ago Chicago was invited to send a delegation to Washington to express the views of the merchants here on the question of the free coinage of silver. Chicago merchants, as a rule, are opposed to free coinage, but it was agreed not to send the delegation to Washington for fear some of the Western Legislatures would take umbrage and refuse to make appropriations for the World's Fair exhibits. Chicago will therefore not be heard on this question.

West Northumberland Liberals.

COBOURG, Feb. 11.—In Victoria Hall yesterday afternoon a large and enthusiastic convention was held for the purpose of selecting a candidate to carry the Liberal banner to victory in the coming Dominion election. The meeting unanimously approved the nomination of Mr. John Hargraft. The nomination of Mr. Hargraft was received with the greatest enthusiasm, and on all hands expressions of confidence in his triumphant success at the polls were heard.

The Liberal standard-bearer is a grain merchant of Cobourg, a young man of sterling character and integrity, and personally popular. His father, the late William Hargraft, represented this riding in the Ontario Legislature and made a name for himself for fair dealing in this community, to which Mr. John Hargraft does no discredit.

A Paris Sensation.

PARIS, Feb. 11.—A sensation has been caused in financial circles here by the disappearance of a well-known banker, who is known to have left debts to the amount of 20,000,000 francs, and who may have committed suicide. The banker is Victor Mace. He had a private bank in the Rue Cadet. Mace opened the bank five years ago and began business by offering to pay high interest for deposits, this interest in many cases averaging 10 per cent. monthly, or 120 per cent. a year. Mace explained his ability to pay the high rate of interest by hinting that he had secret means of obtaining reliable "tips" as to what was going on in the financial world, especially as to future events. Yesterday the police produced a letter from Mace, announcing that he intended to commit suicide, and has left his creditors all the money that remains to him, 1,000,000 francs deposited in the Credit Lyonnais. A hasty examination of Mace's accounts shows that he owes at least 20,000,000 francs to his dupes.

Through New York State by Daylight.

The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, while perfecting its admirable arrangements for the comfort and convenience of through travel to the West and Southwest, has not overlooked the claims of a large number of its patrons whose trips are confined principally within New York State, and for their accommodation a Wagner Drawing-room Car, magnificent in its appointments, is included in the equipment, between New York and Buffalo, of the celebrated New York and Chicago Limited, which leaves Grand Central Station daily at 9:50 a.m. A daylight ride through the wonderfully-diversified scenery of the Empire State, including a panoramic review of the lordly Hudson and the lovely valley of the Mohawk, amid luxurious surroundings, with the best of creature comforts at command, is one of the marked experiences of a life-time. b

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News of the Day Without Note or Comment.

CANADIAN.

The Bank Nationale has sold the Latour timber limit to Messrs. Barnett and William Mackey for $150,000.

Michael Naughton, of Warminster, county of Simcoe, attempted suicide by cutting his throat at Brampton station yesterday.

A deputation of mining men waited on Premier Mercier and his colleagues at Montreal yesterday to offer objections to the mineral tax.

John Eddis, convicted at Toronto of stealing a web of cotton from a C. P. R. car, was committed to penitentiary for two and a half years.

The Grand Trunk freight sheds at the Bonaventure station, Montreal, were burned yesterday, causing a loss of some $40,000. Two employes narrowly escaped death.

A. C. Hawkins, Brantford, and D. J. Brennan, Windsor, have been appointed probationary excise officers. Alfred Wheatley and John Looby, Hamilton, have been appointed assistant inspectors of weights and measures, the latter to be stationed at Edmonton, N. W. T.

The Ottawa Separate School Board has passed a resolution rescinding the resolution passed at a previous meeting, that the Provincial Government be asked to amend the Separate School Act so as to make it optional whether the secret or open voting system should be used in elections for separate school trustees.

UNITED STATES.

Governor Hill has nominated ex-Senator Pierce as superintendent of insurance for New York State.

The establishment of Pier Bros., at 39 Pearl street, New York, was burned yesterday. Loss, $30,000.

Abram Wright is dead at Stockbridge, Mass., aged 109 years. He was born in the East Indies, and came to this country in early life.

It is said that the financial affairs in the Pennsylvania Adjutant-General's office are not in good shape. The deficiency is likely to reach $90,000. Adjutant-General McClelland says there is no deficit in his department that he knows of, and he does not believe there is any.

FOREIGN.

"Tuberculine" is the title given the Koch lymph by Berlin medical men.

Parnell has definitely refused to come to terms with the McCarthyite section.

A conspiracy against Prince Ferdinand and his Cabinet is said to have been discovered at Sofia.

Six thousand priests were among the victims of Victor Mace, alias Berneau, the fraudulent Paris banker.

Steamers Arrived.

Feb. 10.	At	From
Circassian	Halifax	Liverpool
La Gascogne	New York	Havre
Feb. 11.		
Elder	New York	Bremen
Russia	New York	Hamburg

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—The Allan steamship Carthagenian, from Baltimore for Liverpool, arrived out this morning with the loss of one ox out of her shipment of 699 head.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

MASONIC — REGULAR COMMUNICATION, St. John's Lodge, 209a, Thursday evening, 12th, at 7:30. General business. Presentations and degrees. Visitors welcome. J. T. STEPHENSON, master; J. SIDDONS, secretary. b

A MEETING OF THOSE INTERESTED in forming a Homing Pigeon Society will be held at the Tecumseh House on Thursday next, Feb. 12, at 8 p.m. 59c zxw

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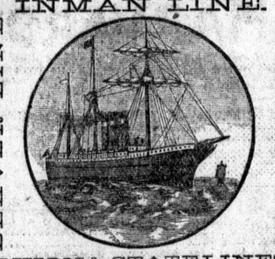
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The Conservative Candidate.
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THE DOMINION GRANGE

Opens Its Annual Meeting in the County Buildings—The Master's Address.

TUESDAY'S SESSION.

The members of the Dominion Grange were convened in the County Council Chambers Tuesday by the master, Bro. Henry Glendinning, of Vanilla. The following officers and delegates were in attendance: J. K. Kittle, overseer, Lambeth; R. White, secretary, Blenheim; George Hood, treasurer, Sunshine; James Skeoch, lecturer, Corunna; J. W. Menke, chaplain, Nanticoke; A. M. Hunt, steward, Lambeth; John Corning, assistant steward, Londesboro; J. P. Palmer, gatekeeper, Fenelon Falls; Sister C. Philp, ceres, Whitby; John Corning, pomona; L. A. Steward, G. Gethbridge, Glencoe, and Jabel Robinson, Middlemarch; Peter Hepinstall; Fordwich; C. B. Tole, Blenheim; D. McTavish, Clinton; James Fallis, Newbridge; A. Backhouse, Arkona; George Leinbridge and wife, Glencoe; S. P. Brown, Whitby; Wm. Webster, David Agnew, Strathburn; T. M. Kaiser, Rapier; Hugh Reid, Aunan; Lyman Henry, Sombra; Wm. Prangton, Yarmouth; John Conning and wife, Londesboro; Wm. Hopkins, Burlington; Charles Walker, Canfield; A. McIntyre, Laurence; Robert Currie, Wingham; Neil Lackie, Sarnia; W. J. Walters, Kinsale; James Smallie, Chesley; Wm. Baker, Littlewood; Thos. Lashbrook, Credin; D. McPhail, Dutton; M. Fisher, Brooke; James H. Lee, Nanticoke; Thos. Brown, Corunna; John Palmer, Rosedale, and Robert Wilkie, Blenheim, delegates.

After the confirming of the minutes of the last meeting the master's address was presented by Worthy Master Bro. Henry Glendinning. He stated that upon the whole farming had not been a success during the year. In the sections of the Province of Ontario where spring wheat was principally sown, the crop had been poor, with the price not sufficiently high to pay the farmer for his labor. The barley crop was also below the average, and the detrimental effects of the increased American tariff under the McKinley Bill reduced the price to such an extent that it is not likely to be profitable to continue the cultivation of the six-rowed varieties that are used by the American maltster. The increased tariff was also a severe blow to the horse and egg trade of our country. The cheese industry had paid well, and there was a demand for much more than could be supplied at present. Large sections of the country that have few or no factories would find it profitable to turn their attention to the manufacture of a first-class article of cheese. The manufacture of butter is also one that presents itself to the farmer, but it must be conducted on the same principles as the cheese-making to secure a uniform grade of good butter, which will command the top price in the foreign markets. Touching on educational matters the master stated that about 90 per cent. of the children in the rural districts finished their education in the public or common schools. This being so increased the importance of the complaint that a large number were compelled to walk long distances out of their road to attend schools in the section to which their property is assessed. The inconvenience could be smoothed out if about two-thirds of an average salary for each teacher in the township were levied upon the whole municipality, thus giving parents the privilege to send their children to the nearest school. The address concluded with a pleasant reference to the continued success of the Guelph Agricultural College.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

The consideration of the report of the Agricultural Committee occupied the attention of the grange this morning. As adopted it set forth that wheat had been raised at a disadvantage during the past few years, and farmers were recommended to give stock-rising and dairying their attention. The cause of the unprofitableness was in the poorness of the soil, which stock-raising would help to enrich. The last clause of the report was as follows: "We are sorry to note that our American cousins have imposed such a high duty under the McKinley Bill on much of our produce for the sale of which we have to go to their markets. Chiefly among these articles are horses, fat stock, barley, eggs, etc. We would also further say that we hope the time will come when the barriers of high tariff shall be broken down and trampled under foot, and we think that it would be a time for great rejoicing among the farmers.

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A PROGRESSIVE CONCERN.

Dominion Savings and Investment Society's Annual Meeting.

The Eighteenth Annual Report and Election of Officers.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Savings and Investment Society was held at the office, Richmond street, London, on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, Mr. Robert Reid, president, in the chair. There were present: C. H. Elliott, Rev. J. Herbert Starr, Toronto; W. Bettridge, M.A., M.B., Strathroy; T. H. Purdom, barrister, London; Hugh Moore, Dundas; John Leys, Toronto; W. J. McMurtry, Toronto; Geo. Boyd, Toronto; John Ferguson, Jas. A. Kennedy, Robt. Lewis, Jas. A. Blair, John Johnstone, Ald. M. W. Spencer, London; Rev. Mr. Young, Goderich; Rev. Mr. Laird, E. J. Parke, Q.C., J. H. Flock, Q.C., London; John Leys, Q.C., Toronto; P. Birtwistle, Samuel Wright, C. R. Somerville, L. Meredith, J. W. Wellstead, London.

THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The Directors beg to submit the eighteenth annual report of the officers of the Society, together with the accounts relating thereto.

The net profits of the Society during the year amount to $63,156 22. Two half-yearly dividends at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum have been paid. The sum of ten thousand dollars has been carried to the reserve fund, leaving at the credit of the contingent account the sum of $40,077 11, and which the Directors think should be maintained at sufficient to meet all possible losses.

In estimating the earnings of the Society, no interest has been added for properties on hand, but instead thereof the rents or other income have been taken.

The large increase in sterling debentures is the result of the satisfactory completion of the negotiations referred to at the last annual meeting, whereby the Society issued its debentures in substitution for the debentures of the Ontario Investment Association then remaining unredeemed, and took as security therefore an assignment of the assets of the Association. The Directors regard this as a very satisfactory transaction. The security obtained is sufficient, and the profits sure. In addition to the direct profit, the Directors anticipate great benefit in future, as the amount thus issued is large, $830,841 68, and the terms very advantageous.

The general business of the year in other departments has also ben satisfactory, and the business of former years maintained. The average rate obtained for loans has been 6¼ per cent.

The Directors have observed the strictest economy, and while the volume of business done during the year, including the transaction referred to, is ver much larger than any previous year, the accounts show a reduction of expenses amounting to $2,110 33.

