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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BORN.

COLES—In this city, on Monday, Oct. 5, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Coles, a daughter.

REID—At 262 Central avenue, on Oct. 6, the wife of Robert Reid, jun., of a daughter.

DIED.

ARTHUR—In this city, on Oct. 11, 1896, Louie, beloved daughter of William Arthur, aged 6 years 4 months and 11 days.

Funeral from the family residence, 585 Elizabeth street, at 4 o'clock this (Monday) afternoon, services at 3:30. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

HOTSON—In this city, on Sunday, Oct. 11, Annie, beloved wife of Dr. A. Hotson, of the Collegiate Institute.

Funeral private on Tuesday, at 3 o'clock.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

MUSIC HALL—
THE ORIGINAL
TENNESSEAN JUBILEE SINGERS,
THURSDAY, OCT. 15.
TICKETS 15c AND 25c.
RESERVED SEATS 35c.
BE SURE AND HEAR THEM.
34i

ENDEAVORERS! COME AND HEAR the delegates' report on Ottawa convention, at Knox Church, Tuesday evening, Oct. 13, by Rev. Robt. Johnston, Mr. Brown, and others. 34u

GRAND OPERA HOUSE — THREE nights and Saturday matinee, commencing Thursday, Oct. 15, Mr. William Owen and his excellent company, presenting standard plays. Thursday night, "Romeo and Juliet"; Friday night, "Hamlet"; Saturday matinee, "The Lady of Lyons"; Saturday night, "David Garrick." Special scenery, elegant costumes. Prices—15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Matinee prices—15c, 25c. 35k

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—WEDNESDAY, Oct. 14, engagement of the distinguished comedian, Emily Rancker, and the great cast, presenting the scintillant new comedy, "A Divorce Cure," preceded by the curtain-raiser, "Comedy and Tragedy," management of Thos. W. Ryley. Luminous with new features, brilliant company, rich costumes. Prices—First two rows circle, $1; balance lower floor, 75c; balcony, 50c; gallery, 25c. 33i

GRAND BENEFIT CONCERT AND ASSEMBLY, given under auspices of Cigarmakers' Union, 278, London, City Hall, Monday, Oct. 12. Best local talent will take part. Doors open 7:30; concert at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission single tickets 15 cents, double 25 cents. Everybody come. 33c

GYMKHANA — GYMKHANA — GYMKHANA—3 o'clock sharp; events on time; tea and coffee, etc., under the grand stand. Seventh Band; room to walk about between events. Admission 25c. Seats free. 33tf

THE SEVENTH BATTALION BAND will play at the Gymkhana on Tuesday. Horse racing, novelty races on horseback, high jumping; Detroit, Hamilton and Toronto Hunt Clubs competing. 32td

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—CLASSES as follows: Gentlemen Mondays; ladies Tuesdays, 8 p.m.; ladies and children Saturdays, 3 p.m. Circulars on application. Special reduction to former pupils. Orchestra for balls, etc. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

STEAM HEATED THROUGHOUT ARE all the steamships of the Allan Royal Mail Line. Mongolian sails Montreal to Liverpool Saturday, Oct. 24. Tickets and all information on application to FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

EXPERIENCED SHOE SALESMAN wanted. Write at once to box 371, this office. 33c

WANTED — AN IDEA — WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

AGENTS—WANTED—$20 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GOOD GIRL WANTED TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 114 Bathurst street. 33c

WANTED — A GOOD COOK; REFERENCES required. Apply to MRS. JOHN LABATT, 372 Queen's avenue. 23tf

GENERAL SERVANTS—HOUSEMAIDS, nurse girls, housekeepers and girls for all kinds of work on hand at Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street. 'Phone 1121.

Musical Instruction.

CHARLES E. WHEELER, LATE FROM Leipzig, Germany, organist St. Andrew's Church. Instructions given in organ, piano, harmony and singing. Address 315 King.

MRS. NOBLE, TEACHER OF PIANO organ and harmony; terms moderate. Residence 526 King street. zxv

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST OF Dundas Center Methodist Church, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and composition. Address 548 Waterloo street.

Business Chances.

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VALUABLE HOTEL PROPERTY FOR sale: good reasons selling. For particulars apply GEORGE BYERS, Nilestown. 35m zxv

FOR SALE OR RENT—STORE AND an entirely new stock of drygoods and groceries, with an established cash trade. Address J. L. HAGGAN, Lawrence Station, Ont. 33g

Educational.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and professional examinations; 808 Waterloo street. 20tf

Architects.

MCBRIDE & FARNCOMBE — ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street, Duffield Block. H. C. MCBRIDE, F. W. FARNCOMBE.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS AND civil engineers, Albion Buildings, London. JOHN M. MOORE, FRED HENRY.

HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT—(formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, I. O. O. F. meets Tuesday evening. Members are requested to attend the lodge meetings. Visitors welcome. z

NO. 6 WARD LIBERAL CLUB—ANNUAL meeting and election of officers Tuesday, Oct. 13. All Liberals invited to be present. COL. LEYS, president; J. T. WESTLAND, secretary. 34u

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET—TWO NEW BRICK RESIDENCES, corner of Horton and Talbot streets; also 348 Talbot street. These houses have all the latest improvements, including lighting and heating. Apply 253 Talbot street, or TAMBLING & JONES. 34tf

TO LET — TWO NEW DWELLING houses, all modern conveniences, including plumbing and heating. Apply 253 Talbot street. 13tf eod

LARGE WELL-FURNISHED FRONT room with board; heated if desired. The Renwick. 34c

TO LET—CORNER DUNDAS AND BURWELL streets, brick, detached, reasonable. WM. J. CLARKE, 180 Dundas street. 34g

TO RENT—TWO LARGE ROOMS IN the Ontario Loan and Debenture Company Building, Market Lane. Heated free. WM. F. BULLEN, Manager. 16tf tzx

TO LET—EIGHT-ROOMED HOUSE—GAS, city and soft water and other conveniences. Apply 559 Colborne street. 33c

TO LET—131 SYDENHAM—NEW BRICK cottage; six rooms. Apply Lawson's Rockbottom Store. 33n

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET AT 436½ Richmond street. 30n

CELLAR—LARGE CELLAR—125x40 FEET—To rent, or part of same. No better in city. H. PORTER & Co., 97 Carling street. 27bu

TO RENT—A FIRST-CLASS NEW BRICK house, No. 214 Hyman street, hot water heating, every modern convenience. Apply 240 Hyman street. 22tf

HOUSE TO LET—423 PARK AVENUE—5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; city and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREBILCOCK, 235 Dundas street. 34tf

Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

STRAYED FROM PASTURE — DARK bay horse, 7 years old, 16 hands high, white star on forehead, heavy tail, small scar on hind foot. Reward by returning to Hueston's Livery Stable, 380 Wellington street, London. 33nbw

LOST—BETWEEN LONDON AND DORCHESTER station, black pocketbook with checks inclosed on Molsons Bank and Merchants' Bank, bank book of Dominion Savings and Investment Society and other papers. Reward by returning to Advertiser office, London. 33cbw

FOUND—STRAYED INTO LOT 8, CON. 4, London township, red steer. Owner apply to MICHAEL BREEN, London postoffice. 33c

Agents Wanted.

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DO YOU FIND TIMES HARD?—IT'S because you handle the wrong article. Try our fast reliable sellers and you will find things different. Five new books, prices from 50c to $1 75. Don't fool away time, but get hold of something you can sell in every house. If you are making $5 per day, don't waste time writing, just remember though, we are headquarters for "hard times" books. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto.

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO UNFURNISHED rooms, with or without board, by two ladies. Must be central. Address "A," Advertiser office. 35c

WANTED—GROCERY OR GENERAL store in country village. State lowest terms. Box 30, Prospect Hill. 31c

WANTED—COUNTER AND SHELVING suitable for grocery. Address "Grocer," 285 Wortley road. 33c

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. z

APPLE BARRELS—663-671 BATHURST street, east end. C. W. SMITH. 11ba-eod

60 SECONDS IS THE TIME IT TAKES to obtain a Dominion Express order at CLARKE'S, Richmond street, next Advertiser office.

NEW STOVES, RANGES AND BASEBURNERS cheap; stovepipes, 6½c. Old stoves must be sold out. At STRINGER'S, 141, King street. 33c

STOVES—A LARGE NUMBER OF baseburners and cookstoves for sale. Porter Auction Mart, 97 Carling street. 27bu

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine is in daily operation and can be seen at The Advertiser office, London, Ont. 6tf-ltf

7 GOOD RANGES FOR SALE AT THE Art Market square.

HARNESS, SADDLES, TRUNKS, Valises at manufacturers' prices. J. DARCH & SONS, wholesale and retail, 377-379 Talbot street.

RALEIGH BICYCLE, IN GOOD ORDER, only $20. Gun repairing and rubber stamps at D. MCKENZIE & Co.'s, 388 Richmond street.

PIANOS—NORDHEIMER'S AGENCY AT Anderson's Book Store, 183 Dundas street, representing Steinway, Chickering, Haines, and the celebrated Nordheimer Pianos. Orders for musical merchandise and sheet music promptly attended to.

9 SECOND-HAND ORGANS BY RELIABLE makers; prices ranging from $10 upwards. Heintzman & Co., 295 Dundas street. H. W. BURNETT, manager.

In the Matter of Wm. Howie, Lumber Merchant, of London, Insolvent.

SEALED TENDERS AT A RATE ON THE dollar for the stock of the above named, consisting as per inventory of

Lumber, shingles, posts, etc.	$3,050 33
Chattels, etc.	435 00
Total	$3,494 33

will be received at my office up to Thursday noon, Oct. 15.

Terms—One-third cash, balance in two and four months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum, satisfactorily secured. Inventory can be seen upon premises.

PARKE & PURDOM, ALF. ROBINSON, Assignee's Solicitors. Assignee. 34c tzx

Wahehes Whipped

Victory for German Troops in East Africa.

Great Anti-Turkish Demonstration by London Workingmen.

Cape Town Citizens Protest Against the Tax on Food.

Anniversary of Parnell's Death—Lady Tona Scott in a Police Court Cell.

MONEY DEARER.

Berlin, Oct. 10.—The Imperial Bank of Germany has advanced its rate of discount 1 per cent. The rate is now 5 per cent.

FIGHTING IN EAST AFRICA.

Berlin, Oct. 12.—Col. Trotha, commanding the German troops in German East Africa, has had another engagement with the Wahehe tribe, with the result that he has completely routed them, making a prisoner of the Wahehe chief and carrying him off to Dar-es-Salaam.

SEVERAL VESSELS WRECKED.

London, Oct. 12.—A northeast gale is prevailing. The Danish steamer Scotia has gone ashore at St. Abb's Head, on the east coast of Scotland. Her crew were rescued. The schooner Carmel has foundered in the Mersey. Six of her crew were drowned. In many places the gale is accompanied with snow.

A sailing vessel engaged in the coast-wise trade was wrecked yesterday in Colwyn Bay, Denbighshire. Two of her crew were drowned.

IN MEMORY OF PARNELL.

Dublin, Oct. 12.—Yesterday was the fifth anniversary of the funeral of Charles Stewart Parnell, who died suddenly near Brighton, Eng., on Oct. 6, 1891, and whose remains were interred in Glasnevin Cemetery here. The day was observed by the holding of a procession, which, after marching through the city, proceeded to the cemetery, where a large number of wreaths were placed upon the grave of the deceased. The procession was a large one, occupying an hour and a half in passing a given point.

THE CZAR IN GERMANY.

Darmstadt, Oct. 10.—The imperial Russian train, with the Czar and Czarina, and their immediate suites, arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning. Their Majesties were met by the ducal family of Hesse, headed by Grand Duke Ernest of Hesse, brother of the Czarina, and husband of Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. The imperial couple were driven to the new palace, amid great enthusiasm, through the gaily decorated streets. The Czar looked somewhat fatigued on his arrival here; but he was in good spirits and apparently pleased with his visit to France. The Czarina was as smilingly happy as ever.

LORD ROSEBERY'S COURSE.

London, Oct. 12.—Lord Rosebery has canceled all his political engagements on account of his resignation from the leadership of the Liberal party. It is understood that he will go into a lengthy, but not a permanent retirement.

A meeting of the National Liberal Federation to consider the resignation of Lord Rosebery from the leadership of the Liberal party and other matters, has been summoned to meet on Wednesday next. Dr. Robert Spence Watson, the president of the federation, will preside.

The Dundee Advertiser, which wrote to Mr. Gladstone, asking for a statement of his relations which Lord Rosebery, has received a reply in which Mr. Gladstone says. "I find it my duty to abstain from all attempts to interfere with free action or expression of opinion."

DOWN ON FOOD TAXES.

Cape Town, Oct. 12.—A large public mass meeting was held here Friday evening to protest against the imposition of duties upon articles of food. After the meeting a crowd of 3,000 men, bearing torches, marched in procession to the residence of Sir J. G. Jordan Sprigg, Prime Minister and Treasurer of Cape Colony, to whom their spokesman stated the object of their coming. The Premier addressed the crowd, saying it would be impossible to abolish the duties immediately, owing to the fact that the convention with the Orange Free State required one year's notice of its abrogation.

One of the leaders of the crowd openly declared that the reply of the Premier was evasive, and another called attention to the crowd outside the grounds of the Premier's residence, who, he said, were ready to fight unless relief should be forthcoming.

The Premier deprecated any resort to violence. He was with the people in sentiment, but the head of the Government must fulfill the law. After an hour's talk, with the result, as told above, the crowd hooted and sang songs suggestive of hanging the Premier. The scene was very impressive and dramatic.

CABLE NOTES.

The strike among the London cab drivers against the special privileges accorded certain drivers at the railways stations, is increasing.

There is remarkable activity being displayed at the Krupp gun works at Essen, owing to an invention, which greatly increases the power and durability of guns. Emperor William will shortly visit the works and inspect the invention.

The Madrid Imparcial has received mail advices from Manilla, showing that the situation in the Philippine Island is serious. The writer represents that 20,000 troops will be needed to quell the revolt in the islands against Spanish rule.

A dispatch from Paris says that at the next meeting of the Cabinet, M. Darlau, Minister of Justice, will recommend the rejection of the British demand for the extradition of Patrick J. Tynan, the alleged dynamiter, now under arrest at Boulogne-suer-Mer.

"DOWN WITH THE SULTAN!"

Popular Demonstration in Hyde Park by London Workingmen.

London, Oct. 12.—An anti-Sultan demonstration was held in Hyde Park yesterday by the workingmen of London, and a large number of persons took part in the procession. The line was 50 minutes in passing. The procession was accompanied by bands, and many banners were carried. Twelve platforms had been erected in Hyde Park, from which the speakers addressed the assemblage. Among those who made addresses were Henry Broadhurst, M.P., John Burns (Socialist), M.P., Edward H. Pickersgill, M.P., James Stuart, M.P., James H. Yoxall, M.P., and Rev. Hugh Price Hughes. They all denounced the Sultan, and set forth the horrors of the massacres of his Christian subjects. Resolutions were submitted to the assemblage and adopted by acclamation, calling upon the British Government to bring renewed and increased pressure to bear upon the great powers to secure united action in order to prevent the Sultan from continuing the "carnival of blood." The resolutions assured the Government that the workingmen would support it in any steps it might take in this direction.

LADY SCOTT'S CASES.

Earl Russell's Mother-in-Law Spends a Night in Police Station Cell.

London, Oct. 12.—As a result of Lady Tina Scott's arrest on a charge of libel, Earl Russell's mother-in-law spent the night in a cell at the Bow Street police station. The case is a sequel to the difficulties which have existed between Earl Russell and his wife for several years. The couple were divorced, and the decree of separation was followed by an unsuccessful action brought by Lady Russell for the restoration of her marital rights. Subsequently Lady Russell was sued for libel by H. A. Roberts, master of Bath College, the suit growing out of the scandal attached to the divorce proceedings brought against her husband by Lady Russell, which resulted in a verdict in favor of Roberts, awarding him £3,000 damages.

Lady Scott was remanded for further hearing, but was admitted to bail in the sum of £2,000, two sureties furnishing £500 each, and Lady Scott herself furnishing £1,000.

The detective who arrested Lady Scott in the Strand Hotel testified as to the circumstances of her arrest. When the arrest was made, he said, Lady Scott pointed to Countess Russell, who was with her, and exclaimed: "She has no father or brothers. I will fight for her until death." The charge is having caused the publication of a series of libels against Lord Russell. Lady Scott was handsomely dressed in black and wore white gloves. The arrest of Lady Scott at the instigation of her son-in-law has created a great sensation in fashionable circles.

VENEZUELA.

A New Book on the Boundary Question—Early Action by Parliament.

London, Oct. 12.—Father Strickland has issued a book on the Venezuelan boundary, based on documents and maps found in the archives of the Capuchin Order. These show that missionaries of the eighteenth century had missions between the extreme limit of the British claim and the Schomburgk line, and none whatever in the area inclosed by the Schomburgk line. They also show that there was a Dutch post in the Yunari district half a century earlier than any Spanish missionary.

The book tends to the conclusion that the rights of Great Britain, as far as the Schomburgk line are irrefragable, and that regarding the region beyond the line Great Britain has as much right as Venezuela. The documents establish indubitably the Dutch right on the whole coast to and including Point Barima, and also to parts far in the hinterland. They show that there are certain tracts in different parts of Venezuela and Guiana which were not seized by either the Dutch or Spaniards, and the present ownership of these, Father Strickland contends, can only be settled by diplomacy and arbitration.

Unless a definite settlement should be unexpectedly reached before the assembling of Parliament, the debate on the Venezuelan question is likely to take place during the first week or two after the House meets.

FROM BAD TO WORSE.

No Improvement in the Turkish Situation—The Porte's Claims Rejected.

London, Oct. 12.—A dispatch from Constantinople states that there has been a steady downward condition of affairs during the past three weeks. The better informed Moslems are anxiously awaiting foreign intervention, especially by Great Britain. The Porte continues its policy of exterminating the Armenians and devastating the country occupied by them. Every fresh report from the provinces speaks of greater disorganization and the increasing penury of the Government.

The diplomats met on Friday and rejected the Porte's claims to search foreign steamers for fugitive Armenians. The embassies have made strong representations to the effect that the state of affairs in Crete is intolerable, owing to the fact that the Porte's promises of reforms have not been executed.

The United States Minister at Constantinople denies that he has made any request to the Porte in behalf of his Government for the admission of the United States gunboat Bancroft through the Dardanelles, but he expresses hope that arrangements were made for her admission before the Bancroft started from America for Turkish waters.

The Rijnharts.

Good News from Tibet—The Missionaries Probably Safe.

Interesting Letters From the Land of the Lamas.

Outrages by Mohammedan Rebels—Barbaric Cruelties.

Letters received by Mr. C. T. Paul, of Toronto, dated in May and June of the present year, written from Kumbum Amdo, Northeastern Tibet, encourage the friends of Mr. Peter Rijnhart and his wife, formerly Dr. Susie Carson, of Strathroy and London, Ont., to think that there is no truth in the recent report that Mr. Rijnhart had been killed and his wife abducted by the rebels.

The rebels are Mohammedans, who came 50 years ago from Turkestan and settled in the Province of Kansuh, which forms part of the frontier between China proper and Tibet. The fame of Kumbum has extended to the most remote parts of Tartary, China, Mongolia, Manchuria, and all the Tibetan territories, even to the Himalaya Mountains. It is the site of the great Lamasery or Monastery, which contains about 4,000 lamas or priests who are there studying the doctrines of Buddhism. Here Mr. Rijnhart and his wife have been working for the past two years.

The district of Kumbum is held by the Tibetans to be especially sacred, for it was here that the great Buddhist reformer, Tsong-Kapa, was born. Kumbum means 10,000 images, the name being derived from the existence of a marvelous tree, said to have sprung up from the hairs of Tsong-Kapa. The Tibetans superstitiously maintain that on every leaf of the tree is visible the image of Buddah!

MOHAMMEDAN CRUELTIES.

Following are extracts from Dr. (Mrs.) Rijnhart's letters:

"If I remember rightly I have told you of the cruelty of the Mohammedans. The same sword that has been devastating Armenia has been busy here. Thousands of the Imperial troops with foreign guns, cannons, torpedoes, etc., came up three months ago to quell the trouble. They went to Topa, the rebel stronghold, 30 li (ten English miles) from us, where about 40,000 rebels were immured. Four fearful battles were fought. After the first bloody day, Mr. Rijnhart and I betook ourselves to the battlefield to help the wounded soldiers. We had about 150 wounded on our hands at once, with no hospital, no nurses, not even a bit of clean cloth to dress wounds, except what we had ourselves. Mr. Rijnhart went to the camps to see those soldiers too badly wounded to be brought to us, while I stayed in a shop the Chinese commander had got for us, and treated the wounded there. How I sighed for more help, or even a place for the poor fellows to stay in. We did no amputation, as the Chinese are averse to that, and thus three or four died, who might have been saved.

