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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.

MILLIGAN—In this city, on Sept. 8, at 203 Oxford street, Gerald William, youngest son of H. L. and Effie Milligan, aged 6 months and 3 weeks.

Funeral Friday, private. Please omit flowers.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line, each insertion.

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Friday and Saturday, Sept. 9 and 10.

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Friday, 4 p.m. Saturday, 3:30. 32u

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FAIR WEEK, beginning MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, DOROTHY LEWIS,

And a Superb Company, in the Great Scenic Melodrama,

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PLEBISCITE ASSOCIATION—FRIENDS desirous of assisting in defraying expenses will please not wait to be called upon. Ward workers are provided with official receipts. Your subscriptions to them will be reported promptly to the Central Finance Committee, who hereby respectively request your early favors. 28c tyw

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID. Apply Mrs. Meredith, 565 Talbot street. 30c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—APPLY Mrs. Geo. Ghasted, 80 Maple street. 32c

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A COOK—Apply to Mrs. Geo. C. Gibbons, Dufferin avenue. 31tf

WANTED—HOUSEMAID—APPLY MRS. C. B. Hunt, Wortley road, London South. 31u

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—APPLY at the Victoria House, Clarence street. 30c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—NO washing. Apply 336 Dufferin avenue. 30c

Male Help Wanted.

YOUNG MAN WANTED FOR WAREHOUSE—Experienced good salesman and stockkeeper. John C. Green & Co. 32c

FIRST-CLASS BARBER WANTED—APPLY 349 Clarence street, city. 31c

WANTED JUNIOR CLERK FOR THE drygoods. Apply Whiskard's, 230 Dundas street. 30c

BLACKSMITH WANTED—ONE WHO has had two or three years experience. Good at horses. State wages. Thomas Warner, Goderich, Ont. 25a

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WANTED AT ONCE—THIRTY-FIVE experienced salesladies. Apply Woods' Fair. 32c

MILLINERY APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS wanted at once. Bayley's, 172 and 174 Dundas street. 31c

PANTMAKER WANTED AT ONCE—Deeks & Co., 393 Richmond street. 31u

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$7 TO $10 A WEEK, IN LEISURE HOURS —Anyone can do the work. We want reliable families in every locality to help us manufacture Children's Toques, Gauntlets and Bicycle Leggings for the trade, by a new process. No canvassing or experience required. Steady work; good pay, whole or spare time. Write today. Address, The Co-operative Knitting Co., 15 Leader Lane, Toronto. ywt

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PARTIAL BOARD WANTED—OR PARTLY furnished rooms for light housekeeping, for a family of four. Address S. S. L., Advertiser office. 32tf

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150 pairs of Women's Fine Kid Laced Boots vesting tops, new styles, all sizes and widths, special at..... $2.25

167 pairs Fine Tan Laced and buttoned, in popular shades, regular price $3, special at..... $2.00

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Like reductions in all Bells' Misses' and Children's Footwear.

Pocock Bros.,

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FOUND—FEDORA BROWN HAT—CALL at Advertiser. 32u

FOUND—SMALL PARCEL CONTAINING two stamped patterns, from Smallman & Ingram. Call at Advertiser. 32u

FOUND—LINK SILVER BRACELET, with locket attached; monogram, "Annie to Maggie," on locket. Call at Advertiser. 32u

LOST—BLACK, FEATHER BOA, ON Princess avenue, Wednesday morning. Finder rewarded on returning to this office. 32u

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COAL—SCRANTON AND ALL THE FINEST grades of coal. We should like you to obtain our prices before purchasing coal. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser. Can quote rates and order for you promptly. Bowman & Co. ywt

VINEGAR—THE PICKLING SEASON has commenced, so get Ludwig's vinegar, the best on the market and free from acid. Factory, rear 94 King street (near the market). Phone 631. wty

STEWART'S STOVES, RANGES, STEEL ovens are perfect workers. We give estimates on iron roofs, iron eavestroughs, hot air furnaces. Jas. Thompson, 424 Richmond street. ywt

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES—ALL ready for school opening. A special line of 5c scribblers for 2c. R. V. S. SAUNDERS, 659 Dundas street, East London

PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA—Four pounds for 25c; superior hams, bacon, lard, butter, eggs, cheese and fruits. Lowest prices at Park's, corner Market Lane.

FOR SALE—BICYCLE CHAIN GRAPHITE, large stick 5c; electric stroke bells 20c; tire tape 5c; large tube rubber cement 5c each. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

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TO LET NEWLY-FITTED, UP-TO-DATE flat, 211½ Dundas street; best arranged dental suite in city. Also top flat, arranged for hall or lodge room. Inspection about Sept. 1. Love & Dignan, barristers, etc. 22tf tyw

THREE COMMODIOUS OFFICES IN Albion Buildings to rent; two with good vaults Apply T. H. Carling, at brewery, or Colerick Bros., on premises. 24bu ywt

TO RENT—LARGE STORE, KING STREET opposite market house, suitable for large eating house. Apply Thos. Caldwell, 538 Talbot street. 27c vyw

TO LET—DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, 296 Dundas street, modern conveniences, hot water heating. Apply on premises to Dr. Nelles. 31tf

STORE TO RENT, WITH LARGE STORE ROOM, 233 Dundas street. Apply J. C. Trebilcock, next door. 6tf

TO LET—ON KING STREET, NEAR Colborne street—Inside half double brick house. Apply 409 King street. 12tf

Real Estate.

FOR SALE CHEAP—TWO-STORY HOUSE —or rent, partly furnished, garden, fruit trees, front lawn, shaded. Apply 638 Talbot street. 27c vyw

FOR SALE—SAUNDERS' DRUG STORE—Location 188 Dundas street, lot 150x18½ feet, store 100x18½ feet, three stories and cellar. Price and terms reasonable. Apply 332 Clarence street. 67n 74tf ywt

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FOR SALE—525 RICHMOND STREET—good location; price right; possession Oct. 1. G. W. Francis, 90 Dundas street, London. 25c tvt

FOR SALE—FINE NEW COTTAGE, NEAR the park; splendid location and a bargain for quick buyer; also good frame cottage near G. T. R. station. J. F. Sangster. 28tf

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NEW PREMISES—HEINTZMAN & CO. now occupy the southeast corner of Dundas and Clarence streets. Pianos and organs ahead of all others. Low prices; easy terms. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street.

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MRS. THOS. EVANS HAS RETURNED to the city and will receive her pupils on Sept. 15. 24n ywt

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McBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street, H. C. McBride. F. W. Farncombe, H.S., C.E.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS AND civil engineers. Members Ont. Ass'n Architects; members Ont. L. Surveyors Ass'n; members Am. Waterworks Ass'n.

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

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WANTED—GOOD SECOND-HAND light buggy harness. Address A B C, this office. 31u

JOHN CONNOR, BOOKSELLER, WANTS at once more old school books for cash. 30c

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

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LARGE STOCK OF NEW HIGH GRADE Stearns wheels to rent; afternoon or evening, 35c; tandems, 75c. Telephone 1,225. Wheels delivered. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street. 8tf

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EUROPEAN HOTEL—203 DUNDAS street. Choice wines, liquors and cigars. Chas. Stevens, proprietor.

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CITY HOTEL—LONDON—BEST $1 A DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. McMartin, proprietor.

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TECUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT.—Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates $2 and $2.50 per day. C. W. Davis, proprietor.

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DR. REYNOLDS, DENTIST, SUCCESSOR to Dr. Swan. First-class honors, Toronto University. 207½ Dundas street. Phone 1,131.

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J. ELLIOTT HOLMES, L.D.S.—ROOM 3—Duffield Block, Dundas and Clarence streets. Phone 807.

DR. L. H. DAWSON—DENTIST—CORNER Dundas and Lyle streets, East London.

DR. JEFFERY N. WOOD—DENTIST—Over Runians, Gray & Carrie's, Dundas street. Telephone 1,236.

L. McDONALD—DENTIST—

Office 183½ Dundas street, London.

Telephone 702.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY—DENTISTS—216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 822.

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MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS TO ladies of the country. 311 Hyman street London.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned for No. 836 Richmond street, in the city of London, up to Monday, Sept. 12, 1898. The property has a frontage on Richmond street of 33 feet 9 inches. There is a comfortable story and a half brick dwelling on the property. Parties desiring to inspect the house can find the key at 838 Richmond street. The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted. Bayley & Bayley, vendor's solicitors. 24n ywt

Steamship Arrivals.

Sept. 7.	At	From.
Majestic	New York	Liverpool
Pomeranian	Quebec	Glasgow
Portia	New York	Halifax
Gudsleigh	Sharpness	St. John
Glenwood	Sharpness	Parrsboro
North Flint	London	Quebec
Wildcroft	Fleetwood	Montreal
Iona	Falmouth	Montreal
Rotterdam	Rotterdam	New York
Albano	New York	Hamburg
Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse	New York	Bremen
Aller	New York	Genoa
Amsterdam	New York	Rotterdam
Belgenland	Liverpool	Philadelphia
Teutonic	Liverpool	New York
Saale	Southampton	New York
Dresden	Baltimore	Bremen

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An Understanding

Arrived at Between Britain and Germany.

The Latter Power Withdraws Her Claims on South Africa.

Li Hung Chang Dismissed From Office.

Plot to Kill the Czar on the Occasion of His Visit to Moscow.

The Scheme Failed and the Would-Be Assassin Perished, Together With a Staff Officer and His Wife—Lord Dufferin on Anglo-American Relations.

London, Sept. 8.—The terms of the Anglo-German agreement are stated, upon good authority, to be, in the main, as follows:

The first point is that Germany and England have come to a complete understanding on all African questions. In February, 1895, Germany made a formal claim upon Lord Kimberley, then British foreign secretary for the maintenance of the status quo in South Africa, the special object being to protect the Transvaal from British control. Germany now withdraws absolutely from the claim, and leaves Great Britain a completely free hand in South Africa.

The German and British ministers further agree to give a joint government guarantee of a loan to Portugal to enable her to meet the award of the Swiss arbitrators regarding the Delagoa Railway. Arbitration is to decide the amount of compensation due by the Portugese Government to the McMurdo concessionaries of the Delagoa Railway. The concessionaries being largely American, the United States and British Governments have long been jointly pressing for this compensation. The Transvaal thereby becomes an enclave, and Kruger loses his only chance of an independent outlet to the sea.

The agreement further provides that all steps necessary for England's acquisition by amicable agreement with Portugal of part or all of Mozambique shall receive the assent of Germany.

Germany also agrees to recognize the permanence of British occupation of Egypt, when next year England will ask Europe for a curtailment of the jurisdiction of the mixed tribunals. As a quid pro quo, Germany secures a settlement of frontier in Togoland. The neutral zone called Dagombaland, between Arhantiland and Togoland, is to be divided, giving Germany the bulk of the zone. The River White Volta is as far as possible to become the dividing line between German and British sections.

Further, the British ministry agrees to assent, under certain conditions, to the arrangement which the German emperor expects to make with the sultan during his approaching visit to the Holy Land, and to facilitate German colonization in Asia Minor.

These are the important features of the agreement, some of which must be made public when the Portuguese loan is announced. But behind the understanding, of which the public will soon have official notice, there is believed to be a secret agreement giving Germany more in the nature of a quid pro quo.

The statement published here that Britain and Germany also have agreed upon the joint creation of a railway through the German sphere of Shan Tung, in China, to the British sphere of the Yang-tse Valley, cannot be confirmed, but co-operation has been long in the minds of British statesmen.

LI LEFT OUT.

Pekin, Sept. 8.—Li Hung Chang has been dismissed from power. It is presumed this was done in accordance with the demand, which, it was rumored, the British minister here was instructed to make an account of the alleged general partiality of the great Chinaman to Russia, culminating in Great Britain being deprived of the contract for the Pekin-Hankow railroad.

LORD DUFFERIN

Voices His Views on Anglo-American Relationship.

London, Sept. 8.—At a banquet given at Bristol in honor of the opening of the Cabot memorial, Lord Dufferin, the principal speaker, dwelt almost exclusively on Anglo-American relations. He said that brotherly sentiment might not always be an unfailing bond, but it was worthy of being stimulated and cherished, especially now. A new and critical chapter in the history of the world was about to open. In the solution of the difficulties that had arisen in the East the United States would be compelled to share, but it was pretty certain that their interests would not clash with those of Great Britain, because both nations were guided by the same rules of humanity and justice. He had noticed a disposition in certain quarters to regard the recent friendly manifestation to the United States cynically and pessimistically, as merely an evanescent phase of popular feeling that was destined to be replaced by an attitude of hostility the moment a dispute arose. He could not say that the sinister prognostications would not prove correct, but he believed that the probabilities were to this way. Lord Dufferin referred to Great Britain's refusal to join the powers in attempting to coerce the United States in reference to Spain. It might fairly be anticipated, he said, that Great Britain's attitude at that critical turning-point in the destinies of the United States had made a lasting impression on the memory and conscience of the American people, and would lead to the conviction that the peace of the world and the general prosperity of humanity would be best promoted by the harmonious co-operation of Great Britain and the other British-speaking communities.

A SERIOUS SITUATION

The Bombardment of Candia Resumed.

British Loss, 22 Killed and 45 Wounded.

Reinforcements Sent From Malta—Turkish Troops Must Withdraw From the Island.

Athens, Sept. 8.—It is reported that the bombardment was renewed at Candia yesterday and that the port has been seriously damaged.

HEAVY LOSSES.

According to telegrams from Candia it is estimated that 22 British were killed and 45 wounded yesterday. Several Christian families have sought refuge on the warships. Many corpses are lying in the streets of Candia. In one case a whole family was killed.

A Russian warship left the Pyrauses hurriedly for Crete today, carrying the Russian consul, M. Troijansky.

BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS.

Malta, Island of Malta, Sept. 8.—Half a battalion of the Dorsetshire Regiment and a detachment of the medical corps sailed last night for Crete. Other troops will follow.

TURKS MUST WITHDRAW.

Canea, Island of Crete, Sept. 8.—The president of the executive committee has notified the foreign admirals that, in view of the matters at Canea, it is impossible to continue the effort to recognize an administration until the Turkish functionaries and troops shall have been withdrawn. He demands the convocation of the Cretan assembly, and proposes to place a force of Cretans at the disposal of the international administration.

ELECTION IN COUNTY DOWN.

Dublin, Sept. 8.—In the election yesterday, in the north division of county Down, for a successor in parliament to the late Col. T. Warren (Con.), who was returned without opposition at the last election, Mr. J. B. Houston (Con.) was returned with a majority of 280.

ELECTIONS AT THE CAPE.

Johannesburg, Sept. 8.—Sir John H. de Villiers, chief justice of the Cape of Good Hope, has been asked to accept the premiership of Cape Colony.

Cape Town, Sept. 8.—The Diggers' News says that Sir John Henry de Villiers will probably accept the premiership. He is not regarded as belonging to either party. He is of Afrikander descent, and is 56 years old. The government victory at the polls in Uitenhage practically ends the elections, which have resulted in the return to the assembly of 40 members of the Afrikander Bund and 37 Progressives.

PLOT TO KILL THE CZAR.

A dispatch to the N. Y. World from London says: A report is published here of a daring plot to assassinate the Czar of Russia at Moscow last week. The plan of the conspirators was to allow gas to escape into a house on the route of the czar's procession until the atmosphere in every room had become saturated. One of their number was to remain in the house and strike a light when the czar was passing, in expectation that the house would be blown to pieces, and the czar killed by the flying debris. The conspirator would perish himself as a sacrifice to the cause.

This duty fell to the lot of one Alexander Kolanoff. In his agitation Kolanoff seems to have made an error, as the explosion was mistimed. When it occurred a staff officer and his wife were driving past the house, and they, instead of the czar, were killed. Their coachman will probably die of his injuries, and about thirty other persons were more or less seriously injured.

Kolanoff's mangled body was found among the ruins.

The czar and czarine drove by just 25 minutes later. Many arrests have been made in Moscow, but the Russian press has been forbidden to publish the matter.

The Sixth Massachusetts Regiment has over 300 sick and unfit for duty.