The books of the Society have been regularly audited by the Society's auditors, Mr. C. R. Somerville and Mr. Thomas Millar, until the death of the latter, which occurred in the month of September. The Directors sincerely regret the loss of one in whom they had entire confidence, and whose honesty and ability were recognized by all. They appointed Mr. A. A. Booker, who is well known as an accountant and auditor, to fill the vacant position.

The Directors have also to regret the resignation of the Manager, F. B. Leys, who has filled the position during the past sixteen years. His genial manner secured numerous friends, who aided materially in building up the Society. The Directors have appointed as his successor Mr. Henry E. Nelles, in whom they have confidence, and whose appointment they trust will prove satisfactory. He will assume his duties in a few days.

A personal inspection by the Society's valuator is still the practice adhered to, and the securities are at all confined to Western Ontario.

The Directors congratulate the shareholders on the improved condition and prospects of the Society, as the result of the policy of the past few years, and they believe that a continuance of the same policy would be attended with still greater advantages.

All the Directors retiring are eligible for re-election.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT REID,
President.

London, Ont., Jan. 1891.

Financial Statement for Year Ending 31st December, 1890.

PROFIT AND LOSS.

Dr.—	
To two permanent stock dividends—June 30	$27,856 50
Dec. 31	27,856 50
Two accumulating stock dividends—June 30, $108 88; Dec. $112 15	221 03
Interest paid depositors	26,104 41
General expense	9,926 70
Commissions	1,824 29
Sterling debenture coupons	26,486 31
Sterling debenture interest accrued, but not due	5,062 40
Currency debenture coupons—June and December, $1,80 each	3,603 66
Income tax	1,268 91
Rent paid	675 00
Rent due, but not paid	225 00
Petty ledger expenses	149 32
Surplus carried to contingent fund	7,222 19
Total	$138,481 62
Cr.—	
By interest earned	$138,481 62
Total	$138,481 62

LIABILITIES.

Liabilities to the public—	
Savings bank deposits	$546,727 49
Sterling debentures	906,909 99
Sterling debentures accrued but not due	5,062 40
Currency debentures	72,061 00
Currency debentures coupons due Jan. 1, 1891	1,801 53
Currency debentures coupons due, not called for	293 06
Liabilities to stockholders—	
Permanent stock	928,550 00
Permanent stock dividend Dec. 31	27,856 00
Accumulating stock dividends	3,851 62
Reserve fund—	
Amount at credit	10,000 00
Contingent fund—	
Amount at credit	40,076 11
Other liabilities—	
National Bank of Scotland	25 86
Rent due but not paid	225 00
Total	$2,543,481 06

ASSETS.

Cash value of mortgages	$2,455,409 52
Cash in Bank of Toronto	76,645 73
Cash in Union Bank of Scotland	10,224 37
Cash in office	201 44
Office furniture	1,000,00
Total	$2,543,481 06

B. LEYS, manager.

I hereby certify that I have made a monthly audit of the books of the Dominion Savings and Investment Society in conjunction with the late Mr. Thomas Millar, until his death near the close of the year, that I have checked all postings and compared all payments with vouchers, and the statement of "profit and loss" for the year ending Dec. 31, 1890, and "assets and liabilities" at that date, hereto annexed, are correct and in accordance with the books.

C. RIDERVILLE, auditor.

By request of the Board of Directors, I have examined the foregoing statement and compared it with the entries in the general ledger of the Society, with the list of securities, and find it to be in accordance therewith.

ALFD. BOOKER, auditor.

Officers were elected as follows: Robert Reid (collector of customs, London), president; C. H. Elliott (of Elliott Bros., grocers, London), vice-president; directors, Rev. J. Herbert Starr, Toronto; Wm. Bettridge, M.A., M.B., Strathroy; T. H. Purdom (barrister), London; Hugh Moore, Dundas; John Leys, Toronto; W. J. McMurtry, Toronto; George Boyd, sen., Toronto; John Ferguson (wholesale furniture manufacturer), London; James A. Kennedy (wholesale druggist), London; Robert Lewis (manufacturer), London.

THIRTY DAYS HOIST

Given the School Inspectorship Question.

Principal Merchant's Report—Pupils Must Find Excuse for Absence—The Janitors Will Remain.

A discussion as to whether the janitors in four city schools should be dismissed, Principal Merchant's report and remarks on affairs at the Collegiate Institute, and Trustee Dewar's motion to appoint Mr. W. J. Carson to the position of the late Inspector Boyle, formed the principal topics for consideration at the meeting of the Board of Education Tuesday night. There were present: Trustee Stephenson (chairman), Cook, McRobert, Craig, Turner, Love, Durdin, Ferguson, Childs, Johnston, Allister, Tanton, Brady, McElheran, Jeffers, Yates, Principal Merchant and Secretary Abbott.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the City Council—Asking for estimates of expenditure for the present year. Nos. 1 and 2.

Sixty-nine applications for positions as janitors—Laid over until No. 2 report comes in.

From D. McDonald—Asking position as carpenter in the city schools. Filed.

From Dr. Hutchinson—Complaining of the unsatisfactory working of the furnace and ventilation at the Talbot street school. No. 2 and the Smead-Dowd Company.

From Miss Maggie Nasmith—For position as English teacher at the Collegiate Institute. Filed.

From Miss Jennie Fairbairn—Re salary. No. 1.

From H. Hill, secretary of the National Educational Association, meeting in Toronto, July 18 and 19—Asking names of teachers in London. No. 1.

The late Inspector Boyle's report—Re boundaries in the eastern portion of the city. No. 1.

From the secretary of school section No. 5—Re assessment for school purposes of the waterworks property. No. 1.

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE REQUIREMENTS.

Principal Merchant's monthly report showed 352 pupils on the roll from the city, 37 from the county and 1 from outside counties, making a total of 390, the average being 358. He suggested that measures be taken to notify parents of pupils' absence in order to secure a better attendance. As to the equipment for chemical and physical apparati, he found fair provision for the former but the physical was very poor. It would require $800 or $900 to put it on a fair basis such as Parkdale and other schools. The gymnasium should be equipped with light gymnastics in the shape of Indian clubs and dumb-bells—he thought such preferable to heavy gymnastics. Supplies should be furnished, such as record books for the teachers by which he might obtain an idea of their work, and also stationery to send parents as notification of their children's absence.

Some discussion arose over the report, Trustee Jeffers speaking strongly on the subject of truancy and suggesting the necessity of preventing it. He had heard Principal Merchant express the opinion that there were more absent in one day from the Institute here than there would be in a year at Stratford.

Principal Merchant admitted that the statement was within bounds. He did not attribute it to truancy, but thought parents should be more rigorous in seeing their children attend. To send them a monthly report of their attendance would be helpful.

Trustee Love moved that Mr. Merchant's recommendations be referred to No. 1 excepting as regarded the gymnasium which should go to No. 2. Carried.

Trustee Jeffers, seconded by Trustee Yates, moved that the principal in his monthly report include the names of the all absentees. Carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Trustee Yates, as chairman of No. 1 Committee, read the list of the substitute teachers, which was adopted.

Trustee Cook, chairman of No. 2 Committee, submitted his report. It recommended among other things that tenders be called for the year's cordwood for the schools; that 12 new seats and 21 chairs for Lorne avenue school be procured; that two rooms be prepared for the fifth form in Simcoe street school; that the janitor and janitresses at Talbot street, Waterloo north, Lorne avenue and Hamilton road schools be dismissed and others competent to do the work appointed at salaries of $400 per year each. At Dr. Ferguson's request a few desks and chairs for Maple avenue school were added to the second clause. The third clause was laid over until No. 1 Committee's report be brought in.

Trustees Jeffers took up the last clause and said as far as he knew the employes in question had done nothing wrong.

Trustee Brady thought the matter should be remedied. He had nothing against the women, but it was out of place to ask them to do men's work.

Trustee Durdin spoke of the Hamilton road school trouble, and defended the janitress, Mrs. Porter. He maintained that Trustee Brady was "snuffing his nose" around to see what was going on.

Trustee Brady rose to a point of order on the objectionable phrase.

Trustee Love said the clause was a hasty and ill-advised one. It was harsh to take such steps against the women, when there was no proof they deserved it.

Trustee Childs disserted on the necessity of economy in coal saving, and the obtaining of janitors who were efficient in that respect. He thought a change was needed at Lorne avenue school.

Trustee Turner had found everything in apple-pie order at the Waterloo north school.

Trustee McElheran had no doubt a great deal of coal had been wasted by the janitors and gas by the members of the Board. He considered the women just as capable as the men.

Trustee Dewar said there was too much cheap sentimentality about the affair. Something substantial in writing should be made a basis for action.

Trustee Love's motion, that the clause of the report be expunged, was carried.

The report as amended was then adopted.

FINANCE MATTERS.

Trustee Yates, chairman of No. 1 Committee, reported as follows:

1. That the solicitor's advice be obtained regarding Mr. Libby's salary.

2. That the position of English master in the Collegiate Institute be given Mr. J. A. McMillan, B.A., of Toronto, until Christmas on Principal Merchant's recommendation.

3. We recommend the payment of substitute teachers and that no deduction be made for not furnishing doctors' certificates.

4. That the contract for inks, crayons and pens be awarded Reid Bros. & Co., and notepaper and foolscap to J. I. Anderson.

The report was adopted with the addition that the fifth form be amalgamated with the institute temporarily until March 1, and that Mr. Hutchison be utilized by the principal for that term.

Trustee Johnston moved that the janitress at Lorne avenue school be paid her salary for the past three months the same as other eight-room school janitors. Carried.

THE VACANT INSPECTORSHIP.

Moved by Trustee Dewar, seconded by Trustee McRobert, that the appointment of an inspector for the public schools of this city be made to-night; that the salary of such officer be the same as received by the late inspector, and that Mr. W. J. Carson, headmaster of Colborne street school, receive the appointment during the pleasure of the Board.

Trustee Jeffers had no objection to Mr. Carson, but if he were appointed it would deprive the model schools of one of the best head masters in the country. That a gentleman lived in the city, bought his house here, paid his taxes and earned his salary, was no recommendation in an educational sense. He opposed an appointment at present during the election excitement, as any action taken might be misconstrued, as being due to political pressure.

Trustee Brady moved in amendment that the matter be laid over for a month to give time for consideration.

Trustee Allaster thought it should be settled at once in order to prevent some unpleasant canvassing.

A division was taken on Trustee Brady's motion to defer the matter for a month, and it was carried on the following vote:

Yeas—Yates, Jeffers, McElheran, Brady, Tanton, Ferguson, Johnston, Craig and Stevenson—9.

Nays—Dewar, Love, McRobert, Turner, Cook, Durdin, Childs, Allaster—8.

Adjourned.



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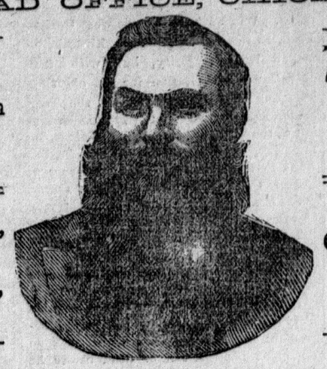
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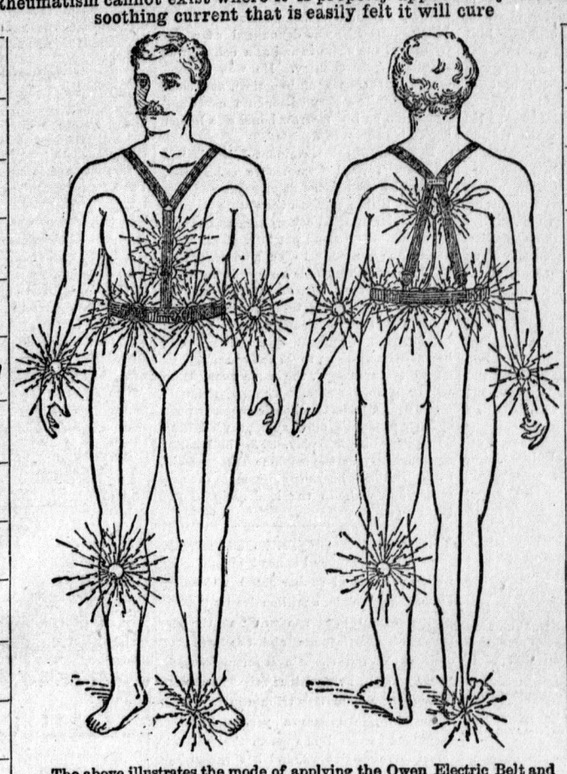
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As man has not yet discovered all of nature's laws for right living, it follows that every one has committed more or less errors which have left visible blemishes. To erase these evidences of past errors, there is nothing to equal Electricity as applied by the Owen Electric Body Battery. Rest assured, any doctor who would try to accomplish this by any kind of drugs is practicing a most dangerous form of charlatanism. Use the Electric Cure and shun the drug stores.