"Mr. Rijnhart is becoming a famous surgeon, extracting bullets and operating for dead bone quite skilfully. At the close of another battle we were summoned to a small village where 2,000 soldiers were stationed. The scene beggars description. Soldiers were sleeping in the alleys, horses feeding ready saddled, guns and spears glittering everywhere. Our coming was hailed with delight, everyone shouting at the top of his voice. After being introduced to the commander we began our work of attending to the wounded amidst the most deafening yells. A small room five feet square furnished with a kang or mud bed served as our surgery. Upon the kang we cut out bullets, set broken limbs, treated wounds, etc. The only window was an opening a foot square in the mud wall, which was kept free of heads by a man with a whip, who vigorously yelled and beat right and left. When we asked for hot or cold water, cotton wadding, wood for splints, etc., everyone yelled at once, but yet the desired article was brought.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED.

"The past three days have been days of terrible bloodshed. Several Mohammedan forts have fallen before the imperial troops, and 1,000 rebels, including men, women and children, have been killed. The Chinese and Tibetans, who fell into the hands of the rebels, have been butchered and mutilated in a most barbarous manner. Ah! you in the home lands have no idea of the horrors of a rebellion here. In civilized countries in time of war women and children are safe, but here, no tongue can tell the fate of some of the weaker ones that fall into the hands of either the rebels or the Chinese troops. The dead and wounded are not treated humanely, either. I recently went down to Si Ning to meet Mr. Rijnhart. On entering the gate of the city I beheld a ghastly sight, for just outside the gate lay a heap of dead bodies being eaten by the dogs. I was so sick! Mr. Rijnhart came home and reported that all along the road he had seen the dead and mutilated bodies of men, women and children. And it is perhaps sadder still to know that hundreds of the young women have been spared by the soldiers, but are now forced to lead anything but pure lives. How our hearts burn and bleed for womankind and little children in these dark places!"

RETREAT OF THE REBELS.

In another letter, dated June 7, Dr. Rijnhart says: "You need not fear on our account as far as this war is concerned, as all the active rebel leaders are being caught and handed over to the Chinese army to be beheaded. About 60 have already lost their heads. Most of the rebels' arms, ammunition and horses have been given up, but the country round about us is far from being settled, as about 20,000 of the worst rebels have fled to the interior of Tibet, and must yet be looked after. The cavalry are to go after them in two or three days. We had intended to accompany them, but as the rebel forces far outnumber them we are advised that it would not be safe. Were we both men, I think we would be less careful, but I would not like to fall into the hands of the rebels because I am a woman; and Mr. Rijnhart is careful, too, for if anything happened him what would I do? Of course if we really felt it was God's will we would risk anything, however dangerous looking to human eyes, and go forth resting securely in Him "who careth for us."

"We expect to go to Tankar to remain for two or three months. This place is described by Rockhill (Land of the Lamas, chap. II.), and was visited 50 years ago by Huc and Eabet, the Jesuit missionary travelers. There is a large lamasery (monastery) there, and we go in response to the invitation of many friends. As far as gaining the confidence of the people is concerned this rebellion has helped us more than years of residence here could have done. We have made friends everywhere, and most influential ones, too. In the Chinese army the commanders are our best friends, one of them having sent us food from his own kitchen while we were attending to the wounded. Another showed great gratitude to Mr. Rijnhart for extracting a bullet from his face.

"While the battles were going on not far from Kumbum, Je-rin-poche the grand Lama, or abbot, of the great monastery, supposed to be an incarnation of the "precious Buddha," was so much concerned about our safety that he offered us some rooms in his house for ourselves and our things until it was prudent for us to return to our own home. We accepted his offer, and found him very kind to us.

"During these troublous times we have not been able to do much preaching except to live the doctrine we came to teach."

SLEEPLESSNESS is due to nervous excitement. The delicately constituted, the financier, the business man, and those whose occupation necessitates great mental strain or worry, all suffer less or more from it. Sleep is the great restorer of a worried brain, and to get sleep cleanse the stomach from all impurities with a few doses of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, gelatine-coated, containing no mercury, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction or the money will be refunded.

Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE—MODERN—Just finished, Elmwood avenue, South London. WM. J. CLARKE, 180 Dundas, or 153 Wortley road. 34g

FOR SALE—25½ ACRES, CITY LIMITS—Fine brick house, slate roof, barn, stables, granary, etc.; soil first-class; well watered; fruit of all kinds. Or will divide in lots to suit. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

FOR SALE CHEAP — TWO DOUBLE roughcast cottages, corner Dufferin avenue and Elizabeth street. Apply LEWIS CLARK, 358 Rectory street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A CORNER grocery; cheap. 925 Colborne street. 30n

S. CHADWICK & SON — REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 497 King street, London, Ont. Phone 562.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by J. W. Jones, Esq., at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Friday, the 16th day of October, 1896, at 2:30 p.m., stock in trade of D. Ferguson, St. Thomas, as follows:

Boots and shoes	$6,589 20
Men's and boys' long	639 07
Rubber goods	301 40
Trunks and Valises	162 37
Laces, blacking and dressings	118 87
Findings	140 29
Shop furniture	269 75
Shelving	80 00
Total	$8,501 75

Terms—One-fourth down, balance two, four, six and eight months, with interest at 7 per cent, approved indorsed paper. Stock list on the premises at St. Thomas or with vendor's solicitors, GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, trustee. 32k wtzy

GIVING UP BUSINESS.

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FOOTBALL.

PETROLEA VS. LONDON.

At Tecumseh Park Saturday afternoon the London and Petrolea Juniors played Rugby football, with the result that the home team were beaten by a score of 7 to 2. A game was to have been played between the Seniors also, but the Petrolea team defaulted.

At 3:30 the game between the Juniors commenced, and it was apparent at the start that the visitors were too heavy for the local team. All the players were supposed to be under 20 years of age, but many sympathizers with the Londons expressed grave doubts as to the qualifications of some of the visitors. In the first half the Petroleas were favored with the wind, and succeeded in scoring 6 points, while the Londons made only 1. After half time London, with the advantage of the wind, scored another point, and held their opponents down to the same number. Russell Screaton, in a tackle with Scott, of the Petroleas, sprained his ankle near the commencement of the game, but stayed in the field until the second half was started, when he had to retire. J. Collins was laid off at the same time by the visitors. Shortly after Screaton gave in a swift kick raised the ball into R. Hueston's face, scraping it badly. He had to quit the field. Fred Macfie played a brilliant game. His tackles were fearless and very successful. Hobbs and Reid also did particularly good work.

For the visitors the work of Scott was notable.

The London players were: Back, Field; halves, Lind, Pigott, Moore; quarter, Hobbs; scrimmage, Taylor, Reid, Simon; wings, R. Screaton, Hueston, Harold Bucke, Macfie, McNee, Christie, Kerrigan. The Petrolea team were: Back, G. Boyce; halves, F. Morrison, D. German, W. Scott; quarter, J. Peat; scrimmage, F. Holbrook, J. Anderson, J. Stothers; wings, J. Gleeson, J. Collins, C. McKittrick, C. Abell, H. Saunders, R. A. Craise.

Umpire, R. T. Towers; referee, H. R. Pousette; touch-line judges, A. Stringer and J. Isbister; time keepers, H. Pope and R. Dunlop.

AT THE ASYLUM.

The City Association Football League game that was scheduled for Saturday on the Asylum grounds between the Asylum and Collegiate Institute clubs was defaulted by the latter on account of their withdrawal from the league, but to prevent disappointment to the Asylum players the Collegiate Institute team was on hand at 3 o'clock and offered to play a practice match, which offer was heartily accepted and greatly appreciated by the Asylum men. The score at the close of the game was 11 to 0 in favor of the instituters, who during the afternoon put up some football as fine as anyone could desire. Their team work as a whole was excellent, and some of the individual play was of high order. Mr. Byant, of Gladstone, and Mr. Downing, of Delaware, doing great service. As a club, they would be a credit to any city, and to find a team to beat them in Canada one would have to do some pretty tall searching.

A PROTESTED GAME.

The first games of the City Association football series were played on Saturday, the chief one being between the Western University and the Wolseley Barracks teams. The result was satisfactory to neither side, though the match was hotly contested to the last. 'Varsity scored the first goal in about 20 minutes, by a high kick which sent the ball through the goal keeper's fingers. Very soon afterwards a play occurred on which 'Varsity now hangs a protest. One of the 'Varsity forwards again sent the ball through the posts from the front. The referee called a foul on the ground that it was an off-side play. This the 'Varsity boys denied, and the game proceeded under protest. Sergt. Dunlevy was acting referee in the absence of the official referee, who arrived late. 'Varsity wished the latter to act after the first half, but Capt. Hall, of the Barracks team, objected.

In the second half Hall scored the Barracks' first goal, after an exciting scrimmage in front of the posts. Time was called at 4:40 p.m.

The referee declared the game a tie—1 to 1. The 'Varsity boys claim the victory by a score of 2 to 1, and will appeal through the regular channels against the referee's decision. The Barracks' eleven were much the heavier, and the 'Varsity boys complain that the playing of their opponents was unnecessarily rough, and that unless there is an improvement in this respect they will refuse to meet the redcoats again for fear of broken bones. The Barracks' men say that they could have claimed the game from the first, because 'Varsity was 40 minutes late in arriving. The officials and teams were:

Referee—Sergt. R. Dunlevy.

Umpires—Pte. Turk and Mr. T. B. Howard.

Linesmen—Pte. Davis and Corp. Millie.

Positions—Military School—Left wing, Cox, Beales; center, Hall; right wing, Faryon, Blake-Foster; half-backs, Evans, Mullins, Clarkson; backs, Flowers, Smith; goal kepeer, Moore. Western University—Left wing, McLay, McLay; center, Smith; right wing, Erwin, Eakins; half-backs, McMillan, Davies, Waide; backs, Westgate, Russell, goal keeper, McGregor.

'VARSITY.

All three teams were playing Saturday, and all won by big scores. 'Varsity first were matched against the Lornes, and had a walk-over, scoring 26 to 6.

'Varsity intermediates played their championship match with the Toronto A. C. M., and were victorious by 23 to 13.

In the junior championship match the 'Varsity fifteen beat the Lornes II. by 15 to 5.

MATCHES AT HAMILTON.

The Rugby football season opened here Saturday afternoon, with two games on, at the cricket grounds. The junior fifteen of the Hamilton Football Club defeated the newly-organized Y. M. C. A. boys at all points in the first half and 14 points in the last half. The Y. M. C. A. failed to score.

The first contest in the senior Rugby football league series was played between the Toronto Athletic Club and the Hamilton Rugby team. The Hamilton fifteen scored 11 points in the first half, to the visitors' 3, and in the second half scored nothing, while the Torontos scored 14. The Toronto Athletic team thus won the game by a score of 17 points to 14.

In the Association football for the Hamilton District League championship, between the St. Matthews and Hamilton Rangers, the St. Matthews club won by a score of 2 goals to 0.

MODEL SCHOOL CLUB.

The Model School pupils have organized a football club, and elected Mayor Little as honorary president, and Principal Graham as president.

POOL.

THE CHAMPIONS TONIGHT

The game tonight at the Grigg House parlors between John G. Horgan and Elmer J. Haight champions of New York and Michigan (respectively) will be of special interest to all admirers of pool. Play commences at 8 o'clock, 150 balls up, another 150 to be played tomorrow evening. An excellent exhibition is certain.

BASEBALL.

The St. Thomas Y. M. C. A.s are endeavoring to arrange a baseball game with the London Alerts at Atlantic Park next Wednesday.

Pitcher Frank Dwyer, of Cincinnati, won fifteen consecutive games the past season.

Charlie Campau will replace Preston in the Minneapolis team if Manning and Wilmot cannot agree upon a deal.

George W. Burnham says that in the three months that he was a league umpire he imposed $1,500 in fines on players.

AQUATIC.

The Royal Canadian Yacht Club refuses to build so large a boat as will be required to compete with the Vencedor under proper sail and so the Berrimans, of Chicago, will build a 42-footer. The new craft will be on the same lines as the big boat.

DRAUGHTS.

Reed, the American expert, says it was the silver agitation which forced him to abandon his match with Jordan, of Edinburgh, his backers being unable to raise the money they had promised him. In any case, he adds, he had intended to give up playing after the match, no matter how it resulted. Even Reed's friends are not satisfied with the explanation.

Mr. Ferrie gave an exhibition at the Bridgeton Club, Glasgow, recently. He played 41 games, of which he won 26, lost 2, and drew 13. At the single board he lost one to the blind player, W. K. Campbell. Then he played 12 games simultaneously, and was defeated in one of them, P. Hughes being the winner.

CRICKET

AUSTRALIANS WON EASILY.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Three-quarters of an hour was all the time necessary to put an end to the match between the Australian eleven and the Wanderers, of Chicago, on Saturday. McKibben's delivery proved almost invincible, his last over, which was a maiden, adding four wickets to the five he had already taken, making a total of nine wickets for 29 runs. The Chicagos were only able to put together 93 runs in their second inning. This made the total score as follows: Chicago, first inning, 105 runs; second innings, 93 runs; total, 198. Australia, first inning, 235 runs, winning by an inning and 37 runs. The Australians left last night for the coast.

THE TURF.

AT DUTTON.

Dutton, Ont., Oct. 10.—The races left over from yesterday were run today, as also the farmers' running race.

In the 3-minute trot or pace, there were three starters—Honest Bob and Bonnie Pacer, who yesterday won two heats, and Pat, with one heat to his credit. None of the other horses were allowed to start, not having won a heat in five. It was finished in one heat, Bonnie Pacer taking first, Pat second and Honest Bob third. Time, 2:31 1-2, the fastest heat in the race.

Running race, unfinished yesterday; two heats—Ozark 1, Aelgo 2, Mustard 3. Time, :53, 51 1-2.

Farmers' race, running—Alex. Erskine 1, J. A. McNil 2, J. Hyman 3.

WINNERS AT WINDSOR, OCT. 10.

First race, 5 furlongs—Paramount 1, Susie Howze 2, La Lisba 3. Time, 1:04 1-2. Barney Adler, Wild Mountain, Sadie K., Lady Dixon, Silver Stockings, Wander gelding, Lady Lilac, Lady Hope also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Yours Truly 1, John Carr 2, Leoncie 3. Time, 1:05. Evaline, La Colona, Elyria also ran.

Third race, 3-4 mile—Ardath 1, Tim Murphy 2, Bloomer 3. Time, 1:16. Samson, Pete Kitchen, Victoria, Tutuila, Wightman also ran.

Fourth race, 5 1-2 furlongs (selling)—Coranella 1, Sagwa 2, Gomar 3. Time, 1:10 1-4. Crocus, Lay On, Thornbush, Chiquita, Loyal Prince, Lauretta D. also ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Lord Nelson 1, Brendo 2, Partner 3. Time, 1:45. Beefeater, Hulburt, Hardenburg also ran.

Sixth race, steeple chase, handicap, short course—Dom Pedro 1, Brother Bob 2, Eppleworth 3. Time, 3:45. Jaco, Colonist also ran.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS AT LEXINGTON, KY.

2:20 class, pacing, purse $500—Eleanor 1, Stella B. 2, Lucy H. 3. Best time, 2:10 3-4.

Kentucky Futurity, pacing, purse $1,000, 3-year-olds—Dan Q. 1, Sulphide 2, Dr. Archibald 3. Best time, 2:11 1-4.

Third race, 2:10 class, pacing, purse $1,000—Royal Victor 1, Choral 2, Pearl Onward 3. Best time, 2:08 3-4.

2:28 class, purse $500—Roloson 1, Konie 2, Charley Tuttle 3. Best time, 2:17 3-4.

THE WHEEL.

In the Dunlop trophy race, McEachern and Hulse, who were mounted on Stearns' "Yellow Fellows," led all the way, and would have finished first but for a spill at the gate within a short distance of the finish.

BALD AND SANGER.

Four thousand people attended the bicycle meet at Milwaukee on Saturday. The feature of the day was a match race, mile heats, for a purse of $1,000, between E. C. Bald and W. C. Sanger. Bald won the race in straight heats. Time, 2:10 and 2:05 3-5, which breaks the track record previously held by Sanger. Sanger also rode an unpaced exhibition half-mile in one minute flat. Con Reinke, of Milwaukee, lowered the one-mile pace, amateur State record, riding the distance in 2:05 3-5.

NEW FIVE-MILE RECORD.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 12.—At the Garfield Park cement track Saturday Jas. M. Welshman lowered the American five-mile record 10 seconds, covering the distance in 9:20. John S. Johnson rode a quarter-mile in 23 seconds.

TEN-MILE ROAD RACE.

Toronto, Oct. 12.—A ten-mile handicap road race was held Saturday from Crew's Hotel, Kingston road, with 35 starters. L. Bounsall and Greatrix were the scratch men. After a hard tussle against the wind, F. Abraham, W. D. Vogel and L. Bounsall came in first, second and third respectively. The last-named won the time prize with 31:02 1-5.

RACING BOARD BULLETIN.

Sanctions issued: Oct. 13, Bowman & Co., Ingersoll.

The following tracks are placed on the association record: Rockwood driving track, Portsmouth; Coldwater Driving Park; Sackville, N. B., agricultural track.

Record allowed—R. O. Blayney, made at Simcoe, Competition, standing start, paced; 3 miles, 7:03; 4 miles, 9:22; 5 miles, 11:44 1-5.

Riders are notified that in claims for competitive records the board will not allow any time made in a trial where the only object is the lowering of the existing mark. The board will decide whether enough "competition" exists, or whether the event is of importance enough to warrant a consideration.

SPOKES.

Cooper, the Detroit flyer, has won $5,620 in cash this season.

Sugar and Wheat.

The World's Supply of These Great Staples.

Large Decrease in This Year's Crop of Grain.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—A report received at the State Department from Consul Germain, stationed at Zurich, gives the estimates of the world's sugar crop for the season of 1895-96, as calculated by a paper devoted to sugar interests. The estimate places the crop at 7,069,756 tons, against 8,208,361 tons for the previous season. In the estimate the beet sugar producing countries, excluding the United States, participated to the amount of 4,236,100 tons as against 4,688,500 in 1894-95. The visible world's supply, excluding new crop, but including cargoes afloat, is estimated to be 1,331,306 tons, as against 1,500,413 tons last year this time.

THE WORLD'S WHEAT.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—United States Consul-General Karel, at St. Petersburg, has supplied the State Department with the exhaustive statistics of the world's wheat harvest of 1896. His figures show that in general the harvest of this year decreased 185,485,542 bushels, as compared with the harvest of 1895.

The harvest in the United States, Canada, Argentine, Uruguay, Chili, Australia and the East Indies show a decrease of 165,392,959 bushels.

Of the European producing countries Russia only shows a large decrease of 56,575,467 bushels. The countries of consumption harvested 37,205,123 bushels more than last year.

The rye harvest shows a still greater decrease proportionately, it being estimated at 154,765,714 bushels.

A decrease in oats and barley is also noticeable, but not to so great an extent. The exports of cereals from Russia during the first eight months of 1896 show a big decrease compared with the preceding year, being 192,440,651 bushels, as against 241,254,578 bushels.

A LUCKY SURPRISE.

"Talking of surprises," said the oldest man in the company, a 49r, with a fine head of gray hair and a patriarchal beard, "I remember one that was one of the most welcome I ever knew, although neither life nor liberty was jeopardized by its absence. It was like this: "We were a party of miners from the States—four of us—and we had left everything we needed in a camping outfit that had gone to our destination by another route, when we stopped for the night on the bank of the Feather River.

"There was a stream of running water there, ice cold, that came down from the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and I was delighted to wash the dishes in it after supper. Now, supper didn't mean much variety of grub in those days. There were no canned goods, and our stores were of the lowest just then, for we had been for a long time on the trail.

"Washing a few tin dishes was not much of a chore, but the one who was dishwasher for the camp often struck it rich for all hands and the cook. With one eye on the dishes I kept the other on the sand at the bottom of the stream."

"Looking for gold?"

"You're right, pard; looking for gold. And that night as I stared into the water I saw something that made me yell as if a Comanche had got into my hair."

"A nugget?"