If you suffer from sores, boils, pimples, or if your nerves are weak and your system run down, you should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

When you are thinking of buying a piano always select the best. The best is forever the cheapest, and a genuine Heintzman & Co. has given satisfaction to some fourteen thousand purchasers, and will satisfy you. There are at present a magnificent lot in the warerooms, 236 Dundas street, and an inspection will repay any one contemplating buying now. **

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Delicate Flower-Like Perfumes.

Our new summer odors the finest in the world. The flowers of Old England and of Sunny France. The skill of the perfumer are all blended in the exquisite and dainty perfumes just received. We have odors that rival the brier bush, the rose and the ever fresh and always popular violet; all very fragrant and lasting.

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THE END OF IT

Close of the Six Months' Railway War.

Old Basis of Rates To Be Restored Sept. 25.

Traffic Manager McNicoll, of the Canadian Pacific has stated that as a result of the acceptance by the C. P. R. of the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission on the deferentials, rates would be restored to their normal basis on the 25th of this month. The rate war which has been in existence for six months will thus be brought to a close.

Canadian Pacific stock is very strong as a result of the settlement, and an advance of over two points was bid over Tuesday's figures.

The Lake Huron and Detroit River Railway Company has appointed Mr. H. R. Stuart general agent of the E. and H. R. at Sarnia.

ADMISSION OF WOMEN

Precedence, Systematic Beneficence and Other Matters Discussed by the Methodist General Conference.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—At the Methodist General Conference yesterday two important reports were submitted. One was from the committee on memorials, and the other from the committee on systematic beneficence.

The report of the memorial committee urged the General Conference to direct its special committee to proceed with all diligence toward obtaining the co-operation of other churches in the proposed memorializing of her Majesty's government to remove the order of precedence from the clergy in state functions in Canada, which is, the committee submitted, offensive in its unjust discrimination, and is utterly opposed to the constitutional relations of church and state in this Dominion. The clause was adopted.

The conference also approved of the clause that to prohibit ministers and other members of the church from becoming members of the Freemasons and other similar societies would be an undue interference with Christian liberty.

Conference also agreed with the committee's announcement in regard to the admission of women to the church councils. They had no reason, they said, for believing that there were any considerable number of women in the Methodist Church who desired the change proposed, and it was therefore recommended that no action be taken.

A long discussion took place on the clause on the report of the committee on systematic beneficence, urging the conference to adopt the principle of giving of tithes. Finally the clause was referred back, with instructions of the committee to make it recommendatory and not legislative.

THE SURVIVORS

Of the Cornwall Bridge Disaster Doing Well.

Cornwall, Ont., Sept. 8.—Rain has prevented the work of recovering the bodies or examining the wreck of the Ottawa and New York bridge. The patients in the Hotel Dieu Hospital are all doing fairly well, and no further deaths are expected. Several have been discharged. Divers will be at work in a day or two, but their labors will be protracted, and dynamite may have to be used in order to remove the tangle.

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 claim to public con-

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New Overcoatings,
New Trouserings

Choice Goods for Fall Wear.

LANDED AT NOWHERE

Peculiar Predicament of the City Council.

Special Meeting Called and Nothing Done.

Hospital Affairs Discussed at Length, but No Action Taken.

Quorum Broken Up—County Council's Proposition Did Not Meet With Universal Favor.

A special meeting of the city council was held last night to consider a proposition from a committee of the county council on which to base an agreement respecting the Victoria Hospital. The meeting had been hastily called and there were several absentees. After discussing the matter for a couple of hours, six of the aldermen left the council chamber, breaking up the quorum, and business was blocked. The aldermen who left were Messrs. Winnett, O'Meara, Dreaney, Greenlees, Cooper and Graham. Those who remained were Messrs. McPhillips, Taylor, Douglass, Carrothers, Jolly, Hunt, Stevely and Wilkey. The mayor presided, and City Solicitor T. G. Meredith was also present. The offer from the county was as follows:

James S. Bell, Esq., secretary Hospital Building Committee, London:

Dear Sir,—I am instructed by the county hospital sub-committee to advise your committee that we are prepared to recommend the following as a basis to the hospital committee of the county for adoption, if it will meet the views of the city council:

1. Joint capital account to be fixed at $75,000, to be calculated at 3½ per cent per annum.

2. County to advance $15,000 in aid of hospital building fund, at 3½ per cent per annum, which the city agree to pay the county.

3. The building must be completed according to plans and specifications before the money is paid over.

4. The gross charge to the county for their patients, including admittance, maintenance and treatment, to be the actual cost, after making all deductions, but in no case to exceed 75 cents per day to the county.

Either party can terminate this agreement at the end of 20 years by giving one year's notice, and at such termination the city to pay back to the county the said sum of $15,000. Other matters of detail to be settled by respective committees. Respectfully yours, W. D. Stanley, secretary sub-committee.

Ald. O'Meara claimed that the letter should have come as a report from the city hospital building committee. Therefore he moved that it be referred to the committee.

Ald. Winnett seconded.

Ald. Douglass and Ald. Jolly held that the question could be dealt with then, just as well as if it were referred to the committee first.

Ald. Jolly moved the acceptance of the offer. It was virtually the same as the offer suggested by the city, he said. The only difference was that in the city's offer it was stated that county patients were to be charged the actual cost of maintenance. This proposal added that the charge was not to exceed 75 cents.

Ald. O'Meara said that in the opinion of many ratepayers it was a reflection on the city to mortgage the hospital to the county. The city could get the money from any loan company in the city for 3½ per cent. Why then should they go begging to the county?

Ald. Graham said that as the county did not want to pay any money until the hospital be completed, there was no need of hurrying this agreement through. There was danger of making the same mistake as had been made when the contracts were let. It would be next midsummer before the hospital should be completed, and it would be next year's county council the city would have to deal with. He moved that negotiations with the county be let rest for the present.

Ald. Greenlees seconded.

The mayor explained that the indorsation of the proposals would be in no way binding.

Ald. Winnett asked if the county council had passed upon the agreement.

The mayor replied that they had not.

Ald. O'Meara—They want us to commit ourselves first.

Ald. Taylor said he had been informed by some members of the county council that if such a recommendation as that outlined were brought in by their hospital committee it would not pass. He was opposed to borrowing the money from the county on any consideration.

Ald. Graham objected to the capital being placed at so small an amount. The buildings would be worth $135,000, he said.

The mayor replied that the county would have no interest in the contagious diseases ward or the paying patients' pavilion. The value of these two buildings was $35,000. In explanation of the 75 cent clause, to which objection had been raised, he said that at present patients from outside the county were taken for 40 cents, and the government gave a grant of 30 cents for each patient.

Ald. Taylor wanted to know where would be the gain.

The mayor compared 75 cents as the receipts under the new agreement with 70 cents under the old.

"Yes," said Ald. Taylor, "but if the actual cost of maintenance is only 40 cents, where is the gain?" He thought the capitalization was too small also, and referred to the expense of furnishing the buildings.

The mayor said the county would have to bear a portion of that. That would be included in the matters of detail to be arranged by the committee.

The city solicitor advised that a rider be added to Ald. Jolly's motion in case it pass, so that the interpretation of the proposal would be as the council then understood. It was not clearly stated in the letter whether the 75 cents was to include the 30 cents grant from the government or not. If the council understood that they could collect 75 cents in addition to the government grant, they should be in a position to so interpret the offer. There were other matters, such as an understanding about repairs, etc., which would have to be arranged.

Ald. Carrothers was not pleased with the agreement, and favored asking the government for power to issue debentures for $20,000. He thought they could get special permission. It was his idea to make a complete job of the hospital. The hospital committee did not act as he wanted them to at first, but the only thing now was to go on and do the work properly. He was prepared to go to the people on the issue. Under the proposed agreement with the county, the capital should be $100,000 at least. The new building would cost $90,000, and the old buildings were worth $35,000. The contagious diseases ward was used for county patients, he said, and he cited a case of diphtheria that had come from St. Johns. As for the paid patients, there were more of them from the county than from the city. It was better to go to the people than to wait for the county council.

Ald. Winnett said the county thought the city would be as extravagant in the maintenance of the hospital as they had been in the building. That was why they wanted to hold the city down to a maximum charge of 75 cents.

Ald. Wilkey said the object of the proposition was merely to get something definite to lay before the county council.

Ald. McPhillips said the offer was as good a one as they could get from the county council. It was practically an acceptance of the offer of the city building committee. If the offer were not adopted in some way it was probable that no other would be made by the county council.

"So much the better," said Ald. O'Meara.

Whether or not it would be so much the better could not be determined for some years to come, said Ald. McPhillips. He urged that they deal with the offer at once. The proposition could be accepted, as the city solicitor had said, so that there would be no possibility of the city being put in a hole. The council should consider that some of the contracts were let conditionally, and there was no money to go on with the work. The contractors were being delayed, and the committee had been served with notices to waive the right to claim the penalty for overtime.

Ald. Taylor asked several questions about the negotiations with the county committee, and added that he was particularly cautious about the matter, because when the hospital committee reported on the estimated cost of the building, some of the members were positive the cost would not exceed $70,000.

Ald. Graham's motion to defer negotiations with the county was lost 8 to 5.

Ald. Hunt moved that the mayor and Chairman Carrothers make application to the lieutenant-governor-in-council to grant the city power to raise $20,000.

The city solicitor expressed his opinion that they could not get such power until the legislature met.

Several members held that Ald. Hunt's amendment was not in order.

The mayor ruled that it was.

Ald. Greenlees pointed out that if the city could not borrow money without special legislation, then they were unable to entertain the proposition of the county council. It would practically amount to borrowing the $15,000.

Ald. Hunt withdrew his amendment, saying he would bring it in later as a motion.

Ald. Cooper, his seconder, objected to the withdrawal.

The mayor would not put the motion.

Ald. Carrothers moved that the proposition be taken up clause by clause.

Ald Stevely seconded.

The motion was lost 5 to 8.

Ald. Carrothers said there was no use referring the matter back to the committee.

"A special committee then," suggested Ald. Graham.

Ald. Carrothers retorted that the hospital committee had done their best, and if it was to be referred back at all it had better go to a special committee.

Ald. Graham moved that the proposition be referred back to the committee to get the county council to consent to a capitalization at $100,000.

The motion was lost on a negative vote, as follows: Yeas—Ald. Winnett, Carrothers, Graham, Hunt, O'Meara, Cooper and Greenlees—7. Nays—Taylor, McPhillips, Douglass, Jolly, Stevely, Wilkins, and the mayor—7.

Ald. McPhillips moved that the offer be accepted, excepting that portion which placed the maximum cost at 75 cents.

During the preceding few minutes, Ald. Winnett, Dreaney, O'Meara, Graham and Greenlees had left the council chamber at intervals, and Ald. Cooper had moved several seats nearer the ante-room door.

Just as the mayor was about to put the motion, Ald. Cooper said: "That means that you want to mortgage a $150,000 hospital for $15,000, and I'm not going to vote for it." With that he made for the door.

Ald. Stevely—I'm not going to vote for it, either. But I don't need to go outside.

But Ald. Cooper had vanished, and he was greatly missed. Without him, the remainder of the council could do nothing, because they had no quorum.

OTHER COMMUNICATIONS.

Referred to No. 1 committee: Three petitions for remission of taxes.

Referred to No. 2 committee: Messrs. Parke & Purdom's objection to the artificial stone walk on Dundas street, east of Adelaide street; Mr. J. A. Thomas' refusal to settle with the rowing club on the basis proposed by the city; petition from W. C. L. Gill and others, re wide tires on macadam roads; a letter from the People's Telephone Company re opening of certain streets.

Referred to No. 3 committee: From E. T. Bucke, re peddlers' licenses; three petitions for electric lights.

Referred to the mayor and Inspector Bell: Application for admission to Aged People's Home.

Plebiscite workers were granted permission to hold meetings in the city hall on Sept. 24 and 27.

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CHAMBERLAIN IN NEW YORK

An Interview With the Colonial Secretary.

Sticks to His Statement Made in Birmingham—Says British Friendship for the United States Is Strong and Growing Stronger.

New York, Sept. 8.—The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the British colonies, arrived here last night on the Majestic. He was accompanied by his wife and Miss Chamberlain. They left later for Massachusetts, where they will visit the Endicotts, of which family Mrs. Chamberlain is a member. Secretary Chamberlain will return home in the fall. His visit to this country, the distinguished English statesman said, has no political significance, notwithstanding the fact that the high joint commisison is at present holding its session in Canada, and that Ambassador Hay has been recalled to assume the portfolio of secretary of state.

Secretary Chamberlain at first said that he did not care to discuss international matters, and remarked that his speech at Birmingham was about all he cared to say regarding an alliance between the United States and Great Britain. He was, however, induced to answer a number of questions bearing on matters of interest to the American people.

"What do you think of the czar's peace proposal" he was asked.

"I believe it was made in good faith, but of course I cannot say whether it will be adopted or not. The conditions have yet to be learned, and they will not be known until the conference meets, and the plan of the general disarmament has been thoroughly discussed. We all want peace, and are sure that the czar made the proposal in the best of faith. It would be a grand thing to abolish large standing armies, but unless all the European and continental countries consent to the plan, it will fall through at this time. A few years hence the scheme may be feasible."

"What do you think of the recapture of Khartoum and the flight of Khalifa Abdullah?"

"Gen. Gordon's death has been avenged and the power of the Mahdi has been destroyed. This victory will open up the Soudan, and all the countries of the world will benefit by the victories achieved by British arms. The White and the Blue Nile will soon be open to commerce."

"How about the Anglo-German agreement entered into by Mr. Balfour and the German ambassador last week. Does the agreement embrace an offensive and defensive alliance in certain eventualities?"

"All that I can say on the subject is that there is an understanding between the countries, but I cannot tell you the details. I know of only two alliances existing at present. One is the dual alliance and the other is the triple alliance. The commercial interests of the United States and Great Britain in the Far East being similar, there is no telling whether the two governments will act together diplomatically where their common interests are concerned. It is most likely that they will."

"It is reported that an Anglo-Russian understanding is practically complete; that Great Britain recognizes Russia in Manchuria, Russia undertaking to satisfy Great Britain in Chinese railway matters and to respect England's sphere in the valley of the Yang Tse Kiang?"

"Such an understanding is news to me. There were no negotiations of that kind in progress when I left England. I am not in a position to deny the report, but I cannot tell what has happened while on the sea."

"The Daily Leader, of Newcastle, in an article a few days since, asserted that Great Britain checkmated continental schemes against the United States soon after the war with Spain, it said positively that when France, supported by the other continental powers, including Germany and Russia, proposed to the Marquis of Salisbury joint intervention, with the object of rescuing Spain, humiliating America, and asserting European supremecy in the foreign complications of the world, the Marquis replied, in effect, that if the plan were not directly abandoned, not only would her Majesty's government refuse to countenance it, but would join forces with the United States and declare war on France or any other country coming to her assistance?"

"England's friendship for the United States during the conflict with Spain is known to the world," answered Mr. Chamberlain's secretary. "The British government and the people of Great Britain, while observing a strict neutrality, clearly showed which country they favored in the fight."

"Are the English people, notwithstanding the German and Russian agreements, still friendly to the United States?"

"Yes, and more strongly so. Ireland has been granted long-promised reforms and the people are happy. They all favor an alliance with this country."

Mr. Chamberlain declined to discuss the future of the Philippines, reciprocity with Canada, or the likelihood in the near future of the annexation of the Island of Jamaica to the United States. He intimated, however, that this country being destined to become a great nation, would require an expansion of territory, and would have to protect the outlets for its commerce with distant lands.

Mr. Chamberlain will make an extended tour in the west, especially visiting British Columbia.

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LADIES OF LONDON:

We have arranged to have our formal opening and reception in our Cloak room on Thursday, Sept. 8, and following days, when the newest and best in Mantles for Fall Wear will be placed on view at prices that are attractive, and everything up to date in style, workmanship and finish. We therefore invite you and your friends to come and inspect, even if you do not intend buying at present. We want you to talk about us, or rather our good values in Jackets and Capes.