We Challenge the World

to show an Electric Belt where the current is under the control of the patent as completely as this. We can use the same belt on an infant that we would on a giant by simply reducing the number of cells. Ordinary belts are not so. Other belts have been in the market for five or ten years longer, but to-day **THERE ARE MORE OWEN BELTS MANUFACTURED AND SOLD THAN ALL OTHER MAKES COMBINED.**

Extracts from Recent Canadian Letters,

The originals of which are on file in our offices:

A Bad Attack of Rheumatism.

MEAFORD, Dec. 31, 1890.—Am wearing belt as directed and getting along all right. It is doing me a great deal of good. Will soon be myself again. THOS. HEPPENSTALL.

Cured of Sciatic Rheumatism in Eight Days.

GRAND VALLEY, Sept. 20, 1890.

DEAR SIRS,—I received one of your Owen Electric Belts through Dr. Gaviller, of Grand Valley, the county of Dufferin. I received it on the 18th of last August. As I had suffered very much for a long time with sciatic rheumatism, and after trying every supposed remedy that I could hear of without any relief, I was advised by several people to try the Owen Electric Belt, as it was very highly spoken of; and, strictly following the instructions given for eight days, I realized the fact that I had fallen in with the remedy I had long wished for. The stinging pains of rheumatism had begun to retreat before the power of electricity, and I felt that I was a new man, as far as health and vigor were concerned, and continue to improve.

For the benefit of suffering humanity I can fully, from past as well as present experience, recommend the Owen Electric Belt, as a relief against the ills which humanity is heir to—especially in sciatic rheumatism.

You can publish this or any portion of it, as it is given for the benefit of my fellow-sufferers in the flesh. Yours truly,

WM. DIXON, Sen.,
Grand Valley, Ont.

The Best Ever Worn.

PORT DALHOUSIE, Oct. 27, 1890.—I must say that the remedial effect of the Belt is in every way satisfactory. Having some knowledge of electricity and its powers, and having used other Belts prior to my use of yours, I can say that it is the best I have ever worn.

JAS. BLAIR.

Found It a Great Benefit.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 28, 1890.—I have found your Belt a great benefit to me. The only thing I complain of is, the current is too strong; but I make it weak, as directed in your sheet. Kindly send me another sheet of directions as I have given mine away.

A. A. COBBIN.

Inflammatory Rheumatism.

GALT, Dec. 3, 1890.—Am much pleased with the effects of the Belt, as it has done a great deal of good in more than my case, but you will hear from me before long again, as a number of others are going to order your Belt.

MRS. S. M.——.

A Commercial Traveler's Testimony.

BARRIE, Nov. 12, 1890.—In reply to your favor of the 4th ult., I have to say that the Owen Belt serves well the purpose for which it was intended. I am subject to severe attacks of lumbago, the results of exposure to all kinds of weather and traveling at all hours and seasons. This year, by the use of your Belt, I have been able to ward it off so far, and I think I will succeed in escaping it altogether. To anyone similarly situated I have much pleasure in recommending its use, as I have already done.

A. FINDLEY.

A Severe Case of Rheumatism.

LITTLE BRITAIN, Oct. 16, 1890.—The Belt came as directed. I put it on the man in my house that I referred to before. He was going about with a stick yesterday when I placed the Belt on him. In the evening, before taking it off, he had thrown the stick away, and slept well all night, which his wife said he had not done for some time, and to-day was out cutting wood and during the afternoon walked seven miles.

P. ALLIN.

Indigestion and Catarrh.

MACVILLE, Dec. 4, 1890.—For over four years I have been a sufferer from indigestion, catarrh and general prostration, and spent hundreds of dollars on doctors and medicine, without getting any relief. About two months ago I purchased one of your No. 3 Belts and have been wearing it since with the most beneficial results, for I am perfectly free from every trouble. I have much pleasure in recommending your Belt to the afflicted.

A. MCDOUGALL.

Cured of Rheumatism After Eight Years.

NIAGARA FALLS, Oct. 27, 1890.—The effects of the Belt I got from you on the 7th of this month I cannot fully explain. It is wonderful, and I fear too good to last. A week later Mr. M—— wrote: Please send me Belt for lady referred to before. Now as to myself. Only think of it. For eight years I have suffered with rheumatism, and am now out of pain and growing better daily, though in my 75th year. Can confidently recommend the Owen Belt when everything else fails.

A. MENZIES.

Beware of Imitations and Cheap Belts.

Our attention having been attracted to the many base imitations of THE OWEN ELECTRIC BELT, we desire to warn the public not to be deceived by the false statements of men calling themselves electricians, who have copied as near as they dare in appearance, but only in appearance, the GENUINE OWEN ELECTRIC BELT, that has stood the test of years. These so-called electric belts are only experiments and are being peddled through the country. Look out for them.

In justice to ourselves and a generous public we are determined to expose such unprincipled trickery, and prevent, if possible, the unsuspecting from being gulled by such men and means.

The OWEN ELECTRIC BELT CO. is not afraid of fair and open competition, as their goods have no equal in this or any other country, and will bear inspection by those competent to judge—and so great are they in demand that there are more of them made and in use than all other makes combined—their Chicago factory alone being the largest of its kind in the world.

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Cheap Belts.—We are warned by some of the CHEAP so-called electric belt concerns that any belt requiring vinegar or acid will burn the skin. So it will if allowed to do so. So will an electric wire—which is proof positive that there is a strong current there or it would not do so; but the same current can be controlled in the Owen Electric Belt by the wearer, so that a child can wear the same belt as a strong man. Rest assured, any belt that will not make itself felt by the wearer is no electric belt at all and is perfectly worthless. Thus the acid or vinegar cry is made use of by makers of cheap belts to blind and mislead an unsuspecting public. A genuine electric belt cannot be sold at the prices these cheap belts are offered at.

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TRADE, LABOR AND THE MANUFACTURERS.

The London Free Press says:

"Let it not be forgotten that every dollar's worth of American goods sold in Canada displaces a dollar's worth of the products of Canadian labor."

This is simply nonsense. All trade is barter; nations do not pay for products bought of nations with gold, or bank bills representing gold, but with products. For every dollar's worth of American goods sold in Canada a dollar's worth of Canadian goods are sold to pay them with.

There is this other consideration: No trade will take place between the United States and Canada unless it is profitable to both parties. People buy and sell where they find it to their advantage, and unless prevented by high tax walls, will naturally choose the nearest and best markets.

We can rely upon it that the Canadian people are not so great fools as the Tory newspapers try to make them out, or as apologists for the combines, like Mr. Larke, picture them.

In 1889, the last year for which official returns are to hand, with complete freedom to enter the British markets on the one hand and a tariff wall on both sides of the United States border designed to prevent them from trading freely, the Canadian people exported as follows:

	To Great Britain.	To United States.
Minerals	$ 422,000	3,753,000
Fish	1,250,000	2,849,000
Lumber	10,198,000	11,043,000
Animals, etc.	16,227,000	7,137,000
Other farm products.	3,674,000	9,126,000
Manufactures	1,680,000	1,823,000
Miscellaneous	54,000	727,000
Totals	$33,505,000	$36,449,000

It is all nonsense to say that, with their unrivaled resources, Canadians cannot hold their own. The farmers say they can, the dairymen have no doubt about it, the independent manufacturers outside the rings are ready and anxious for unrestricted reciprocity.

In London many progressive manufacturers are working side by side with thousands of wage-earners to secure Mr. Hyman's election.

In Brantford Mr. Paterson has the support of fifteen out of the seventeen leading manufacturers.

In Sarnia Mr. Lester will have the support of the leading stove manufacturer west of London.

In Hamilton the independent manufacturers will be on the side of the Liberal candidate.

In Toronto the Massey Company say that with free raw material they could not only hold their own, but manufacture for adjoining States.

In Smith's Falls the big implement firm say that they will welcome the change which unrestricted reciprocity will bring about. Indeed, the chief partner in the firm, which employs 250 hands, has been selected as the candidate of the Liberals and of the Conservatives who favor unrestricted reciprocity for the riding in which the factory is situated. Here is how he views the question:

"Our rich and valuable mines now lying scarcely touched would soon be operated and give employment to thousands and cause an expenditure of millions in a short while. Our shipping both inland and coastwise, would speedily increase. Ontario, as a Province, is well adapted for manufacturing, and with the magnificent facilities for shipping offered by our two great railroads, with their American connections and termini—not to speak of our lake and river facilities—we could have nothing to fear from anything that would come against us. No country in the world can manufacture more cheaply—under right conditions—than Canada, and there is no reason why our manufacturers could not, then, more than maintain their own in the home market and compete for a fair share of the foreign trade. This would build up our towns and cities, give more employment to workingmen, retain many at home who now leave us and improve the "home market" for our farmers in the right sort of a way. There is no antagonism between manufacturers and farmers. Both are essential to the prosperity of any country. If the farmers are prosperous we are prosperous, vice versa. We do not hear of the manufacturers of any State, say Massachusetts, wiping out those of New York, or those of Ohio wiping out those of Illinois or Pennsylvania. All have their large and valuable industries, which are keeping pace with the growth of the country. Put a tariff wall between those States or between any three or four on one side and three or four on the other, and you would see every interest, industrial, agricultural or otherwise, soon languish, and many would die of strangulation. Such is our case at present. Many of our industries have had to stop; others are gasping for breath and need more room. Many are loaded down with too heavy duties on raw material, and therefore lack buoyancy. All we want is room and people to deal with under favorable conditions, and every interest in this country would soon revive. Personally, I believe our own business, in common with many others, would greatly increase and I have no hesitation in saying that if a fair and equitable treaty, and one honorable alike to both countries, can be brought about, it would be found to work admirably in the best interests of both."

The Tory bugbear of cheap United States goods coming into Canada cannot stop a Reform so fraught with benefit to the country.

THE VETERAN LIBERAL LEADER.

E. A. Macdonald, a Toronto lawyer, has come out against Hon. A. Mackenzie in East York. He is an improvement on Boultbee, the notorious, who was put up against Mr. Mackenzie in 1887, on which occasion Sir John himself went to try and dislodge the veteran Liberal leader, but failed. When Mr. Mackenzie went to East York, on the invitation of the Liberals, he had a large majority, but with that chivalrous consideration for his old time antagonist which characterizes the Tory leader, he took good care to gerrymander him out of the whole of his majority. Left in the minority, the Liberals did not despair, but went to work, and with the assistance of decent Conservatives elected the Grand Old Man. Mr. Macdonald is now trying to take away all the support he can from his opponent by making believe that the Liberals were responsible for the gerrymander. His mock sympathy the electors will take no stock in.

By the way, how is that your machine Tory—not the man who is honest and independent in his views—always waits till an opponent is either sick or dead before he does him justice?

Mr. George Brown was the worst hated man in the Liberal party while he lived; no epithets which the Tory orators and newspapers could hurl at him were deemed too severe.

While Hon. A. Mackenzie remained Liberal leader he was denounced as a defrauder of the customs and as a conniver at defrauding the country. He was accused of the worst forms of nepotism, and compelled to take a Tory editor into court and squat him on his marrow bones as a libeler before his accusers desisted.