"Naw, a fish. A beautiful, speckled, sparkling mountain trout that played about as if just asking me to catch him."

"Was that your surprise?"

"Wait a little bit just. The boys came tearing down from the camp, and says I, 'Get me a grasshopper and a cord off some of our bundles, and put the pan over the coals, for I have a New York hunger for fish this blessed minute.'

"'Where's your hook?' says one of the boys.

"'Bend a pin,' says I, and with that he did, and put a fat grasshopper on, and I scooped that fish in before you could wink an eye. And, gentlemen, when I came to dress that fish—and this isn't any fairy story, either—I found as neat a fishhook in its interior as you ever saw. And the next day we caught all its mates."

"What became of the gold?"

"Gentlemen," said the old miner, with a look of reproach, "that is another story."—Detroit Free Press.

HE AILED MANY YEARS.

Kidney Trouble of Some Kind—Lame Back and Weakness—Cured by a Few Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Brockville, Oct. 12.—As stated by Mr. Wm. A. Stagg himself, the facts of his quite recent perfect recovery from weakness and ailments many years suffered are as follows: "To a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I owe my complete cure from weakness and lame back which had clung to me for many years. As soon as I decided that the cause might be from derangement of the kidneys, I procured a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I am glad to say that only a few boxes were taken before I was as well as ever.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claims to public confidence.

Mercedes, Princess of the Asturias, who was Queen of Spain for the few months before the birth of her little brother, has just completed her sixteenth year. She is not pretty, but has beautiful eyes and black hair.

A monument has been erected at Boulogne in honor of L'Hoste, the French aeronaut, who first crossed from France to England in a balloon. He crossed three times successfully, but was drowned in the fourth attempt.

Queer Old Almanacs.

Plenty of Information for the Superstitious.

Lucky and Unlucky Days Set Forth With Great Minuteness.

Almanacs that profess to tell us the weather on particular days, a year or so ahead of time, although they still appear, are not so numerous as they were formerly. They are relics of the old astrological prophetic almanacs of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, which were in great vogue and which ventured on the most remarkable predictions. M. Gaston Tissandier, editor of La Nature, contributes to that paper a description of some of these curious old almanacs, of which he has a large collection. We translate from his account the paragraph that follows:

"Before the invention of the barometer and the thermometer, which are the basis of meteorology, there could be no question of weather predictions; prophetic almanacs existed none the less, but their authors confined themselves to speaking of the influence of the planets or of the signs of the zodiac; they also spoke of the character of the individuals who should be born in such and such a part of the year."

As a typical early almanac of this kind, M. Tissandier proceeds to describe one called "The Shepherds' Calendar,' published by Claude Nourry in 1504, and quotes as follows the first lines of the preface:

"The following is the same as the present "Shepherds' Calendar," with several new additions. The calendar of the feasts of the year, to which are added the hours and minutes of the new moons; table for finding each day in what sign the moon is; diagrams of the eclipses of the moon and sun; the tree and branch of the vices; the pains of hell; the book of the salvation of the soul; the anatomy of the human body; the art of phlebotomy of the veins; shepherds' astrology; the sayings of the birds; the judgments of physiognomy; how to know under what planet a child is born,' etc."

The "tree and branches of the vices" noted above, is given at length in the book, a page being devoted to each vice. Afterward are enumerated the punishments awarded to each in hell, purported to be described according to Lazarus. We give a specimen:

"'First,' says Lazarus, 'I saw wheels of iron, very high, placed on a mountain like unto mills, continually turning with great impetus; these wheels had iron clamps, to which were bound men and women guilty of pride.' The pictures show the proud torn by these wheels. Further on, we see sinners engulfed in icy waters or pierced with swords, or cast into caldrons of boiling oil or molten lead.

"'Fifthly,' says Lazarus, 'I saw caldrons full of boiling oil and molten lead and other metals, in which were plunged avaricious men and women to cleanse them from their evil avarice."

The prophetic section of the book is entitled:

"The signs whereby shepherds may known how to preserve a whole and well-composed being in their bodies; a division of time, and a rule which shepherds may use according as weather and season require."

One of those salutary rules runs as follows:

"Rule for spring: March, April and May. In the spring shepherds should see that they are clad in habiliments neither too cold nor too warm, such as tartan and doublets of fustian—robes of medium length."

The book next proceeds to describe the various planets, and the characteristics of the persons who are born under each; for instance:

"He who is born under the sign Taurus, or from mid-April to mid-May, will be very hardy and will possess wealth given by another. What he wishes to do will be accomplished, etc."

This sort of thing, which is yet to be found in more than one popular almanac, is, according to M. Tissandier, extremely ancient, and goes back to "the earliest periods of history, to the origin of nations." But soon the success of the prophecies, and the invention of the barometer, which gave to the common people some idea of weather-prediction, enlarged the sphere of the prophets, and they now began to foretell not only weather but all kinds of things. As an example is cited "The Faithful Almanac," published in 1781 at Troyes by the Sieur Maribas, "astrologer and mathematician." Says M. Tissandier:

"A special page was devoted to practical advice and good council, and to receipts, corresponding to each day of the year. We read, for example:

"'Pentecost, June 8, Trinity, June 9—Good to bleed.

"'Ash Wednesday, Feb. 28—Good to use the cupping-glass.

"'Pentecost, June 8—Good to do up the hair."

"The Sieur Maribas gives numerous predictions of the weather for each day of the year—hail, rain, snow, frost, etc. Besides these daily forecasts, the almanac published general predictions for the four seasons.

"Another curious prophetic almanac of the 17th century is the following: 'Almanac for the year of grace 1686, by M. Claude Ternet-Champenois Paris, published by the widow Nicholas Oudet, Rue Veille Boucherie.' Each day in the almanac is accompanied by a meteorologic prediction and a prophecy. . . . Sometimes the predictions are replaced by prophecies of quite another kind, such as the following:

"'March 12—Thieves pursued.
"'March 20—Good news.
"'March 27—Lawsuit won
"'May 18—An unfaithful wife.
"'June 16—Severe illness.
"'July 22—Hidden treasures found.
"'Sept. 26—A ridiculous oration.

"Such naviete is surprising, and a considerable dose of credulity must have been taken by the reader who would accept such predictions; the author apparently wrote them haphazard as his fancy dictated.

"But we must not make too much fun of our ancestors. In the year of grace 1891 there were still prophetic almanacs that found publishers—and numerous purchasers.

"Common sense and sound reason have always regions to conquer."

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhea, cholera, and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

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TOWNSHIP COUNCILS.

LONDON.

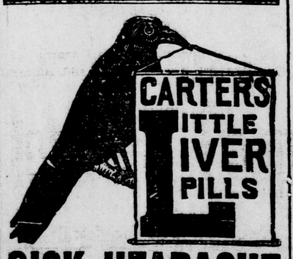
London Township Council met Oct. 5. All the members present. A communication from W. A. Langford, collector, asking for an increase of salary, was filed. One from Messrs. Hegler & Hegler re damage to traction engine on Governor's road last winter, was read. The clerk was instructed to notify them that the council will take no action, not being liable. One from Messrs. Meredith & Co., re damage to property of Messrs. Cartlidge and McCarthy by being flooded with water; no action. Mr. Dreaney reported verbally on the petition of H. Lea and others, asking that the town line between London township and Dorchester, opposite con. A, be not closed and sold; that the parties interested have agreed that no action be taken. Orders for the following amounts were issued: J. Ryan, $20, grant on outlet drain; Geo. Wood, $337, for building bridge opposite lot 6, con. 11; G. K. Easton, $6, for cleaning out township part of a ditch; C. Rowell, $24 85, for filling and graveling approach to bridge; F. W. Farncombe $20, cost of Cartlidge award; Mr. Robson, $1 50, for culvert; Thos. Miller, $2 75, for gravel; Thos. Miller, $1 50, shoveling gravel; E. Hudson, $6 40, building guard on approach to bridge; Judge E. Elliott, $5, his costs in appeal against award on Cartlidge drain; H. Bruce, $2 70, for gravel; Fenton Fitzgerald, collector, $2 dog tax he could not collect; $64 salary, 94 cents tax remittance indigent, and $374 45, amount allowed by him as percentage on taxes paid on or before Dec. 14, 1895; R. Robson, $6 50, gravel bee; P. G. McIntyre, $3, for repairing bridges; S. Pearson, $174 60 for building bridge on sideroad between lots 28 and 29, con. 16, $20 for extra piles and planking, $174 60 for building bridge between lots 20 and 21, con. 11, $8 for extra piles and planking, $130 95 for building bridge opposite lot 21, con. 14; M. O'Neil, $18 75 for filling and graveling approach to bridge; George Harris, 50 cents for removing earth from under bridge; James Richards, $15 for filling and graveling approach to bridge; B. Kennedy, $26 25 for filling and graveling approach to bridge; A. Cameron, $8 56 grading and plowing; J. B. Ingamells, $2, costs in sheep case; W. D. Willis & Co., $14 04, posts and lumber; John R. Hodgins, $20 for ten days' overseeing of the building of three bridges; Dr. McNeill, $5 for witness fees; E. Guest, $8 for drawing tile and putting in culvert; P. Milay, $3 50 for fixing approach to old bridge; F. Hodgins, $2 for drawing plank, etc.; T. Henry, $4 50 for drawing gravel; J. McLeod, $40 for 20 days' overseeing of the building of bridges, etc.; S. Legg, $8 48, township's share of ditch; R. Scell, $108 for 8,000 feet of rock elm plank; $5 for roadway; M. O'Neill, $2 for same; E. Dann, $2 for overseeing; J. H. Hodgins and J. McLeod, $10 for two days and mileage, for attending court, also $3 for one day and mileage; T. Jenkins, $5 33, for one sheep and one lamb killed by dogs; C. Gray, $4 33 for two lambs killed and one injured by dogs; G. Morris, $14 for two lambs killed and five injured; J. Peters, $8 66 for two ewes killed and two injured; J. McFarlane, $5 for repairing bridge; T. Henry, $45 for work on road; Gerald Sifton, 50 cents for timber. Moved by Joseph McLeod, seconded by E. Dann, That this council grant the sum of $400 to be expended in grading sideroad between lots 4 and 5 in St. Andrew's ward. Lost. Ayes—E. Dann, J. McLeod, Nays—J. H. Hodgins, R. Dreaney, J. R. Hodgins. Bylaw 880, appointing collectors and fixing their salaries, was read three times and passed. Council adjourned till the first Monday in November. James Grant, Clerk.

EAST WILLIAMS.

The Municipal Council of East Williams met at Nairn on Monday, Sept. 28, all the members present; minutes of last meeting read and sustained. The clerk being absent, Mr. McGregor acted as clerk, pro tem. Mr. McDonald was appointed with a commission from West Williams to examine Mr. McDonald's grievance, and remove it if necessary. The collector's bond was accepted. The following accounts were paid: Wm. H. Westcott, material for Carlisle bridge, $15 40; R. Graham, half cost culvert, $1 20; John L. Scafe, half cost culvert, $1; Peter Gillies, new culvert, repairing sideroad and plank, $7 87; Wm. Singular, 32 rods ditch, $4 48; John Rook, culvert, $1 75; James McLean, repairing bridge, $11; John Gray, repairing approach to Wyatt's bridge, $1; John McIntyre, constructing culvert, $1 50; John Ross, planks, $1; Wm. Singular, to account of ditch on Fraser's flats, $10; Hugh McEachin, plank, $1; Joseph Haskett, graveling $11 80; R. McIntosh, tile, $8 32; Wm. Graham, damage to wheat by travel through his place last winter, $5; P. Stewart, repairing approach to bridge, $1 75; Donald McIntosh, burying a dead sheep, 50 cents; Joseph Haskett, right of way to Canada Company's pit, $4 50; D. McKenzie, building Widow McKay's bridge, $75; John C. McKenzie, repairing approach to Nairn bridge and drawing gravel, $20 25; A. A. Morrison, 76 loads gravel, $4 56, and two days' overseeing, $2; D. McIntyre, 455 loads of gravel, $27 30, and plank, $1 20; Neil Gillies, repairing bridge, $10 25. Bylaw No. 80, for the appointment of George Fraser as collector, was read three times and passed. The council adjourned, to meet at Nairn on the second Monday in November, at 10 o'clock a.m. D. Wyllie, Clerk.

Mrs. Bardsley, mother of the Bishop of Carlisle, who died recently at the age of 94, had seven sons, all of whom took holy orders. Her husband, too, was a clergyman. They were intimate friends of Charlotte Bronte.

Mr. Dwight L. Moody, will largely withdraw from usual evangelistic work and devote himself to furnishing the 750,000 prisoners in the United States with good literature, chiefly religious.



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GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division.

MAIN LINE—GOING EAST.

Trains arrive at London from the west—4:05 a.m., 4:15 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 10:45 a.m. 4:25 p.m., 7:10 p.m., 11:20 p.m.

Trains leave London for the east—4:07 a.m., 4:20 a.m., 8:10 a.m., 12:45 p.m., 2:25 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 7:40 p.m.

MAIN LINE—GOING WEST.

Trains arrive at London from the east—2:20 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 12:20 p.m., 6:25 p.m 9:50 p.m.

Trains leave London for the west—7:00 a.m. 11:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.

Sarnia Branch.

Trains arrive at London—4:02 a.m., 8:35 a.m., 11:36 a.m., 2:15 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 7:50 p.m.

Trains leave London—2:30 a.m., 7:40 a m., 11:00 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m.

London, Huron and Bruce.

Arrive at London—9:45 a.m., 6:25 p.m.
Leave London—8:15 a.m., 4:45 p.m.

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

Arrive at London—10:40 a.m., 1:35 p.m., 5:40 p.m., 9:15 p.m.
Leave London—7:15 a.m., 2:40 p.m., 5:55 p.m.

L. E. & D. R. R.

Going South—Trains leave London, 6:25 a.m., 10:05 a.m., *2:30 p.m., 5:25 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 11 p.m. Trains arrive at Port Stanley, 7:25 a.m., 11:05 a.m., 6:26 p.m., 8:15 p.m., 12 p.m

Going North—Trains leave Port Stanley, 7:45 a.m., 1 p.m., 7:25 p.m., 9:35 p.m. Trains arrive at London, 8:45 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:08 p.m., 8:27 p.m., 10:35 p m.

*Arrives at St. Thomas 3:05 p.m., depart 3:40 p.m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

GOING EAST.

Trains arrive at London from the west—4:10 a.m., 4:25 p.m., 2:40 p.m.

Trains leave London for the east—4:15 a.m., 8 a.m., 4:35 p.m.

GOING WEST.

Trains arrive at London from the east—11:12 a.m., 8 p.m., 11:00 p.m.

Trains leave London for the west—11:25 a.m. 8 p.m. 8:10 a.m.

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Death of the Archbishop of Canterbury,

While Attending Service in the Church at Hawarden.

Taken Ill in the Gladstone's Family Pew —Impressive Tributes to the Deceased Prelate.

London, Oct. 11.—Rt. Hon. and Most Hon. Edward White Benson, D.D., Archbishop of Canterbury, Primate of All England, and Metropolitan and Privy Councilor, died suddenly yesterday while attending divine service in the church at Hawarden. The archbishop was the guest of Mr. Gladstone, through whom he was appointed to the Archbishopric of Canterbury, and in company with the Gladstone family went to the Hawarden Church this morning. After the service had begun a commotion was noticed in the Gladstone pew, and immediately other church attendants were seen removing the archbishop, who, it was supposed, was suffering from a fit. He was taken to the rectory and medical assistance was hastily summoned. The doctors worked over him until 11:45 o'clock when he died. Physicians state that death was caused by apoplexy.

The archbishop and his wife arrived at Hawarden Castle, Mr. Gladstone's residence, Saturday evening. They came from the north of Ireland and intended to stay at Hawarden for a short stay and to be present at the archbishop's church. The archbishop appeared in the best of health. He attended the first of his diocese at the Communion at the Hawarden Church, and at 8 o'clock in the morning he returned to the castle, where he met his family. Later he went with his family to the church to attend the morning service. The confession was proceeded with. It was then he fell forward, and that he had been taken with a fit and that he would soon recover. The church attendants removed the archbishop as quietly as possible, one of their numbers meantime summoning a physician.

Rev. Stephen Gladstone, rector of the church, continued the service until he received a message from the archbishop that the service was closed. He then prayed for the dead with the congregation. As the procession left the church with the burial service, the organist played a dead march and the congregation were rung on the bells. The flag was not present at the funeral. The weather being severe, and care was taken to keep him at home. He was greatly distressed when informed of the death of the archbishop. The death had been close friends for a long time.

The death was announced in many of the Episcopal churches in London and the prominent churches in evening services, and regret was expressed everywhere. Archbishop Benson was esteemed by all sects for his moderation and broad-mindedness.

The death of the archbishop was announced at St. Paul's, in the afternoon service. The news quickly spread, and in the evening there was a great assemblage in the cathedral. The preacher highly extolled the dead archbishop for his work for the established church, for his personal uprightness of character, his lovable disposition. After the sermon the organist played the "Dead" March, the congregation standing as the solemn strains filled the edifice. A great bell of the cathedral was tolled in memory of the dead.

Dean Farrar paid an impressive tribute to the dead archbishop. In Canterbury Cathedral. He said, among other things, that compared with Bishop Benson's more than his predecessors none was endowed with more graceful learning, more winning geniality or holier or truer wisdom.

The doctors who attended the bishop Benson are of the opinion that his death was more likely caused by heart trouble than by apoplexy. It was known that his heart was weak.

Archbishop Benson was 67 years of age. He was born near Birmingham in 1829, and was educated at King Edward's School, Birmingham, and Trinity College, Cambridge. He was for some years one of the masters at Rugby School, and he held the mastership of Wellington College from its opening in 1858 down to his December, 1876, he was nominated by the crown, on the recommendation of the Earl of Beaconsfield, to the bishopric of Truro, and was consecrated in St. Paul's Cathedral, April 25th, December, 1882, Dr. Benson was appointed by the crown, on Mr. Gladstone's recommendation to the bishopric of Canterbury, in succession to Dr. Tait.

WHAT SHE WAS AFRAID OF.

When the Queen was at Balmoral last she visited an old cottager who was confined to his bed. In leaving, her Majesty said to the old lady who had been entertaining her: "Well, Mrs. ——, I will now no longer be afraid of death, and I shall expect you to pay me a visit."

"Ah, ma'am," replied the old woman, "It's not yerself I'm afeard of, it's them grand servants."

HIS BURNING LOVE.

"Does he offer any proof of his affection?"

"Proof?" exclaimed the beautiful girl. "Well, I should say so. Why, he says that I have set his heart afire, and it has been burning so that it has melted the cigars that he carries in his vest pocket."

"But the proof?"

"He showed me the half-melted cigars."

Lecturing on Sunday in Montreal on "Prayer," Mrs. Annie Baird said that when the match-girls put her hands, she had obtained money for a girls' home by simply asking for it, and explained that prayer was not a reflex action. The act of volition sympathetically affects the semi-conscious intelligences that administer the evolution of the world, who in turn operate upon higher intelligences, until through a graded succession of aerial intelligences our prayers and aspirations reach the Divine Logos. This is almost as good as Mr. Herbert Spencer's definition of evolution.

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Western Ontario.

Still More Cases of Hog Cholera in Essex.

Death of a Lambton Pioneer — Accident to a Sleep Walker.

Several more cases of hog cholera have been discovered on some farms in Malden township.

Mr. George Crocker, of St. Thomas, picked ripe red currants, the second growth, in his garden Saturday.

C. S. Graves, of Tilsonburg, offers his creditors 65 cents on the dollar, which is declined, and Mrs. Alice Roedding, of the same place, will call a meeting of her creditors.

Over $200 has already been collected in Windsor for a stone to be placed over Dean Wagner's grave in Alsace, and it is probable that a memorial will be fitted up in the Windsor Parish Church.

The annual convention of the Windsor district of the Epworth League will be held in Essex on Oct. 21 and 22. Dr. Thornton, conference president, and Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist Church, will take part in the conference.

Miss Mary, daughter of D. S. Robertson, second line, Plympton, met with a serious accident lately, having arisen in her sleep and walked out of an upper window, falling 14 or 15 feet to the veranda floor, sustaining serious bodily injuries. She is now in a critical condition.

Wingham Journal: "Dr. J. P. Kennedy performed a most serious and difficult operation in Wingham on Tuesday, on Mrs. Wightman, of Adrian, Mich., in removing an abdominal tumor. The doctor was assisted by Dr. Gunn, of Clinton, and Dr. J. R. Macdonald administered the chloroform. The patient is doing as well as could be expected."