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THE DAIRYMEN

From East and West Ontario Gather in Convention—Annual Meeting Arranged.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—A special meeting was held in the president's office at the fair grounds during the afternoon of the directors of the Cheese and Butter Association of Western Ontario. Among those present were: President Harold Eagle, in the chair; John Prain, Harriston; A. F. Maclaren, Stratford; Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P., Woodstock; Robert Johnston, Bright; R. M. Ballantyne, Stratford; J. N. Paget, Canboro; A. Wenzer, Ayton; James Connolly, Port Hope; G. H. Barr, Sebringville; George Hately, secretary.

It was decided that the annual meeting should be held at Guelph on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 17, 18 and 19, 1899.

It was also decided to invite the following gentlemen to deliver addresses on the subjects appended at the annual convention:

W. H. Jordan, Geneva, N. Y., (1) Commercial foods; (2) The present status of feeding standards. George L. McKay, Iowa. Prof. Dean, Guelph, (1) How to improve the sanitary condition of cheese factories and creameries; (2) Sub-earth dust for curing rooms, method of construction, cost and advantages in curing cheese. J. A. Ruddick, Kingston. Some further notes on the curing of cheese. A. W. Campbell, Toronto. The economic value of good roads. Dr. W. T. Connell, Kingston. (1) Tuberculosis and its import; (2) Further studies and observations of cheese "discussed" through bacterial infections. T. C. Harrison, Guelph, Bacteria. Arch. Smith, Beachville, Butter-making. Prof. Robertson, Ottawa. Arch. Lewis, United States, Feeding of swine in connection with the dairy.

President Withrow of the Toronto Industrial Exhibition Association addressed the meeting on the future of the fair, especially in connection with its relationship to the cheese and butter interests. Mr. Withrow promised that every consideration should be shown the dairy industries of the country, and suggested that the entire space underneath the grand stand might be placed at the disposal of the cheese and butter associations of the province and the Dominion.

The directors of the Butter and Cheese Association of Eastern Ontario met at the Rossin House. It was decided to hold the annual convention at Kingston on Jan. 10, 11 and 12.

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Did you see the Fly? Yes. 34-tf

MET HIS WIVES

Pretty Straight Evidence Against Middleton, on the Charge of Bigamy.

Woodstock, Sept. 8.—In the case of R. L. Middleton, the alleged railway swindler and bigamist, Miss Lillian Munroe, of Toronto, swore to her marriage with Middleton, on Dec. 27, 1892, and Miss Sarah Smith, of Sarnia, testified that she was married to the prisoner on Oct. 27, 1896, he being known as Alexander L. Macdonald. The marriage certificates were produced, and both the young women recognized the prisoner as the man to whom they had been married.

A letter was produced from Middleton to his brother-in-law, Edward Munroe, admitting the marriage shortly after it took place in 1892, and another letter produced was from Middleton to his wife, written from Sarnia in 1896, after his release from Auburn prison, and after his marriage to Miss Smith. This was the evidence on which he was committed for trial.

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The Locals Do Up the Chatham Nine,

And Hamilton Suffers Defeat at St. Thomas.

Hamilton Claims the Game That Was Not Played on Tuesday.

Asylum Cricketers Win in a Match With the Watfords—Turf Events and Other Sporting Matters.

BASEBALL.

CANADIAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Hamilton	28	18	.609
London	23	19	.595
St. Thomas	27	21	.562
Chatham	12	35	.250

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, Sept. 7. — London and Chatham played a very ragged game here today, due in part to the wet grounds. Rain interrupted the game just after it started. Lohman made two wild throws to second, which were very costly. London ceased to make errors in the sixth, and Chatham began, and as a result lost the game.

London tied the score in the eighth. Chatham got none in the ninth. Crowe was hit by pitcher, Mohler got his base on balls, Smink sacrificed, Laroque went out from second to first, Keenan hit an easy one to McCann, which Conklin muffed at first, permitting Crowe to score, winning the game.

Meara, the first man to bat, had his finger split, and Crowe took his place. Ward, London's shortstop, got a nasty blow in the mouth when the crowd mobbed England. Otherwise no one was hurt.

The Associated Press report says:

The handful of spectators who shivered through the nine innings this afternoon saw the warmest article in the way of baseball given on the athletic grounds. The game was well contested, and furnished good sport, where it was not otherwise marred by Umpire England's decisions. Chatham was in the lead up to the seventh, when London secured two, tied by adding one in the sixth, and won out on a bad error by Conklin in the ninth. England's umpiring was very unsatisfactory, he virtually winning the game for London by some of the rankest decisions ever seen on the grounds. Owing to his work of today the Chatham management have refused to play under his ruling, and a player from each team umpire tomorrow.

LONDON.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Crow, l.f.	3	1	1	1	0	1
Mohler, 2b.	4	0	1	3	4	0
Smink, r.f.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Laroque, 1b.	5	0	0	7	0	0
Keenan, 3b.	5	0	1	0	0	2
Carey, c.f.	4	2	2	3	0	0
Lohman, c.	3	0	1	10	3	2
Ward, s.s.	4	0	1	2	1	1
Hagerman, p.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Totals	35	6	8	27	9	7

CHATHAM.	A.B.	R.	B.H	P.O.	A.	E.
Gallagher, r.f.	5	2	0	1	0	0
Morrisey, s.s.	3	0	1	1	2	2
Snyder, 3b.	4	0	0	0	3	2
Conklin, 1b.	1	2	0	9	0	2
McCann, p.	3	1	0	0	3	0
Jones, l.f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Miles, 2b.	4	0	1	6	4	1
Watkins, c.f.	4	0	1	2	0	1
Reid, c.	4	0	0	6	1	0
Totals	29	5	3	26	13	6

London 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 1 1–6
Chatham 0 1 3 1 0 0 0 0 0–5

Stolen bases—Smink 2, Keenan, Carey, Wary, Morrisey. Two-base hits—Watkins, Mohler. Carey. Double plays — Snyder to Miles to Conklin, Miles to Conklin, Hagerman to Laroque. Struck out — By Hagerman 5 (Gallagher 2, Miles, Reid, Watkins), by McCann 3 (Lohman, Mohler, Hagerman). Bases on balls—By Hagerman 5, by McCann 3. Hit by pitched ball—Jones, Conklin, Smink and Crowe. Passed balls—Reid 1. Wild pitches—McCann 3, Hagerman 2. Umpire—England. Time—2:15.

ST. THOMAS BEATS HAMILTON.

St. Thomas, Sept. 8.—Although Georgie Bradford has been with the Ambitious City aggregation all season, he pitched his first game against St. Thomas in this city at Atlantic Park yesterday. The latter won by opportune hitting. Kerns pitched for the locals. Both pitchers did good steady work, Kerns having slightly the best of it. Neither received very good support. The excitement was intense when in the last half of the ninth, after two men had been retired, Kerns passed three men, filling the bases, with McKevitt, the leader of the league in hitting, to bat, but the best he could do was to foul out to Busse. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Thomas ..0 0 0 2 2 1 0 0 0—5	8	5	
Hamilton ....0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0—3	9	5	

Batteries—Kerns and Sullivan; Bradford and Conwell. Umpires—Collins and Robb.

HAMILTON CLAIMED THE GAME.

Hamilton Times: Manager C. Collins, of the Hamilton baseball club, has given the Canadian league president formal notice that the Hamiltons will claim the game that should have been played at Dundurn yesterday, and will also claim the $100 penalty provided by the constitution on account of the St. Thomas team not presenting its team on the field for the game. The Hamilton team was on hand.

EASTERN LEAGUE—WEDNESDAY.

At Toronto—	R.	H.	E.
Toronto	14	12	3
Ottawa	7	12	10

Batteries—Gaston and Snyder; Horton and Boyd and McHale.

At Providence—			
Providence	9	17	0
Springfield	2	11	3

Batteries—Sullivan and Crisham; Dolan and Nichols.

Wet grounds at Montreal.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—WEDNESDAY.

At Louisville—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	9	12	0
Louisville	0	5	7

Batteries—Power and Criger; Dowling and Kitridge.

At Cincinnati—			
Cincinnati	2	9	6
Chicago	13	15	1

Batteries—Breitenstein and Peitz; Griffith and Donahue.

At Boston—			
Boston	5	9	2
Washington	1	5	0

Batteries—Lewis and Bergen; Donohue and McGuire.

IRWIN TO MANAGE THE SENATORS.

A deal has been completed by which Arthur Irwin, president and manager of the Toronto baseball club, will at the conclusion of the Eastern League season assume the management of the Washington National League team. Five of the players of the present Toronto team go with him—Catcher Casey, Freeman, and Pitchers Williams, Baker and Suthoff. Manager Irwin does not intend, however, to relinquish the Toronto club.

THE AMATEURS.

St. Thomas West End Records were defeated by the Rodney team on Monday. Score, 19 to 3. Batteries—For St. Thomas, Gould and Woods; for Rodney, Aitridge and Beattle.

Petrolia challenges the Stratford baseball club to play a series of championship games for the amateur championship of Western Ontario.

The London Mutuals played in Ailsa Craig on Labor Day. The result was 12 to 3 in favor of Ailsa Craig.

TO SHORTEN THE SEASON.

Hamilton Spectator: President Davis has written to Chairman Young, of the board of arbitration, asking the consent of the board to shorten the playing season. The Eastern League was allowed to do this, and it is likely the request of the Canadian League will receive favorable consideration. The object in doing this is to enable the teams to hold the players.

LONDONERS AT THORNDALE.

Labor Day was not observed as a holiday at Thorndale by the business men. Stores were open, factories and mills were running as usual, but a large crowd found their way to the ball field in the afternoon to see the "old boys" from London suffer defeat by the village nine—24 to 13. The following were the players: London—Martin, c.; Harrison, 1 b.; Adams, s. s.; Mitchell, 2 b.; A. Orr, r. f.; J. Dunkin, c. f.; Falconer, l. f.; Lankin, 3 b.; Strong, p. Thorndale—Abbott, c.; Probyn, 1 b.; Harding, 2 b.; Phelps, s. s.; Vanderburg, 3 b.; McLean, r. f.; F. Lee, l. f.; Dunlop, c. f.; W. Lee, p.

POLICEMEN DO THE TRICK AGAIN.

In West London yesterday the street railway motormen were again mastered by the invincible ball team, composed of city policemen. At Springbank a week ago the score was 20 to 12 and yesterday the motormen got only 11 runs while the policemen scored 21. This sliding scale, if adhered to, will leave the motormen exactly 11 more games to play before they suffer a "shut-out." Jack Westman pitched for the police, and Warren Westman for the losers, and while the latter did steadier work, he was batted very hard, Ryckman, one of the motormen, had his knee badly sprained, and Fether, another member of the team, had his hand injured. Five innings were played. T. Dandy umpired.

FLYS.

Chatham will blacklist Dan Lowney for jumping the team.

Jimmy Cockman, formerly of the London team, who has been doing such sensational all-round work as shortstop for the Reading Atlantic League team, will probably be drafted by Brooklyn this fall. Toronto will get a share of the $500, as Cockman was farmed out to Reading by Mr. Irwin.

The National League is not booming. The Phillies played ten games on their last trip, and received something less than $1,500. When it is considered that three of these games were played in Cincinnati, whose club has been making such a magnificent struggle for the flag all year, it is evident that the cranks are losing interest.

TURF.

AT CHARTER OAK PARK.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 8.—A thunderstorm broke up the racing yesterday, only one race being finished. Summary:

2:12 pace, purse $1,500:

Winfield, br. g.	3	7	1	2	1 1
Jimmy B., b. g.	5	1	2	4	3 3
Pussy Cat, gr. m.	6	4	3	1	2 4
Sylvanway, b. m.	1	5	6	6	6 2
Hydrogen, b. h.	2	2	4	5	5 ro
Queen Vitello, b. m.	7	6	5	3	4 ro
Sabilla, ch. m.	4	3	7	dr	
Alcinta, b.m.	8	dis			

Time—2:10¼, 2:14½, 2:13, 2:12¾, 2:14¼, 2:16½.

FORT ERIE RACES.

Fort Erie, Sept. 8.—Leo Lake changed hands after the last race yesterday afternoon, F. Garner bidding him up to $800 and taking him at that figure. Summaries:

First race, 3-year-olds, selling 7 furlongs—Sister Jane 1, Brulare 2, Prince Zeno 3. Time, 1:36. Gleam Bramble, Annie Lauretta, Hairpin and Sister Mamie finished as named.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 5½ furlongs—Glasnevin 1, Amelia T. 2, Defiance 3. Time, 1:00½. Laurentian, Buena Ventura, Romany Rawny, Simcoe, Onatavia, Vioris, Click and Margaret Dumont finished as named. Hadrian left.

Third race, all ages, 6 furlongs—Alice Farley 1, Judge Wardell 2, Lady Irene 3. Time, 1:19¼. Purse Proud, Bombardon, Skillman and Samivel finished as named.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furlongs—Homelike 1, Mamie Callan 2, Lauretta D. 3. Time, 1:35½. Sister Ione, Brown Girl, Cynthia H., Gracie C., Hostile and Minnie Clyde finished as named.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 mile—Leo Lake 1, Bromo 2, Tony Honing 3. Time, 1:49¾. Also ran as named, Glen Albyn, Pommery See, Gew-Gaw.

THE DONCASTER MEETING.

London, Sept. 8.—The St. Leger stakes is a race for 25 sovereigns each, for 3-year-olds, the owner of the second horse to receive 300 sovereigns, and the third 100 sovereigns out of the stake. Twelve horses ran over the course, about 1 mile, 6 furlongs and 132 yards, and the result in detail was as follows: Capt. Greer's ch. Wildfowler won (as announced yesterday); Mr. J. W. Larnach's ch. c. Jeddah was second; Mr. A. Belmont's ch. c. Bridegroom II. was third.

The Cleveland handicap plate was won by Mr. Martin D. Ruck's brown horse King Hampton. This race is of 500 sovereigns, for 3-year-olds and upwards, the owner of the second horse to receive 50 sovereigns out of the plate. Entrance, 5 sovereigns for nonstarters and 10 sovereigns for starters. There were 11 horses in this course, the Sandal mile, and the result was: Mr. Martin D. Ruck's 5-year-old br. h. King Hampton won; the Lorillard-Beresford stables' 3-year-old b. c. Elfin second; Mr. W. M. Clarke's 5-year-old ch. h. Prince Barcaldine third.

The Duke of Cambridge and a great concourse of fashionable people witnessed the St. Leger. Canopus and Heckler made the running, and kept the pace a cracker throughout. Coming down the line for home, Jeddah looked an easy winner, but a quarter-mile from the post Wildfowler steadily drew to the front, and won in a canter by four lengths, to the surprise of everybody, six lengths dividing him from Bridegroom II. The betting was 6 to 5 on Jeddah, 10 to 1 on Wildfowler, and 25 to 1 on Bridegroom II.

OTHER WINNERS

At Hawthorne, Chicago—Cutter, Vic Lamont, Espionage, Hosi, Nobilis, and Marsella.

At Newport, Ky. — Loneta, Donald Bain, J. H. C., Arcturus, Annie Oldfield, Bon Jour.

At Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.—Anita, Algol, Golden Rod, George Boyd, Kirinikinic and Continental.

CRICKET.

ASYLUM WON AT WATFORD.

The asylum cricket team played a return match at Watford yesterday and won. The crease was somewhat slow. Messrs. Carver and Dunlevy umpired satisfactorily. Following is the score:

WATFORD.

First Inning—	
Dr. Gibson, run out	9
D. Roach, c England, b Heighway	20
Dr. Hayes, c Heighway, b England	2
F. Wordsworth, c Balfour, b England	4
V. Newell, b England	0
Burwell, c Hobbs, b England	3
F. Rodgers, c Hobbs, b England	2
H. Taylor, not out	4
S. White, b England	6
T. B. Taylor, b England	0
Russell, c Flynn, b England	0
Extras	6
Total	56
Second Inning—	
H. W. Taylor, b Reid	4
Dr. Gibson, b England	0
D. Roach, b Reid	0
D. Hayes, b and c Reid	12
F. Wordsworth, c Bucke, b Burnand	9
V. Newell, b Reid	10
A. Burwell, b Reid	7
F. Rodgers, run out	0
S. White, c Taylor, b Reid	6
T. B. Taylor, b Burnand	0
Dr. Russell, not out	0
Extras	5
Total	53
Grand total	109

ASYLUM.