Yet both of these eminent Liberals had no sooner retired from active public life, the one by the hand of an assassin and the other by ill-health, than they were lauded to the skies by the Tory writers and speakers as honest men and patriots. This estimate came too tardy to be sincere, and is all the more despicable seeing it is made the groundwork for an attack on the Liberal leaders of to-day. No doubt when the Liberal leaders now fighting for honest government retire from public life, become disabled to do active service, or go to their reward, the same programme will be gone through. The hypocrisy is transparent. Mr. Mackenzie requires none of his opponent's mock sympathy. All he needs is British fair play. So far he has not obtained it from the machine Tories of Toronto and neighborhood any more than he received it while in the leadership of the Liberal party.

THE DECREE OF THE COMBINES.

Senator Drummond is head of the combines in sugar and rubber goods in Canada. He has been made a millionaire by the opportunities given him to profit at the expense of the farmers and the working classes through the Government-fostered combines. In sugar alone the Canadian people pay unnecessary tribute in taxes of several million dollars a year. Senator Drummond naturally supports the present Government at Ottawa, and has succeeded in getting together a meeting of his fellow-combinesters, who have passed a resolution denouncing reciprocity.

When the members of the combines are to a man on the side of the Conservative leaders, surely the people should take the other side.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

At the Inter-Provincial Conference in 1887 the Premiers and chief men in the respective Cabinets of five of the seven Provinces of Canada unanimously passed the following resolution:

"Having reference to the agitation on the subject of the trade relations between the Dominion and the United States, this inter-Provincial conference, consisting of representatives of all political parties, desires to record its opinion that unrestricted reciprocity would be of advantage to all the Provinces of the Dominion; that this conference and the people it represents cherish fervent loyalty to her Majesty the Queen and warm attachment to British connection; that this conference is of the opinion that a fair measure, providing, under proper conditions, for unrestricted reciprocal trade relations between the Dominion and the United States would not lessen these sentiments on the part of our people and, on the contrary, may even serve to increase them, and would at the same time, in connection with the adjustment of the fishery dispute, tend to happily settle the grave difficulties which have from time to time arisen between the mother country and the United States."

This resolution was also adopted by the Legislatures of the Province of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Manitoba, and in Prince Edward Island the Legislative Council condemned the Provincial authorities for not doing likewise.

The principle then so strongly indorsed is now the one great issue before the Dominion, and we are glad to find the whole of these five Provincial Governments working hand-in-hand to secure its triumph. There is no reason why the Governments and people of British Columbia and Prince Edward Island should not also join hands to bring about a state of affairs so eminently calculated to advance the interests of our common country. They might just as well be on the winning side, for it is the right one.

THE TALL SYCAMORE FOR BROCKVILLE.

The Brockville Liberals have made a splendid selection in nominating Mayor Derbyshire, president of the Dairymen's Association of Ontario, for the House of Commons. Mr. Derbyshire is one of the most progressive farmers of Ontario. He carried Brockville when elected mayor by 800 majority.

—Sir Charles Tupper has been in Boston this week, the traitor that he is for daring to go into the States without the special license of the Toronto Empire!

A POINT TO CONSIDER.

Some Tories seem to consider it good public policy and sound ethics to indulge in constant railing at the United States.

We consider it to be neither good public policy nor sound ethics.

What have we to gain by needlessly irritating the great nation of kinsmen south of the great lakes. Is it Christian? Does it smack of common sense?

Would it help our railways or railway employes to have all bonding privileges with the United States shut down on? Would that state of affairs raise the wages of workingmen? And yet our short-sighted Tory jingoes by their ill-advised, insensate talk are doing their best to precipitate just such a calamity.

It is time for people not yet bereft of common sense to seriously consider the situation.

LARKE WANTS THE EARTH AND A PLANET OR TWO.

A Liberal meeting was held in Oshawa the other night. Mr. Boas, a Quebec manufacturer, employing 700 hands, spoke first. Mr. Larke, a professional high tax orator, was then given an opportunity to talk. He refused, saying he would not speak unless allowed to wind up the meeting. The unfair proposition was rejected by the meeting, and Sir Richard Cartwright spoke.

The Free Press now plays the cry baby act, and says that Mr. Larke was treated with "manifest unfairness." Mr. Larke should have asked full control of the meeting. He should have appointed the chairman and run the whole show, as the Liberals are allowed to do in Tory meetings—over the left.

WHO RUNS THE COUNTRY DOWN?

Nothing is more marked or discouraging in this campaign than the bad name which the Liberals are seeking to give their country.—[London Free Press.

You are greatly mistaken there, neighbor. The boot is on the other leg. It is the high tax party that talks ill of their country. The Conservative papers and orators who say that Canada is such a miserable country that it cannot get along in a fair field with its neighbors are greatly at fault. It is the Conservative apologists for the combines who labor to keep the country in their thraldom by telling the Canadian workers that they are so inferior in point of skill and ability that they cannot hold their own with their neighbors.

The Liberals have faith in their country and in her vast resources. They know that these require but an enlarged near market to prosper, to add to the demand for labor, and bring good to all.

The cravens are always on the side of the combines.

A NUT FOR MR. LARKE.

A former resident of Oshawa on reading the announcement that Mr. J. S. Larke, of that town, was to address Londoners in the Carling interest, said he would like Mr. Larke to explain how the N. P. and high tariff has benefited Oshawa; what it has done for the Joseph Hall works, the Gibbs furniture factory, the McGill works, the Masson works, the Dingle works, the stove foundry and the malleable iron works, and other businesses that made that town one of the foremost manufacturing places in the Dominion, in the days of low tariffs, now no longer the case, alas!

It certainly is a fact that Oshawa had more industries, greater employment for working men, and a larger population ten years ago than it has now.

The visiting apostle of high taxation has in his own town the best of evidence that the policy of trade restriction and high taxes which he advocates is a lamentable failure.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—A monster Liberal meeting will be held in Toronto to-morrow evening. Addresses will be delivered by Sir Richard Cartwright, Hons. S. Blake, A. S. Hardy and John Dryden.

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—Alonzo Wright, the "King of the Gatineau," who has been a great power in the county, refuses to longer be Tory candidate in Ottawa. The county will be redeemed.

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—Wm. Gibson, the popular quarrymaster and contractor at Beamsville, where he employs a large number of men, is the Liberal candidate for Lincoln. "Billy," as is his well-known cognomen, will get there if ability, energy and a good cause can do it.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS.

THE DIVISION TEMPORARY.

W. T. Stead, in English Reviews of Reviews.

The division between the Americans and the English is temporary, and will pass away.

PART OF HIS TRADE.

Chicago Times.

There is waste of energy in the attacks being made on the Canadian Prime Minister because of his having deceived the people of the Dominion regarding the issues to be brought before them at the ensuing election Sir John is a protectionist and has learned the role of statesmen of his school. Of course he has deceived the people. That is the business of a high-tax statesman. Sir John understands his position.

NO MORE POCKET-PICKING.

Hamilton Times.

The issues are not hard to understand. Canadians do not need to be fed by any Government. They can earn a good living if given a chance. Sir John Macdonald is no fairy godfather. He has nothing to give but what he takes from the people, and of late years he has taken much and has given little. Make him keep his hands off, so that in future those who work and produce shall have and enjoy.

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THE C. P. R. BONUS.

Superintendent Tait Explains What a Divisional Point Is—The Committee Recommend the Payment of the Bonus.

The Finance Committee met Tuesday afternoon and talked with Superintendent Thomas Tait, of the C. P. R., respecting the payment of the bonus of $25,000 to the C. P. R. Company, as agreed upon when the road was constructed. The wording of the bylwaw was somewhat ambiguous, many of the citizens being of the opinion that the Railroad Company was going to make London its divisional headquarters, and also erect car shops.

Superintendent Tait's interpretation of it was that the company agreed simply to make London its divisional point between Toronto and the Detroit River.

The company would by this endeavor as much as possible to change all the train crews in this city excepting on some of the through trains. There would be no car-shops, but the company would build a machine shop 40x80 for the convenience of the car repairers and other workmen commonly attached to a divisional point. The number of people that the move would insure London would amount to something like 200 families or more as the business of the road increased, but the company would not submit to be bound to guarantee any number.

The committee then passed a resolution recommending that the money be placed to the credit of the company and authorized the city solicitor to draw up an agreement in accordance with the superintendent's interpretation of the bylaw, the same to guarantee that the divisional point be permanent, and in default of which the penalty will be forfeiture.

The C. P. R. Company will proceed with the erection of the machine shop immediately, and as soon as the difficulty of disposing of the Carling Creek is adjusted the station will be erected.

Those present were Aldermen Spencer (chairman), Taylor, Ivey, Gartshore and Wilkey, Mayor Taylor, Secretary Pope, Superintendent Tait, Chief Engineer Hirschmer and Divisional Superintendent Williams.

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THE FIELD OF SPORT.

Close of the Curling Bonspiel at Winnipeg—Flavelle, of Lindsay, Wins the International Trophy.

ATHLETICS.

C. A. Sampson, the strong man of Great Britain, who is said to be properly named Andy Gaffney, is now in Detroit, where his wife is very ill. He says he will make a match in Toronto with Louis Cyr, the Canadian Hercules, for any amount at weight-lifting.

CURLING.

ONTARIO TANKARD MATCHES.

There was a large attendance of local curlers at the Simcoe Street Rink yesterday to witness the contest between the teams composing group No. 11 in the Ontario tankard competition. Chatham, Aylmer, Embro and the Forest City clubs were each represented by two rinks. The first draws were Embro and Forest City, Chatham and Aylmer, the men commencing the sport shortly after 2 o'clock. The Forest City club defeated their opponents badly, making 51 shots against the Embro men's 24. The Chatham men also succeeded in worsting the Aylmer club, but only by six shots. In the evening the Forest City and Chatham clubs played off, which resulted in a victory for the visitors. The scores are attached:

FOREST CITY.		EMBRO.
	Rink No. 1.	
Milne,		Fanney,
Strong.		Duncan,
Smith,		Geddes,
McDonald, skip.....	26	Gordon, skip.....16
	Rink No. 2.	
Balfour,		Campbell,
Davis,		Ross,
Dewar,		Day,
Fairgrieves, skip....	25	Creighton, skip,.... 8
AYLMER.		CHATHAM.
	Rink No. 1.	
Winlow,		Merritt,
Burgess,		Mercer,
Sinclair,		McIntosh,
White, skip.....	12	Atkinson, skip,.....18
	Rink No. 2.	
McCausland,		Cornell,
Rutherford,		McNaughton,
Tingham,		Respie,
Love, skip.....	15	Bray, skip.....15
FOREST CITY.		CHATHAM.
	Rink No. 1.	
Davis,		Merritt,
Dewar,		Mercer,
Lewis,		McIntosh,
Fairgrieves, skip....	9	Atkinson, skip.....18

The tankard finals will be played in Toronto Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The final draw in the primary competition for the Ontario Tankard in group 14 was played at Walkerton on Monday, Feb. 9, by Chesley and Harriston, Harriston winning by two shots—36 to 34.

J. D. Flavelle, of Lindsay, won the international trophy, the closing event of the Winnipeg bonspiel, on Tuesday, defeating McKechnie, of the Winnipeg Thistles, by 20 to 1. Patterson, of the Winnipeg Granites, won the Walkerville Tankard.

THE RING.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Feb. 12.—A fight for a purse of £500 took place here Tuesday between Joe Goddard, the Australian pugilist, and Joe Choynski, of San Francisco. Goddard won in the fourth round.

BASEBALL.

Fred. Dunlap will play second base and captain the Washington team.

Boston's outfield will be Brodie, Stovey and Richardson.

Morgan Murphy has signed with the Boston Association Club.

Seven men are already secured for the Philadelphia Association Club—Chamberlain, Hoated, Bradley and Calihan, pitchers; Schiebeck, short stop; Joyce, third base, and Van Dyke, fielder.