Windsor has fallen behind during the past year, according to the assessors' lists. The population is 11,392, a decrease of 157. The assessed value of real estate is $5,121,010; personal property, $172,852, and taxable income, $55,900; making a total of $5,350,360, a decrease of about $200,000 as compared with last year.

An arbitration case of considerable interest was heard at Eden on Thursday and Friday. It is the action of A. H. Grey against the Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific Railway, for right of way across plaintiff's farm. The arbitrators are Judge Hughes, W. Y. Emory and T. W. Kirkpatrick. After a score of witnesses had been heard the case was adjourned until the 20th. The costs will amount to about $200 a day.

William Kirkpatrick, of Bosanquet, one of Lambton's early settlers, has died, at the age of 72 years. Deceased was born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland, in 1824. He came to Canada about the year 1846, and settled in the township of Westminster, where he ran the Pond Mills. Here he lived for about 24 years. In 1870 he moved to the township of Bosanquet, where he bought the Crossley farm, on the 12th concession, and settled down to farming. He was married in the year 1850 to Ellen Elliott, at Westminster, who survives him. He leaves four sons—John, James, Charles and George—and two daughters—Mrs. J. Nimmo and Mrs. Treleaven, both of North Dakota. Three brothers of Mrs. Kirkpatrick attended the funeral—John Elliott, of Westminster, Humphrey and William Elliott, of Sarnia township; also Mrs. John Elliott, a niece of Mrs. Kirkpatrick, of Westminster.

THEY STEAL COFFINS.

Winnipeg Burglars Not Particular What They Carry Off.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 10.—Several burglaries have been reported here lately. The most striking was an attempt to burglarize the warerooms of Hughes' undertaking establishment. The burglars had two caskets, which they were filling with silver fittings and drygoods, when interrupted.

THE FALL FAIRS.

Granton	Oct. 12-13
Norfolk, Simcoe	Oct. 13-15
Delaware	Oct. 14
Muncey, Tecumseh Agr. Ex.	Oct 14, 15, 16.
Highgate	Oct. 15-16
Burfolk, Burford	Oct. 15-16
Moraviantown	Oct. 19-22
W. York, Woodbridge	Oct. 20-21

JOKE ON PROF. BLACKIE.

St. Louis Republic.

The late Prof. Blackie used to relate with great gusto the following story against himself. As everyone knows, the genial old professor used to be a picturesque and striking figure in the streets of modern Athens.

A wiry-framed old patriarch, with strikingly-handsome features, and long hair that fell in ringlets about his shoulders, no one once having seen him could forget him. Passing along one of the principal Edinburgh streets, he was accosted one day by a very dirty little street-gamin with: "Shine your boots, sir?"

The urchin was very imperative, and the professor, being impressed, with the extreme filthiness of the boy's face, remarked:

"I don't want a shine, my lad, but if you go and wash your face I'll give you a sixpence."

"A' right, sir," was the lad's reply, and, going over to an adjacent fountain, he made his ablution. Returning, he held out his hand for the money.

"Well, my lad," said the professor, "you've earned your money; here it is."

"I dinna want it, auld chap," returned the gamin, with a lordly air; "ye can keep it and git yer hair cut."

The genuine Angostura Bitters of Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons are the most efficacious stimulant to excite the appetite.

A PANTHER SAILED OVER HIM.

Shows a Scratch On His Hand to Prove the Truth of His Story.

A Superior, Wis., telegram says: That there are panthers in the forests of North Wisconsin has now been settled beyond a doubt. The hair-raising cry of this dreaded beast has been heard by hunters and woodsmen frequently during the past two years according to reports, but it has always been difficult to convince people that the cries heard were not those of some other beast or bird, as no one had, until yesterday, come in contact with one of the animals, and it was generally believed that they were extinct.

Yesterday a settler named John Henderson, living upon a claim out in the woods, seven miles from Maple Station, on the Northern Pacific road, while hunting partridges and other game in the thickest of a dense pine forest, had an adventure which proved beyond doubt that there is at least one panther in this section. Henderson was walking about 200 feet in advance of his companion, separated from his view by the closely clustered trees and thick tangled underbrush, when a piercing shriek, not unlike that of a woman in distress, rent the air. Henderson says the cry came from only a short distance ahead of him, and so terrorized him that he stood rooted to the ground for several minutes, unable to move a muscle. Finally he recovered sufficiently to realize that it would be policy for him to retrace his steps as quietly and quickly as possible. He started to do so but on turning around cast his eye slightly upward and gazed up on a sight that paralyzed every nerve in his body and rendered him utterly helpless.

Perched upon the limb of a tree was the cat-like panther, its forepaws firmly grasping a smaller limb, as if prepared for a deadly spring, and its eyes glaring like balls of fire down into the orbs of the victim. Henderson says he remained thus spellbound for at least five minutes, and every second he expected to see the animal spring from its perch for the struggle of death. He wanted to shoot, but could not reach the gun, and wanted to run, but could not raise a foot. Finally a rustling was heard in the underbrush and in an instant the second hunter appeared on the scene. The panther saw the newcomer, and with another piercing shriek sprang from the limb over the head of Henderson, taking only a foot from the intended victim. Before either could raise a gun to fire the animal was out of sight and the hunters did not feel disposed to follow the trail. Henderson has a painful scratch upon the back of his left hand, which, he says, was inflicted by one of the panther's paws as the animal passed over his head.

READY TO REFORM.

The writers of dialect stories seem to think it necessary to misspell words with their characters pronounce corrupt. The Washington Star takes this absurdity by this fanciful bit of criticism:

"I'd like to see the man as writes it," he said, holding his fingers over paragraph in the newspaper.

"That dialect story?"

"Yes, sir, I want to ask 'im something."

"He is not here at present. Isn't there anything we can do for you?"

"Mebbe there is. Ye see I come from the locality he's writing about. That's my kind of talk he's putting before the public. Whenever he uses the word 'come' he spells it 'c-u-m.'"

"Of course. That shows it's dialect."

"Well, we're anxious to please up our way. If you'll tell us any different way to pernounce it, so's the spelling'll be 'c-o-m-e,' same ez yours, I'll warrant that very man in the community'll practice 'till he kin do it jes' right."

An English writer says there is cruelty in the keeping of goldfish. Half of such captives die from sheer want of rest. As fish have eyes so formed that they cannot endure the light, in a glass vessel they are in an entirely wrong place, as is evident from the way in which they dash about and go round and round, until fairly worn out.

WHAT IT MEANS

London is learning it.
Learning it fast.
Proof not lacking.
Everybody has it.
That tired feeling.
Don't know what it means.
Keeps you awake at night.
Destroys daily comfort.
Wearies the body, worries the mind.
You would shake it off.
You would be healthful and strong.
So you can.
If you get at it right.
First learn what it **means**.
Some say it is bad blood.
Others say it is a lazy liver.
They're all wrong.
Tired feeling means tired kidneys.
Just as lame back means lame kidneys.
And backache means kidney ache.
How do we know it?
Because Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.
And they are for kidneys only.
How can we prove it?
Because London people say so.
Here is a case in point:

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London, Saturday, Oct. 10, 1896.

The Liberal Leadership.

The resignation of Lord Rosebery as Liberal leader in Great Britain has not caused the sensation which its announcement would have created if a general election had been impending. There is plenty of time between now and next general election for the British Liberals to consider the whole situation and get the party into the best fighting position both in the House of Commons and in the country. The probability is that meanwhile Sir William Vernon Harcourt, who has been leader of the Liberals in the House of Commons since Mr. Gladstone's retirement from public life, will become leader of the party. But he is 70 years of age, troubled with poor eyesight, and otherwise not in the best of health, though a giant mentally and one of the best debaters in Parliament. The probable coming man is Hon. Mr. Asquith. He is young, a man of great ability, a speaker of the first rank, and in easy circumstances.

Mr. Asquith will be Prime Minister of Great Britain in the near future, of all portents mislead.

Says the Toronto Week: "Be their stay in Canada long or short, Lord and Lady Aberdeen will always be kindly remembered by those with whom they came in contact during this tour."

A Fat Office Vacant.

The late Honorable and Most Rev. Edward White Benson, D.D., Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of All England, whose sudden death in Hawarden Parish Church, yesterday, is chronicled in our cablegrams, was probably the highest paid clergyman in the world. He had an income of $75,000 a year, with two official residences—Lambeth Palace, S. E., and Addington Park, Croydon. The Archbishop of York and the Bishop of London have each $50,000 a year, and a palace to live in. The average English bishop enjoys a stipend of $25,000 per annum. Neither the First Lord of the Treasury, nor the Lord Chancellor, receive as much remuneration for their services as does the Archbishop of Canterbury. The First Lord is paid $25,000 and the Lord Chancellor $50,000 a year, and both find themselves.

It will be interesting to note who will receive appointment to the vacant archbishopric. The office is the gift of the crown, which means that Lord Salisbury will nominate the lucky man. Mr. Gladstone was Premier when Dr. Benson was elevated.

Cause of Typhoid Fever.

The dangers arising from an impure water supply are strongly emphasized by the Indiana State Board of Health, which has been investigating a remarkable condition of affairs at Rock Lane, where 75 per cent of the population have suffered at some time during the last year from typhoid. It was found that all those who had been ill had been attendants at the Rock Lane Church, where there is a well, from which the worshipers have been in the habit of drinking. A microscopical examination of the water from this well shows it full of bacteria, and a chemical analysis shows the water to be badly polluted. The well has been condemned and closed.

It is safe to say that a large proportion of the typhoid fever outbreaks in rural districts could be traced to similar cases. Pure water for man and beast cannot too strongly be insisted on, or at all events, as pure as it can be made by keeping it free from contaminating substances.

SOME QUEER DOINGS.

Not long after the election the Fredericton (N. B.) Herald published the following:

To the Agent of the Conservatives at Chipman:

Dear Sir,—Mr. —— is on your voters' list; he voted for Mr. Wilmot here. Let him vote at Chipman. He will show you his ballot, and you can, after seeing his ballot, use him well. Yours truly, (Signed) Fred St. J. Bliss.

Northfield, Aug. 25, 1896.

Mr. Bliss was an active worker for Mr. Wilmot, and, seemingly, he had his own ideas of how to conduct a campaign on lines of electoral honesty and purity. The authenticity of the letter has never been questioned in the press. Now, the Herald publishes a letter which is even more characteristic of the methods of these men:

John R. Dunn, barrister, notary, etc., Stockton Building, 94 Prince William street:

St. John, N. B., Aug. 21, 1896.

Sheriff White or any of Liberal-Conservative Committee of Burton Polling District, No. 20:

The bearer, John Hilland, who is on the list as John Holland, is all right. Pay him for his vote. I have given him enough for fare. (Signed) John R. Dunn.

It is perhaps hardly necessary, remarks the St. John Globe, to say that Mr. Dunn is a leader in the Conservative party. He was one of Mr. J. D. Hazen's lieutenants in the St. John campaign, and he was very prominent in the Queens election. Is comment needed?

The novelette in Lippincott's for October is "The Crown Prince of Rexania," by Edward Van Tile, author of "The Manhattaners," a story of foreign conspirators in America. D. C. Macdonald describes "England's Army in India." "Russian Boys and Girls at School" is by Isabel F. Hapgood; "Jim Bowers' Boss," and "Bullwinkle" are short stories, and Willian Cecil Elam, in "Shakespeare's Old Saws" explores an interesting field. Geo. G. Wesley writes of "Some Old Clubs," and A. F. Sanborn of "The Quays of Paris." Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott & Co.

Cabled Correspondence

Strange Reason Attributed for Lord Rosebery's Resignation--A Woman in the Case.

The Czar's Tact—The New Triple Alliance—Growls From Germany — The Occupation of Egypt—Ireland in Hard Luck.

London, Oct. 11.—Of course, Lord Rosebery's resignation of the Liberal leadership is the topic of the hour. A correspondent cables as follows: Paradoxical though it is, Lord Rosebery's resignation has given him a power and force in his party greater than it has been at any moment before since he came into the Premiership. His speech at Edinburgh confirms his renewed leadership, except that he obviously will be the actual leader hereafter, whoever may be the nominal leader of the party, instead of occupying the disputed, anxious, ineffective position he has heretofore held. His extraordinary statement of the obstacles by which he has been opposed within his own ranks not only explains his half-humorous cynicism of the past two years, but is a revelation of inside politics, unprecedented, probably, in English history. But the exposition he makes of his views on the Armenian question puts him in a night in the position of the leading statesman of Great Britain. He spoke two hours, and it was probably the greatest speech he ever made. In its dealings with personal questions it showed admirable restraint. Lord Rosebery placed great stress upon the horrors of war, and little upon its glories and righteousness when the cause is righteous.

IS THERE A WOMAN IN THE CASE?

One cannot well leave this subject without some reference to the strange reason for Lord Rosebery's resignation assigned in quarters which are often well informed in such matters, although possibly it is not more than a revival of an old report. It is that the resignation is connected with his lordship's matrimonial intentions. It will be remembered that rumor persistently connected Lord Rosebery's name with that of one of the Prince of Wales' daughters, since happily married. Now it is declared that a mistake was then made, and that the lady whose hand the noble earl had ventured to ask in marriage was actually the Prince's daughter Victoria. The story goes that the Prince did not regard the match with much disfavor, but that it had to be abandoned in consequence of opposition from a higher quarter. That is to say, the Queen disapproved. The lady, although 28 years old, remains unmarried, and the earl is still the best preserved unmarried peer in the British matrimonial mart; but according to the report referred to they will not much longer remain in single blessedness, all opposition to their union having been removed on condition that Lord Rosebery retires from active participation in politics. Another version, not widely different from the foregoing, names the German widow of an English prince as the future Countess of Rosebery, and one is as probable as the other.

THE CZAR'S CLEVERNESS.

The Czar of All Europe, as one of the French newspapers half-seriously, half-facetiously, called him, has at length withdrawn himself from public view for the present, and now the world is asking, in calmer mood, "What is the meaning of all the noise and splendor of the past week?" If one should point out that England was swept by storm and rain, while Paris rejoiced under smiling skies during the three days of the Czar's visit to the French capital, and should deduce therefrom dark auguries for Great Britain, and happy ones for Frand and Russia, he would be doing as wise a thing as most of the political prophets, whose voices are loud in Europe today. The strongest impression seems to be that the paramount object to the Czar's visit was to make an alliance with the French people themselves, and not with their rulers. He accomplished that object with wonderful cleverness. He recognized fully and publicly that France is a democracy, and that the people and the people only are the source of power. He testified in a dozen different ways his acceptance of that fact. Not only did he visit every great shrine of national pride and patriotism, but to the direct representatives of the people, such as President Brisson, of the Chamber, and President Baudin, of the Paris Municipal Council, he expressed his appreciation of republican institutions. To M. Brisson he said at once on receiving him, that he was glad to meet a man who represented the real source of power in France,and in saying that he bound to himself the great radical party, which was beginning to question rather loudly the congruity of an alliance between democracy and despotism.

FRANCO-RUSSIAN UNITY.

Discussion has been revived in the past day or two over the question whether a written treaty of alliance exists between France and Russia. It is entirely immaterial. The Czar evidently knows that his alliance must rest upon the affection of the French masses, for without it a treaty would be of no value. There is no question that he has secured it, nor is it doubtful that he will be able to hold it yet awhile. The attitude of the rest of Europe, while the great spectacles at Paris and Chalons were in progress, has been mightily interesting. No one has attempted to minimize the importance of the great political event, which the world was watching so keenly,but there has been an almost amusing attempt in each country to point the finger of significance in some other direction. In Paris itself one did not hear a whisper of any present ambition toward continental revenge or aggrandizement. The only immediate advantage of an alliance with Russia, which was suggested. was in connection with the Turkish and Egyptian situations, and even in them no extreme policy is advocated.

RUSSIA'S DOMINATION

of the new dual alliance is complete. M. Hanotaux, who is especially persona grata to the Emperor, is more an assistant to the Secretary of Foreign Affairs of Russia than he is Foreign Minister of France. The indications still are that France will continue to act as an instrument of the powers is impressing their will upon the Sultan. The latest report is that that includes the opening of the Dardanelles and Bosphorus to all foreign warships and that the appointment of Turkish Ministers be subject to the approval of the ambassadors of the powers. This is a large order, and if the alternative of its acceptance by the Sultan be war, then the powers may is well save time by ordering the fleets to force the Dardanelles at once.

A GERMAN VIEW.

The reception of the Czar in France during the past week has engrossed public attention in Germany, to the exclusion of everything else. The views expressed on the subject differ greatly. The preponderance of opinion, however, is that it bodes no good to European peace. The official press has been very cautious, but this was not the case with the independent press. The Tageblatt says: "If the Zweibund pursues the aims of revanche of the patriots of the Parisian boulevards, it may easily happen that France will have to decorate other statues on the place la Concorde with mourning symbols." The Centrist Volks Zeitung remarks: "Russia, in the double game she is playing between France and Germany, is perpetrating a gigantic fraud." Emperor William has been carefully informed of the Czar's doings and sayings by special couriers to Hubertstock, and he is reported to have said to Prince Hohenlohe, "I have the fullest confidence in the Czar." This confidence, however, is not shared in official circles.

GERMAN GROWL.

With regard to an English French and Russian agreement it can be said that this is now looked upon as the only practicable means for England to escape her impotence in face of the so-called concert of Europe in the Eastern question. In view of the succession of growls from Berlin upon the Egyptian question, generally taking the form of semi-official hints that France and Russia intend to make early trouble for England in regard to Egypt, and that Germany will look with a benevolent eye upon the success is regarded here as merely a display of spite.

RETURN VISITS.

According to a special dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from St. Petersburg President Faure will not pay a visit to the Russian capital, as has been suggested, but Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria will return the Czar's visit to Vienna, and the Emperor and Empress of Germany may also visit St. Petersburg concurrently with the Austrian Kaiser, unless the expected accouchement of the Czarina should compel a postponement of the imperial visits.

NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

Englishmen are still as much in the dark as ever as to what business, if any, Lord Salisbury transacted with the Czar at Balmoral last week. Public sentiment is a good deal attracted by the notion of an Anglo-Franco-Russian arrangement, and certain signs of amelioration of feeling of the Paris and St. Petersburg press toward England are seized upon with avidity as warranting the belief that this is impending. Nothing has happened since the Balmoral meeting either to confirm or to disprove this idea, and meanwhile the popular feeling is reverting to the earlier impulse to have England keep her hands free to act in Turkey on her own initiative.

THE OCCUPATION OF EGYPT.

The belief is fast becoming general that France and England, with the assistance of Russia, are nearing a rapprochement respecting the Egyptian difficulty, and that France is preparing to frankly recognize the British occupation. She will obtain substantial compensation elsewhere. It is worth noting at present that the German press is beginning to point out in view of the importance of Germany's colonies and commercial interests that the unconditional neutrality of the Suez Canal is to her a matter of the utmost importance, and that if the neutrality of the canal was granted by the powers, Germany might not object to the Sultan's territorial suzerainty over Egypt passing into other hands. Lord Salisbury himself proposed the convention of 1877, securing the neutralization of Egypt, but the present Sultan, after much delay, refused to sign. As that arrangement would have left out the suzerainty of the Sultan there is not the remotest chance of it being revived and ratified, in view of the state of his other dominions. The only clauses that will be heard again are that Egyptian territory shall be neutralized under the guarantee of the great powers; that the guaranteeing powers shall retain the right of transporting troops through the Khedive's teritory, either by land or the Suez Canal; that England shall exercise the right of appointing the majority of officers in the Egyptian army, and retain the right of re-occupying the country in case necessity arises. In 1887 it was also proposed that the English army should be given three years within which to withdraw from Egypt, but there is no likelihood of this being proposed by England again.

THE LIBERAL POSITION.

Thomas Wemyss Reid, editor of the Speaker, the Liberal organ, says in an article in that paper that the position of Liberalism is graver now than it has been in a generation. He extols Lord Rosebery's honorable conduct, and concludes by declaring that Sir William Harcourt's chances of leading a united Liberal party are absolutely nil, adding that some startling displays of antipathy for him have already come from unexpected quarters.

ZANZIBAR.

The German Colonial Council will hold a meeting on Oct. 19. The recent events in Zanzibar, including the matter of the removal from Zanzibar of the usurping Sultan, Said Khalid, by a German warship, will doubtless receive the attention of the meeting. The more extreme members of the Colonial Council regard the removal of Said Khalid to Dares-Salam as an important score in favor of Germany and against Great Britain. These extremists profess to regard the Said Khalid affair as bran[illegible] fraught with valuable results to [illegible], and believe that something [illegible]rious is imminent from the fact [illegible] the British warship St. George [illegible] flagship of the Cape and [illegible] Africa station, which sailed south [illegible] from Zanzibar on Sept. 24, [illegible] ordered to return to Zanzibar, [illegible] and the cruiser Gibraltar, from [illegible] has been ordered to join [illegible] The Gibraltar is now passing th[illegible] the Suez Canal.