First Inning—	
M. A. Walker, b White	17
G. England, c Russell, b White	0
T. Flynn, b Taylor	5
F. Reid, c Hayes, b White	17
W. R. Meredith, b Taylor	0
B. Burnand, c Newell, b White	1
Dr. Hobbs, not out	2
Dr. Balfour, c Gibson, b White	0
J. W. Hobbs, b Taylor	0
R. B. Heighway, b White	1
P. E. Bucke, b Taylor	1
Extras	5
Total	49
Second Inning—	
Walker, b White	35
England, not out	20
Reid, not out	6
Extras	3
Total	64
Grand total	113

THE KENNEL.

PROSPERITY OF THE C. K. C.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—The Canadian Kennel Club held its annual meeting yesterday, with George B. Sweetman, the retiring president, in the chair. The action of the president in giving $25 of the club's funds in the shape of specials at the exhibition and the suspension of the rule regarding the cropping of dogs were fully indorsed. Thirty new members were elected, which is a record. The secretary-treasurer's report showed an increase in membership, an increase in registration, and an augmented bank balance. The registrations number 4,665 and the membership is 92.

EXETER.

Exeter, Sept. 7.—The entertainment in Gidley's Opera House Monday evening was without exception the best, as far as local talent goes, that has yet been put before an Exeter audience. "Living Pictures" was a success, and the Ladies' Chapter of Trivitt Memorial Church is to be congratulated. All defects in the different scenes were more than made up for by the able manner in which the performers played their various roles. Special mention might be made of the "Dying Soldier," "Critical Moment," two scenes, and "The Elopement," two scenes. N. Dyer Hurdon, manager of Molsons Bank, acted as stage manager, to his own credit, as well as those who took part. Proceeds amounted to over $60.

Anniversary services were held in the Trivitt Memorial Church on Sunday last, when Rev. R. McCosh, B.D., of Chatham, preached acceptably both morning and evening, and also addressed the Sunday school scholars in the afternoon. Rev. Mr. McCosh is a great favorite with the Exeter parish, and a large congregation always greets him whenever he officiates here. The church decorations were not elaborate, as on recent occasions, but beautiful, modest and simple, and in full sympathy and tone of sanctity with the occasion, and the beautiful edifice which this parish is fortunate to possess. Liberal collections were taken up both morning and evening.

Mr. Rantenberg, the converted Jew, gave a very interesting lecture in the Main Street Methodist Church on Monday evening last, which was an intellectual, instructive, eloquent and scriptural treat to all those who were fortunate to hear him. The singing by the lecturer's little 10-year-old son, Bernia, was very much appreciated.

Heavy rain storms, accompanied by thunder and lightning have been frequent in this section during the past three weeks. Considerable damage has been done. Dyer & Howard's planing mill, had a narrow escape on Saturday night last. A shade tree within 20 feet of the main building was struck by lightning, shattering it clean to the ground.

The race meet which was billed for Monday, Labor Day, was not the financial success that was anticipated. Rain fell very heavily during the preceding night and morning, making the track too heavy. The race programme was called on late in the afternoon, and passed off satisfactorily, considering the circumstances.

Mr. Arthur Kemp, ledger-keeper in Molsons Bank, is spending his holidays in Toronto. His cousin, Miss Elsie Clarke, after a pleasant visit with friends here, returned to Toronto with him.

Since the Exeter Mechanics' Institute became a free library the patronage has increased to more than double. The librarian, Capt. George Kemp, is authority for the statement that the present ticket system is a most gratifying success, financially and otherwise.

Mrs. F. L. Hallack and daughters Vera and Mildred, after visiting with friends in Walkerton, Exeter and London, during the past four weeks, have returned home.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Jamaica talks now of annexation to Canada.

Lord Herschell will be banquetted in Toronto.

There is talk of a Canadian fiscal surplus of $1,000,000.

Lord Aberdeen will formerly open the Central Canada Exhibition, on the 19th inst.

None of the bodies of the victims of the Cornwall bridge accident have been recovered.

There is little doubt that Vancouver is to be fortified and imperial troops stationed there.

The high court, I. O. F., Eastern Ontario, will meet at Kingston next year.

Barrie's tax rate is 25 mills.

James Dudley, the tramp who shot G. T. R. Baggageman McKeough at St. Marys, has been adjudged insane.

Dr. Clark, of Tamworth, P.H.C.R. of the I. O. F., Eastern Ontario, has been appointed assistant supreme physician.

Mr. Peter Bertram, hardware merchant, Hamilton, has assigned. Liabilities estimated at $26,000; assets half that sum.

Samuel Campbell, a farmer 85 years of age, living at Ball Point, was drowned on Wednesday evening while out fishing.

John O'Neil, employed on the G. T. R. coal dump, Belleville, fell from a height of 30 feet, and was seriously injured internally.

In the regular biennial Vermont elections yesterday, the Republicans elected their entire state ticket, headed by Edward C. Smith, of St. Albans, for governor.

The engagement of Miss Sanford, daughter of Hon. W. E. Sanford, Hamilton, and Capt. Tudor, a brother of Mrs. Frank Mills, who visited Canada a couple of seasons ago, is announced.

Argument in the case whether special constables hired to preserve order at provincial elections have the right to vote at such elections has begun in the court of appeal, and may last several days.

Lieutenant-Governor Cameron, of the Northwest Territories, is in very poor health, and has asked for leave of absence, so as to come east and visit his old home in Goderich. Justice Richardson will act as administrator during Mr. Cameron's absence.

Fire broke out in a house at Rockerval, Que., occupied by Mr. Wells, caused by the igniting from a candle of drapery in a room where a little child lay dead. The house was burned, and the flames spread to the Roberval woolen mill, which was totally destroyed. Loss about $7,000.

Mrs. S. Murray, West avenue north, Hamilton, dropped dead in the house of her daughter, Mrs. Goodman, corner of Walnut and Hunter streets, on Tuesday. She was talking to her sister, Mrs. Doole, of Blenheim, when she fell and expired, death being due to heart disease. Deceased was 48 years of age.

At the Labor Day celebration at Nanaimo, Attorney-General Martin declared that the full penalty of the law would be inflicted for the employment of children under ground. Mr. Martin said he hoped in a short time to announce that the government was taking action which would go the root of the Chinese labor question.

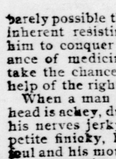
The political war between the factions of the Silver Republican party in Colorado, resulted on Wednesday in the death of Charles Harris, of Denver, at Colorado Springs. It was the result of an attempt by the Broad faction to capture the opera house, which was guarded by the Sprague faction. Harris was shot in the abdomen and fatally injured.



The man may be able to whip the lion single-handed, but he is not taking chances, and is not going to disdain the assistance of helpers with hot irons. The same is true of a wise man who is having a tussle with ill-health. It is barely possible that he may have the natural inherent resisting power that will enable him to conquer disease without the assistance of medicine, but he is not willing to take the chances and will not disdain the help of the right remedy.

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Germany Now More Friendly.

There seems now to be no doubt that some sort of understanding has been arrived at between Great Britain and Germany. That much is now admitted semi-officially at the capitals of both countries, and Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has confirmed it in New York in an interview with a leading newspaper.

The pith of the agreement seems to be, that Great Britain is to be allowed a very free hand in South Africa, and in Egypt. It is evident that Delagoa Bay will shortly fall into the hands of the British. This means that the Transvaal Republic's only approach to the sea will be in the hands of the great naval Power; and President Kruger might as well make up his mind that destiny does not show any immediate signs that the suzerainty of Great Britain will be suddenly lessened. Then in Egypt, as we have said, the British position, strengthened as it has been by Sir Herbert Kitchener's splendid victory, will be additionally confirmed.

Germany, of course, gets something in return, including the goodwill of Great Britain as to German colonization in Asia Minor.

With the United States, Germany, Japan and Italy, all distinctly friendly, it does look as if Great Britain's "splendid isolation" had given place to something different and more comfortable.

U. S. State Elections.

Our American cousins have not been deprived of excitement by the cessation of war. The state elections are looming up, and they promise a large vent for unexhausted belligerency. It was expected that the Republicans would profit by their war record, but the Democrats are making a furious attack on the war department, for its alleged incompetence and political depravity. If they fail to make party capital out of it now, their chances for the Presidential election will be very slender, as the silver issue has lost its potency. The vote in Vermont yesterday may or may not be an omen. The Democrats made gains, electing 33 members, compared with 11 last time. The prohibitionist vote fell off 40 per cent, though one prohibitionist member was elected.

Li Hung Chang Dismissed.

So Li Hung Chang has been dismissed from the Chinese Premiership, at the request of the British Minister. Li Hung had allowed himself to be bribed by Russia. We remember seeing the clever old heathen rascal a few years ago at the Toronto Fair, on his trip homeward, through Canada, and we recall how a Toronto policeman was discharged, because he thought a Christian officer should not be expected to help carry a Heathen Chinee in sedan-chair style, or any other style. Perhaps the Toronto policeman was not far wrong—in Li Hung Chang's case.

Famous Abduction Cases.

The abduction of Patrick Meagher, a Canadian and a British subject, by a United States customs officer, which has caused a great sensation throughout Western Ontario, will again come up for consideration in Port Huron next week, unless, indeed, the United States authorities, after investigation, reach the conclusion that Meagher's arrest was illegal, and that he should be discharged. It would not surprise us if, when the case is called in court, Meagher should be advised to refuse to surrender, and application should be made for a cancellation of his bail bonds, on the ground that as he was illegally arrested, the court had no power to grant bail.

There seems to be no ground for the assertion that Meagher was guilty of smuggling, but even if he had been a smuggler, and the worst criminal in the country, no United States official could have any warrant for arresting him on Canadian soil. That he was arrested in Canada there seems to be no doubt. When the case comes up for investigation, it will be shown that at least twenty persons were witnesses of the arrest, and that it was clearly on the Canadian side. When this is proved, we can hardly doubt that the United States authorities will follow out the line of action laid down in other cases.

Twenty-five years ago a somewhat similar case caused a great sensation in this city and neighborhood. Old residents will recollect the abduction of Dr. Bratton. He was a native of a southern state, who for a time practiced his profession here. He was kidnapped on the public street, and carried off to the States to answer to an alleged charge of lawlessness in connection with the famous Ku-Klux Klan organization in the South. If our memory serves us correctly, Dr. Bratton was carried to the South and detained for a considerable time. But the Canadian authorities could not afford to permit a precedent to be established that would acknowledge the right of United States agents to come into this country and carry off persons who were enjoying asylum here. The Canadian Government demanded the release of Dr. Bratton and his prompt return, and he came back to London as a result of this action. He resided here for some time afterwards, and finally went back to his old home. The man who gave the principal aid to the abductors was tried for his share in the crime at the London assizes and sent to the penitentiary for a term of years.

The Port Lambton kidnapping case promises to prove as famous in some respects as that in this city. There was less warrant for it probably than in the case of Dr. Bratton, for the young man Meagher was well known to the officer, and if he had a legitimate charge against him he had no occasion to invade Canadian soil to make the arrest or to treat the accused in the inhuman manner alleged.

Our Water Supply.

It is very satisfactory to note that during the summer now closing there has been no threatened shortage in the city water supply. This is an immunity which we have not always enjoyed in the past. During July and August this year the reservoir has been kept well filled, with an average depth of 13 feet. The Colville springs, yielding 400,000 gallons per day, and the Griffith springs, 225,000 gallons per day, formed a permanent addition to the whole of this season's supply, and since July 15 about 200,000 gallons daily have been obtained from the north side. These were important factors in carrying the city through an extremely dry summer. The restriction of the lawn services also aided.

The outlook of the department is more reassuring than it has been for some years. There is not only a sufficiency of water for present needs, but by next season the Sherry springs on the north bank will have been added. The property has not yet been developed, but is likely to prove a considerable source. The value of the Redmond pond has not yet been ascertained, but its possibilities are great. The indications are that the existing supply at Springbank will be adequate for years to come. Should the growth of the city or exceptional drouth or other circumstances make a water famine imminent, the contingency will be successfully met. The commissioners have resources in reserve. One is the meter system. Its general application would impose a great check on wasteful consumption, although with water as plentiful as it is now, the present limited use of the meter is sufficient. The River Thames, purged of sewage, will also be available for street watering, lawn services and factories, should occasion require it. But that day is evidently far off.

Stamp Rowdyism Out at the Start.

A correspondent calls attention to incipient loaferism and rowdyism that he thinks needs to be put down, especially, he says, in the neighborhood of some of the bridges. He thinks there should be additional policemen, so that every part of the city and suburbs may be made as safe as the police station itself. He points out that the city is increasing rapidly in population, and claims it is cheaper to nip incipient rowdyism in the bud, rather than wait to check it after it has fully developed. The Advertiser agrees entirely with the correspondent. It goes further, and thinks that in some cases it would be better for policemen to go together, two by two, or within concerted distances. The normal population of London is the most orderly in Canada; but it must be remembered more trains go in and out of this city than in and out of any other center in the Dominion, which makes it all the more necessary to keep an eye on tramps, and any local gentry of kindred tastes. Let the commissioners deal with the matter strongly, and they will be backed by public opinion.

The Spanish express a desire to remove the bones of Columbus from Havana to Spain. The Spanish allowed Columbus to die in misery and poverty. If his spirit could be consulted it would elect to have his mortal remains stay where they are.

Things are rather disturbed in Candia, but all right in Canada.

Dreyfus will be liberated from Devil's Island, but what about Henry?

In some respects British Columbia is the premier province. It has had 13 premiers since 1871.

Will Hon. Joseph Chamberlain visit Canada on this trip, as well as the United States? If not, why not?

Cecil Rhodes did not fare as well as Kitchener in his battle, but the two giants will yet clasp hands in equatorial Africa.

If France is the only dissenter to a general disarmament, the other nations should compel her to submit. It would be a blessing worth fighting for.

It is said the railway rate war will close on the 25th of September. One lesson: Come to London, for the Western Fair, while the low rates are still on.

Premier Hardy has been off up in the Georgian Bay, bass-fishing. It is one thing to go fishing, and quite another to catch anything. The Ontario chieftain did both.

An American exchange says John Bull is a wicked old flirt, because after making love to the United States all summer he turns around and forms an alliance with Germany!

Sir James Grant, just back from England, confirms the view that the capitalists of Great Britain are beginning to recognize the value of Canada as a field for investment.

While the English coal strike has greatly reduced the quantity of coal exported from England, it has operated also to increase the price, so that, in the seven months ending with July, while the shipments fell off 1,431,000 tons, as compared with the corresponding period of 1897, the decrease in value was only $45,000.

The Saginaw Courier, referring to the Hardy Government's timber policy, says: "No court of law in the whole world will sustain Ontario in this knock-down and drag-out policy, and they know it." The Courier should understand that the people are the supreme court in this province, and they are with the Government to a man.

At the Manufacturers' dinner in Toronto, Mr. E. E. Sheppard emphasized a good point in connection with South American trade. He urged that the Canadian brand be placed on Canadian exports. At present Canadian articles sent to South America are classified as British. The Dominion should not lose its commercial individuality. We should copy the Germans in this respect at least. "Made in Canada" should be our business shibboleth.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association have been dining Hon. Wm. Paterson, Mr. N. Clarke Wallace, M.P., and Mr. Bertram, M.P. Vice-President Ellis was good enough to say that the present Dominion Government enjoyed the approbation of the Canadian manufacturers. The latter find the Government is not hostile to any legitimate interest. They are doing so well under the new tariff that the old cry against the Liberal party can not be consistently raised again.

V. L. Emerson, a Baltimore scientist, has been experimenting at Ottawa, and has discovered a process by which the sawdust and refuse of the lumber mills may be made worth $30 a ton. About 500 tons of this refuse have been annually dumped into the river by Ottaway mills as worse than useless. The discovery will prove of great commercial value to the lumbering interests if the process is generally adopted, though it is hinted that the capitalists behind the inventor will keep the secret for their own profit.