J. Palmer O'Neill, president of the Pittsburg Club, signed John F. Smith, the well-known left-handed pitcher. He also came to an understanding with Pitcher Anderson.

Esterbrook is wanted by the Philadelphia League Club and by the Boston Red Stockings. He has received a large number of offers, but does not intend to sign in a hurry. "Ester" is willing to play first or third base.

THE TURF.

Ossian, the 3-year-old winner of the St. Leger in 1883, died on the voyage to this country on board the steamship Richmond Hill, which arrived in New York the other day. The well-known 3-year-old, Simon Magnus, and other valuable horses arrived on the same steamship. Ossian and Simon Magnus were bought in England by William Easton, $10,000 having been paid, it is said, for the former. Ossian was purchased for J. B. Ferguson, for his stud farm near Lexington, Ky. He was by Salvator, out of Music, and was bred by the Duke of Hamilton in 1880. As a 3-year-old Ossian took part in fourteen races, of which he won six, was second twice and third three times. Early in the season he was unplaced, but at the Goodwood meeting he won the Sussex stakes, 1,037 sovereigns. At the York August meeting he took first place for the great Yorkshire stakes, and then went to Doncaster for the St. Leger, which he won from Chiselhurst, second, and Highland Chief, third. He then won the great Foal stakes at Newmarket. Simon Magnus is only 3 years old, and is one of the best bred horses in the world. He is by St. Simon (who was never defeated during his whole racing career), out of Wheel of Fortune, who was an unbeaten 2 year old, and was beaten but once as a 3 year old, after which defeat she retired. Among the get of St. Simon are Signorina (for whom her owner received $100,000) and Memoir, winner of the Oaks, St. Leger, etc.

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What the People Have to Pay Under Combine Rule.

"Retail Grocer" writes: Now that a Dominion election is at hand there is one very important matter which you do not half enough talk up in your papers, nor do those who have been lecturing on the Reform ticket for the last two or three months, and that is the sugar monopoly; and sugar is a thing which enters largely into every man's house or family, be he poor or rich, and as a matter of course they are interested in getting it as cheap as possible. After the Hon. Alexander Mackenzie went out of power the first thing that Sir John Macdonald's Government did was to raise the duty on imported sugar so high that it could not be imported to compete with the sugar refiners here. After having given them a complete monopoly of the whole business and power to charge whatever price they chose to, the refiners commenced making a very inferior article, particularly in what is called yellow refined sugar, and which is most generally used, and with the exception of their No. 1 brand (which is not altogether what it ought to be, either) is horrible stuff, not at all like what they used to make when the duty admitted of competition, and wholesale dealers to import. They take advantage of their position to make trash and charge a big price for it. I think every retail dealer can testify what a slow, tedious, horrible job it is to take it out of the barrels into drawers ready to retail out. It is just like taking out tough, damp, blue clay. I am a retail dealer of the article, and there is no job I go at I so much dislike. Since this monopoly came into existence I think we pay about 100 per cent. more for sugar than we ought to do if we had an honest Government. When in the old country last summer I saw excellent yellow refined sugar retail at 1½d per pound, and the very best for 2d per pound, which have to be retailed here for 7c and 8c per pound. I also saw the very best white granulated sugar retail at 2½d per pound, which is retailed here for 8c or 9c by the single pound. So it is evident we pay here very much more than we ought to if our refiners were not so highly protected by our Government.

CHANCERY SPRING CIRCUITS 1891

BOYD, C.
Simcoe—Monday, March 9.
Hamilton—Monday, March 23.
St. Catharines—Wednesday, March 1.
Brantford—Friday, April 10.
Guelph—Thursday, April 16.
Owen Sound—Monday, April 20.

FERGUSON, J.
Woodstock—Wednesday, April 8.
Stratford—Thursday, May 14.

ROBERTSON, J.
Toronto—Monday, March 16.
St. Thomas—Thursday, April 16.
Walkerton—Wednesday, April 22.
London—Monday, April 27.
Goderich—Monday, May 11.
Sarnia—Monday, May 18.
Chatham—Thursday, May 21.
Sandwich—Monday, June 1.

Cut His Throat with a Jack-Knife.

BRAMPTON, Feb. 12.—Michael Naughton, of Warminster, county of Simcoe, attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a jack-knife at the G. T. R. station yesterday morning upon the arrival of the 9:20 express going west. He was arrested by the chief of police and taken to jail, where he was attended to by Jail Physician Heggie. It is supposed that he is insane.

Heroism Recognized.

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The Department of Marine has forwarded to Halifax a silver watch for presentation to Capt. Richard Christian, of Prospect, N. S., in recognition of his humane and gallant conduct in rescuing from drowning Capt. A. C. McLeod, Charles Mills and Neil Baker, of P. E. I., whose boat upset while crossing New London bar. A binocular glass is to be presented to Nicholas Christian, who assisted in the rescue.

Lead Pipe Thieves Punished.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—In the Police Court yesterday Wm. Morton, a lead pipe thief, was sentenced to three years at Kingston. Frank Andrews, Geo. E. Quarters and Christ T. Taylor also lead pipe thieves were sentenced to fifteen months each, and Thomas Hannon at whose house the burglarized property was found was sentenced to three years. Raffalo Damacio, charged with feloniously wounding Geo. Mulholland was sentenced to penitentiary for three years.

Collision on a Toboggan Slide.

DONALD, B. C., Feb. 10.—A sad toboggan accident occurred here Monday night at 10 o'clock. There is a double slide across the Columbia, and while two toboggans were running in opposite directions they met with terrible force about the middle of the slide, badly injuring five persons. Miss Lawrence had a leg broken in two places and was injured about the head; Miss May Evans, injured internally and in the head; Thomas Taylor, leg broken; Charles Crandon, injured in the head and ankle sprained; T. Henderson, injured about face and head.

British Newspaper Comments.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Canadian elections continue to be vigorously discussed by the English press, with almost as much conflict of opinion as in Canada itself. The Times to-day publishes a very frank article on the situation in Canada by a Canadian Liberal. The Daily News in its first editorial criticises the vagueness of Sir John Macdonald's proposals. The Chronicle reminds its readers that after all Mr. Blaine is master of the situation when the trade negotiations are begun. The Manchester Guardian shows how baseless are the fears that free reciprocity would lead to annexation.

A Departing Knight Honored.

Last evening the members of Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, honored Sir Knight Carson Elliott by presenting him with a handsome gold sir knight's jewel in recognition of past services and as a mark of esteem. Past Grand Chancellor Carrothers in a few well chosen remarks intimated the intention of the brethren, and then handed Sir Knight Elliott the jewel. The recipient made a suitable reply. On the shield of the jewel, which was of the regulation pattern, was engraved: "Presented to Sir Knight Carson Elliott by the officers and members of Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, London, Feb. 10, 1891." Mr. Elliott intends leaving shortly for Manitoba. He will be missed by the city knights, as he was a zealous worker.

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ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Hon. Thomas Ballantyne Unanimously Elected Speaker.

Full Text of the Speech from the Throne.

TORONTO, Feb. 12.

The first session of the seventh Parliament of Ontario was opened yesterday afternoon with very little formal ceremony. The Attorney-General proposed that Thos. Ballantyne, member for the south riding of Perth, should take the chair as speaker of this House. Mr. W. R. Meredith seconded the motion, which was unanimously carried. Following is the text of the

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

I have great pleasure in welcoming you to your legislative duties as members of a new Parliament.

I am happy to state that a considerable advance has been made since the last session of the Legislature towards a settlement of most of the long pending differences between the Province and the Dominion. At a recent conference which took place between my Government and the representatives of the Governments of the Dominion and Quebec, definite arrangements were made for an arbitration to settle questions of account, and for referring to the courts in friendly actions some of the constitutional questions which have arisen; other differences are still the subject of negotiation. A settlement of most of these matters during the present year may reasonably be expected. A bill as to the proposed arbitration will be laid before you.

I regret that the Government of Quebec retains its old attitude with respect to the land improvement fund; and in view of the continued delay, and of the arrangements effected for the amicable settlement by arbitration and otherwise of most of the other questions in which the two Provinces are interested, I commend to your consideration the propriety of now paying over to the municipalities concerned the share chargeable against this Province, without waiting longer for a settlement of the balance which is claimed to be chargeable as the share of Quebec.

I am greatly pleased to observe the increasing interest which is taken in improved methods of agriculture, as evinced by the marked success which attends the sessions of farmers' institutes, and by the growing demand for the reports and bulletins of the Department of Agriculture.

I take pleasure in directing your attention to the work done in promoting the public health. Through the operations of the Provincial Board the dissemination of sanitary literature and the increasing efficiency of local boards, endemic disease has been notably less, and an impetus has been given to the construction of public waterworks and sewage systems. To aid efficient work of a scientific nature, a laboratory has been established, in connection with the Provincial Board, for investigations into the causes of disease. A bill will probably be laid before you supplying some defects, ascertained by experience, in the present statutory provisions, respecting the boards of health.

It having recently been ascertained beyond doubt that the Province possesses immense deposits of nickel, a metal which is likely to be of great economic use and value in the immediate future, my advisers deemed the time opportune for making some changes in the laws relating to the sale of mining lands, and a part of the districts of Algoma and Nipissing in and near the nickel bearing region was withdrawn from sale and location until you could be consulted. I commend to your attention a measure respecting our mining lands which is to be submitted for our consideration.

During the recess I issued a commission to inquire into the subject of prison reform, and another into the subject of the fish and game laws. The reports of the commissioners on both subjects are expected to be completed and ready for distribution during the present session, and, in case of their being received in time, bills will be laid before you for consideration.

Among other bills to be submitted for your consideration is a bill making certain improvements in the election law which another general election has suggested; bills making some amendments of our education laws, in the light of the five years experience which has been had since the last revision; a bill regulating the charters to be granted to loan companies; a bill securing a lien to workmen on saw logs in the western districts of the Province, and a bill to make provision respecting the marriages of Quakers and others.

The public interests and the wants of those engaged in lumbering in the north west part of the Province appeared recently to require that a limited number of timber berths west of Port Arthur should be offered for sale. A public sale was therefore held in October last, and fair prices were realized. A return of the particulars will be presented for your information.

The public accounts for the past year will be laid before you. You will be pleased to learn that the expenditure has been kept within the appropriations, and that the aggregate revenue has exceeded the amount anticipated.

The estimates for the current year will be presented for your approval. They will be found to be framed with a due regard to economy, and to the necessities of the public service.

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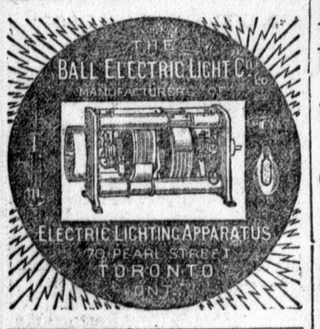
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London Money Market.

LONDON, Feb. 11—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97 3-16 for money, 97⅞ for account; U. S. 4s, 122½; U. S. 4s, 105¾; St. Paul, 57⅜; Erie seconds, 103¼; Erie, 20¾; Pacific Central, 53; Reading, 17; Canadian Pacific, 76¾; New York Central, 105⅞; Illinois Central, 102¾; bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 2.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—1 p.m.—Stock market dull; American Express, 118; Canadian Pacific, 74½; Canada Southern, 52; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 138½; Lake Shore, 113¼; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 28½ preferred, 73½; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 56⅜; preferred, 113; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 45⅝; Western Union, 81½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Feb. 10.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	225	222½
Ontario	115	113½
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	222	217
Merchants'	143	141
Commerce	127½	126½
Imperial	—	152½
Dominion	—	233
Standard	—	146½
Hamilton	152½	151½
British America	107	104
Western Assurance	145	144½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Company	76½	75¾
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	74¾	74¼
Farmers Loan and Savings	—	—
London and Canada L. and A.	127½	126½
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	158
Dominion Savings and Loan	90	86
Ontario Loan and Debenture	130	125
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	116
London Loan	—	—

SALES—N. W. L., 40, 20, 40 and 40 at 76; London and Canada L. & A., 20 at 126½; Dominion Savings and Loan, 20 at 87.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Wednesday, Feb. 11.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Since our last weekly review the volume of business done on this market has not been up to expectations as unsettled weather has affected the deliveries to a considerable extent. Prices in nearly all lines are about the same and the demand steady, yet not urgent. Leading lines closed as follows:

Wheat, per bushel, 93c to 94c, mostly the later price; $1 50 to $1 56 and $1 58 for real choice lots.