OLD FRIENDS.

An interchange of courtesies between the Queen and the Pope has highly gratified English Catholics. The two are old friends, for just 50 years ago Mgr. Pecci visited London. The Pope's congratulations on the length of Queen Victoria's reign have drawn from the latter gracious acknowledgments and loyalty of her Catholic subjects to their sovereign.

RAIN-INJURED CROPS.

Report comes from the west of Ireland that the injury done to crops by flood and rain. The crops are destroyed in some districts, and everything threatens a wet winter in certain parts of Ireland unless speedy relief is given.

CABLE NOTES.

Millais left a fortune of a million sterling.

The London Road Car Company, [illegible] runs 900 omnibuses, intends to do away with the use of horses on 'busses, and to run motor omnibuses.

Baron de Rothschild was the winner this season on the Engelfield. The Prince of Wales comes followed by Lord Rosebery.

May will take the place of the [illegible] George Du Maurier and illustrate [illegible] Punch Annual.

AMERICAN POLITICS.

Presidential Struggle—Humors of the Campaign.

[illegible] engineer is responsible for the following train order on the Wash[illegible] system, March 4: [illegible] quarters G. O. P. R. R., Washington System, March 1, 1897.—Westbound mixed special No. 24 will pull into White House Station at 12 m. March 4, to consist of a 16-[illegible] to 1 smoker. "Tariff Reform," "Grover," sleeper "Stevenson," [illegible] pusher "Democrat," dead. At [illegible] send buffer Grover into flying [illegible] pick up wrecking car Bryan, [illegible] mashed platform and busted air[illegible], at Gold Cross, and leave it [illegible] of Chicago platform at Evanston where it will be picked up by [illegible] Lincoln limited cattle train and [illegible] Saline River, Neb. Leave the [illegible] pusher "Democrat" at the Colorado scrap heap, Chicago.

[illegible] east-bound Green Mountain accommodation will leave the refrigerator "Sewall" at Maine Bath tank [illegible] barrel taps repaired. The Salt [illegible] limited will take up smoker [illegible] on" at Columbus, and leave "Stevenson" at Free Trade, [illegible] will be picked up by Wilson's [illegible] train.

[illegible] and lock switches on G. O. [illegible] main line and wait on siding [illegible] 25, regular Washington limited [illegible] Conley and Hobart, Mark Hanna [illegible] tor, which has absolute right [illegible] over all trains from Canton [illegible] Washington. By order:

[illegible] ESTDOLLAR, Gen. Manager.

[illegible] S. PERITY, Gen. Supt.

[illegible] engineers have found that [illegible] Roman vessels discovered in [illegible] of Nemi can be raised with[illegible] great difficulty, and the Gov[illegible] has taken measures to have [illegible] soon.

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In these useful garments we are showing some very neat checks and Mixed Tweed Effects, which are always so much desired. Plain and fancy colorings, lawns, browns and navies. All very moderate in price and as warm as they are beautiful. The cold weather is coming. Keep your children warm

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Dainty Cream Silks and Cashmeres, embroidered with White and Gold Jets, edged with Swansdown. Pale Pansy and Primrose effects, with white Silk trimmings. Cardinal, with Astrachan linings—these are reversible one day you can wear an Astrachan Cape, the next day a Handsome Black or Crimson one; the prices are right, from $8 50 to $16.

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A Good Wide Skirt for	$2 90	A First-Class Tweed Suit	$7 50
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Is the best, in fact—the One True Blood Purifier. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills Do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists. 25c.

Topics of Today.

It is likely that the new Presbyterian Hymnal will be issued before next Easter.

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The Dominion Government has been asked by the Montreal Board of Trade to fix Thanksgiving Day for the fourth Thursday in November. The customary date is the third Thursday of that month, but it is held that as navigation is closing about that time, business is on the rush, and it is detrimental to trade to cease operations. It so happens that the fourth Thursday is Thanksgiving Day in the United States. The awful question comes up as to whether or not it would be perfectly proper for Canadians to give thanks for bountiful harvests on the same day as their neighbors. There are some people who think it would never do at all.

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Hon. Joseph Martin, of Winnipeg, states that for the next ten years he will devote himself to business, and at the end of that time if he can afford it he may enter politics. This means that when the Winnipeg seat is declared vacant, Mr. Martin will not be be a candidate.

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President Van Horne, of the C.P.R., and party, who are on an inspecting tour, were in Winnipeg on Sunday. Sir William, asked his opinion as to the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, to connect Eastern Ontario with the great mineral resources of the Rocky Mountains, said he had no doubt the new Government would take the matter up and deal with it. The C. P. R. was ready to build the new line, if satisfactory arrangements could be made. In Sir William's opinion, the greatest addition to the wealth of the Dominion in the future should come from the region to be tapped by the Crow's Nest Pass road and would come if necessary steps were taken to secure it; otherwise it will continue to drift to the south, as it is doing. Speaking on the proposed fast Atlantic service, Sir William said that if grain and other traffic from the west is to be hauled over Canadian lines and to Canadian ports exclusively there must be a change in the Atlantic freight service, and the first step towards effecting the change desired is the establishment of a fast Atlantic passenger service. The diversion of the grain traffic is solely a question of ocean freights. So long as the present type of vessels in use on the Canadian routes is maintained, so long will grain rates rule higher and so long will business go via New York. The fast steamships should only carry passengers and high-class freight; the freight steamships should be arranged to carry freight at the lowest possible cost.

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The many friends of the family will deeply sympathize with Sir Richard and Lady Cartwright in the loss of their youngest son, Lewis, which took place at Lindsay on Sunday morning. Deceased was a bright and promising young man of eighteen, and had only been sick a few days of inflammation of the bowels. He was attached to the Bank of Montreal, and was a general favorite.

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Creamery butter, made at Prince Albert, N. W. T., and sent to England, sold at Liverpool and London for over 22 1-2 cents a pound. This shows what can be accomplished when care is taken to produce a first-class article.

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Hon. Mr. Flynn, Conservative Premier of Quebec, is demanding an addition of $400,000 to the subsidy which the province receives from the Dominion exchequer. While his friends were in power at Ottawa Mr. Flynn never thought of making any demand on them, but in view of the coming general elections in the province he now hopes to get some capital by badgering the new Liberal Government. The scheme is easily seen through. Quebec, as well as every other province, must live within its means. Additional subsidies to the provinces would mean additional taxes. Let Quebec economize.

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It is expected that the final conference on the school question between the Dominion and the Manitoba Provincial authorities will take place at Ottawa tomorrow.

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Mr. A. P. Low, of the Dominion Geological Survey, has returned to Ottawa from a trip through Northeastern Labrador, which is part of Canada's possessions. Mr. Low states that the country through which he passed contains very little timber. Indeed, the country throughout is barren. Iron was found in abundance along the route, but no coal was seen. Only once before, as far as Mr. Low can ascertain, has this route been traversed by a white man, a missionary named Peck making the journey ten or fifteen years ago.

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Black Rod objects to be wiped out. Of course he does. But if he cannot give a reasonable excuse for his maintenance he must go. A couple of thousand of dollars a year for three or four "bobs" is too much.

Death of Mr. Dan Dewar.

His Daughter Florence Arrives a Day Too Late.

Died at a Friend's House in Scotland—Sketch of His Life.

His wide circle of friends in London and the west will hear with regret, but not surprise, that Mr. Daniel Dewar, proprietor of the Albion Restaurant, here, died in Scotland on Sept. 28. Relatives received the sad news today by mail, which accounts for the lateness of the announcement.

Mr. Dewar left the city on June 23 to place himself under the care of eminent physicians in Scotland. He was suffering from a malignant tumor, which had long affected his health. Mr. Dewar underwent an examination at the Royal Infirmary, Glasgow, and it was found that the tumor could not be removed without fatal results. He then went to Gore Lochead, on the coast, near Glasgow, and for a time seemed to be improving, but he took a sudden turn for the worse, and quickly sank.

It was a sad circumstance that his only daughter Florence arrived just one day too late to cheer his dying hours. She was summoned by cable about Sept. 16 or 17, and left with all possible haste, reaching Gore Lochead only to find that Mr. Dewar had died the night before. He was not entirely among strangers, having passed away in the home of a kind friend, Mr. Bennet, brother of Ald. Bennet, of this city, where deceased spent the last two weeks of his life. The bereaved wife and daughter left for home with the body on Oct. 8, by the Montreal route. It was Mr. Dewar's wish to be buried at St. Marys by the Masons.

The deceased was born in Perth, Scotland, about 48 years ago, and came to London with his parents when a boy. He learned the carriage trade in this city at Wm. Thompson's, and afterwards entered into partnership in that business with W. Moyes, of St. Marys. He remained there for a long period, and about five years ago removed to London. He was a strong Liberal, and took an active interest in politics in Perth county. Mr. Dewar leaves a wife and one child, Florence. His mother is still living. Mrs. Cochrane and Miss Alice Dewar, of Stratford, and Mrs. Jerry McDonald, and Mrs. W. Avey, of London, are sisters. Mr. R. S. Dewar, school teacher, Minneapolis, Minn, is a brother.

The deceased was a respected member of Fidelity Lodge, A. O. U. W., and of the Independent Order of Oddfellows. By the London Curling Club he will be greatly missed as an enthusiastic lover of the game and a boon companion. Mr. Dewar was a man of amiable qualities, highly esteemed by a host of friends.

Mrs. Dewar accompanied her husband to Scotland.

Cigarmakers' Strike.

The Cubans at the Vallens Factory Quit Work.

Would Not Accept a Reduction in Wages—Both Sides of the Case.

At the Vallens cigar factory, on Ridout street, the expert Cubans who have been employed there for the past year have left work in a body, because of the proposition to reduce their scale of wages $2 per 1,000 cigars.

The men were brought here by Manager Otto Brener from Chicago and other American cities, because of their peculiar skill, acquired at the home of the tobacco industry, Cuba. Their workmanship was particularly desired by the proprietor for the manufacture of higher-priced cigars.

The cigars turned out by the Vallens Company are Havanas, and the rebellion in Cuba has caused a scarcity of pure Havana leaf; consequently, the price has materially increased.

"We offered to cut from $18 per 1,000 to $16 on only one size of cigar, the Londras," Manager Brener told an Advertiser reporter this morning. "There are some fifteen or sixteen brands of cigars made at the factory, and each is worth a special price for manufacturing.

"On all sizes but the Londras we have been paying the same scale of wages as is paid in Chicago and New York," added Mr. Brener, "and on that size we were paying $2 more per 1,000. At the proposed reduction the men would be getting the American scale of wages."

Over 40 cigarmakers were employed at the factory, but of the number only eleven were Cubans. All of the latter went out on strike. The strikers say the Canadian workmen were not affected by the reduction, because they were employed on the cheaper class of cigars. Th Cubans and men still working at the factory are all union men.

When it was made known to the men on Saturday that the cut of $2 per 1,000 had been decided, the Cubans appointed a committee to wait on Manager Brener and state their case. An agreement was not reached, and the men refused positively to accept any reduction in wages. They state that the union scale is $20 per 1,000 on the other side, but they came here for $18 per 1,000, because the cost of living here was less. A Cuban of ability can make 1,000 cigars in four days.

Jose Rodriguer and Jose Jouzalez, two Cubans, came here from Chicago a week ago, and say they have remained in the city upon promises of work at the Vallens factory, and were to have begun today. But when they learned of the proposed cut they joined the strikers.

A few of the strikers have left the city, claiming that they can get work at the wages they ask on the other side. The little Cuban colony has been an orderly, well-behaved one. All its members are great patriots, and on Sundays they usually had a dinner together, at which the success of the insurgents and the overthrow of the Spaniards were sentiments freely expressed.

Unenviable Characters.

Squire Lacey Deals with a Motley Aggregation.

A Band of Vagrants Who Lived on What They Could Steal.

Squire Lacey's little court in London West contained a motley aggregation this morning. On Saturday night Detectives Ward and Northgreaves, in company with Constables Clarke and Sonley, made a raid on a party of five vags who were encamped on the sideroad between the first and second concessions of London township. They were Louis Whitehead, Frederick Hart, Frederick Snyder, Mrs. Shea and Maggie Carey. They were alleged to have pilfered hen roosts, barns, and taken possession of empty houses along the route of their travel. For two or three days they were encamped along the bank of the "old channel." Their tent was of a very rude character, made of old bags and a bed quilt. In this was a stove, which Whitehead is alleged to have stolen from the house of Florence McGinnis, on Piccadilly street, and who had a warrant issued for his arrest, charging him with assault and theft. When found by the constable the whole party were huddled up in a bunch. They are all well-known characters. Mrs. Shea has figured in the police court on several serious charges, and sentence was suspended on two occasions, once on condition that she should take the pledge. She has also served six months in the Mercer. Hart is wanted on a charge of contempt of court.

The party had an old unshod horse, which is a veritable parcel of bones. The harness is tied up with ropes and strings. The wagon is a sorrowful sight, the wheels being loose, the tires fastened on with wire, and the box repaired with remnants of farm fences. The vehicle contained a lot of old clothing, boots, shoes, etc.

The party were all arraigned before Squire Lacey. He addressed each one separately on the serious character of the charges laid against them, and remanded them until the 19th for trial.

The other three were Frank Smith, Robert Smith and Charles Graham. They have been loitering around Hyde Park, and at night have taken possession of the section men's shanty on the G. T. R. near that place. They were arrested in the shanty about 1 o'clock this morning by Detectives Ward and Northgreaves. The trio were also remanded for a week.

A Great Gale

Sweeping Along the Atlantic Coast.

Much Damage Done at New Jersey Points.

New York, Oct. 12.—The fierce gale which began late Saturday night still continues this morning. The wind is strong from the northeast and shows no signs of abatement. No vessels have left this port this morning, and probably will not until more moderate weather prevails.

At Atlantic City, N. J., about 200 feet of the iron pier at the foot of Massachusetts avenue have been battered away. The bulkhead at Chelsea has been destroyed. Railroad travel on the Camden and Atlantic Railway has been suspended, owing to the high water submerging the tracks. The cottages on the meadow side of the city have been surrounded by water, and the occupants have been compelled to use boats to get to and from their homes. The wind reached a velocity of 55 miles an hour.

Sea Isle City, N. J., Oct. 12.—The gale raged with great fury here. The meadows in the rear of the city are flooded for miles, and as far as the eye can reach there is only a foaming sea. The avenues and streets are inundated by the heavy breakers that are washing in at the upper end of city. Railroad travel is almost entirely at a standstill.

DUMBARTON DISTURBED

By Something Like an Earthquake—Shipyard Damaged—Steamer Circassian Shaken Up.

Dumbarton, Scotland, Oct. 12.—A serious subterranean disturbance, very much like an earthquake on a small scale, took place here at 10 o'clock this morning. The Circassian, which was lying off a quay, being shaken and violently moved 30 feet by a commotion under her stern.

The bank was heaved up for a distance of 100 feet, and the shipyard was considerably damaged. The workmen on board the Circassian were panic stricken.

PLEASING PROSPECT.

That October Will See the Venezuelan Trouble Settled.

London, Oct. 12.—It is learned that the conference held on Saturday between the Marquis of Salisbury, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and the British ambassador at Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, was most satisfactory, and it is believed in the highest quarters that at least the general principles of both arbitration and the settlement of the Venezuelan question would be decided upon with the United States before the end of the month.

Sir Julian Pauncefote sails for New York on Wednesday with final instructions on the subject.

Mrs. Celeste Coon, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Parmelee's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat anything I choose without distressing me in the least." These pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required.

The world owes every man a living; and the laborer is simply the bill collector of the millionaire.

A Prominent Lawyer Says

"I have eight children, every one in good health, not one of whom but has taken Scott's Emulsion, in which my wife has boundless confidence."

It's an awful long distance between the pulpit and the most desirable pew in some churches.

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.

Sparks From the Wire.

T. McGuire wants to be Ottawa's mayor.

Mayor Tuckett, of Hamilton, will run for a second term.

The Spanish element in Cuba is agitating the recall of Gen. Weyler.

Fire did $7,000 damage in the Harvey box factory at Toronto on Sunday.

The high and public school building at Newcastle has been destroyed by fire.

The Northern elevator at Douglass, Man., has been burned, with 15,000 bushels of wheat.

The Hamilton District Council of the Royal Templars has decided to withdraw from the Ontario Alliance.

Mr. D. E. McIntyre, for 46 years sheriff of the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, died at Cornwall.

The Vancouver, B. C., police have arrested G. W. Legg, treasurer of Waverly, Pike county, Ohio, who is a defaulter for over $10,000.

Farmers in Ohio and Indiana are alarmed over the losses from hog cholera. The corn crop is very large, but the hogs are dying very fast.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper, with their children and grandchildren, were photographed in a family group as a souvenir of the golden wedding. They are 23 in the picture.

Capt. Henry Briggs Lane, commander of the British gunboat Narcissus, and three sailors of that vessel lost their lives during the terrible blow that swept the northern provinces of Japan on Sept. 15.

A man named Alexander, of Sussex, N. B., and another man, name unknown, were drowned at Prescott's millpond, New Mills, Friday. They had been sent to lift the gates, when the dam gave way, carrying their bodies down the stream with logs and debris.

Fire occurred in the custom house at St. Johns, Nfld., recently, but was extinguished. Now it has been discovered that during the confusion between $5,000 and $10,000 was stolen. It is believed that the culprit is one of the officials of the customs department, and that he started the fire in order to perpetrate the robbery.

THE WAR IN CUBA

Spanish Account of a Serious Engagement—Heavy Losses on Both Sides

Dispatches received here today from official sources in the province of Pinar del Rio say that another battle has been fought between Spaniards and the insurgents under Antonio Maceo, resulting in another victory for the former.

Gen. Echague was in command of the Government troops and Maceo led the enemy.

The fighting took place at San Diego, and the insurgents are alleged to have sustained enormous losses. The dispatches also say that the loss of the Spanish troops was considerable, and that the fighting continues.

Key West, Fla., Oct. 12.—The sudden return to General Bernal to Havana from the northern coast of the Province of Pinar Del Rio, where he was sent by Gen. Weyler to command the Spanish forces in the recent engagements against Antonio Maceo has caused a profound sensation in Havana. Capt. Bernal returned on sick leave, and has asked to be sent to Spain, being thoroughly disheartened over the result of the campaign just inaugurated against the insurgents in Pinar Del Rio.

DESOLATED HOMES.

Disastrous Effects of a Prairie Fire in the Vicinity of Pipestone, Man.

Pipestone, Man., Oct. 12.—The recent prairie fire in this vicinity swept away everything in its path, burning stacks of grain, buildings, cattle, horses and farm implements. Many people are left homeless. The sufferers around this part are: Milton, cheese maker, dwelling house, stables and grain; McLaren Company, threshing machine; J. Gorman, stables and grain; T. Williams, stable; W. Pickerill, house and grain; D. Cameron, wheat and hay stacks; A. McTavish, house, stable and quantity of oats; J. Oberlin, stables, grain, horses and cattle; J. Smith, implements; A. Dodds, grain. The fire is supposed to have started in the Moose Mountain district through the carelessness of settlers.

AGED 111 YEARS.

Demise of Probably the Oldest Woman in Canada.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Philip O'Meara, the oldest resident of the city, and probably of the Dominion, died on Friday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. Ryan, Wellington street.

Mrs. O'Meara was born in Tipperary, Ireland, in 1785, and was, therefore, 111 years old. She was married when 20 years of age. Her husband died 47 years ago last March. They had a family of seven sons and one daughter. The sons that are alive are: Thomas O'Meara, Chicago; William O'Meara, Meeches' Lake; Philip and David O'Meara, of Hintonburgh, near here. Mrs. O'Meara has 54 grandchildren. The exact number of her great-grandchildren is not known, but they are said to be nearly 300. She had at least four great-great-grandchildren.

DETERMINED TO DIE.

Carleton Place, Oct. 12.—On Friday night Albert Campeau attempted to commit suicide by taking a dose of strychnine. Doctors succeeded by the use of stomach pumps in saving his life. During their efforts he destroyed two stomach pumps with his teeth, and was prevented from destroying a third by placing a stick in his mouth. Hard times, no work and poor prospects are given as the cause for the attempt.