The publishers of the Self Culture Magazine (Akron, Ohio), announce that, beginning with the September issue, the price of subscription has been reduced to $1 per year. Notwithstanding this, the size and scope of the magazine will be greatly increased. Self Culture is an ideal periodical for the best homes. It has a comprehensive range, treating current topics, literature, sociology and other sciences, art, music, business and all kindred subjects, in an attractive and thorough manner. It is one of the best stimulants to self-culture, and earns its title as "a magazine of knowledge."

In an interview, Mr. C. B. Powell, the Conservative member of the Legislature for Ottawa, denounces the erection of the Normal School in London. "We are already turning out too many teachers on a long-suffering and highly-educated public," says this apostle of primitive ignorance. Mr. Powell is to be excused to some extent, however. He knows that a Normal School in London will deprive the Ottawa school of many of its brightest attendants. The youth of Western Ontario should not be required to journey to the eastern limits of the province for a Normal training.

The Methodist Conference very properly protests against the order of precedence in state functions in Canada. The order was drawn by the Colonial Office and places the Governor-General first, the military and naval commanders second, the Lieutenant-Governors third, the archbishops and bishops of the Anglican and Roman Catholic Churches fourth, and the Premier of Canada and his Cabinet after all these. The dignitaries of Non-Conformist churches have no recognition at all. Canada has no state church, and no religious bodies should be singled out for state preference. It is also very absurd that the Premier should rank below the military functionaries—a medieval idea opposed to the genius of our institutions. As long as we have these social flummeries, however, there must be some rule and regulation to prevent friction, but the present system is invidious and un-Canadian.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Wonders Never Cease.

[Boston Journal.]

Czar Nicholas calls for peace. Emperor William calls for three cheers for Queen Victoria. Next? The cable has its ears to the ground and patiently waits.

What Does This Mean?

[Brockville Recorder.]

The Advertiser declares that London is the finest city in the Dominion. Yes, that's where Col. Leys, Charlie Hyman and George Muldoon Reid congregate. Verily, London is a great place, but as for beauty—well, the city may be handsome.

Victory for Civilization.

[Brooklyn, N. Y., Times.]

It was a splendid victory for civilization, and it probably means the deathblow to organized savagery in Southern Africa. The children of Ishmael have maintained their warlike and lawless traditions since centuries before the dawn of modern history, but they are brought face to face with the irresistible forces of civilization at last.

The Billeting Nuisance.

[Kingston Whig.]

The Methodist Church is one of the strong organizations, and it is to be commended for making a start in the right direction. It is to be hoped that it will devise some scheme by which an end will be put to the billeting system and all that it implies. It is enough that one should be worried with the work of the hour, without feeling that he is imposing upon others, and very much against his desires.

Words of Praise.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

The heroes of El Caney and San Juan will send a greeting cry across the seas to the heroes at Khartoum.

The Queen will do well to lay in a stock of fresh Victoria crosses for those Egyptian heroes.

Kitchener isn't a particularly heroic name, but this one seems to have cooked the Dervish goose in true heroic style.

If the square holds intact the enemy will be beaten off, but woe to its defenders if the Mahdists break things. But the square held good at Khartoum, and the Dervish power is probably forever broken.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

His Last Resort.

Giles — It seems dreadfully extravagant to go to such an expensie tailor.

De Jinks—What could I do? He was the only one who would trust me. — Chicago Post.

A Fisherman in Town.

I jes' sit here a-dreamin'—
A-dreamin' every day,
Of the sunshine that's a-gleamin'
On the rivers—fur away.

An' I kinder fell to wishin'
I was where the waters swish;
Fer if the Lord made fishin'
Why—A feller ought to fish!

While I'm studyin' or a-writin'
In the dusty, rusty town,
I kin feel the fish a-bitin'—
See the cork a-goin' down!

An' the sunshine seems a-tanglin'
Of the shadows cool an' sweet;
With the honeysuckles danglin',
An' the lilies at my feet.

So I nod, an' fall to wishin'
I was where the waters swish;
Fer if the Lord made fishin',
Why—a fellow orter fish!

—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

Where the Paint Went.

"Your husband painted the house this spring himself, didn't he?"

"Well, yes, I suppose he got some of the paint on the house, but you wouldn't think so if you could see his clothes."—Buffalo News.

Della's Chafing Dish.

When Della brings her chafing dish
To make an oyster stew,
It bubbles once—a hasty stir,
And, lo, the task is through.
My share I eat with relish, and
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—Springfield Republican.

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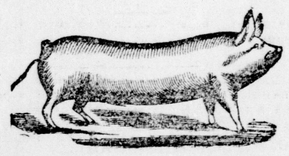
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THE MARKETS.

Local Market.

London, Thursday, Sept. 8.

Wheat, white fall, per bu....66c to 67½c
Wheat, red fall, per bu ....66c to 67½c
Wheat, spring, per bu ....66c to 67½c
Oats, per bu.....25½c to 27¼
Peas, per bu.....48c to 51c
Barley, per bu .....41c to 42c

Wheat sold at $1 10 to $1 12 today; supply good and demand steady. Oats brough 75c to 85c, mostly 77c to 80; supply and demand quiet. Other kinds of grain unchanged. Demand for butter and eggs steady; prices better for both. Vegetables of all kinds reported in better demand and prices a little better. The supply of fruit was good; all offerings sold. Late Crawford peaches were the only new arrivals. Some real nice lots of these sold at $1; other lots sold down as low as 30c for small baskets. No other changes. Meat market firm and unchanged. Hay sold slowly at $6 to $7. Quotations:

GRAIN			
Wheat, new	1 10	@	1 15
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 12
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 12
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 12
Oats, per 100 lbs	75	@	80
Peas, per 100 lbs	80	@	85
Corn, per 100 lbs	80	@	85
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	@	90
Rye, per 100 lbs		@	
Beans, per bu	50	@	60
PROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb	9	@	12
Honey, extracted	7	@	10
Cheese, per lb, wholesale	8	@	10
Eggs, single dozen	14	@	15
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	13	@	13
Eggs, per dozen, basket, p'kd.	10	@	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	12	@	12
Butter, per lb, retail	18	@	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	17	@	18
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	16	@	17
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	@	11
Lard, per lb	9	@	10
Chickens, per pair	40	@	60
Ducks, per pair	50	@	80
Turkeys, per lb	10	@	12
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair	3 00	@	5 50
Cows, each	20 00	@	40 00
Beef, per lb	2½	@	4
Pigs, young, per pair	3 00	@	5 50
Hogs, per 100 lbs	4 25	@	4 50
Sows, per 100	3 50	@	3 50
Ducks, per pair	60	@	80
Chickens, per pair	25	@	40
Hens, per pair	40	@	50
HAY AND SEEDS.			
Hay, per ton	6 00	@	7 00
Straw, per load	2 50	@	2 50
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Pumpkins, per doz	50	@	75
Peaches, per basket	20	@	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	80	@	90
Apples, per bag	20	@	50
Plums, per basket	20	@	60
Pears, per bu	40	@	1 00
Corn, per doz	7	@	10
Beets, per dozen bunches	20	@	20
Beans, per quart	2	@	4
Onions, per bu	60	@	90
Celery, per doz bunches	30	@	50
Cucumbers, per doz	5	@	10
Grapes, basket	20	@	40
Grapes, per lb	1½	@	2½
Melons, musk, per doz	60	@	1 00
Squashes, per doz	30	@	50
Radishes, per dozen bunches	20	@	20
Tomatoes, per bu	40	@	50
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	4½	@	5
Mutton, quarters, per lb	5	@	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	4½	@	5½
Lamb, quarter	8	@	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light	5 00	@	6 25
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy	5 50	@	5 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb	8	@	8
Hides, No. 2, per lb	7	@	7
Hides, No. 3, per lb	6	@	6
Calfskins, green	8	@	8
Wool, washed, per lb	16	@	17
Wool, unwashed, per lb	9	@	11
Lambskins	45	@	45
Pelts	25	@	25

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American Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Sept., 61⅞c; Dec., 60¼c to 60⅜c; May, 62½c. Corn—Sept., 30c; Dec., 30½c; May, 29⅜c. Oats—Sept., 19¾c to 19¼c; Dec., 19¾c; May, 21½c. Mess pork—Sept., $8 30; Oct., $8 30; Dec., $8 40; Jan., $9 20. Lard—Sept., $4 80; Oct., $4 82½; Dec., $4 87½; Jan., $4 95. Short ribs—Sept., $5 15; Oct., $5 15; Jan., $4 72½. Cash quotations: Flour, dull. No. 2 spring wheat, 61c; No. 3 spring, wheat, 58c to 62c; No. 2 red, 64c to 65c. No. 2 corn, 30⅜c to 30¾c; No. 2 yellow corn, 31c to 31⅛c. No. 2 oats, 20½c; No. 2 white, 23½c to 24½c. No. 3 white, 22c to 23c. No. 2 rye, 43c to 43½c. No. 2 barley, 58c to 43c. No. 1 flaxseed, 87c; Northwest, 88½c to 89c. Prime timothy seed, $2 45. Mess pork, $8 40 to $8 45. Lard, $4 72½ to $4 82½. Ribs, $5 to $5 25. Shoulders, 4½c to 4¾c. Sides, $5 50 to $5 60. Sugars, unchanged. Eggs, firm; fresh, 12c to 12½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 13,200 barrels; wheat, 295,300 bushels; corn, 698,000 bushels; oats, 744,000 bushels; rye, 31,300 bushels; barley, 114,900 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 3,400 barrels; wheat, 92,600 bushels; corn, 113,300 bushels; oats, 501,400 bushels; barley, 16,200 bushels.

English Markets.

Ruling prices for the past four market days—The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given.

	Sept. 3.	Sept. 5.	Sept. 6.	Sept. 7.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	5 6	5 5½	5 5½	5 5½
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 9	6 9	6 9	6 8½
No. 1 Cal	6 3	6 3	6 3	6 3
July	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Sept	5 5½	5 5¼	5 5¼	5 4¾
Dec	5 2¾	5 2¾	5 2¾	5 0¾
CORN—				
New	3 1¾	3 1	3 1	3 1
Sept	3 1	3 1¼	3 1¼	3 1
Oct	3 1¾	3 1⅝	3 2	3 1⅝
Dec	3 3	3 2⅞	3 3¼	3 3
Flour	21 0	21 0	20 9	20 9
Peas	5 0½	5 1	5 1	5 1
Pork	50 0	50 0	50 0	50 0
Lard	26 3	25 9	25 9	25 0
Tallow	19 6	19 6	19 6	19 6
Bacon, light	29 6	29 6	29 6	29 6
Cheese, white	37 6	37 6	37 6	37 6
Cheese, colored	38 6	38 6	38 6	38 6

Liverpool, Sept. 8.—12:30 p.m.

Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 2d to 6s 2d; No. 1 red nor. spring, 6s 9d; No. 2 red western winter, easy, 5s 6d.

Corn—Spot, steady; American mixed, new; 3s ¾d; do. old, nominal; Sept., quiet, 3s 3½d Oct., quiet 3s 3d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s ½d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 63s 9d; prime mess, 62s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 59s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm, 27s 9d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 28s 6d short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 29s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 30s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 32s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 28s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s.

Lard—Prime western, 27s.

Butter—Finest United States, 84s; and good, nominal.

Cheese—American, finest white, 38s; colored, 38s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—22s.

Rosin—Common, 4s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined, 6⅞d.

Linseed oil—17s.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, steady; 15s 3d.

Liverpool, Sept. 8—Closing.

Wheat—Spot No. 1 red northern spring, dull, 6s 8½d; No. 2 red western winter, steady, 5s 5¾d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10½d to 7s 11½d; No. 1 cash, firm, 5s 2½d.

Corn—Spot American mixed new, steady, 3s 0d; Sept., quiet, 3s ⅞d; Oct., quiet, 3s 1¼d; Dec., quiet, 3s 2⅞d; Nov., quiet, 3s 3½d; Aug., nominal.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 80s 3d.

Peas—Canadian, 4s 11d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, dull, 51s 3d; do, medium, western, dull, 47s 6d.

Beef—Prime mess, dull, 57s 6d; extra India mess, dull, 63s 9d do. medium, western, steady, 51s 3d.

Hams—Short cut, steady, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm, 28 to 30, lbs., 32s; short ribs, steady, 20 to 24 lbs, 32s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 30s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 29s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 14 to 16 lbs, 35s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 29s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 24s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, dull, 25s.

Butter—Finest American, 84s; good, 60s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 5s 2d.

Cheese—American finest white, dull, 37s 6d; colored, dull, 38s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 19s.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, dull, 15s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Steady, 22s.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, £2 to £4.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—Oil opened $1

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.—Oil closed at $1.

PETROLIA, Sept. 8.—Oil opened and closed at $1 40.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Sept. 7.—Wheat, old, per bu, 65c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, 26c to 35c; peas, 55c to 60c; barley, 35c to 55c; corn, 40c; beans, 60c to 80c; clover seed, $2 50 to $2 75.

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Live Stock Markets

MONTREAL, Sept. 5. — There has been nothing special to note in local live stock export circles during the past few days outside of the fact that the Glasgow freight for this month has changed hands, and is therefore 5s per head less at 45s. Still it is 10s to 15s per head higher than the present rates to other ports. The weakness noted in the market for Liverpool rates a week ago continues. Rates: Liverpool, 27s 6d to 30s; London, 25s; Bristol, 30s, and Manchester, 33s. Locally the markets were fairly active and firm. The offerings of live stock at the east end abattoir this morning were 600 cattle, 200 sheep, 400 lambs and 25 calves. The supply of fair to choice stock was not in excess of requirements, and the undertone to the market was firm, and prices were maintained. Choice beeves brought 4½c to 4¾c; good, 4c to 4¼c; fair, 3¼c to 3¾c; and common, 2½c to 3c per lb, live weight. The market for good to choice export sheep was firmer, and buyers took all of such stock at 3¼c to 3½c per lb, live weight. The demand for lambs was good, and prices rule steady at 4c to 4½c per lb, live weight. Calves were scarce; and in demand at prices ranging from $3 to $10 each, as to size and quality. The supply of live hogs was large, and prices were easier at 4¾c to 5c per lb, live weight.

EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 7.—There were only a couple of small bunches of sale cattle, but the inquiry was moderate and the market was nominally unchanged; calves were in fair supply, mostly heavy; moderate demand, and sold at about the same as yesterday: choice to extra were quotable at $7 to $7 25; good to choice, $6 50 to $7; heavy fed, $3 25 to $4 25. Sheep and lambs—The market was in improved condition for the opening grades, and stronger and a shade higher, considering the quality; top grade was better; the basis of pretty good lamb prices was $5 75, but there were bunch sales at $6; the demand for the extra sheep and lambs was quite active; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at $5 75 to $6; good to choice, $5 50 to $5 75; common to fair, $4 75 to $5 50; sheep, choice to extra, $4 50 to $4 75; good to choice, $4 25 to $4 50; common to fair, $3 to $3 50; Canada lambs were in fair supply, 3 loads; good demand, and sold a quarter higher; they were quotable at $5 50 to $5 75. Hogs—The market opened with a good demand; Yorkers quoted at $4 05 to $4 15; medium, $4 to $4 07½; pigs, $3 70 to $3 80; roughs, $3 50 to $3 60; stags, $2 50 to $3; grassers were quotable at $3 90 to $4 05; after the demand was satisfied the market eased up, and prices were lower, except for very choice corn hogs.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—The supply of cattle was so heavy that it depressed the general trade, and caused a break of 10c in values; choice steers, $5 20 to $5 70; medium, $4 60 to $4 80; beef steers, $3 75 to $4 50; stockers and feeders, $3 to $4 65; bulls, $2 25 to $4 25; cows and heifers, $3 50 to $4 25; calves, $4 50 to $7 50; western rangers, $2 85 to $4 40; fed western steers, $4 50 to $5 10; Texans, $3 25 to $4. The run of hogs proved burdensome, and the bulk of the sales were close to 10c lower; fair to choice, $3 85 to $3 92½; packing lots, $3 60 to $3 75; butchers, $3 80 to $3 90; mixed, $3 65 to $3 87½; light, $3 55 to $3 87½; pigs, $2 75 to $3 60. There was a good demand for sheep, and best lots sold fully 10c higher; natives and western muttons, $4 20 to $4 50; ewes, $3 65 to $4 10; prime lambs, $5 85 to $5 95; mixed lots, $3 75 to $4 60. Receipts—Cattle, 18,500; hogs, 29,000; sheep, 15,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Beeves—Receipts, 1,841; 25 cars on sale; steers, firm; good to choice, 10c higher; rough stuff firm to 15c higher; one car unsold; native steers, $4 85 to $5 50; western, $4 85; oxen and stags, $3 to $4 75; cables low; live cattle, 10½c to 11½c dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8¼c per lb. Exports, 570 cattle and 1,600 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 650 cattle and 2,240 quarters. Calves—Receipts, 2,014; active, and 15c to 25c higher; veals, $5 to $8; bobs, $4 to $4 50; grassers and buttermilks, $3 75 to $4 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,926; 32½ cars on sale; sheep dull; lambs more active and 10c to 15c higher; three cars unsold; sheep, $2 75 to $4 50; lambs, $4 35 to $6 25; culls, $3 to $4. Hogs—Receipts, 8,378; eight cars on sale; market slow and weak, at $4 10 to $4 40; general sales, $4 25 to $4 30.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Sept. 5.—There was an easier undertone to the market for American cattle owing to increased supplies, and prices for such were ¼c lower, while values for Canadian stock were steady. Choice States cattle sold at 11½c; choice Canadians at 10¾; ranchers at 8½c to 9¾c, and Argentine, at 10c. Canadian sheep were unchanged at 11c, but Argentine were lower at 10½c.