Oats, $1 25 to $1 27, but $1 25 to $1 26 being usual range.

Rye, $1 05, one small lot was taken at $1 10, but don't think any quantity could be worked at that price.

Feeding grades of barley sold from $1 to $1 05; $1 05 was the general price.

Corn sold at $1 10 for ordinary; a good lot would be taken at $1 11.

Beans had a good trade, receipts being considerably better; demand firm at $1 30 for hand-picked and down to $1 for colored.

Receipts of clover seed were light; sales ranged from $4 to $4 35 principally, with one lot taken at $4 40.

Dressed hogs active at $5 75 to $6 25.

Beef steady at $4 50 to $6 50.

Hay quiet and unchanged.

General quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.

Wheat, per standard bush	$0 94	to	$0 94
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 58
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 57
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 05
Buckwheat	1 02	to	1 05
Oats	1 25	to	1 27
Corn	1 10	to	1 10
Peas	1 10	to	1 15
Beans, per bush	1 00	to	1 30
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 20

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We always carry a full line of
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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.

FLOUR—Receipts, 700 bbls; sales reported none. Market quiet prices nominally unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $5 0c to $5 25; spring, $5 25 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 60; extra, $4 10 to $4 20; superfine, $3 90 to $4 00; strong bakers, $4 50 to $4 75; Ontario bags, $1 50 to $2 00; city bags $4 90 to $5.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, nominal at 99c to $1; corn, 72c to 73c; peas, 75c to 75c; oats, 45c to 47c; barley, 60c to 65c; rye, 60c to 61c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 50 to $5 00; cornmeal, $3 25 to $3 25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15½ to 16c per lb.; lard, 8c to 9½c bacon, 9c to 10c; hams, 10c to 11c; cheese, 9c to 10½c; butter, townships, 16c to 21c; Morrisburg 16c to 21c; Western, 14c to 16c; creamery, 20c to 23c; eggs easier, fresh, 23c to 24c; held stock 20c to 22c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 98c to $1; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 91c to 91c; spring, No. 2, 92c to 93c; red winter, No. 2, 98c to 99c; fall, No. 2, 99c to 99c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 63c to 63c; No. 2, 58c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 53c to 53½c; No. 3, 50c to 50c.

PEAS—No. 2, 66c to 68c.

OATS—No. 2, 45c to 46c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 90 to $3 90; straight roller, $4 10 to $4 20; superfine, $3 25 to $3 35; fine, $3 00 to $3 20.

Market dull. Sales—No. 2 fall wheat outside at 93c; No. 2 spring, outside at 88c; No. 2 Manitoba hard at equal to $1 01½ to $1 02 here; No. 3 do. at equal to 92c here; oats on track and to arrive at 45½c and outside at 41½c to 42c; peas outside at 63c to 65c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Feb. 11.

Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet; corn steady.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat few bids in the market; corn more disposition to buy.

Mark Lane—English wheat few buyers in the market; corn firmer; English flour fewer buyers, probably easier.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firmer, held higher; corn steady.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.

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

	Feb. 9.		Feb. 10.		Feb. 11.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	7 7½	7 8	7 7½	7 8	7 7½	7 8
Red winter	7 6½	7 7	7 6½	7 7	7 6½	7 7
No. 1 Cal	7 9	7 10	7 9½	0 0	7 9½	0 0
Corn	5 4½	0 0	5 4½	0 0	5 4½	0 0
Peas, per c.	5 8½	0 0	5 8½	0 0	5 8½	0 0
Pork	51 3	0 0	51 3	0 0	51 3	0 0
Lard	29 9	0 0	29 9	0 0	29 9	0 0
Bacon, s. c.	26 6	00 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	00 0
Bacon, l. c.	26 6	26 6	26 0	00 0	26 6	26 6
Tallow	25 3	00 0	25 6	00 0	25 6	00 0
Cheese, wh.	52 0	00 0	52 0	00 0	52 0	00 0
Cheese, col.	52 0	00 0	52 0	00 0	52 0	00 0

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

American Markets.

OSWEGO, Feb. 11.

WHEAT—Firm; sales of white State, at $1 06.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 yellow at 63c.

BARLEY—No. 2 Canada, nominal at 91c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Feb., 94c; May, 97¼c; July, 93c.

CORN—Feb., 50½c; May, 52¾c; July, 52¾c.

OATS—Feb., 44c; May, 45¼c; June, 45¾c.

MESS PORK—Feb., $9 27½; March, $9 37½; May, $9 67½.

LARD—Feb., $5 55½; March, $5 60; May, $5 82½.

SHORT RIBS—Feb., $4 52½; March, $4 60; May, $4 85.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 94c; No. 2 red, 96¼c to 97½c; No. 2 corn, 50½c to 50¾c; No. 2 oats, 44c; mess pork, $9 25 to $9 30; lard, $5 52½; short ribs sides, $4 40 to $4 60; dry salted shoulders, $3 80 to $3 90; short clear sides, $4 85 to $4 90.

Receipts—

Flour, bbls	25,000	Wheat, bu	40,000
Corn, bu	171,000	Oats, bu	167,000
Rye	14,000	Barley	33,000

Shipments—

Flour, bbls	17,000	Wheat, bu	27,000
Corn, bu	73,000	Oats, bu	120,000
Rye, bu	4,000	Barley, bu	54,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.

FLOUR—less active; unchanged; closing easy.

WHEAT—Receipts, 24,900 bu; exports, 46,554 bu; sales, 3,704,000 bu futures; 46,000 bu spot; spot irregular, closing weaker; dull; No. 2 red, $1 10, elevator; $1 12¾ afloat; No. 1 northern, $1 17; No. 1 hard, $1 19½ to $1 20; options opened ⅛c to ⅜c higher, but declined on realizing, and closed ⅛c to ⅛c under yesterday; No. 2 red, Feb., $1 19½; March, $1 10½; May, $1 06⅞; June, $1 03⅞; July, $1 00⅞; August, 95⅞c.

BARLEY—Quiet, firm; Canada, No. 1, 95c; No. 2, extra, 90c.

CORN—Receipts, 45,500 bu; exports, 8,300 bu; sales, 424,000 bu futures; 107,000 bu spot; spot stronger, less active; ungraded mixed, 62½c to 64¼c; options irregular, closing easy, at slight concessions; Feb., 62⅛c; March, 61½; May, 59⅝c; July, 59½c.

OATS—Receipts, 86,000 bu; sales, 200,000 bu futures; 107,000 bu spot; spot quiet; options firm; quiet; Feb., 52⅝c; May, 51⅝c; spot No. 2, 52¼c to 53¾c; mixed western, 51c to 54c; white do., 54c to 62c.

SUGAR—Active; some grades 1-16c higher; standard "A," 6 7-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 6¾c; powdered, 6 9-16c; granulated, 6¾c.

TOLEDO, Feb. 11.

WHEAT—$1 cash, $1 01½ May, 93½c July, 90½c asked Aug.

CORN—53½c cash, 53½c bid May.

OATS—47c cash and May.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 11.

WHEAT—Quiet; 91c cash, 93c May, 90½c nominal July.

DETROIT, Feb. 11.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 93c cash; No. 2 red $1 00½ cash, $1 01½ May, 93½c July, 91c Aug.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Cattle—Two cars on sale taken quickly at strong Monday's prices for butchers'.

Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 23 cars; top grades wanted at strong yesterday's prices; best sheep, $5 40 to $5 50 good to extra, $5 to $5 35; top grade lambs worth a shade above $6 60, but range of prices quotable at $6 25 to $6 60 for choice to extra.

Hogs—Offerings, 30 cars; slow; good top grade hogs sold at $3 80, but generally the mixed, heavy mediums and Yorkers sold at $3 75; pigs, $3 60 to $3 70; roughs, $2 90 to $3.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Hogs—Receipts 44,000; quality good; left over, 15,000; market active on packing and shipping account; feeling easy; prices 5c to 10c lower. Sales ranged: $2 50 to $3 30 for pigs, $3 30 to $3 55 for light, $3 35 to $3 45 for rough packing, $3 40 to $3 55 for mixed and $3 50 to $3 65 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; quality fair; market active on local and shipping account, feeling firm; prices well maintained on better qualities. Quotations ranged: $5 10 to $5 60 for choice to fancy shipping steers; $4 40 to $5 00 for good to choice do, $3 25 to $4 25 for common to fair do, $2 75 to $3 60 for butchers' steers, $2 25 to $2 50 for stockers, $2 10 to $2 70 for Texans, $2 70 to $3 25 for feeders, $1 25 to $2 75 for cows, $1 50 to $3 for bulls, $3 to $5 for veal calves.

Sheep — Receipts, 9,000; quality fair; demand moderate; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $4 to $5 25 for westerns, $4 25 to $5 50 for natives, $5 to $6 for lambs.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Feb. 11.—Oil opened and closed to day at $1 28.

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When you make up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's" and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla cannot be equaled. Therefore have nothing to do with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and building-up medicine. w

The way of every man is prophetic of the end of that man.

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

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Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Zera Semon again to-night.

—County Crown Attorney Hutchinson continues to improve.

—The spring Chancery Sittings will open in this city on March 19.

—Miss Sara Broadbent, of Brantford, has been visiting her uncle, Dr. Flock, of this city.

—The regular Ash Wednesday services were held in the Anglican and Catholic churches yesterday.

—Bernard Dunn, who was remanded on a charge of insanity, was discharged by Judge Elliot yesterday morning.

—Miss Ella Peckham, of Niagara Falls, is visiting Miss Maggie McHarg, daughter of Station Master McHarg.

—The singing class which Mr. R. F. Lacey conducts in connection with the King Street Methodist Church resumeed practice last night.

—A second child of Mr. James Perkins has died of diphtheria. There are several other children in the family, three of whom are down with the disease.

—The Princess rink Tuesday evening held one of the largest crowds of the season. Fully 500 skaters enjoyed an excellent sheet of ice, which had been prepared during the cold snap.

—Since January the second-hand shops of the city have been doing business without licenses. A misunderstanding on the part of the city and police officials is the reason for the omission.

—The officials of the Chicago and Grand Trunk and Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railways passed through the city Tuesday afternoon on the 4:30 express en route to Montreal.

—Lieut. Griffiths, formerly of Stratford Salvation Army has come to London. Capt. Maltby, of Stratford, has been removed to Woodstock, and his successor is lady Capt. Mahon, whose last charge was Dresden.

—Mr. Archie Bremner, formerly connected with the ADVERTISER, is the editor of a new evening journal published in Montreal. The new venture is a bright and newsy paper, and will doubtless be a success.

—The medical health officer has canceled the milk license of Mr. T. J. Hartnell, of London South. The premises were reported to Dr. Hutchinson as being in a very unclean state and a visit to them confirmed the statement.

—A hint to whom it may concern is contained in the fact that the Hamilton Spectator has recovered in the Toronto Division Court the sum of $22 50 from James Lennox, of Toronto. The suit was for unpaid subscriptions to that journal for several years past.

—A union meeting of the Women's Mission circles connected with the Baptist churches of the city was held at Talbot Street Baptist Church Tuesday. It proved very interesting and the open meeting was largely attended by the members and their friends.

—The other day an old man named Gordon, who claimed to belong to London, stole a bundle of socks from the front of Robertson's store. He was shortly afterwards captured by Chief Wheatley, and the mayor committed him for trial.—[Clinton New Era.