Sometimes enthusiasm leads a man so far he can't find his way back.

A Modern Job.

BOILS and DYSPEPSIA

For two years afflicted G. T. R. operator, Geo. Reid, of New Hamburg, Ont.

Couldn't be much worse, could it? and yet Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound cured Mr. Reid and here's what he has to say about it: "I can testify to the merits of Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound, I was troubled for two years with boils and dyspepsia of the worst kind, tried several medicines, but none gave much relief until I tried your medicine. My blood was in a dreadful state, but I am happy to say Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound has cured me." Price $1, all druggists.

"Cough Chaser" stops that "Tickle" in your throat. 10c.

RELICS OF THE ROMANS.

Proposal to Preserve the Remains of the Wall of Antoninus.

A matter of considerable interest to all those who desire the perfection of historic memorials, and one which specially concerns Scotland has for some time been occupying the attention of the National Trust for Places of Historic Interest or Natural Beauty. This is the permanent preservation of the remains of the Wall of Antoninus, which was built forts previously drawn across the country between the Firths of Clyde and Forth of Julius Agricola, whose legions crushed the Caledonians at the battle at the foot of the Grampians. This boundary, however, was not long maintained, and it thus defines the high-water mark of Roman conquest in Northern Europe. The finest bits still surviving are to be found in the neighborhood of Falkirk. Lord Balfour of Burleigh has displayed much interest in the matter, and there is reason to believe that the necessary co-operation of the landlords along the line of the wall in the work of preservation will be obtained.—Inverness Courier.

PECULIARITIES OF THE CHINESE LANGUAGE.

John Wesley described the Chinese language as an invention of the devil to keep the missionaries out of China. It has not altogether succeeded in keeping them out, but it has made their work very difficult and often ridiculous. Dr. J. F. Masters, one of the few foreigners who have mastered the language, tells of a missionary who was explaining the goodness of the Heavenly Father. The word for heavenly is "teen," with an aspirate on the vowels. The missionary left out the aspirate, with the result that the word meant "crazy." After Dr. Masters had studied Cantonese a few months he endeavored to preach a sermon. He wrote it our carefully, but made so many blunders in tones, vowel quantities, and aspirates that some of the Chinese remarked how much the English language resembled the Chinese. They supposed that he had been preaching in English! On another occasion he meant to order a roast chicken, and told his cook to go out and set fire to the street. The Chinese language has 44,700 characters in the standard dictionary. There are, moreover, 700 distinct sounds, to each of which is attached a sort of metrical scale, ranging from an octave to an octave and a half, giving a variety of tones which only a musical ear can detect. The tone is all-important. For instance, the sound "stung" may mean grasshopper, oar, elephant, mechanic, or pickles, according to the tone. Put an aspirate into the middle of the word and it may mean examine, good luck, wall, spear, or gun, and a variety of other meanings, depending on the tone given. A man is a man only when the correct tone is give. Change the tone and the man becomes a nightingale, a carrot, and many other ridiculous things.

HILL-CLIMBING.

An expert on hill-climbing has this to say on the subject: Even the weakest can learn to climb moderate hills without undue fatigue by dint of patient practice and careful attention to the action of the feet and legs and the poise of the body. The body should be bent forward from the hips, and kept perfectly steady. It is foolish to sit bolt upright in hill climbing, since the weight is thereby thrown back and the labor much increased. There is no need to bend right down and hunch the back like a scorcher, nor to work the body from side to side and dig violently with the legs. Preserve the steady, even action you have learned on the level, and simply increase the pressure, at the same time exaggerating the ankle action somewhat.

CANADIAN SEED WHEAT FOR GERMANY.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 10.—Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, has received two letters from farmers in Germany asking that samples of the wheat grown on the Ontario Agricultural Farm be sent them. Their request will be complied with.

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Silverine	12		

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Commerce and Finance.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Oct. 12.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	221	223
Ontario	90	80
Molsons	..	..
Toronto	236	226½
Merchants	172	166
Commerce	129	126
Imperial	181	178½
Dominion	230	..
Standard	165	162
Hamilton	153	..
British America	117	114
Western Assurance	156½	153½
Canada Life	..	270
Confederation Life	..	198
Consumers' Gas	200	120
Dominion Telegraph	123	..
Montreal Telegraph	..	..
Northwest Land Company, pref	50	..
Northwest Land Company, com	..	..
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	57	56
Commercial Cable Company	142¾	142½
Postal Telegraph	77	75½
Bell Telephone Company	157	155½
Montreal Street Railway	218½	217½
Montreal Street Railway (new)	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	68½	67½
Dominion Savings and Invest	70	..
Farmers Loan and Savings	100	..
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent	65	..
Huron and Erie L. and S	..	160
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	150
London and Canada, L. and A	95	..
London Loan	..	101½
London and Ontario	101	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	..

SALES—1 p. m. board—Commerce, 12, 4 at 126; Western Assurance, 50 at 154; Toronto Ry., 60, 25 at 68.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	56½	56
Duluth common	3	4½
Duluth preferred	12	7
Commercial Cable	143½	143
Wabash common	..	..
Wabash preferred	..	..
Montreal Telegraph, xd	162½	162
Richelieu and Ontario	93	84½
Montreal Street Railway	218½	218
Montreal Street Railway, new	..	..
Montreal Gas Company, xd	178½	177
Bell Telephone, xd	160	155
Royal Electric	110	105
Toronto Railway	68½	68½
Bank of Montreal	225	223
Ontario Bank, xd	90	80
Banque du Peuple	..	..
Molsons Bank	180	173
Bank of Toronto	..	225
Banque Jacques Cartier	..	..
Merchants Bank	175	167½
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	164	157
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	110	100
Bank of Commerce	127	124½
Northwest Land preferred	..	..
Montreal Cotton Company	120	117
Canada Colored Cotton	60	..
Dominion Cotton	95	85
Postal Telegraph, xd	77	75½

SALES—Com. Cable, 5 at 144½, 25 at 143¾, 50 at 143, 25 at 142¾, 50 at 142¾, 25 at 142½, 25 at 142¼; Mont. Gas, 9 at 177½, 350 at 177¼; Toronto Ry, 150 at 68½; Union Bank, 50 at 100; Bank of Commerce, 32 at 125; Montreal Bank, 4 at 224½.

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

London, Monday, Oct. 12.

Sales of grain were few today.

Barley, for feed, brought 43c to 46c.

Wheat sold at $1 13.

Oats brought 45c to 60c.

Hay—The demand was steady, but owing to the light supply very little trade was done. The following list is, with the above exceptions, based on Saturday's market:

MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb		3½ to	5½
Mutton quarters, per lb		5 to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb		3 to	5
Lamb, quarter		7 to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb		5 00 to	5 25
Live hogs		3 25 to	3 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb		5 to	5
Hides, No. 2 per lb		4 to	4
Hides, No. 3 per lb		3 to	3
Calfskins, green		5 to	5
Calfskins, dry, each		25 to	25
Sheepskins, each		50 to	50
Lambskins, each		50 to	50
Wool, per lb		18 to	18
Tallow, rendered, per lb		3 to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb		1½ to	1½
HAY AND SEED			
Hay per ton		7 00 to	8 00
Straw, per load		2 00 to	3 50
GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	1 12	to	1 13
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 12	to	1 13
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 12	to	1 13
Oats, per 100 lbs	40	to	65
Peas, per 100 lbs	50	to	72
Corn, per 100 lbs	60	to	70
Barley, per 100 lbs	40	to	60
Rye, per 100 lbs	50	to	53
Beans, bu	50	to	60
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	60	to	00
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	12
Cheese, per lb	9	to	10
Eggs, single dozen	16	to	16
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	14	to	15
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	12	to	13
Butter, single rolls per lb	15	to	16
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	13	to	14
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	12	to	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	8	to	12
Lard, per lb	9	to	9

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Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Oct. 12.—Wheat—The offerings are small, there is a good milling demand, and the market is firm; cars of red sold west at 71c, and white is quoted at 71c to 72c. Manitoba wheat is firm; No. 1 hard is quoted at 73c, afloat Fort William; No. 2 hard at 70c, and No. 3 hard at 66c to 67c; cars of No. 1 hard sold Toronto and west today at 81c; No. 2 hard is quoted at 78c.

Flour—In fair demand and firm; cars of straight roller sold at a water point west today at $3 55. Manitoba flour is firm.

Mill-feed—Quiet at $8 to $8 50 for shorts and $7 for bran west.

Barley—There is little or no export demand, and the market is dull; some lots are selling to home brewers on sample: No. 1 extra is quoted at 36c, No. 1 at 34c to 35c, No. 2 at 30c, and No. 3 at 22c.

Buckwheat—Steady; it sold on the Northern today at 31c.

Rye—Steady at 34c east and 32c middle freights.

Oats—In fair demand and steady; cars of mixed sold west today at 18 1-2c to 19c, and white at 19 1-2c to 20c.

Oatmeal—In fair demand and the market is firm and may advance soon; millers complain of the poor quality of oats offering; cars are quoted at $2 65 to $2 75 here.

Peas—Steady; cars sold north and west today at 42 1-2c.

The Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.

Petrolea, Oct. 12.—Oil opened and closed at $1 50 today.

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English Markets.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Liverpool, Oct. 12—12:15 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; demand poor; futures quiet and unchanged.

Corn—Spot firm; futures easy; near positions ½d higher, and distant positions ¾d higher.

Bacon—Firm; demand fair; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 33s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, 29s 6d; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 29s; long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 28s; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 22s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 30s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 13 lbs, 26s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 49s 6d.

Tallow—Fine North American, 21s 3d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 50s; prime mess, 40s.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 47s 6d; medium western, 40s.

Lard—Firm; prime western, 23s 6d; refined, in pails, 25s 6d.

Cheese — Firm; demand fair; finest American white, August, 48s; finest American colored, August, 49s.

Butter—Finest United States, 85s; good, 60s.

Turpentine spirits—21s 6d.

Rosin, common—5s 3d.

Cotton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 17s.

Linseed oil—17s 9d.

Petroleum—Refined, 6½d.

Refrigerator beef—Forequarter, 3½d; hindquarter, 5½d.

Bleaching powder—Hardwood, f. o. b., Liverpool, £7.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £3.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 12—4:15 p.m.

Wheat — Spot firm; demand poor; No. 2 red spring, 6s; No. 1 Man. hard, 6s 2½d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d; futures opened quiet and unchanged; closed firm, with near positions unchanged to ¼d higher, and distant positions ¼d and ½d higher; business heaviest on middle positions; Oct., 5s 11d; Nov., 5s 11½d; Dec., 5s 11¾d; Jan., 6s; Feb., 6s ¼d; March, 6s ¾d.

Corn — Spot firm; American mixed, new, 3s 1½d; futures opened easy with near positions ¼d higher and distant positions ¾d higher; closed firm, with near and distant positions ¼d to ¾d higher; business about equally distributed; Oct., 3s 11½d; Nov., 3s 11¾d; Dec. 3s 2d; Jan., 3s 1½d; March, 3s 2½d.

Flour—Firm; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy winter, 8s 3d.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 8½d.

London, Oct. 12.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat firmer, with less offering; 3d higher. Corn, quiet; 3d higher.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat sellers at slight advance; 3d higher. Corn, do.

Country markets—English firm at an advance of 1s. French firm.

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—The wheat market today was firm, and a distinctly upward tendency in prices obtained possession of the market. Corn and oats were active and firm.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Oct., 68½c; Dec., 69c; May, 72¾c.

Corn—No. 2 Oct., 23½c; Dec., 24½c; May, 27¼c.

Oats—No. 2 Oct., 17½c; Dec., 17½c to 18c; May, 20¼c.

Mess pork—Dec., $7 05; Jan., $7 82½.

Lard—Dec., $4 30; Jan., $4 50.

Short ribs—Dec., $3 65; Jan., $3 87½.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 67½c to 69½c; No. 2 red, 69½c to 70½c; No. 2 corn, 23½c to 23¾c; No. 2 oats 17½c to 18c; No. 2 rye, 35½c; No. 2 barley, 39½c; No. 3 barley, 35c; mess pork, $7 to $7 05; lard, $4 27½ to $4 30; short rib sides, $3 60 to $3 75; dry salted shoulders, $4 to $4 12½; short clear sides, $4 to $4 12½.

Receipts—

Flour	7,000	Wheat	178,000
Corn	504,000	Oats	687,000
Rye	22,000	Barley	118,000

Shipments—

Flour	191,000	Wheat	7,000
Corn	674,000	Oats	3,871,000
Rye	....	Barley	93,000

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Opening—Wheat, Dec., 68½c; May, 72¼c. Corn, Dec., 23½c; May, 26¾c to 27c. Oats, Dec., 17½c; May, 19½c. Pork, Jan., $7 50 to $7 55. Lard, Jan., $4 42½. Ribs, Nov., $3 72½; Jan., $3 72½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 12, noon.

Flour—Receipts, 12,300 bbls; sales, 3,500 packages; state and western quiet and steady; city mill clears, $4 to $4 15; winter straights, $3 55 to $3 70; Minnesota patents, $3 85 to $4 25.

Wheat — Receipts, 279,400; sales, 3,065,000; opened lower owing to a big increase on passage and prospective heavy world's shipments, but recovered on firmer late cables and demand from shorts; May, 77½c to 77 15-16c; Dec., 74½ to 75½c.

Rye—Quiet.

Corn—Receipts, 32,200 bu; sales, 135,000 bu; strong and fairly active on covering and western buying; May, 33½c to 33¾c; Dec., 31½c.

Oats—Receipts, 394,300; quiet; track, white, state and western, 20c to 30c.

Butter — Receipts, 6,150 packages; quiet; state dairy, 10c to 16c; state creamery, 11½c to 18c; western dairy, 7½c to 11c; Elgins, 18c; factory, 7c to 11c.

Cheese—Receipts, 4,353 packages; quiet; large, 7c to 9½c; small, 7c to 10c; part skims, 3½c to 6½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 7,111 packages; quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 19c to 20c; western, 14½c to 18c.

Sugar—Raw quiet, but steady; fair refining, 2¾c; centrifugal, 3c; refined, market quiet; crushed, 4½c; powdered, 4⅛c; granulated, 4⅛c.

Coffee—Firm; No. 7, 10½c.

Hops—Quiet.

Lead—Steady; bullion price, $2 50; exchange price, $2 70 to $2 75.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N.Y., Oct. 12.—Refined petroleum, in bulk, Canadian test, unchanged at 6½c.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Oct. 12.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash 72½c; No. 2 red cash, 72½c; Dec., 74½c; May, 77½c.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, Oct. 12.—Wheat—Cash, 66½c; Dec., 67½c.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, Oct. 12.—Wheat—Cash, 74c; Dec., 76½c; May, 79½c.

Corn—May, 27½c.

Oats—May, 20½c.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo Oct. 12.—Spring wheat—Good demand; market strong; No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 northern, 73½c to 73¾c; No. 1 hard, new, 73½c; No. 1 Northern, new, 72½c. Winter wheat—Firm; 2 red, 75½c; No. 3 red, 72c.

Corn—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 29½c; No. 3 yellow, 29c; No. 2 corn, 28½c; No. 3 corn, 28c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white 24c; No. 3 white, 21c; No. 4 white 19c to 19½c; No. 2 mixed, 18½c; No. 3 mixed 17c to 17½c on track.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1,278.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Dec	68¾	70¼	68¾	69¾
May	72¼	73¾	72¼	73¼
Corn—Dec	24¼	25	24¼	24¾
May	27¾	28¼	27½	27¾
Oats—Dec	18¼	18¾	18¼	18¾
May	20	20¾	20¼	20¾
Pork—Dec	7 15	7 27	7 12	7 27
Jan	7 95	8 15	7 95	8 15
Lard—Dec	4 35	4 52	4 35	4 52
Jan	4 52	4 72	4 52	4 72
Rib—Dec	3 85	3 90	3 85	3 90
Jan	4 00	4 10	3 95	4 10

Puts, 67¾; calls, 70.

The Dairy Markets.

LONDON CHEESE MARKET.

The cheese board was largely attended on Saturday by both buyers and sellers. Prices were about the same as a week ago. The disposition of buyers seems to be against any further advance, and on the third call cheese was sold for 10c, for 10 1-16c to 10 1-8c had been refused on the second call. Prices in England have advanced during the week from 3s to 4s, and cable quotations in London and Liverpool are 48s for white and 49s for colored. There were 10,411 boxes offered, but out of this unusually large number only 2,578 boxes sold. Leitch's offered 1,500 boxes—the largest lot placed on the board for some time past. Of this number 1,100 boxes were white. The following factories were represented:

Maple Grove	121
Ridgetree	160
Brucefield	115
Inwood	141
Kerwood	280
Keyser	83
Devizes	70
Union Hill	195
Proof Line	92
Bryanston	300
Belmont	170
Blanchard and Nissouri	410
Gladstone	425
Cherry Hill	410
Oliver	210
Leitch's	1,500
Vyner	210
Wardsville	215
Blanchard	160
Centralia	90
Thames	450
Glanworth	130
Mapleton	360
Malahide	665
Pond Mills	350
Camden	225
Chatham Gore	180
Sydenham Valley	134
North Branch	185
Sifton's	460
Napier	260
Appin and Mayfair	640
Geary's	220
North Street	120
Westminster	400
Delaware	275
	10,411

Sales—Inwood, at 9 7-8c; Kerwood, at 10c; Keyser, at 10c; Blanchard and Nissouri, at 10 1-16c; Union Hill, at 10 1-16c; Cherry Hill, at 10 1-8c; Oliver, at 10 1-16c; Glanworth, at 10c; Mapleton, 10 1-8c; Camden, Chatham Gore, Sydenham Valley and North Branch, at 10c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 10.—Butter—Fancy firmer; State dairy, 10c to 16c; do, creamery, 11 1-2c to 18c; western dairy, 7 1-2c to 11c; do, creamery, 11 1-2c to 18c; do, factory, 7c to 11c; Elgins, 18c; imitation creamery, 9c to 12c. Cheese quiet and firm; large, 7c to 9 7-8c; do, small, 7c to 10c; part skims, 3 1-2c to 6 1-2c; full skims, 2c to 2 1-2c.

CANTON.

Canton, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Cheese selling at 9 5-8c to 9 3-4c; September goods inclined to be dull. No sales of butter.

WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The sales of cheese in the Watertown market today were 1,375 large white at 9 3-4c, 540 at 9 5-8c, 100 small white at 9 7-8c, 102 twins at 10c; bulk for New York.

OGDENSBURG.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The last meeting of the season's cheese board was held today; 450 boxes offered, and all balance of make contracted for at 10c.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Oct. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 2 cars; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 25 cars; market strong. Yorkers, $3 65 to $3 70; roughs, mixed packers, $3 60 to $3 65; roughs, $3 35 to $3 45; stags, $2 25 to $3 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20 cars; market 10c higher. Prime lambs, $4 65 to $4 75; Canadas, $4 80; good to choice mixed sheep, $2 75 to $3 25; extra, $3 50; culls and common, $1 50 to $2 50.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY.

In a quiet way, Mr. and Mrs. Stearne John Ball, of Newbury, are celebrating their golden wedding. The happy old couple have been residents of Newbury for a long number of years, where Mr. Ball is railway and express agent.

An old and highly esteemed resident of Westminster township Mrs. Elizabath Kernohan, wife of Mr. Wm. Kernohan, died Saturday morning at the family residence, near Derwent, at the age of 74 years. Mrs. Kernohan (then Miss Russell) was a native of the county of Antrim, Ireland, and came to Canada about 50 years ago, preceding Mr. Kernohan some four years. They were married in this country 41 years ago on Oct. 29, and their family of four children (two sons and two daughters, all are married) survive, and were present along with their father at their mother's decease. Her last illness was very painful, but was borne with fortitude, and the closing hours were exceedingly peaceful, in keeping with her kindly disposition. For years she had been a regular attendant at the Methodist Church next door. Her funeral will take place today (Monday) to the Dorchester Station Cemetery.

Steamship Arrivals.

Oct. 10.	At	From
Siberian	Glasgow	Montreal
Oct. 11.	**At**	**From**
La Bretagne	Havre	New York
Saale	Bremen	New York
Labrador	Moville	Montreal

The statement of affairs of J. D. Ivey & Co., Toronto, the wholesale milliners, who recently assigned, shows a large deficit. The liabilities, direct and indirect, are $163,000, and against this the assets are $81,000.

Mary Moore, of Columbia, Tenn., a white woman, worth $50,000, and the owner of 600 acres of fine land, has been convicted of stealing six turkeys from a neighbor, and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

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—Mr. G. J. Carty has taken out a permit to erect a brick veneer dwelling on South street.