Liverpool, Sept. 5.—A private cable received reported the market steady. Choice Canadians sold at 10c to 10½c and sheep at 11c.

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Dairy Markets.

MONTREAL, Sept. 7.—Cheese, 7c to 8c. Butter—Townships, 16c to 17c; westerns, 12c to 14c.

PETERBORO, Sept. 7.—At the cheese sales held here today 4,500 colored cheese were offered, being the last half of August make. In round numbers Hodgson took 1,200 boxes, Whitton 1,000 boxes, and Rollins 1,400 boxes, all at 8 1-16c; Cook, 120 at 8⅛c and 177 at 8 1-16c, and Jones 180 boxes at 8 1-8c, three factories remaining unsold at the close of the board.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Butter steady; creameries, 13c to 18c; dairies, 11½c to 15c.

PICTON, Ont., Sept. 7.—At our cheese board today 14 factories boarded 840 boxes August make; all colored; highest bid, 8 3-16c; 325 sold.

STERLING, Ont., Sept. 7.—Cheese boarded, 1,280 boxes white, all August make; sales, McCargan & Co., 280 at 8 1-16c, and 200 at 8c; Watkins, 465 at 8c; Bird, 210 at 8c; balance unsold.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Butter steady; western creamery, 14½c to 18½c; do factory, 11½c to 14c; imitation creamery, 13c to 16c; state dairy, 13c to 17; do creamery, 14½c to 18½c. Cheese weak; large white, 7¼c to 7⅜c; small white, 7½c; large colored, 7¼c to 7⅜c; small colored, 7½c; part skims, 5½c to 6c; light skims, 6c to 6½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c.

TWEED, Ont., Sept. 7.—Cheese boarded, 855 white. Barley bought 330 at 8c; Brinteli bought 525 at 8c; July and August cheese.

NUMEROUS CASUALTIES

James Chambers, of Peel, Falls Into the Cylinder of a Thresher.

Two Men Killed in New York While Working on a New Pier.

Father and Child Drowned at Point Edward—Wallaceburg Man Drowned in St. Clair River—Struck by a Trolley.

MANGLED IN A THRESHER.

Guelph, Sept. 8.—A terrible threshing machine accident occurred on Tuesday at the farm of Mr. George Cockman, second concession of Peel, resulting in the death of Mr. James Chambers. The deceased was going into the mow on the band-cutter's platform, when he struck his head on the beam, which caused him to stagger and fall back into the cylinder feet first. He was terribly mangled, and death resulted immediately.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

A Tavistock correspondent writes that a fatal accident occurred at the brickyard of Mr. F. W. Entricken, on the 16th line of East Zorra, by which a young man named Aikens, aged about 19 years, lost his life. It appears that, together with a comrade, he was working at the brickyard, when the boiler exploded, killing him almost instantly. The other young man escaped injury.

CRUSHED HIS LEG.

Thedford, Ont., Sept. 8.—While a large gang of Grand Trunk workmen were loading rails on flat cars near this station, a rail slipped and fell on Edward Smith, section foreman at Blackwell, and formerly of this place, crushing his leg very badly between the ankle and knee. Smith was removed to Sarnia hospital on the evening train.

STRUCK BY A TROLLEY CAR.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—Miss Elizabeth Cuyler, 80 years old, was crossing King street in front of her residence yesterday afternoon, when she was run down by a belt line car. Her left shoulder-blade was dislocated, left arm and left leg fractured, and she sustained various other injuries. She will probably die.

TWO KILLED.

New York, Sept. 8.—A gust of wind that preceded a thunderstorm yesterday, blew down the heavy iron superstructure of a new pier at the foot of West Twelfth street, killing Samuel Patterson and James Leonard, and injuring ten others. There were 90 men at work on the superstructure when the pier fell in on them.

THREE MEN KILLED.

Tonawanda, Pa., Sept. 8.—A storm of almost terrific proportions passed over this section of the state during Wednesday night, doing great damage. Three men are reported to have been killed.

DROWNED.

Sarnia, Sept. 8.—By a collision on the St. Clair River, Tuesday, opposite the Sarnia ferry landing, Joseph Martin, of Wallaceburg, age 30, was drowned. He leaves a wife and family.

TWO ACCIDENTS.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—Wm. Stewart, of Petrolia, was riding on Spadina avenue, leaning out, and his head struck a trolley post, knocking him senseless. The car was going slowly, and that was the only thing that saved Stewart's life.

Wm. Brown, of Jarvis, Ont., while coming to Toronto, fell off the train near Hamilton. Brown was picked up with a torn head and sundry bruises.

FATHER AND CHILD DROWNED.

Point Edward, Ont., Sept. 8.—A sad double drowning accident occurred here yesterday about 4 p.m. The bodies of Mr. Wm. Fraser and his 2-year-old child were found floating in the river just below the Grand Trunk freight shed, and picked up by the crew of the schooner Wawanosh, which was lying at the dock. Mr. Fraser and the child were in the freight shed only a few minutes before the bodies were found, and they could not have been in the water long. All possible efforts were made to bring them around, but without success.

Kidney Bladder Trouble.

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The steamer Oceanic, from Sunderland, bound for Hampton roads, Va., has been towed into Halifax harbor, her machinery having collapsed.

BECK-OTTAWAY

Fashionable Wedding at Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton.

Mr. Adam Beck, of London, and Miss Lilian Ottaway, of Hamilton,

United Amid Elaborate Ceremonies—The Ladies' Gowns—Handsome Array of Presents—A Trip to the Continent.

Hamilton, Sept. 8.—The marriage of Adam Beck, of London, to Miss Lilian Ottaway, stepdaughter of P. D. Crerar, was celebrated in Christ Church Cathedral yesterday afternoon by Rev. Thomas H. Geoghegan and Rev. Canon Bland, rector of the cathedral. The church was beautifully decorated with white lilies and palms. As the hour for the marriage drew near the invited guests began to assemble and were escorted to their seats, their places being indicated by clusters of white asters tied to each pew. Fred Martin, J. L. Counsell, A. Glassco and T. H. Crerar acting as ushers.

At 3 o'clock there was a hush of expectancy, and soon through the wide open doors, and up the isles to the strains of the organ came the lovely bride-elect, leaning on the arm of her step-father, P. D. Crerar. The bride wore an exquisite imported gown made by Madame Flavie, England, of ivory white duchess satin, trimmed with rich old Brussels lace—the same lace was worn by the bride's mother on her own wedding gown. This lace, in full length on one side of the skirt, was caught up on the opposite side by a true lover's knot of orange blossoms, while a similar knot was very artistically arranged on the front of the dress. The waist, of ivory satin, with orange blossoms outlining the gimp, which was vested in white chiffon, terminated on the shoulder with a true lover's knot of the same, and the dress sleeves were of white shirred chiffon. The satin court train, brocaded with lilies of the valley, and was four yards long and lined with white silk, and, like the dress, had a narrow ruching of white shirred chiffon around it, and was fashioned to the shoulder and waist mantilla fashion, spreading out in most graceful folds. The bride's hair was worn high, with coronet of orange blossoms, over which fell the bridal veil, completely enveloping the bride and falling to the edge of her court train. The petticoat worn was of white corded silk, trimmed with valenciennes lace and innumerable rows and knots of baby ribbon. The ornaments were pearls and diamonds, the former being heirlooms in the family. The bride carried a lovely bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley, tied with broad ivory satin ribbon in long streamers.

The five bridesmaids, next in procession were: Miss Carrie Crerar, Miss Marion Counsell, Miss Amy Martin, in lovely shades of art green silk dresses, with ruching and gimp of white chiffon over white satin, collars embroidered in art green. They wore handsome picture hats of white velvet, with white chiffon and ostrich plumes, while the two little maids, Miss Marjorie Stinson and Miss Violet Crerar, sister of the bride, wore charming white silk frocks, trimmed with white chiffon ruching, which also veiled their white satin gimps. Instead of hats, white veils fell over their long, flowing hair with pretty effect, and all wore long sashes of white chiffon. Instead of the usual bouquets the bridesmaids carried long sheaves of Bermuda lilies, tied with white satin ribbon. The intention to carry out the idea of a lily wedding, suggested by the bride's name and in honor of this "queen lily and rose in one," was charmingly original and most successful.

The dresses worn by the wedding guests were particularly rich and handsome. Mrs. Crerar, the bride's mother, wore a most exquisite dress, which became her exceedingly, of amethyst moire, velour trimmed, with duchesse point and rich passementerie of gold and amethyst, toque to match, with white satin crown and plumes. She was attended by her two eldest sons, in full Highland costume.

Mrs. McGiverin, grandmother of the bride, was in rich black satin, with vest of mauve chiffon, trimmed with applique of rich white lace, and bonnet to match. Mrs. J. F. Beck, sister of the groom, looked very charming in a gown of imported make. Mrs. John Crerar wore a deep heliotrope poplin, with silk velvet and Brussels point, bonnet to match and trimmed with roses and violets; diamond ornaments. Mrs. Charlton wore black brocade silk, with French embroidered chiffon, in delicate Persian shades, enriched with jeweled passementerie, bonnet to match, diamond ornaments and flowers. Mrs. Edward Martin, black silk grenadine, trimmed with white, bonnet, with black ostrich plumes and large bouquet of white roses. Mrs. Bland, pretty lavender silk, veiled with black lace, bonnet to match.

At the chancel steps, where the groom and the groom's man, Mr. Kilgour, awaited the bridal party, they were met by Rev. Canon Bland and Rev. Thomas Geoghegan, and the impressive ceremony began, Rev. T. Geoghegan taking the marriage, and the rector the benedictory service at the altar. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played as the newly-married couple left the church, and with the invited guests returned to The Lodge, where a reception was held.

The bridal presents were laid out in the dining-room—a bewildering mass of handsome silver, cut glass and bric-a-brac of every description, all showing the affection felt by the givers for the charming bride. Many presents await her in the home land. Among the number were a handsome silver-mounted dressing bag, with monogram, from the groom, and to the bridesmaids, handsome pearl and amethyst pins. A solid silver salver, with crest, from the bride's father and mother; from the little brothers of the bride, a china tea set, hand-painted, with lilies of the valley; Sir John Bridge, England (uncle of the bride), check for £50; Lady Bridge, jewelry; Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Dickie, of Germany, handsome grandfather's clock, Chippendale case in mahogany; Mr. Beck, sen., framed set Italian water-color scenes; Mrs. Claire, onyx and gold clock; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Beck, handsome placque; Adam and Mrs. Warnock, silver sugar bowl and creamer; Mrs. McDonough, London, silver salts; E. F. and J. H. Seagram, cut glass and silver-mounted centerpiece; Dr. and Mrs. White, cut glass dish and silver soup tureen; Mrs. McGiverin, tea set, Colport china; W. and Mrs. Hendrie, C. M. and Mrs. Counsell, cut glass; P. M. and Mrs. Bankier, silver dish, with monogram; E. and Mrs. Martin, silver salad dish; Dr. Osborne, cut glass salad bowl, fork and spoon, jardiniere and pedestal; John and Mrs. Crerar, A., and Mrs. Crerar, English vase, lovely limoges rose bowl; B. and Mrs. Cox, Japanese jardiniere. The London Hunt Club presented Mr. Beck with a silver punch bowl.

Tables were set on the marquee for eighty guests. The table decorations were most effective in white and green. A good orchestra was present and played at intervals during the afternoon. After the customary toasts the bride and groom departed for an extended tour on the continent, leaving on the Etruria from New York on Saturday. The bride's going away gown was of handsome royal blue broad cloth, trimmed with silver and black braid, jacket of same and white broad cloth vest. The hat, a most becoming one of royal blue velvet, white silk beaver crown, embroidered in silver, blue ostrich plumes. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Beck will take up their residence at London, Ont.

Among the London guests were the Misses Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. McDonough and A. B. Cox.

LONDONER AT FORT M'PHERSON

Charlie Welford in the U. S. Army Hospital—Laid Up With Typhoid Fever.

Ex-Ald. Jesse Welford, of Glebe street, has received word from Chicago that his son, Chas. J., a member of the Twentieth U. S. Infantry, is in the hospital at Fort McPherson, Georgia, a victim of typhoid fever.

Charlie Welford went to Chicago about three years ago, and when the war broke out, enlisted in the Twentieth. His regiment was not ordered to Cuba, but remained in readiness at Fort McPherson. He wrote home frequently until about three weeks ago, when his last letter came, and since then no word was heard of him by his parents until that which came indirectly yesterday from Chicago.

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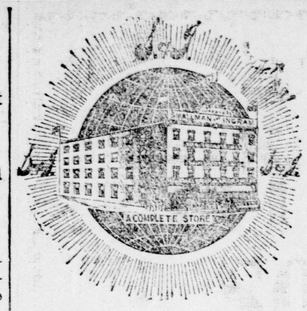
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Did you see the Fly? Yes. 34tf

Latest Weather Forecast

Toronto, Sept. 8—11 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes for the next 24 hours: Fresh westerly winds; fine and cool. Friday, fine and cooler.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Following are today's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial Exchange.

	Asked.	Bid.
Hammond Reef	19	15½
Hiawatha	30	..
Mississaga	10	..
Sawbill	52	70
Cariboo	75	..
Minnehaha	16	..
Tin Horn	16	..
Smuggler	16	14¾
Winchester	20	15
Golden Cache	52	45
Athabasca	32	30
Argo	45	..
Fern Gold M. & M. Co	75	..
Nelson-Poorman	40	30
Noble Five	18	16
Glocan-Cariboo	10	..
Van Anda	5	3¾
Big Three	10¾	9
Commander	12½	9
Deer Park	20½	19
Evening Star	6	..
Giant	8	..
Good Hope	3½	..
Grand Prize	3½	2
Iron Colt	10	8
Iron Mask	90	..
Juliet	11	..
Lily May	20	..
Montreal Red Man	23	..
Monte Cristo	30	27¾
Northern Belle	3½	..
Novelty	5	3
Poorman		15
Silver Bell	1½	1
St. Elmo		4
Virginia	35	..
Victory Triumph	10	7¾
War Eagle Con	292	288
White Bear	7	6¼
B. C. Gold Fields	8	..
Can. G. F. S.	9	6¾
Gold Hills	106	..