—Joseph Wilson, alias Poullucci, was arrested last evening by Detectives Phair and Rider at the Infantry Barracks for the larceny of two razors from Wm. Stanley, hostler at Hueston's livery stable. Wilson had just enlisted at the barracks before being arrested. The magistrate sentenced him to one month in jail yesterday morning.

—Rev. G. Trotter Carr and his wife had a jolly little gathering at their house on Monday night. It was the 20th anniversary of their wedding, and Mrs. Carr invited her Bible class to visit her in honor of the occasion. The young people spent the evening pleasantly, and presented Mrs. Carr with a 4 o'clock tea set as a token of their affection.

—In consequence of the immense number of seats sold for the concert in Dundas Street Center Church to-night it is especially requested that ticket-holders holding the inner seats, viz., Numbers 4, 5 and 6, do not fail to be at the church not later than 7:45 and thus avoid crowding past those who hold a chair in the aisle and Numbers 1, 2 and 3.

—The young people of St. James' Church, South London, held a concert at the school room last night. Besides a good programme being given a presentation to Rev. Canon Davis, the rector, took place. Mr. George A. Cave made the presentation and Mr. Wm. Skelly read an appropriate address. The gift was a handsome gold-headed cane. The reverend gentleman is very popular with his Bible class, from whom the gift came.

—About 200 people witnessed the hockey match at the Westminster Rink Tuesday night between the Uptown and Downtown bankers. The Downtown men secured three goals to the opponents none. The teams were made up as follows: Uptown—Moore, Robin, Watson, Sherreff, Counsel Elliott and Widdown. Downtown—Roy, Complin, Stevenson, Gordon, Parsons and Buckland. "D" Company I. S. C. Band was in attendance. Skating was indulged in at the close of the game.

—A Norwood correspondent writes: "On the occasion of the departure of Miss Ryckman for London, Ont., an hour was spent in the high school in song and speech last Thursday afternoon. During the performance Miss Ryckman was made the recipient of a copy of Shakespeare's works, accompanied by an address. Although Miss Ryckman's stay with us was short, she has won many friends and will be gladly welcomed should she ever find it convenient to pay us a visit again."

—The engagement of "The Gondoliers" for Monday with a special matinee is being looked forward to with much interest. "The Mikado," "Erminie," "Patience," "Pinafore" and "The Pirates of Penzance" have all drawn large audiences in London, and this, their latest, and acknowledged to be one of the best, is sure to have equal patronage. The Toronto papers say: "Hundreds turned away nightly."—[Empire. "The hit of the season."—[Mail. "The greatest of Gilbert & Sullivan's operas."—[World. "'The Gondoliers' was attended by crowds."—[Globe.

—The production of Shakespeare's great tragedy, "Hamlet," at the Grand Opera House on Tuesday evening, with the talented young actor, Robert Mantell, as the Prince of Denmark, will prove an interesting theatrical event. Mr. Mantell is an actor of unquestioned ability, and his first appearance here as a tragedian will afford much pleasure to his many friends and admirers. The company Mr. Mantell brings with him to produce this play contains many well-known artists, and a number of them have gained considerable success by the work they have done in "Hamlet."

—The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of Dundas Street Center Church held a very bright and attractive meeting last evening in the church parlor. The chief feature of the evening was an essay contest on the subject "A Plea for Missions." The circle is to be congratulated on possessing members who could produce such admirable articles on the subject as were given. Where all were best, it was impossible to make a selection. The essayists were the Misses Ryan, Demsey, Tyler and Pitcher. In grateful recognition of her energy and enterprise in connection with their mission work, the circle paid Miss Dickson the honor of making her a life member of the Women's Missionary Society.

—Zera Semon in an interview with a St. Catharines Star reporter the other day said: "I find my houses increase each night of my stay, and many who come expecting to be humbugged the first night are so well pleased they become my best advertising mediums. The show business is governed by the same laws which regulate commerce and business in general, and the legitimate way is to give the public their money's worth, for it pays in the end. I believe wholesome amusement to be a public necessity, and I take great pains to make my entertainments both amusing and instructive, while it is clean and unobjectionable in character, as the large part of my patronage comes from ladies and children."

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor connected with Adelaide Street Baptist Church gave an "At Home" Tuesday evening, their guests being the sister society connected with the Memorial Church. The lecture room, which was tastefully decorated with foliage plants, flowers and mottoes, was filled with an evidently well-pleased audience. The proceedings opened with devotional exercises and the hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesu's Name." Mr. A. J. Clark occupied the chair, but the meeting was of a social character and quite informal. The excellent addresses of the chairman and of Mr. Hanna, of the Memorial society, were, however, listened to with marked interest. During the evening refreshments were served and social conversation was pleasantly interspersed with selections by the London Harmony Club, a solo by Mr. Charles Maynard, and a duet by Miss Edith Hartson and Mr. Drew. Altogether the gathering was thoroughly enjoyable.

—The February meeting of the Queen's Avenue Auxiliary Woman's Missionary Society, held Monday afternoon in Wesley Hall, was the most largely-attended one yet held. There was no special object further than the fact that the members had set themselves a task in the way of increasing the members. At the January meeting of the auxiliary they had pledged themselves to each bring to the next meeting, if possible, at least one new member, and the largely-increased attendance this month showed how faithfully they had performed their work. The reports of the various working committees indicated a healthy activity throughout every department of the auxiliary's work. Mrs. W. E. Saunders gave a reading on "How to Increase the Interest in Missionary Work," and Miss Hiscott sang an appropriate selection, accompanied by Mrs. Sanderson on the piano. Various methods were discussed by which the auxiliary might, through a special effort, raise such funds as the members felt they ought to do, but the responsibility of deciding upon one was relegated to the Executive Committee. At the present time the work of this society has the sympathy and active assistance of a larger proportion of the ladies within its circle than ever before. At the close of its last year it had 83 members. At the present time, with half the year to come, it has, including those whose names were handed in yesterday, 107. The funds raised last year exceeded $600. This year the ladies are hoping for still larger things.

CITY CAMPAIGN NOTES.

The flaring sign "Hyman's Central Committee Rooms" in letters two yards in height is now ornamenting the front of Albert Block.

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"The wearing of the green"
Is a song that's often seen,
But the colors worn in London are but two.
The men by Hyman led
Have ties of flaming red
While the sad-eyed Carling followers wear blue.

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A Liberal mass meeting is called for Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Hamilton road school house. Mr. Charles S. Hyman, the Reform candidate for the city, will speak, as will also George C. Gibbons, Q.C., ex-Mayor Campbell, Mr. Frank Leonard, T. H. Purdom and others. A large attendance of voters is looked for.

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Says the St. Thomas Journal: "The Liberals of London, with Hyman once more at their head, should be able to redeem the constituency. They were in a minority of only 39 in 1887, and should be certain of victory now if they can only perfect their organization. It was the finest in the land four years ago, and was the admiration of the Province. Mr. Hyman is a thoroughly representative business man, a broad-minded, liberal citizen, in every way worthy to represent the city of London."

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Canada, and particularly this portion of it, is in a glorious state of prosperity under the National Policy, according to the Conservatives. At last night's meeting of the Board of Education there were no less than 69 applications for a position as janitor at very low wages. Perhaps the Tories will declare that these men are so tired making big wages and following the ordinary pursuits of life that they are anxious to dust desks, clean furnaces and carry coal in order to have a change. The untarnished truth is that London has its large quota of unemployed artisans and mechanics who are seeking to turn their hand to anything that will give even partial support to themselves and their families. Facts speak louder than Tory shouts about prosperity.

An Old Habit Gone, and a More Dangerous One Introduced.

The old days of blood-letting have gone by, as the habit was considered dangerous by advanced minds. Though now acknowledged by our modern physicians to be dangerous and even unnecessary, yet blood-letting is less to be dreaded than the modern practice of morphine injecting for the relief of pain. It is difficult to make people understand that pain is often a sanitary measure. Nature cries out when cold or over-feeding clogs the liver, and rheumatism or neuralgia is the result. These deadening drugs always weaken the debilitated system, and are fraught with great danger. The use of opiates and narcotics for the relief of pain, and as a means of inducing sleep, is fearfully prevalent in our midst, and in some quarters their use is creating disaster and consternation. Pains are really the monitors of disease, and seldom should be checked by the aid of opiates. During the past year that great remedy Paine's Celery Compound was the means of rescuing from death no less than three victims of narcotics in Montreal. They had become extremely nervous, weak, emaciated and pale; they were sleepless, unless when under the influence of drugs, and were morose and listless in disposition. Their friends induced them to faithfully use Paine's Celery Compound, and the result is that they are now changed mortals. They have lost their craving for the former poisons, and now thoroughly enjoy life and society.

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All letter orders will have our prompt and personal attention.

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176 and 178 Dundas St.

THE GENERAL CAMPAIGN.

Last Minute Jottings from All Over the Field.

Will somebody please ask Sir John Macdonald to visit Brantford? pleads the Brantford Expositor. The chieftain spoke in this city in the election of 1887, and gave Mr. Paterson a majority of 574. If he will come again, he will probably be able to make it 1,000.

T. G. Shaughnessy, vice-president of the C. P. R., says with reference to the Montreal dispatch insinuating that Mr. Van Horne was making a bargain with Mr. Haggart for the supplying of money for elections, that there is no truth whatever in any statement connecting the C. P. R. with a support of the Government in the elections.

Mr. E. J. Chamberlain, general manager of the Canada Atlantic Railway, expresses the opinion that unrestricted reciprocity between Canada and the United States would make business boom in Ottawa and throughout his district. Speaking of this question on Saturday evening, he said: "I am not a politician and do not wish to mix myself in political discussions here; but I cannot help seeing that unrestricted reciprocity with the United States would be a grand thing for Ottawa and the St. Lawrence Valley. It would help our railways, because the traffic between the two countries would be enormously increased. All talk of partial reciprocity is useless. The Americans will not listen to it. Look at the immense water powers on the St. Lawrence River, which practically separates the two countries, and the power on the Ottawa and its tributaries! If the restrictions upon trade between Canada and the United States were wiped out millions of capital would be invested in utilizing these water powers to run mills and factories. Capital would also be available for the development of the iron and other mineral deposits around here. Unrestricted reciprocity would greatly increase the value of every lumber mill and every sort of property in and around Ottawa. Any business man can see that."

The Toronto Mail, editorially, talks out on the "old flag" yarns of the high tax apologists in this strain: It was expected that the old flag would be appealed to on behalf of the Administration at some period during the present dramatic campaign; but no one who regards Sir John Macdonald as an astute statesman would have cared to predict that he himself would rush forward, as he does in his manifesto, covering himself in the ample folds of the Union Jack and shouting treason at all who differ from him. The treason cry is a feature of the contest which really should have been left to the screaming sisterhood of partisan organs. Coming from the leader of the party it is apt, unless, indeed, there is very substantial ground for it, to convey the impression to the cooler heads that there is some bad feature of the situation which it has been deemed advisable to cover in a storm of patriotic passion. That there is ground for the charge of veiled treason has yet to be proven. Were the Opposition plotting the overthrow of the monarchy, and were the plot discovered, then good reasons for the accusation would present itself. But so far as can be seen the Opposition is simply asking for a broad measure of reciprocal trade with another country. Now, reciprocal trade, broad or narrow, is not necessarily treasonable. If it were, the gentlemen at Ottawa, who have already proposed to return to the treaty of 1854 with "modifications" and "extensions," would be a nest of traitors. In fact there must be treason all round, only Sir John and his colleagues are treasonable in but a few articles, whereas Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright are treasonable in all. But the lesson of the campaign of 1878 teaches very forcibly that the treason cry when raised for a party purpose, and when based upon insufficient evidence, has very few terrors for Canada. The people here are loyal to the Queen and loyal to the institutions of the land; but when it comes to a question of commercial policy they fail altogether to detect the avenue through which treason can lift its horrid head.