—Graveling commenced on Central avenue today, much to the satisfaction of the residents thereon.

—In business and financial circles The Advertiser is an authority. Read it daily and keep posted.

—Assistant City Engineer Ironside returned from a two weeks' holiday today, spent in Chicago and the east.

—Beatrice Hudson was on Saturday afternoon remanded to jail by P. M. Parke for a week on a charge of vagrancy.

—Rev. T. H. Wright passed through the city Saturday, on his return to Norwich, after an extended tour through Western Ontario.

—Mr. W. Mullins, chief clerk to Assistant Superintendent Jones, has been confined through illness, but is expected to be out again in a day or two.

—Elmer J. Haight, of Port Huron, champion pool player of Michigan, has arived in the city, and the game with J. Horgan, of New York, at the Grigg House will take place as announced.

—The City Council will meet, after all, tonight, to discuss the sewerage plans, which the Board of Works has recommended for adoption. As every member has had his say before this, the session ought to be brief.

—A. Patullo, M.P.P., of Woodstock, A. McLaren, M.P., and Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, Stratford, and J. S. Pearce, city, attended an executive meeting of the Western Ontario Dairymen's Association here Saturday.

—Mr. E. De la Hooke left yesterday for St. Johns, N. B., to attend the annual convention of the Railway Ticket Agents' Association. The agents will subsequently take a trip to Halifax, Boston and other cities, and will be absent about two weeks.

—Rev. Herbert G. Miller, the new rector of St. Thomas Church, Hamilton (formerly of Hellmuth College), was inducted as rector last night by Bishop DuMoulin. The church was crowded and the service was interesting, the bishop preaching an impressive sermon.

—On Saturday the first railway car—an empty box car—passed over the switch connecting the Grand Trunk and Springbank railway tracks. A trolley car pulled it. By means of this switch, coal will be taken to Springbank direct by G. T. R. freight cars and expensive cartage saved.

—Lord and Lady Aberdeen while here were particularly taken up, not only with the beautiful appearance of the city, but also with many of the very superior things found here. Saturday Mr. Wm. McNeil and Mr. Richard Oke shipped two pairs of Golden Seabright bantams to their Excellencies, and a canary songster.

—Large audiences greeted Dan. McCarthy in his new play, "The Irish Greenhorn," at the Grand Saturday afternoon and night. The play may be ranked with Dan. McCarthy's best. The plot is the usual one of interwoven love, villainy, and triumphant heroism. The specialties were very good, the singing and dancing being the life of the performance.

—Thanksgiving service was held at the Church of Hosannas at Hyde Park yesterday, and the members of the congregation brought a great quantity of fruit, vegetables, and grain of all kinds to the church. Rev. Mr. Shaw, of Lucan, occupied the pulpit. Today the offerings were given to the Protestant Orphans' Home here. The rector of the church, Rev. A. H. Rhodes, preached in Lucan, where a thanksgiving service was also held.

—The dresses worn this season by Emily Bancker, "the comique exquisite," who appears at the Grand on Wednesday, are marvels of elegance and good taste. Last season she received more laudatory notices for her costumes than almost any other actress in America. Connoisseurs of the modiste's art pronounce her one of the best-dressed women on the American stage. Envious rivals have been spiteful enough to hint recently that therein lies the secret of her wide popularity with the fashionable set.

—Dr. A. Hotson, of the Collegiate Institute, will have the deepest sympathy in the death of his estimable wife yesterday at the family residence, Princess avenue. The immediate cause of death was hemorrhage, the climax of a long illness from consumption. Four children survive—one son Arthur, in New York, and three daughters at home. Mr. and Mrs. Hotson had enjoyed 25 years of happy married life. The deceased was the daughter of Mr. Thomas Jones, of Parkhill, formerly of McGillivray township. She was an earnest member of the First Presbyterian Church.

MCQUEEN'S BAD RECORD.

Charles McQueen, the young man who came here to take the place of a striking C. P. R. telegrapher, who was arrested for stealing from the boarding house of George Chittick on Friday, seems to have left his mark wherever he went. Mr. Collins, of the Collins House, Woodstock, was in the city this morning in search of McQueen, having read of his arrest here in The Advertiser. At police headquarters he stated that McQueen had stopped at his place, and while there stole his overcoat and two shirts. It was Mr. Collins' overcoat that McQueen wore. Mr. Collins was given an order to secure his coat.

THE POLICE COURT.

The police court session was short this morning Geo. Ball had a vicious dog around his premises. Last week it bit one of the neighbors, and an action was taken against Ball to compel him to kill the dog. The charge was withdrawn this morning, as the animal had been shot. William Mortimer was taxed $1 or three days for cycling on the sidewalk. Samuel Perkins, who came into the city on Saturday, while passing along Richmond street, helped himself to a basket of grapes and was arrested. He asked to be forgiven, and the magistrate suspended sentence on condition that he keep away from the city for one year and return the grapes to Mr. Mountjoy. He promised to comply with the conditions and was let go.

FREE LIBRARY RULES.

An Advertiser reporter dropped into the Public Library at 2:15 this afternoon to have a look round. The first thing that met his gaze was a large placard, with the words, "Absolute silence." A few feet away from this was another one, even more conspicuous, "Hats off, please." He entered the reading room, and noticed these placards placed where the public couldn't help seeing them. In the room at that time were 26 men and a boy perusing the magazines and papers, and out of this number only six men had their hats off. Four of these six were about 50 or 60 years of age. Among those in the room were some by whom complaints have been made about certain library arrangements, but they seem indisposed to obey this regulation, which is for the promotion of good manners. Gentlemen, remember the rules.

THE A. O. F.—IMPORTANT JUDGMENT.

Mr. Justice Street has given judgment in the second trial of Cerri vs. Ancient Order of Foresters, awarding Mrs. Cerri, the widow of a furrier on Richmond street, Toronto, the $1,000 insurance on the life of her husband, together with the costs of the action. The case was first heard at the winter assiezs of 1895, the contention of the A. O. F. being that Mr. Cerri knew he had dropsy before he applied for the insurance policy, and that he then gave incorrect answers, both about his age, and the state of his health. A judgment was given for Mrs. Cerri, but a new trial was obtained on the ground that Mr. Cerri had stated that he was born in 1847, whilst 1846 was the real date. The judgment just given by Mr. Justice Street, however, decides that this mistake was made in good faith, and that, therefore, it did not vitiate the policy.

NO GOLDEN WEDDING.

Saturday's Brantford Expositor: The death occurred in this city this morning of John Patton, a well known and highly esteemed citizen. The deceased gentleman, who was 80 years of age, was born in Scotland, and left the land of the heather at 18 years of age, for Blenheim township. He resided there until seventeen years ago, when he removed to Brantford. The family consists of Mrs. Patton, two daughters at home, Misses Lizzie and Mary; Mrs. Miller, of Freeport, Mich.; Mrs. Hutchison, of London, and another; and three sons, Wm., residing in Buffalo, and John and Robert in Chesterfield. Tuesday the body will be taken to Chesterfield for interment. A sad coincidence in this connection is the fact that on Tuesday, the day fixed for the burial, Mr. and Mrs. Patton would have celebrated their golden wedding.

WM. OWEN COMPANY.

The Wm. Owen Company, which will open a series of Shakespearian and standard plays at the Grand Opera House next Thursday night, in the great love tragedy, "Romeo and Juliet," come highly recommended by the press of all cities in which this company has played, and, although this will be Mr. Owen's initial appearance in London as a star, yet he will be familiar to many who have seen him in connection with the Rhea, Lewis Morrison, and Julia Marlowe-Taber companies, that have appeared here at different times within the last few years, and with whom Mr. Owen has won the highest praise for his ability as an actor. The company, which Mr. Owen has chosen for his support, has been selected from the players of the Nat Goodwin, Potter-Bellew, Augustin Daly, and other well known organizations of merit. The plays which will be presented during this engagement, will be as follows: Thursday, "Romeo and Juliet"; Friday, "Hamlet"; Saturday matinee, "The Lady of Lyons"; Saturday night, "David Garrick." Special scenery and stage settings are used in every production of this company, and no pains have been spared by the management to make this an attraction of the highest standard. All lovers of Shakespearian drama should not fail to see the plays as presented by this excellent company.

Late Afternoon Cables.

ABDUL THE REFORMER.

Berlin, Oct. 12.—The Frankfurter Zeitung says that the Sultan has signed an irade promising state reforms for the whole of Turkey.

GLADSTONE GRIEVES FOR HIS OLD FRIEND.

Chester, England, Oct. 12.—The remains of the Archbishop of Canterbury are still at the rectory of Hawarden, where they are watched by the clergy. Mr. Gladstone is well, but he is deeply saddened at the death of Dr. Benson, whom he was an old and dear friend of the veteran statesman.

RUMORED LOSS OF A BRITISH CRUISER.

Devonport, England, Oct. 12.—A rumor is in circulation here that the British cruiser Talbot, bound for the North American station, foundered at sea during the recent gale. The Talbot is a second-class cruiser of 5,600 tonss displacement, and carries a crew of 433 officers and men. She is a new vessel built here last year.

THE CZARINA INTERESTED

In the Condition of the Suffering Armenians.

London, Oct. 12.—The Czarina, previous to leaving Balmoral Castle for France, received a delegation of ladies, who called upon her to ask for her support for the suffering Armenians. The audience, however, was granted on the condition that nothing should be said regarding it until her Majesty left England.

The delegation, it now appears, urged the Czarina to do something to stay the hand of the Sultan, and her Majesty replied that, so far, she had interfered but little in politics, although she was ready to do anything in her power to help bring about a crusade against the existing circumstances at Constantinople. She added: "A more womanly or Christian action than helping to alleviate the sufferings of the poor Armenians is hardly conceivable. Rest assured of my heartfelt interest in the case you have at heart."

LADY SCOTT AT THE BAR.

Had Plenty of Good Offers but Wanted Riches.

London, Oct. 12.—Lady Scott, mother-in-law of Earl Russell, who was arrested on Friday evening at a hotel on the Strand, on the complaint of his lordship, who charged her with criminal libel, was arraigned at Bow Street Police Court this morning, in company with John Cockerton, a marine engineer, and Frederick Kast, a groom, who are prisoners on the same charge. Counsel for the earl detailed at length the unhappy married life of the prosecutor.

A bookseller, named Carrez, testified that Lady Scott brought him documents to get printed and sent to the law lords and also to a long list of peers, members of the House of Commons, clubs, heads of colleges, and railway station masters, which contained the libel complained of. Lady Scott, Carrez also swore, wrote to him as follows: "I want you to find me a rich American gentleman to help me through with these expenses, with a view to marriage. I have plenty of good offers, but I must get riches."

LADY SCOTT COMMITTED.

Lady Scott, Cookerton and Kast, were committed for trial.

CONFESSION OF A BANK ROBBER.

Lake Mills, Iowa, Oct. 12.—The young man under arrest here on a charge of having been implicated in the double murder and bank robbery at Sherburne has made a confession acknowledging that he was associated in the affair. He says that the man killed while resisting arrest near Elmore was his brother. He will not reveal his true name or the location of his home. He says he will plead guilty under an assumed name in order to shield his family from disgrace.

LATE PATENTED NOVELTIES.

A patent grave vault.

A metallic safety seal for envelopes.

A measuring clamp to attach to a saw blade to regulate or make exact the depth of the kerf.

A means of generating electricity from car wheels to light the cars. Covered by four patents July 21.

A match box in which the matches are originally sold, and which is adapted to be partially opened and attached to the wall with matches exposed.

A cake of toilet soap containing an electric battery, whereby the party using receives a mild dose of electricity during washing. Also a cake of soap that is luminous in the dark.

A detachable finger rest for penholders, consisting of a rubber sleeve having a flange at its lower end, which also serves to keep the pen from contact with the desk or paper when laid down.

A means of laying railway track whereby a tilting runway projects from a car containing the rails, said runway provided with poker clamps to lift the rails and project them forward and downward to the point of laying on the ties.

A sprinkling nozzle made in the form of and colored like a frog, the water being ejected from perforations in its mouth. A number of them affixed to pipes around the lawn gives the effect of a school of frogs doing the sprinkling. An interesting and useful novelty.

A trick platform for bicycle riders, in which a row of electric buttons, set either straight or in alternate "offsets," are affixed to the floor, the depression of any of which is electrically recorded on a dial at the end of the track. The riding over a certain number successively rings a bell, the various combinations affording interesting tests of competitive skill in riding.

A chicken feeder and exerciser, in which two feed receptacles are suspended at opposite ends of the room or chicken house, said receptacles being connected with a cord which, when pulled, operates to deliver small quantities of food from the bottom of each receptacle alternately, thus keeping the chicks running back and forth from one point to the other to secure the food. A real "Yankee trick," though patented by Morse Stewart, jun., of Detroit, Mich.

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'Twixt Love and Duty.

Unfortunately, his military duties were only on very rare occasions any restraint to him. His days were mainly spent in dangling after Lady Suffolk and other fair dames. It was auctions at Christie's, and morning concerts and afternoon rides, and plays and dinners and balls, and masks at Ranelagh's. It was sails up the river to Richmond, and trips to Sadler's Wells, and one perpetual round of flirting and folly, of dressing and dancing, and dining and gaming.

And it must be remembered that the Englishwomen of that day were such as England may well hope never to see again. They had little education—many very great ladies could hardly read and spell properly. Their sole accomplishments were dressing and embroidery, the ability to make a few delicate dishes for the table and scents and pomade for the toilet. In the higher classes they married for money or position, and gave themselves up to intrigue. They drank deeply, they played high, they very seldom went to church, for Sunday was the fashionable day for all kinds of frivolity and amusement. And as the men of any generation are just what the women make them, England never had sons so profligate, so profane and drunken. The clubs, especially Brookes', were the nightly scenes of indescribable orgies; gambling was their serious occupation; duels were of constant occurrence.

Such a life could not be lived except at a frightful and generally ruinous expense. Hyde was soon embarrassed. His pay was small and uncertain, and the allowance which his brother William added to it, in order that the heir apparent to the earldom might live in becoming style, had not been calculated on the squandering basis of Hyde's expenditure. Towards Christmas, bills began to pour in, creditors became importunate, and for the first time in his life creditors really troubled him. Lady Capel was not likely to pay his debts any more. The Earl, in setting Hyde's American obligations, had warned him against incurring others, and had frankly told him he would permit him to go to jail rather than pay any such wicked and foolish bills for him again. The income from Hyde Manor had never been more than was required for the expenses of the place, and the interest on Katherine's money had gone, though he could not tell how. He was destitute of ready cash, and he foresaw he would have to borrow some from Lady Capel or some other accommodating friend.

He returned to the barracks one Sunday afternoon, and was moodily thinking over these things, when his orderly brought him a letter which had arrived during his absence. It was from Katherine. His face flushed with delight as he read it—so sweet and tender, and pure was the neat epistle. He compared it mentally with some of the shameless, scented billet-doux he was in the habit of receiving, and he felt as if his hands were unworthy to touch the white wings of his Katherine's most womanly, wifely message. "She wants to see me! Oh, the dear one! Not more than I want to see her! Fool! Villain that I am! I will go to her! Katherine! Kate! My dear little Kate!" So he ejaculated as he paced his narrow quarters and tried to arrange his plans for a Christmas visit to his wife and child.

First, he went to his colonel's lodging, and easily obtained two weeks' absence; then he dressed carefully and went to his club for dinner. He had determined to ask Lady Capel for £100, and he thought it would be the best plan to make his request when she was surrounded by company, and under the pleasurable excitement of a winning rubber. And if the circumstances proved adverse then he could try his fortune in the hours of her morning retirement.

The mansion in Berkeley Square was brilliantly lighted when he approached it. Chairs and coaches were waiting in lines of three deep; coachmen and footmen quarreling, shouting, talking; link-boys running here and there in search of lost articles or missing servants. But the hubbub did not at that time make his blood run quicker or give any light of expectation to his countenance; for his heart and his thoughts were near a hundred miles away.

Sunday night was Lady Capel's great card night, and the roms were full of tables surrounded by powdered and painted beauties, intent upon the game and the gold. The odor of musk was everywhere, and the sound of the tapping of gold snuff-boxes, and the fluttering of fans, and the sharp technical calls of the gamesters, and the hollow laughter of hollow hearts. There was a hired singing girl with a lute at one end of the room, babbling of Cupid and Daphne, and green meadows and larks. But she was poorly dressed and indifferent looking, and she sang with a sad, mechanical air, as if her thoughts were far off. Hyde would have passed her without a glance, but as he approached she broke her love ditty in two, and began to sing, with a meaning look at him:

"They say there is a happy land
Where husbands never prove untrue;
Where lovely maids may give their hearts,
And never need the gift to rue;
Where men can make and keep a vow,
And wives are never in despair—
I'm very fond of seeing sights,
Pray, tell me, how can I get there?"

The question seemed so directly addressed to Hyde that he hesitated a moment and looked at the girl, who then, with a mocking smile, continued:

"They say there really is a land,
Where husbands never are untrue;
Where wives are always beautiful,
And the old love is always new.
I've asked the wise to tell me how
A loving woman could get there;
And this is what they say to me:
'If you that happy land would see,
There's only one way to get there.
Go straight along the crooked lane,
And all around the square."

The scornful little song followed him and conveyed a certain meaning to his mind. The girl must have taken her cue from the gossip of those who passed her to and fro. He burned with indignation, not for himself, but for his sweet, pure Katherine. He was determined that the world should in the future know that he held her peerless among women. In this half aggressive mood he approached Lady Capel. She had been unfortunate all the evening, and was not amiable. As he stood behind her chair, Lord Leffham asked, "What think you, Hyde, of a party at picquet?"

"Oh, indeed, my lord; you are too much for me."

"I will give you three points;" then, calling a footman, "Here, fellow, get cards."

Lady Capel flung her own down. "No, no, Leffham. Spare my grandson; there are bigger fish here. Dick, I am angry at you! I have a mind to banish you for a month."

"I am going to Norfolk for two weeks, madam."

"That will do. It is a worse punishment than I should have given you. Norfolk! there is only one word between it and the plantations. At this time of the year it is a clay pudding full of villages. Give me your arm, Dick; I shall play no more until my luck turns. Losing cards are dull company."

"I am very sorry you have been losing. I came to ask for the loan of £100, grandmother."

"No, sir, I will not lend you £100, nor am I in the humor to do anything else you desire."

"I make my apology for the request. I ought to have asked Katherine."

"No, sir; you ought not to have asked Katherine. You ought to take what you want. Jack Capel took every shilling of my fortune, and neither said 'by your leave,' nor 'thank you.' Did the Dutchman tie the bag too close?"

"Councillor Van Heemskirk left it open in my honor. When I am scoundrel enough to touch it I shall not come and see you at all, grandmother."

"Upon my word, a very pretty compliment. Well, sir, I'll pay you £100 for it. When do you start?"

"Tomorrow morning."

"Make it afternoon, and take care of me so far as your Aunt Julia's. The Duke is of the Royal Bedchamber this month, and I am going to see my daughter while he is away. It will make him supremely wretched at Court to know that I am in his house. So I am going there, and I shall take care he knows it."

"I have heard a great deal of his new house."

"A playhouse kind of affair, Dick, I assure you. All in the French style. Gods and goddesses above your heads, and very badly-dressed nymphs all around, and his pedigree on every window, and his coat-of-arms on the very stairs! I have the greatest satisfaction in treading upon them, I assure you!"

"Why do you take the trouble to go? It can give you no pleasure."

"Imagine the true state of things, Dick! The Duke is at Court—say he is holding the royal gold wash-basin; but in the very sunshine of King George's smile, he is thinking, 'That snuffy woman is lounging in my white and gilt satin chairs, and handling all my Chinese curiosities, and asking if every hideous Hindoo idol is a fresh likeness of me.' I am always willing to take some trouble to give pleasure to the people I like; I will gladly go to any amount of trouble to annoy the people I hate as cordially as I hate my good, rich, noble son-in-law, the great Duke of Exmouth."

"Will you play again?"

"No; I lost £70 tonight."

"I protest, grandmother, that such stakes go not with amusement. People come here not for civility, but for the chance of money."

To be continued.

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LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

Every Frenchman who can write verse is turning out a song for the Czar's visit. A fortnight before he was expected in Paris 86 songs in honor of the event were peddled on the boulevards.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

Latest Wonders.

Discoveries Talked About at the British Association Meeting.

The Present Generation Is Drunken With Writing.

Largest Market in the World to be Found in Africa.