Sales—Smuggler, 1,000 at 14½, 500 at 14¾; 1,000 at 14¾, 100 at 13½; Minnehaha, 1,000, 3,000 at 16; Athabasca, 100 at 30, 1,000 at 30½; Monte Cristo, 500, 500 at 28; Grand Prize, 500 at 2½; Silver Bell, 500, 500 at 1½; Can. G. F. S., 250 at 8½; White Bear, 600, 500, 500 at 7; Van Anda, 5,000 at 3½; Silver Bell, 500, 3,000, 5,000, 750 at 1½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Sept. 8.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	212½	209
Ontario	..	241
Toronto	..	178
Merchants	185	181½
Commerce	142½	141¾
Imperial	..	205
Dominion	255	253½
Standard	..	180
Hamilton	..	190
British America	128	126½
Western Assurance	167½	166½
Consumers' Gas	..	202
Montreal Gas	196	194
Dominion Telegraph	..	122
Northwest Land Company, pref.	56½	54¾
Canada Pacific Railway Stock, xd	88¾	88
Commercial Cable Company	185	184½
Commercial Cable Bonds	105½	104
Com. Registered Bonds	105	104½
Bell Telephone Company	175	171½
Bell Telephone, rights	..	..
Richelieu and Ontario	104	103¾
Montreal Street Railway	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	105½	143½
London Street Railway	179	178½
London Electric	114	113
G. T. R., Gtd	..	..
G. T. R., Pref	292	291½
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	75
Huron and Erie L. and S	..	167
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	157
London and Canada L. and A	70	..
London Loan	..	106½
London and Ontario	70	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	121

SALES—Can. Pac., 25 at 88, 25 at 90; G. T. R. pref., 200 at 291—1 p.m. Dominion, 20 at 254; Western Assurance, 20 at 167. Con. Gas, 5 at 223; Can. Pac., x-d, 50 at 90, 25, 25, 25 at 88¾; Com. Cable, 50 at 184½; Rich. & Ont., 25, 25 at 104.

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, Sept. 8.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atcheson	13½	..	..	..	..
Atcheson Pfd	36	36	36½	35¾	36
C., B. & Q	116½	116⅞	117⅛	116⅝	116
C. & N. W	135⅜	134	134⅛	133⅝	133½
Bay State Gas	..	..	..	..	..
Chicago Gas	105¾	105⅝	106¾	104¾	104¾
N. Y. Gas	44½	44⅝	45	43⅝	43⅞
Gen. Electric	57⅞	58¾	58⅝	57⅜	57¾
L. & N	96	95⅞	97¾	95¾	96⅛
Man	35½	35⅝	36¾	34¾	34¾
Mo. P	83½	83⅝	84	82⅝	82½
Omaha	34½	34¼	34⅝	32⅞	33¼
Pf M	103⅝	103¾	104¼	103½	103¾
R. I	19	18⅝	19⅜	18⅜	18⅝
N. Y. Central	118¾	118¾	118½	117⅝	117½
St. P	113	112⅞	115	110⅝	110¾
T. C. I	30¾	30¾	30⅜	29⅝	29⅝
Wabash	21⅜	22	22	21¾	21¾
W. U	93⅞	93⅝	94⅛	93⅛	94
Brooklyn Transit	63	63¾	64	62½	63
U. Pacific	66⅛	66⅜	66⅞	65¾	66⅜
Leather Trust	71⅜	71⅜	72	70¾	70⅝
Lead	35¾	35¾	35	35¼	35⅜
Sugar	138¾	139	139⅝	137½	138¾
Tobacco	139½	139½	140¾	138	138⅜
Southern Ry. Pfd	34⅛	34¾	35⅛	34¾	34¾
Jersey Central	..	..	..	..	..
K. & T. Pfd	34¼	34½	34¾	34¼	34⅜
N.P. Pfd	78½	78	78¾	76⅞	77¼

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Sept. 8.—Wheat is dull and easier at 65c to 66c for red and white west; Manitoba wheat is scarce and firm at 90c for No. 1 hard Toronto and west. Flour is quiet, cars of straight roller in barrels west are quoted at $3 10 to $3 15. Millfeed is quiet, cars of shorts are quoted at $12 to $14 50, and bran at $8 50 to $9 west. Barley is steady at 36c to 37c for No. 1 west and 40 east. Rye is steady at 39c to 40c east. Corn steady, at 40c for American here. Oats are firmer at 23c to 23½c asked for new white, and 22½c bid west. Peas, steady, at 50c for north and west. Eggs, fresh gathered, in good demand and firm, at 13c; old, fresh, steady, at 11c to 12½c. Butter, the offerings of choice dairy tub are larger, the demand is fair, and the market is firm at 14c to 15c, and medium is quoted at 11c to 13c; creamery is steady at 20c for prints and 18½c to 19c for tubs and boxes.

Montreal Produce Market

Montreal, Sept. 8. — Grain in store: Grade No. 2 white oats, 28c; peas, 63c; rye, 46c; buckwheat, 38c; barley, 40c; wheat, 66c. Flour—Manitoba bakers', $4 80; spring patents, $4 90; winter patents, $4 40; straight roller, $3 35. Feed: Man. Bran, $11; shorts, $13; Ont. bran, $12; shorts, $14. Provisions: Canada pork, per barrel, $16 to $16 50; ham, 11c to 12c; bacon, 12c to 12½c; lard, pure, 7c to 7½c; compound, 5c to 5¼c. Produce: Eggs, 17c to 17½c; choice new-laid, 12c to 12½c; No. 1 candled, 9c to 10c. Beans slow at 70c for primes, and 80c for choice hand-picked. Honey is quiet; white clover, comb, 7c to 7½c; dark, 5½c to 6½c; white, extra, 6c to 6½c; dark, 4c to 5c.

American Markets

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Flour—Receipts, 15,343 barrels; sales, 3,100 pkgs; state and western had a steady average and moderate trade; Minnesota patents, $4 15 to $4 50; winter straights, $3 40 to $3 60. Rye Flour—Firm, $2 45 to $2 90. Wheat—Receipts, 154,475 bu; sales, 275,000 bu; options opened easy under big spring wheat receipts, but rallied on strong northwestern cash markets; Sept., 66½c to 66⅝c; May, 67c to 67⅜c. Rye—Steady; state, 40c to 46½c; No. 2 western, 45c, c.i.f., Buffalo. Corn—Receipts, 172,375 bu; sales, 95,000 bu; options, after a weak opening rallied with wheat; Sept., 34¾c to 34⅞c; Dec., 37c. Oats—Receipts, 218,400 bu; options were barely steady; track, white state, 25c to 30c; track, white, western, 25c to 36c. Butter—Receipts, 4,786 pkgs; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 9,543 pkgs; dull; large white, 7¼c to 7⅜c; small white, 7½c; large colored, 7¼c to 7⅜c; small colored, 7½c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,674 pkgs; steady. Sugar, raw, strong; refined, strong. Coffee, dull. Hops steady. Lead quiet; bullion price, $3 90; exchange price, $4 to $4 05.

BUFFALO, Sept. 8.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 72c. Winter wheat—No. 1 red, 69c; No. 2 red, 68c; No. 1 white, 67c, on track, asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 34¼c; No. 3 yellow, 34c; No. 3 corn, 33½c; No. 3 corn, 33c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 25c; No. 3 white, 24c; No. 4 white, 23c, on track; No. 2 mixed, 23c; No. 3 mixed, 22c.

DETROIT, Sept. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 61¼c; No. 2 red, cash, 63¼c; Sept., 63c; Dec., 62½c.

TOLEDO, Sept. 8.—Wheat—Sept., 63c; Dec., 62¾c. Corn—Cash, 31c; Sept., 30½c; Dec., 30½c. Oats—Cash, 20c; Sept., 19¾c.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 8. — Wheat (new)—Cash, 63c; Dec., 60¼c.

Chicago Exchange

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.

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

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Sept	62	62⅝	61¾	62½
Dec	60¾	60⅝	60	60¾
May	62½	63	62⅜	63
Corn—Sept	30	30½	29½	29⅝
Dec	30¼	30¾	29⅝	30
May	32¾	32¾	32	32¾
Oats—Sept	19⅝	19½	19⅜	19⅜
Dec	19½	19⅝	19½	19⅝
May	21⅜	21¾	21½	21¾
Pork—Oct	8 40	8 50	8 40	8 50
Dec	8 45	8 60	8 45	8 60
Lard—Oct	4 82	5 02	4 82	5 00
Dec	4 87	5 05	4 87	5 05
Ribs—Oct	5 20	5 30	5 15	5 30

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 23,000; left over from yesterday, 4,321; fairly active; averaging 5c higher; heavy grades weak; light, $3 60 to $4; mixed, $3 55 to $3 97½; heavy, $3 50 to $3 65. Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; steady to stronger; beeves, $4 to $5 70; cows and heifers, $1 75 to $4 60; Texas steers, $3 to $3 90; westerns, $3 40 to $4 45; stockers and feeders, $3 to $4 50. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000.

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LATE SPORTING

Personnel of the Teams Who Play Tomorrow in Tecumseh Park.

BASEBALL.

THE MOBBING OF UMPIRE ENGLAND.

Umpire England arrived in the city this morning from Chatham. He had somewhat of an exciting time of it after yesterday's game. All sorts of things were thrown at him, and one attempt was made to strike him. With the assistance of Carey, Ward and Crowe, the boisterous crowd were kept away. In the evening England remained around the hotel. Twice missiles were thrown at him while standing in front of the hotel. In conversation with him today he stated that the Chatham team did not kick against the decisions, but the small crowd present jeered every call of play he made. He refused to umpire today's game on any account.

FLYS.

The receipts of Wednesday's game at Chatham amounted to $19. London was paid the guarantee of $30 in the evening.

Hamilton has stated, through Manager Collins, that they will play their two games here on Friday and Saturday. These will likely be the last games of the season.

Lute Johnson and his smile left for North Cohocton, N. Y., this morning at 10:25. North Cohocton is Lute's home.

Kelb accompanied the Londons to Chatham yesterday on his way to his home, Cleveland, O.

FRIDAY'S TEAMS.

The following are the teams for Friday's game on Tecumseh Park:

London.		Hamilton.
Foreman	Pitcher	Baker
Lohman	Catcher	Conwell
Laroque	First base	Elton
Mohler	Second base	Dean
Keenan	Third base	Haggerty
Ward	Shortstop	Phillips
Meara	Left field	McKevitt
Carey	Center field	Congalton
Smink	Right field	Friske

DRANK POISON

Infant Daughter of James Westell in a Critical Condition.

The 18-months-old daughter of Mr. James Westell, 597 York street, lies in a very critical condition, the result of an accident that occurred yesterday about noon. The little one was a general favorite with the neighbors, and when toddling around Mrs. John A. Smith, the next-door neighbor, gently lifted her in her arms and carried her into the house. The child was left alone for a minute or two, and in that interval she drank the contents of a bottle of stain, the chief ingredients of which are lye and dragon-blood. The little child's screams attracted the attention of the mother and Mrs. Smith, who found the tell-tale bottle beside the little one on the floor. The usual emetics of mustard, etc., were administered, and Drs. MacLaren and Cline summoned. Dr. MacLaren arrived first and treated the little sufferer. She is now lingering between life and death, and as yet the physicians are unable to say what the consequences will be.

This is the weather for Flies. 24-tf

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Mr. Alf. Grant, city, is visiting Toronto friends.

—Mr. Ed. Barnes, city, is visiting in St. Catharines.

—Miss D. McNaughton, King street east, returned from Toronto today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gillean are visiting Toronto friends for a few days.

—Miss Mabel Dale, Dufferin avenue, has returned from a six weeks' visit to New York.

—Joe Nolan, tobacconist, Masonic Temple, has a genuine Spanish tobacco plant in his window.

—Miss Tillie Earle has returned to Detroit, after spending a pleasant month at her home in this city.

—Mr. J. T. Stevenson, undertaker, city, has returned, after attending the meeting of Knights Templar in Hamilton.

—A barn blaze at the corner of William and Bathurst streets gave the fire department a run yesterday. No damage.

—Jos. Brown, of this city, gave an address in Central Methodist Church, Toronto, last Sunday afternoon to the Sunday school.

—Mrs. James J. Clark, of West London, and daughter May have returned after spending a very pleasant visit with relatives in Detroit.

—The London Hunt Club won two prizes in the dog show at the Toronto fair. The foxhounds Singwell and Weasel were the prize dogs.

—The long vacation having ended, the regular sitting of the London weekly high court will be held tomorrow. Two cases have been entered.

—Dr. James Macarthur, who is a typhoid fever patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, is doing as well as can be expected, but his condition is serious.

—Mrs. S. McCay and Miss Lena McCay, of Windsor, have returned home after spending a pleasant visit of three weeks with Mrs. B. F. Watterworth, this city.

—Mrs. R. Holmes and her son Georgie, formerly of London, now of Chicago, are visiting her parents on Emery street, South London, and friends in this city.

—The death occurred last evening of Dr. J. W. Sanderson, Toronto, one of the best-known medical practitioners in Canada. James R. Sanderson, of this city, is a son.

—The body of the late Mrs. Aston, of Windsor, was brought here this morning and interred in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Smith conducted the service at the grave.

—The London Street Railway Company have by special request decided to give another band concert at Springbank this evening. The London Musical Society Band have been engaged for the occasion.

—David Stewart, in jail, charged with an attempted criminal assault on Miss Maud Thompson, was arraigned before Judge William Elliott this morning. He pleaded not guilty, elected to be tried by jury, and was remanded to the assizes, which open here on Sept. 26.

—W. C. Franks and George Wilcox, of Lobo, have been summoned to appeare before Squire Lacey on Saturday, as accomplices in the alleged cattle stealing case of John B. C. Franks. The latter will also have to answer to the charge of using abusive language to Constable Ward.

—The promotors of the Maitland Street Baptist Church have requested The Advertiser to tender the public their thanks for the valuable assistance rendered in the way of kind contributions which enabled a much-needed work of enlarging the present structure to be proceeded with.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Peto took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. James' Church, South London, to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Archdeacon Davis conducted the service. The pall-bearers were Col. Payne, Messrs. A. Thompson, W. Green, John Pope, C. F. Complin, and J. McWhinney. The edifice was filled with persons wishing to pay their last tribute to this lady of worth, and the cortege was a large one.

LONDON NORMAL SCHOOL.

Col. Leys, M.P.P., was in town yesterday, and had an interview with the Government. He states that tenders will be called for on Saturday for the erection of the new Normal School at London, and the expectation is to have the building completed and ready for use by Jan. 2.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

ANOTHER COUNCIL MEETING.

The city council will meet again at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon to consider the offer of the sub-committee of the county council re investment in the Victoria Hospital. Mayor Wilson says he had the special meeting called last night at the suggestion of Ald. Carrothers. Mr. Stanley's letter was received yesterday, and it stated that unless an answer were given by today the county council could not be called until after the fair. The mayor advised calling the city council for tonight instead of last night, but Ald. Carrothers pointed out that as two committees would be in session at the city hall last night, anyway, it would be best to have the council meeting the same night.

COLES CAPTURED.

Charles Coles, whom Detectives Ward and Northgreaves have been after for a week or so, on the charge of robbing the house of Mr. Charles Tye, of Westminster, was arrested yesterday about seven miles the other side of Fingal. The majority of the goods he carried off have been recovered. They consist largely of wearing apparel, but among the more valuable articles was a silver watch and chain and a revolver. He told the detectives that he took the revolver with the intention of using it if pursued, but the weapon had become clogged, and he threw it under a hedge about two miles and a half east of St. Thomas, where the officers found it. Coles was brought before Squire Lacey and remanded until Wednesday next.

B. M. E. CONFERENCE.

Conference was opened by Rev. G. R. Blount, with devotional exercises. Bishop C. A. Washington occupied the chair. Last evening was set apart for the reception of Rev. A. L. Russell, fraternal delegate from the Canada Methodist Church, to extend the greeting of that body's general conference to this body. This morning's session was first engaged in appointing a committee to arrange for a conference concert, to be given Monday evening, Sept. 12, which was effected by the appointment of Revs. R. S. Holden, Dr. J. D. Mead and W. H. Snowden, as the committee to complete the work. Afterwards the revision of the discipline was resumed.

All sessions are public, to which all are welcome. Services every evening.

Rev. Father Benjamin Steward arrived at 11 o'clock and received a hearty greeting. He is 86 years old, and was converted at the age of 17 years. An agent will likely be appointed to look after the home prospects.

PREPARATION DAY

The Western Fair for 1898 Is Opened.