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From here he noted the dispersal of the little party that had been spending the evening at the colonel's; here he had straightened up and, standing under a lamp-post, tendered his soldierly salute to Captain and Mrs. Lane as they passed in front of him, repeating it an instant after when a young lady, with dark, sparkling eyes, looked him quickly over as she tripped by on the arm of her escort; and while the latter held open the gate of the brick quarters at the corner, almost within earshot, she inquired—

"Who is that infantry corporal, Mr. Hearn?"

"That? Oh, you didn't get here in time for the ball-game, Miss Marshall, or you couldn't have asked. That's Corporal Grant, captain of the Rifle Nine."

"Can't we persuade you to come in a few minutes, Mr, Hearn?" called Mrs. Lane, in her sweet cordial voice.

"Yes, do come, Hearn," chimed in the captain, ever ready to second his wife's motion.

The lieutenant hesitated an instant and glanced at the girl who had just stepped within the gate; but, as she said nothing that seemed in any way pressing, he raised his forage-cap, and, pleasantly declining, made them good-night and walked briskly away. Opening her window five minutes later to close the outer blinds, Miss Marshall glanced down from above the piazza roof and saw the corporal of the guard still standing there under the lamp, apparently waiting. He looked quickly up at the sound of the creaking shutter, then turned aside. The next moment, before she could fasten her shutter, the sentry at the guard-house sung out "Number One, 12 o'clock." The corporal leaned his rifle against the fence, quickly extinguished the lamp, and all in front of the quarters was darkness.

Down at the guard-house she could see the bleary light of the oil lamp and the dim form of the sentry pacing to and fro; she stood there by the window straining her ears for the watch-call of the distant sentries far over by the haystacks and woodyard, then nodded her head approvingly at the soldierly ring in the voice of No. 1 as he sung out the final "All's well. Peering through the shutters, she was wondering what had become of the corporal, when the latch of their gate clicked; the rusty hinges gave a sudden squeak; there was a rattle as of a falling rifle, a muttered ejaculation; she could just dimly make out a shadowy form stooping to pick up the gun, then cautiously reclosing the gate. Then, instead of moving away, there it stood, leaning against the fence. Evidently Corporal Brent had business there and and come to stay. Instantly she bethought of the talk she had heard among the officers about the colonel's order prohibiting the men from crossing the parade, of the implied promise that no more violations should occur in recognition of the colonel's having released the quartet of roysterers in time for the great match game, and of the alleged violation of this contract. She was a young woman of quick perception; Brent had evidently posted himself there to capture the malefactors should they appear.

Quarter of an hour had passed without the faintest sound from without. She heard Captain Lane extinguishing the lamps in the parlor below, and Mrs. Lane had come tripping up to her door to say good-night, but, seeing that her guest was writing, refrained from coming farther, though Miss Marshall promptly set aside her pen and diary and cordially bade her to enter. All was quiet within and without, and she was just about pulling down her shade, when, peeping through the blinds, she saw the dark shadowy form at the fence move quickly into the road. The next moment there came a stern, low-toned challenge:

"Halt, you men!"

There was instant scurry and rush; a muttered oath; two shadowy forms darted out by the gate, and, at top speed, their flying footsteps could be heard rushing tip-toe around to the back of the garrison. But there was no pursuit. One man had evidently stood his ground.

"Where are you going?" was Brent's question, in the same low, stern tone.

"To my quarters," was the answer, in accents that were plainly defiant. "Who are you, and what business is it of yours?"

"I am corporal of the guard, and you are disobeying orders in entering the garrison. Face about and go with me to the guard-house."

"You can't arrest me! I'm going right to my quarters. I'm not going to cross the parade."

"That will do. Face about!" Brent's voice was heard. "You know perfectly well that you disobeyed orders in entering that gate, What's your name?—and your troop?"

"None of your buisness. I'm 'tending to my affairs; you 'tend to yours."

"I am; and I arrest you, whoever you are. Not another another word now, unless you want me to use force."

"Don't you dare to lay a hand on me! I don't recognize your authority. You're not corporal of the guard; I saw who marched on guard this morning, and you were not one of them. Get out of my way, or I'll ——" Then came a sudden scuffle; an oath; a gasping cry. One man could be heard running with lightning speed to the gloomy outlines of the cavalry barracks, close at hand; another seemed to dash in pursuit. Then came the sound of a stunning blow, the crash of a rifle upon the gravelly road, a heavy fall, a moan. Then—silence.

CHAPTER II.

There was a frown on Colonel Morris' face on Sunday morning that boded ill for officer or man who could not come up to the standard of the post commander on the forthcoming inspection. The old order of things was still in existence, and a beneficent administration had not yet issued its ban against martial exercises of any kind upon the Lord's day. First call for inspection in full dress had "gone," as the soldiers say, as the colonel appeared in the panoply of his profession upon the front piazza, glancing modified approval at the glistening surface of his top-boots and the brilliant polish of his spurs. Down at the front gate his orderly stood, every item of his dress and equipment a model of soldierly trimness. Out in the center of the parade a little party of the guard had just lowered the storm-flag that had been hoisted at dawn, and were running up in its stead the great garrison standard, whose folds of scarlet and white lapped out lazily in reply to the soft breeze now rising from the western bluffs. Over at the barracks the men had come pouring forth, the neat dark blue and white of the infantry at the east side contrasting favorably with the glaring yellow trimmings of the cavalry battalion, swarming along the walk and streaming from the stairways, and galleries of their crowded quarters, like so many full-plumeged hornets. On the verandas across the parade helmeted officers and ladies in dainty muslins began to appear, and along the row to his right and left the sheltered porches were similarly occupied. But the post commander stood alone. Madame his better half had visitors. Breakfast was not quite finished, and she was devoting herself to their entertainment, knowing well that her liege lord was feeling in no mood for such light duty.

Almost the first thing that the colonel heard on going downstairs on this bright Sunday morning was an animated colloquy in the kitchen between the cook and his man-of-all-work, an old darkey who had followed the family fortunes for years. Jake had learned from the police-sergeant, while he was at work on the colonel's boots and spurs, that Corporal Brent had been "slugged" by somebody the night before and was now lying unconscious in the hospital. There was time only for very brief investigation before his guests came down. Mr. Wallace was the officer of the guard, and in response to the message brought by the colonel's orderly, had gone at once to his quarters and made his report.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

TORONTO, Feb. 11—11 p.m.—To-night the pressure is highest over the Atlantic States and north of Manitoba, and lowest over the extreme Northwest Territories. The temperature has fallen in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and has risen over most of Ontario. Fine weather prevails throughout the Dominion. Temperatures at 8 p.m.: Calgary, 12°; Qu'Appelle, 4° below; Winnipeg, 10° below; Port Arthur, 18°; Minnedosa, 6° below; Toronto, 31°; Montreal, 14°; Halifax, 16°.
Local temperatures—Highest, 34° above zero; lowest, 22° above.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Feb. 12—1 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Winds, mostly southeasterly and easterly; fair to cloudy weather, followed by local rain or sleet.

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—The many friends of Miss Nellie Reynett, of Paris, in this city, Brantford and other places will regret to hear that she is seriously ill. She is a general favorite with the young and old, and all who know her will wish her a speedy recovery.

—Messrs. George K. Prouse and Charles Baxter, of Windsor, spent a short time in the city Tuesday while en route for Hamilton, where they attend the Sons of England Convention. The delegates were entertained by a number of London brethren during their short stay.

—The revival services which have been so successfully held in King Street Methodist Church are being continued this week, Wednesday being omitted in consequence of the Sunday School Convention in the Wellington Street Church. Every night some additional one expresses purpose to be a Christian.

—Mrs. Pope has presented each of her late husband's comrades on the police force with a memorial card. She desires to thank all who assisted in the recent benefit concert, and especially the gentlemen of the committee, Manager Kirchmer and staff, the police commissioners and members of the department, the Seventh Band and the performers who personally assisted in the concert.

—The Epworth League of the Askin Street Methodist Church entertained a large number of their friends in the lecture room Tuesday evening. The following programme was presented: Instrumental solo, Miss Boake; solo, Miss Williams; reading, Miss Anderson; solo, Miss Watt; recitation, Miss Anderson; song, Mr. Gorman; violin solo, Miss M. Webb; song, Dr. C. Ziegler; paper, Miss Watt; song, Miss Gorman; recitation, Miss Anderson, and solo, Miss Watt. President Rowell occupied the chair.

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

A dastardly attempt at train wrecking has come to light. It appears that on Monday night two rails were placed across the track of the St. Thomas and Port Stanley road a short distance south of the Port Stanley bridge, between this city and St. Thomas. It was evidently intended for the M. C. R. passenger train passing about 9 p.m., but a heavy freight train went over just previously and forced the rails off the track. G. T. R. detectives are working on the affair.

Water Commission Matters.

At the meeting of the water commissioners Tuesday evening, the communications of A. Johnson, A. E. Ashton and the Free Press Company respecting overcharges of water rates were laid over. Mrs. Godfrey's petition for remission of water rates was refused. The engineer and secretary will prepare the yearly estimate as required by the City Council. The engineer reported that the Board had overcharged Mr. Fox to the extent of $5, and that amount will be refunded. The consideration of the list of supplies was laid over. Mayor Taylor was the only absentee.

Reception to Students.

The students of the medical department of the Western University and also the students of the Forest City Business College by invitation attended the reception of the London Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening. An extemporaneous address was delivered by Dr. Arnott, of the Western University, on the intellectual, physical and moral development of the faculties of the medical student, which was listened to with rapt attention. Principal Westervelt, of the Forest City Business College, delivered a short address, which was also very well received. The entomological department was kindly opened to the students, and Prof. Bowman, of the Medical School, spared no pains in entertaining the visitors by numerous microscopic observations. Among those present were noticed the following from the Medical School: Messrs. A. E. Franklin, John D. McLean, S. S. Hanson, F. Hughes, R. J. Williams, W. S. McDonald, H. A. Stevenson and many others. There was also a number of ladies and gentlemen from the Forest City Business College.

W. C. T. U.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. was opened by a reading of the Scripture, singing and prayer. The new names nominated were: Mesdames Taylor, Wright, Carson, Pheasant, Bucke, Williamson, McClure, Somers, Blackwell, White, Miller, Richardson, Smith and Arthurs. Reports from the various superintendents of departments were read. Mrs. Jones reported an attendance of between 50 and 60 at the Industrial School—a number for which they have scarcely a sufficient supply of teachers. Mrs. Beals, on behalf of "Purity in Literature and Art," has visited Custom House and Opera House officials for the prevention of the posting up of questionable posters. Mrs. Williams, superintendent of literature, enumerated the number of public places where temperance literature is distributed. Two thousand leaflets are utilized weekly for this purpose. Mrs. Sage, of the evangelistic work, related some pitiful tales of destitution. On the subject of scientific temperance instruction in our public schools the president, Mrs. Thornly, gave a most intesting report. The difficulty with the temperance text books now authorized is that they are not graded.

Strathroy Items.

A vacancy having occurred in the Public School Trustee Board, from the fact that Mr. Jos. Healey, who had been elected was not a resident, an election was held in No. 2 ward on Saturday, when Mr. D. W. Vary was elected by acclamation.

The anniversary services in the Baptist Church here will be held on Sabbath, Feb. 22.

A special meeting of the Council was held on Friday evening, when some progress was made in the direction of encouraging the establishment of manufactures here.

The West Middlesex Teachers' Association will be held in the basement of the Front Street Methodist Church on Thursday and Friday of this week. As the programme is a very good one a successful meeting is expected, and arrangements have also been made for a literary and musical entertainment on Thursday evening.

The Patrons of Husbandry are becoming very strong in this neighborhood, and there are now a large number of lodges in the surrounding townships. On Friday evening a very successful and largely-attended entertainment was held under their auspices in Nettleton's school house, Adelaide.

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