Dragon Flies With Two-Foot Wings Shown to Have Existed.

A London correspondent writes: The British Association at Liverpool during the past ten days has made an unusually interesting summary of the year's progress in human knowledge, for that is the scope of investigation now undertaken by this institution. The time was, not so very long ago, when some of the principal scientific discoveries of the year were first announced from its annual platform. Now the world declines to wait so long for its news or to delay putting its newly acquired knowledge into practical use. Nevertheless, the British Association meetings are still full of novelty and interest for layman and specialist alike, and this year's gathering was no exception to the rule.

Two papers, which were presented, were noteworthy in a remarkable degree. The first was the inaugural address of the president, Sir Joseph Lister, who for the first time made public the history of his investigations which resulted in that inestimable boon to humanity—anti-septic surgery. The second was Prof. Flinders Petrie's paper, entitled, "Man Before Writing." It is a fascinating, but, perhaps, too technical subject, which the great surgeon, Lister, discusses, and his modesty still forbids him to make it clear how gigantic is the debt which this and future generations owe to him for epoch-making discovery.

DRUNKEN WITH WRITING.

Prof. Petrie's address was upon more popular lines. He began by controverting successfully the theory generally held that thought without word and language is impossible. It is now conceded by almost everybody that Prof. Petrie is the highest authority of the day on archaeology. His specialty has been the study of human records, older than the birth of language—or written language at least. His investigations have given him a certain contempt for mere words as the vehicles of ideas, and he does not hesitate to give free expression to his conclusions. The present generation, he affirms, is "drunken with writing." We let it override the growth of our minds and the common use of our senses. The servant, speech, has come to be mistaken for the master, thought." One is almost led to believe that Prof. Petrie must have been pursuing some "cross of gold" literature from the political campaign in the United States when he made these observation. The suggestion grows stronger when we read his citation of the Baconian aphorism that words are the money of fools, but the counters of wise men.

Very interesting is Prof. Petrie's description of the formation of ideas prior to speech and the development of art prior to language. The observation of children and animals, he points out, furnishes convincing knowledge of the former, but a little introspection will yield additional proof.

"Who does not recall," he asks, "anything which has once been seen without a single word passing in the mind. In combinations yet unmade, does the engineer describe the work of his invention in words in his mind before he imagines its action? In considering the motions is there not first before the mind the feeling of the vision of a face or a person who is subject to that feeling before we frame the words? And does not the very fact that it is often most hard to choose the right words to express our thoughts—the fact that we search for our words as if we spoke a foreign tongue, and that for even one single thought we have to use several words to add or subtract one or the other—does not this prove most clearly that those thoughts are wider and deeper than our speech, and are not subjected to it?

Prof. Petrie is enthusiastic in his appreciation of the development of an art prior to language. The pictorial writings of the ancient Egyptians furnish him his illustrations. These records certainly antedate the discovery of alphabetical writing, and are a splendid monument of intelligent expression apart from words. Prof. Petrie finds in them far greater truth according to nature, and in the best sense artistic merit as well, than is discoverable through long ages after man began to use arbitrary signs, symbols, and wrote to express his meaning.

A STARTLING ASSERTION.

Prof. Petrie does not hesitate to hold language responsible for certan serious mental shortcomings of mankind. He makes a somewhat startling assertion, for instance, in this passage:

"We must always remember that however needful writing may be to tell of what cannot be learned otherwise, it is but a hurtful hindrance when it takes the place of the direct knowledge of the senses. As the awakening of the Renaissance taught men that words were but counters, and that no knowledge could be reached by dealing with words alone; so the awakening of this century has begun to teach us that the senses cannot grow and feed the mind when the fetters of writing are allowed to hold them back from the living touch of nature. Nay, more. As there is no growth of the mind in one way but at the end of its fullness in another, so this trust in writing has plainly deadened the memory of the senses, which is always more ready in those who do not read, and it has even deadened the senses themselves."

It is a disturbing suggestion, this, that the senses of an ignorant or illiterate man are keener and truer than those of a well-educated individual. I will not attempt to follow the bold essayist further in his somewhat paradoxical arguments, but his exposure of the new slavery of language will probably be the subject of many a warm debate.

THE NEW GAS.

Here a few nuggets of scientific and other information taken from the vast mass of matter presented to the various sections of the British Association:

Prof. Ramsay has divided his new gas, helium, into two portions, one of which is lighter than the other, although both give the same spectrum. The discoverer of this supposed new element is a good deal puzzled by the phenomenon. He suggests that the abnormal behavior of this gas may be explained by supposing that all the molecules of the gas are not of the same weight.

The opinion was advanced that both helum and argon, which seem to be devoid of the power of entering into chemical combinatins, are the first examples of a kind of matter possessed of qualities which differ greatly from those of all previously known matter.

THE X RAYS.

It has been discovered that the X rays exist in nature. They are produced of that humble insect, the ordinary glow worm. The light from these tiny creatures has the same capacity as the Rontgen rays for passing through ordinary solids. It will even penetrate thin sheets of aluminum. Perhaps it is not the visible light from the insect which does this, for Dr. Dawson Tucker, in his experiments had a good deal of difficulty in getting the worms to glow, but he found that he gave off a radiation which affected the photographic plate even when not visibly glowing.

Prof. Thompson suggested that perhaps all insects communicate with each other by means of some, to us, invisible radiation. This would account for the peculiar construction of the eyes of insects, which do not depend upon refraction.

Most British geologists are now prepared to admit that the earth has passed through several glacial periods, instead of only one, as is commonly supposed.

BIG DRAGON FLIES.

The latest discoveries among the older rocks of the Palaeozoic age show the existence of dragon flies measuring over two feet in the expanse of wings. These are much larger than the reported tracts of enormous insects discovered about a year ago. The whole known fauna of that luxuriant period was upon the same gigantic scale.

Recent discoveries of representations of the process of oyster culture show that the ancient Romans were more advanced than modern methods in this respect.

Mr. C. D. Sherborn, who has been engaged for five years in preparing an index of the forms of animal life known to man, has registered thus far 135,000 different species, and the work is not finished.

Mr. J. Logan Lobley read a carefully argued paper to show that small columns of lava cannot pass through 30 miles of earth crust, and that therefore the source of lava cannot be at that distance from the surface, as is so often assumed. From the pressure of overlying rocks there could be no fissures of lava below ten miles from the surface. A column of lava 300 feet in diameter and 30 miles deep would, by contact with cooler rock masses, lose its fluidity at 20 miles from the surface. A column of lava 300 feet in diameter and 30 miles high would require a dynamite force of 820,800,000 tons to sustain it even without ejection. His conclusion was that lava is not derived from a central source, but that by combined physical and chemical action rocks are fused and lava produced within the outer rind of the globe of ten miles in thickness.

A BIG MARKET.

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Turning to the question of the development of the country, Mr. Robinson said that three things were necessary—namely, a better currency, improvement in transport, and the abolition of slave raiding. The currency was in shells, 2,000 of them being equal to only 25 cents, and the white man's patience was sorely tried thereby. At present everything had to be carried on men's heads, and if the resources of the country were to be properly developed it could only be by means of a railway. On the question of the slave trade he urged that there was no part of the world where slave raiding was so unchecked, and the responsibility for that state of things rested with England alone, the country being within the British sphere of influence.

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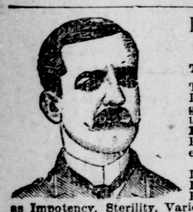

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Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Esquimalt, 48-58; Calgary, 34-48; Qu'Appelle, 34-62; Winnipeg, 22-54; Parry Sound, 38-64; Toronto, 38-54; Ottawa, 30-58; Montreal, 32-52; Quebec, 32-50; Halifax, 34-58.

Storm signals were ordered for gulf and ocean ports this morning.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Oct. 12—1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lake region: Fresh to strong easterly to northerly winds; generally fair.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday were: 59 above and 31.5 above; on Sunday, 50 above and 30 above.

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About 8 o'clock Saturday night, on the Pipe Line road, at Woodland Cemetery, Mr. Chas. Armstrong, of Dayton, Ohio, formerly of this city, which he is now visiting, accompanied by a young niece, was driving towards the city, when in the darkness he suddenly came into collision with a horse and buggy driven by Mr. John Crawse, of Woodbank, going in the opposite direction.

It appears that Mr. Crawse and another party unknown were speeding their horses on the way home, and Mr. Armstrong, in the darkness, was unable to get out of the way. Crawse's horse plunged into Armstrong's rig, the shoulder of the animal striking the young girl heavily on the chest. In the tangle of horses, rigs and occupants, the animals were fortunately brought under control. It was found that Armstrong's buggy was pretty well damaged, while one of the shafts entered the side of the chest of Crawse's horse and passed out behind the front leg. The animal was unable to walk, and was probably seriously disabled.

The young girl complained of great pain in the chest, and Armstrong's horse was hitched to Crawse's buggy, and she was driven to Dr. Ferguson's office, South London. She was found to be bruised and swollen where she was struck on the chest, but no ribs were broken, and the doctor thought she had not suffered any serious injury. The third party drove off without even waiting to see what had happened. He will doubtless be careful now not to make himself known, as his conduct would merit the reproach of the public.

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London and Environs

—Mr. J. Frith Jeffers, M.A., of Toronto, is in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Slater have returned to Winnipeg from this city.

—Crawford Beckett, contractor, is building a residence, corner Cheapside and Wellington streets, to cost $2,000.

—Hon. Dr. Montague, M.P., was in the city on Saturday in conference with Mr. McLaren, M.P. for North Perth, whose seat is protested, and Dr. Roome, ex-M.P.

—Armstrong, the East Ender who was implicated in the outrage on two young women at Dreaney's Corners some years ago, will be released from Kingston Penitentiary this week.

—An agreement, mutually satisfactory, has been made whereby Contractor Mills will pay his G. T. R. car shops employes every week, and hold back two weeks' wages on each man until the work is finished.

—Lieut.-Col. Gartshore, of this city, in a letter published in the Army and Navy Gazette of London, suggests that some of Canada's permanent forces be employed by the Imperial Government in the next campaign of importance.

—The games of the Wolseley Barracks boys will be held at the school grounds on Friday afternoon next. They promise to be of the most interesting nature. There is a large number of events, and some close and exciting contests are expected.

—Sergt. Copeland, a popular member of Wolseley Barracks, who left for Norwich on a three months' leave of absence a short time ago, has written to the officers of the school informing them of the death of his father. He has been granted an additional two months' leave in consequence. He has the hearty sympathy of his comrades in his bereavement.

—Miss Clara Macklin, who has qualified herself for missionary work in the Northwest, was given a formal farewel at Stratford Friday night. Addresses were delivered by the Bishop of Huron and the rector, Rev. D. Williams. It is only a few days ago since Dr. Daisy Macklin, a sister, left for China to engage in missionary work, and a third member of the family, a brother, has been in China for some time.

—The only daughter of Mr. Wm. Arthur, 585 Elizabeth street, died very suddenly yesterday. She was a bright little girl, 6 years of age, and was sick only one day, death resulting from inflammation. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the loss of their little one, who was greatly beloved by all who knew her. The funeral will leave the family residence at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

AMONG THE PRESBYTERIANS.

News From Dr. McKay, of Formosa—Memorial of the Late Rev. D. J. Macdonnell—Honor for Rev. Dr. Caven.

The Westminster has the following:

Rev. Principal Caven will represent Knox College at the great celebration at Princeton during this month, when the famous college will be proclaimed a university.

A letter comes from Rev. Dr. MacKay Tamsui, Formosa. There has been trouble with the lower class of Japanese officials and the Chinese rebels. Several chapels and mission houses have been injured or destroyed, and others are still held by the contending parties. The missionaries and their families are in good health.

Prepartions are well forward for the publication of a memoir of the late Rev. D. J. Macdonnell. It is said that his sister, Mrs. Robert Campbell, and Rev. Dr. Robert Campbell, of Montreal, and Prof. McCurdy, of Toronto University, will contribute the various biographical portions. A careful selection of sermons will be made and included in the volume.

It is also hinted that a memoir of the late Rev. John Ross, of Brucefield, may be published next year. Mrs. Ross has been collecting materials for some time, and the idea is beginning to take shape. Mr. Ross was a unique character, whose name should not be forgotten. He was one of the figures in the debates before the union of 1875, and with the late Rev. Lachlin McPherson, of East Williams, remained out of the United Church. But he was a spiritual force rather than an ecclesiastic.

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Workmen at Church.

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Doings in City Churches and Other Religious Organizations.

The Bishop of Huron Speaks Strongly on Giving — The First Methodist Church Opening—Various Church Notes.

The members of the A. O. U. W. as might be judged from the name of their order, act in unison. Yesterday they held their annual church parade, and the various city lodges, with the visiting lodges of Lambeth and Ilderton, turned out in large numbers They assembled at the Albion Block, Richmond street, where the line was formed. The stalwart figure of the grand marshal, Louis Franks, was adorned with the full uniform of the order. The lodges in line were: No. 407, Grant, W. H. Morgan, master; No. 406, Westminster, O. Ellwood, master; No. 405, Electric, J. Armstrong, master; No. 367, Star, Wm. Blair, master; No. 331 Woodbine, T. Glover, master; No. 18, London, W. Shannon, master; No. 5, Fidelity, E. A. Gibson, master; No. 217, Lambeth, T. H. Kennedy, master; Ilderton, Wm. Charlton, master.

The procession was headed by the Seventh Band, and at 3:30 the start was made. They proceeded to the Church of St. John the Evangelist, where divine service was conducted by Rev. W. T. Hill. The route lay along Dundas street to Wellington, along Wellington through Victoria Park to Richmond, turning at St. James street. As the line passed through the park the sight was particularly pleasing. Over 300 brethren were in the parade, and as a body of men were of exceptionally fine physique. They wore the badges of the order and white gloves. While the men were entering the church the band played "Nearer, My God, to Thee," very impressively.

Rev. Mr. Hill chose for his text part of the 15th verse of chapter 2 of the Epistle to Timothy—"The workman that needeth not to be ashamed." His sermon was brief, occupying less than twenty minutes, but very earnest and appropriate. The reverend gentleman said it was a great pleasure to welcome the brothers of the A. O. U. W., not only because he himself was a member, but their order was founded on the teachings of Christ and of the apostle after whom the church was named. The order comprised 362,000 members, and was not measured by financial strength but since its incorporation $65,000,000 had been paid out to the widows and orphans. The order was good outside of figures. It was helpful to build up the edifice of the Great Master Workman—the grand edifice of the brotherhood of man—the carrying out of which was at the foundation of the Gospel of Christ. It was also a brotherhood that was national and international, that was not affected by distances and made no distinction between the masses and classes. From Maine's rock-bound coast to the grain fields of California, and in Ontario, they were all one, united and indissoluble. They were not simply workmen, but united workmen. The constitution of the order made it one of combination and co-operation.

"There is another characteristic," said the speaker, "which must commend itself to every right-thinking person, and that is that it inculcates foresight—foresight which the order preaches and the pulpit reiterates." Want of foresight was attended by death, ruin and destruction. The speaker could not find anything in the Word of God which taught him not to make provision for the future. He quoted: "If a man provide not for the future, he is worse than an infidel."

INSPECTING THEIR NEW CHURCH.

At the close of yesterday morning's service in Wesley Hall, Rev. Dr. Daniel invited the congregation to go in and see the new church. The people gladly accepted, and while collectively admiring the substantial beauty of the edifice, individually hunted out their locations in the allotment of pews. The dedication of the new church will take place on Sunday morning next, when the trustees and building committee will be relieved of their onerous but successfully performed duties. Four Sabbaths will be devoted to opening services, and besides all the city ministers, Rev. Dr. Carman, Rev. Dr. Potts, and Rev. Mr. Millburn, the blind chaplain of the United States Congress, are to take part

THE BISHOP ON GIVING.

The Bishop of Huron delivered a powerful and striking sermon on "Christian Giving" at St. James' Church, South London, last night, before a congregation that filled the edifice. The bishop dealt not only with the necessity, but with the manner of giving. Incidentally, he deprecated certain methods of raising money for church purposes, and he censured those people who seldom or never contributed to such except when they received a quid pro quo in the form of an entertainment, a lecture, a something that appealed to their worldly senses. He made a strong plea for free will offering to God, out of the fullness of a grateful heart, and not for such petty rewards as he had referred to.

NOTES.

Rev. W. C. Clarke, of Brampton, preached at both services in St. Andrew's Church yesterday.

Rev. B. Clement, of London West, and Rev. R. Hobbs, of South London, changed pulpits yesterday morning.

The Hill Street E. L. of C. E. celebrated an anniversary yesterday. Rev. H. D. Moyer, of Thamesford, preached at the regular services, and a sunrise prayer meeting was also held.

Rev. W. J. Clark, of First Presbyterian Church, London, yesterday exchanged pulpits with Rev. E. Cockburn, M.A., of Paris. Mr. Clark lectures in Paris tonight on "Some Types of Church Members."

The sermon at the First Congregational Church was preached last evening by Rev. A. F. McGregor, B.A., of Woodstock, president of the Ontario Christian Endeavorers. He described the recent provincial convention.

One week from next Sunday Dundas Street Methodist Church Sunday school anniversary will be held. The services will be conducted by Mr. Wm. Reynolds, Peoria, Ill., and Mrs. Ford, Troy, N. Y., well known Sunday school workers.

Tomorrow evening the delegates who attended the Domnion convention of Christian Endeavor at Ottawa will give their reports at Knox Church. Rev. Robert Johnston, Mr. H. J. Brown (president of the Local Union), Miss Kirkpatrick (superintendent of junior work), and Mr. W. J. Doherty (provincial treasurer), are expected to be present, and a pleasant and profitable evening is expected.

Chatham Banner: "Andrew Denholm, jun., has been taking the morning Bible class in the Presbyterian Church for a few Sundays, he having kindly consented to relieve the pastor in this way. This class is increasing in numbers, and under the able leadership of Mr. Denholm will become one of the best classes for Bible study in the town." Mr. Denholm, who is editor and publisher of the Blenheim News, is a well-known ex-Londoner.

The congregation of St. James' Presbyterian Church will this year depart from the old custom of giving a thanksgiving entertainment. They intend, instead, to give a thanksgiving dinner, which will be held on the evening of Thanksgiving Day.

On Sunday evening next the subject of Rev. M. P. Talling's address to his congregation will be "The character of Jephtha." It will be remembered by those who have read the Field-Ingersoll and Gladstone-Ingersoll controversy that in these celebrated discussions the actions and character of Jephtha played a conspicuous part, particular stress being laid upon his pledge to the Lord, which ended in the sacrifice of his daughter.

The London District Association of the Latter Day Saints convened in St. Thomas on Friday. This association was organized four years ago with about one hundred members. The present report shows a membership of 600, with a total attendance of 11,035 for the past eight months. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Elder R. C. Evans, London, president; Elder G. C. Tomlinson, St. Marys, vice-president; Miss M. Campbell, Hapeville, secretary; Miss Eva McMurdo, Hopeville, treasurer. Elder R. C. Evans was elected delegate to the General Sunday School Association.

Yesterday was Communion Sunday in the King Street Presbyterian Church. The attendance at its table was the largest in the history of the congregation. This was the first communion since the induction of Mr. Wilson. The sermon was based on the question, "Ought not Christ to have suffered these things, and to have entered into his glory?" (Luke xxiv., 26.) The speaker showed three reasons why it was necessary that Christ should suffer as he did: (1) In order that he might be the Saviour of prophecy—prophecy foretold for him a life of suffering; (2) to be a friend to sinners he must know something of suffering himself; (3) to be man's substitute he must suffer. The sentence upon man was death, and he, taking man's place, must bear man's penalty. Twenty-nine new members were added to the church roll.

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BURGLARY IN ST. THOMAS

The Thief Gets Away With $52—Smashed in the Door of the House.

Frank Hill, a carpenter employed at the Michigan Central shops, St Thomas, and who resides on Lila street, reported to the police that he was the victim of a daring robbery on Saturday morning. He states that at 1 o'clock Saturday morning he heard a noise, and on awakening found a man in his bedroom. The fellow pointed a revolver at his head and demanded his money. Hill grabbed the revolver and held it so the burglar could not shoot. While this was going on Mrs. Hill jumped out of the window and ran for help. The man then made off. Hill investigated, and found that his trousers, which he had hung up in the bedroom, were missing. He found them in the dining room, but $52 that was in the pocket was gone. Mr. Hill is of the opinion that two men did the work. He thinks one held the revolver at his head while the other rifled his pockets. Entrance was effected to the house by breaking in the door.