Queen's Park a Scene of Marvelous Activity—Exhibits Fast Pouring In—Sir Oliver Mowat To Be Here on Tuesday.

Today was preparation day at the great Western Fair. The scene presented at the grounds was one of bustle and activity in all departments. Exhibitors, their assistants, officials and caterers were all busy, and the exhibits are being rapidly placed in position.

The preparations this year are far in advance of previous years at this period.

Tomorrow the gates will be closed to the public, and by night the exhibits will be in order and everything ready for a big day on Saturday.

Saturday, Sept. 10, will be School Children's Day. The live stock will be in place, and all the departments will be in full running order. The grounds and buildings will be open from 8 to 10 o'clock, and the children will be admitted for a fee of 5 cents. All the special ring attractions will also be given, with many things specially designed to please the young, who cannot fail to be delighted with the performance.

NOTES.

Sir Oliver Mowat, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, will visit the Western Fair on Tuesday next.

The cattle, sheep, swine and horse barns have all been treated to a liberal dose of whitewash. The fences also glisten afresh in the sunlight, and the place may be justly called "The White City."

If the directors have a hobby it is the safety of the grand stand. They have strengthened the big double-decker in every conceivable way. Big ties, from twelve to eight inches wide, have been put between the uprights all along the stand, joining them firmly at the top and bottom. The stand was not considered unsafe without this extra precaution, but the step was taken to make assurance doubly sure.

A number of large sideshows have already pitched their tents.

The pictures are being tastily arranged in the new art annex.

The fruit display promises to be the best in years.

The machinery sheds are being rapidly filled up.

THE WESTERN ADVERTISER.

This week's issue of The Western Advertiser is out today. The interesting features are the Egyptian campaign, doings of the old world, and excellent reports of the fairs now in progress. The departments are brimful of news. It is well printed, and can be had at the office, ready for mailing, price 2 cents.

AMUSEMENTS

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, FAIR WEEK.

One of the marked theatrical successes of last year was the big scenic melodrama, "Alone in Greater New York," which is underlined for a limited run of one week at the Grand Opera house, beginning next Monday evening. A carload of special scenery is necessary for the mounting of this play, and the fine effects thus produced are noteworthy features of the offering. But not alone are these elaborate scenic features the only claims put forth for popular favor. The story told is said to be full of heart interest, the company exceptionally strong, and merry Dorothy Lewis, who heads the cast, is famous as a gifted young actress and really beautiful woman. Comedy and pathos are deftly intermingled in the evolution of the play, numerous "gingery" specialties are provided, and the outlook for a thoroughly enjoyable week at this popular playhouse is excellent. The reserved seat sale will begin at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Prices for this engagement will be 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

MARKS BROS.

Before 7 o'clock last night the Music Hall was crowded to see the Marks Bros. play "The Irish Hero," and they were well pleased. Tom Marks, in the title role, proved himself an actor of "marked" ability. His quick flashes of Irish wit took the house by storm. He has lost none of his magnetism since last here. The specialties and war views were also good. Tonight they play the beautiful comedy, "Jerry, the Tramp," and on Saturday they give a matinee.

WORKINGMEN'S VOTES

A Letter by the London Plebiscite Association to Employers of Labor.

The following letter has been addressed to all employers of labor in this city:

"Dear Sir,—As you are doubtless aware, the 29th day of September has been appointed by the Dominion Government for the plebiscite vote to be taken, on the question of the prohibition of the liquor traffic.

We would respectfully call your attention to the fact that while the vote is to be taken on the provincial lists, the Dominion Franchise Act does not specially provide for workmen being given the two hours from 12 a.m. to 2 p.m., as is done by the provincial law, so as to enable them to record their votes.

We therefore appeal to you on behalf of those in your employ, that at least one and one-half hours be given to your workmen on the 29th inst., to enable them to go to their respective subdivision and vote; subject, if you so desire, to their making up the lost time as provided for in the Ontario statute.

We believe that this is the spirit of the law, and that it is due to all electors that they should have ample opportunity to exercise their franchise, and that it is in the best interests of our country that all electors should vote.

We are making this appeal to all employers of labor in this constituency, and earnestly hope that you will see your way clear to make this or some similar arrangement whereby all electors employed by you may be able to record their votes on this question, which we believe to be of vital importance to the welfare of our beloved country.

Signed, on behalf of the London Plebiscite Association,

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IN A NEW LIGHT

Russian Politicians and Papers Explain the Czar's Proposal.

British-Canadian Trade—Imports From the Dominion to Great Britain During August.

THE CZAR'S CIRCULAR.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—In view of the irritation in France, the politicians and newspapers are seeking to represent the czar's peace circular in a new light. They urge that it has been misconstrued, and assert that the imperial government never contemplated the immediate convocation of a conference, being fully aware of the difficulties in the way. It was only hoped to sow good seed, which would ripen and bear fruit when circumstances are more favorable. These utterances are regarded as indicating that the failure of the czar's proposal is foreseen, and that public opinion is being prepared for it.

ANGLO-CANADIAN TRADE.

London, Sept. 1. — The imports to Great Britain from Canada for the month of August, as per returns just issued, show cattle, 16,279 head, value at £264,551; sheep and lambs, 5,568, value £8,023; bacon, 76,929 cwt., value £4,144,000; hams, 25,259 cwt., value £60,720; butter, 15,736 cwt., value £66,425; cheese, 279,963 cwt., value £572,924; eggs, 89,959 hundreds, value £300,837; horses, 836, value £22,711. Cattle, sheep, lambs and horses show a decrease, but in the other lines there is a decided increase, as compared with the same period of last year.

A PRINCE PUNISHED.

Berlin, Sept. 8.—A painful scandal has arisen in one of the regiments of the Dragoon Guards, where the officers have been playing baccarat for high stakes of late. Prince Alfred of Saxe-Cobourg lost £3,000, and Lieut. Goetz his entire fortune in one sitting. A quarrel arose between the latter and another officer, which led to a challenge. The colonel of the regiment reported the matter to the emperor. Angered by this disregard for his prohibition of gambling, Emperor William summoned Prince Alfred to his presence and ordered him to take leave of absence until Sept. 30. The other two officers were cashiered.

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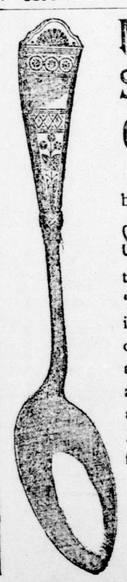
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GRAY—In this city, on Sunday, Sept. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gray, a daughter.

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Reaching the flower show, he gave his horse to his groom, and entered the grounds, hoping, yet at times, almost fearing, to meet Lucille.

It was in a marquee allotted to choice azaleas that Gerard at last beheld her. She was attired in a costume of a delicate mauve hue, of so graceful a fashion that it might have been designed by Worth himself. While, as ever, she reigned the queen of those around her.

"If matters had only been other than they are," reflected the earl, with a thrill, "possibly I might have called that lovely being mine. That is," he added, with a bitter smile, "if I had really been Earl of Lethrington. As it is, but for my uncle, I—the younger son of a younger son—should never have dared to aspire to, or at least hoped of, winning so glorious a prize. No; my father, inall love, did what he believed best for me, and I must pay the penalty."

Just then, Lucille, raising her head, observed his proximity. The light, which instantly beamed in her eyes, as she greeted him, would have whispered something of the truth to a more egotistical man. As it was, since his talk with Lord Hampton, Gerard himself read them differently, and began trembling with fear that unconsciously he might have played the part of a villain.

The marquis' party merely consisted at present of his adopted daughter and a fine handsome old lady, whom Gerard recognized as the Dowager Lady Whittenleigh, once as great a belle as Lucille, and as lively as a girl of 18.

"So, my lord," she said, gaily, as the earl joined them, "I hear that as far as you are concerned, this flower show is to be converted into a class room. For my part, I can admire trees and flowers without knowing whether they are endogens, exogens, or acrogens, or possess cells or vessels. So I will leave you to receive Lady Westbrook's first lesson, while I carry off the marquis for a flirtation. Nowadays, I suppose, young ladies are too practical for that kinds of thing, eh?"

There was a roguish twinkle in her ladyship's eyes as she said this; then slipping her hand on the marquis' arm, they both quitted the marquee.

Gerard, at a loss what to say, confused in Lucille's presence as he had never been before, almost in silence gave her his arm, and made the tour of the marquee. Lady Westbrook, on the other hand, seeing no reason why today should be different from yesterday, was in excellent spirits, and gaily began her lesson.

At any other time her pupil would have been apt enough taught by such sweet lips; but now his brain was occupied by the painful task awaiting him, and the knowledge that all this happiness was to end so—so soon. He forced himself, however, to behave in his usual manner, and Lucille was ignorant of the cloud about to break.

After a while, leaving the marquee, the lesson having glided into other topics, they sauntered into the shady walks, ostensibly to find the Marquis and Lady Whittenleigh. But the visitors were mostly yet congregated in the marquees and near the band, therefore Gerard and his companions found themselves undisturbed, save for occasional couples who passed, enjoying the shade as they were doing. Nevertheless, fearful of being robbed of this opportunity by encountering acquaintances, the earl, making an effort, plunged into his subject. Assuming as light a tone as he could, and one adapted merely to friendship, he said:

"From letters I received last night, Lady Westbrook, I dreaded lest I should have been deprived of the pleasure of being here today."

"Indeed," she responded, with a laugh that displayed her small, pearly teeth, while she raised her eyes to his, "and thus have missed your first lesson in botany. What a loss, my lord."

"I should have deemed it so, believe me, Lady Westbrook," he remarked, with a fervor he could not check. "Even as it is, I fear it will be a long time before I shall enjoy the opportunity of another."

She did not speak this time—only looked at him. Despite his efforts, there was that in his voice which sounded like a warning—a foreboding. He did not meet her gaze—he dared not.

There was a brief pause; then Lady Westbrook said very calmly:

"Are you going to leave London, my lord?"

"Not exactly; but in a short time I shall be unable to regard my time as my own—another will have a claim to it.

He would have given worlds to have seen her face, but could not summon sufficient self-control, sufficient courage. Had he, he would have perceived the soft, rose-leaf bloom drop suddenly from Lucille's cheeks, a startled, pained expression of doubt leap into her eyes for a second—only a second. She was too well-bred, and possessed too much self-respect to display any emotion she might experience.

"Do you refer to your cousin, my lord?" she inquired quite steadily. "I fancy I heard you had one. Am I right?"

"Perfectly,"and the word came huskily to his lips.

Again she looked at him; then proceeded with gentleness, yet dignity.

"Pardon me, my lord; but I fancy we have been long enough friends to excuse the liberty I am about to take. You are different from what you were yesterday; you appear in trouble. Is it not so?"

The tones in which the above were uttered, expressing but an interest such as friendship might feel, brought an inexpressible relief to Gerard; a weight seemed lifted off his brain and heart. He was right, after all. If society had read his secret, she had not; neither had she been deceived. If society had. It made his task easier and he no longer hesitated.

"You ask forgiveness, Lady Westbrook," he said, earnestly, "for displaying an interest, which I can but regard as the most flattering and grateful compliment it is possible for me to receive. May I—dare I—in a measure repay it by making a confidence to you, before I do to the world? May I tell you of a secret, though, perhaps, it is presumption to imagine it can interest you?—a secret in my history which only became mine at my father's death, bringing a deep necessity, to which my honor called upon me to give every heed—a secret which I almost forgot in your presence, Lady Westbrook, but one I must no longer Keep from you, from the world."

She had watched him, surprised,wondering. Her heart beat faster; she yet was paler; nevertheless her voice was still steady, as she answered:

"If my lord, you honor me by such a confidence, trust me, I, too, shall appreciate it as a compliment."

"I thank you—thank you much," he replied, fervently, but not venturing to meet her eyes.

If Lucille had at all believed she was concerned in that secret—that, possibly, it covered a confession of love—his avoidance of her gaze, the unmistakable pain, which could not entirely be concealed, on his handsome features, told her to the contrary. She bent her eyes on the ground, and Gerard related to her his history. He explained how he had become Earl of Lethrington, and, in terms which brought no disrepect upon Esmer, the price he had been called upon to pay for it.

Lucille listened, without once interrupting. Now and then her breath caught; but it was so quickly recovered, that Gerard, a prey to his own feelings, failed to notice it.

But had Lady Westbrook anything to conceal? Under the mask of that calm, sympathetic face—under that delicate lace fichu—was a stricken, wildly-beating heart. Only a short time previously how light and happy it had been! now how heavy and drear! During that brief recital Lucille had experienced a life of suffering.

She had loved Gerard; she had owned it to herself; and something whispered her she was beloved. Yet, even in that moment of bitter trial, she justly exonerated Gerard from all blame.

Nevertheless, she was true to herself, and the earl might well feel relieved as he listened to her flexible, perfectly governed tones.

"And you love your cousin?" she said.

There was a pause before he answered; then the bitterness of the accents thrilled her:

"We are cousins; we have been brought up together. We ought to love, ought we not?"

Lucille looked up quickly. This time their glances met. It was a revelation. For one instant Gerard forgot all but her, but his love. Possessing himself of her hand, he exclaimed, in penetrating tones:

"Oh! Lady Westbrook, can you ask me that question?"

She drew back with a startled cry and averted face.

"My lord," she remarked, "this is ungenerous, dishonorable."

"Heaven pardon me, I knew not what I said. Forgive me if you can; pity me if I deserve it," he rejoined, humbly, instantly brought to his senses by her accusation.

She did not reply at once. No words could undo what had passed. Both knew their secret discovered. Nevertheless she pitied him. She was aware he was fulfilling a painful duty, and doing so, honorably, bravely. To one of Lucille's nature this was not likely to lessen her admiration. She would help him to play his part by well playing hers.

Extending her hand frankly, she said:

"My lord, I have nothing to forgive. Rather let me thank you for this confidence. You will introduce me to your cousin, will you not? I should like to know her, and be her friend, as yours."

Gerard murmured acquiescence, and thanks, as, bending over the little hand with much emotion, he pressed it to his lips. He felt the sweet dream was over. Never could they meet again as they had.

"Now, if you please, I should like to join my father," continued Lucille.

He made no demur; he felt they each wished to escape, awhile at least, from each other's society.

Giving her his arm, they proceeded to the end of the walk, and had scarcely arrived at it, than they encountered the marquis with Lady Whittenleigh, and Lord Carisford, who had just joined them.

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Bradstreet's weekly review of Canadian trade says: Trade at Montreal has shown some revival this week, and there is a strong tendency toward improvement in general lines of goods for the fall trade. Payments are decidedly better. The recent rains have done much good in the country, and the pastures and the root crops have greatly benefited by them. The outlook for the fall business is very favorable, and promises better for general trade than for some years. Customs receipts amount to $709,679, against $580,958 for August of last year.

The fall business opened at Toronto under very favorable auspices. All express themselves in the highest spirits over the prospects for business, and have been ordering liberally for the fall. A feature of the buying was the higher class of goods ordered compared with previous seasons. The millinery openings were largely attended, and are considered the most successful ever held by the trade here. Values in all lines here are very firm. Canadian fine woolens are held firmer. Spring samples have already begun to arrive. The preference on British goods seems to have been affecting the imports here this month. The customs returns at Toronto for last month show a big increase in free imports over August, 1897. During the month the free goods were valued at $970,907, as against $773,818 for the corresponding month last year, an increase of $197,089. The duty collected for August was $401,286, as against $369,181 for the corresponding month of 1897. This represents an increase of $32,104 94 in the amount of duties levied, and consequently a considerable increase in the volume of trade of this year's August, as compared with last. The movement of new wheat is still very small, the low prices having the effect of keeping the farmers' deliveries very small. Money is steady here, with a better demand at 6 to 7 per cent for mercantile discounts, and 4 to 4½ per cent for call loans.

The weather in Manitoba has continued favorable for the harvest, and about 75 per cent of the grain is now down. Business has been a little dull, as is usual during harvest, but the prospects continue bright. It is not expected that the low prices for wheat will materially affect the movement, as the Manitoba farmers generally accept the situation and market their grain when threshing is over. There is a fair inquiry for goods for the fall trade, and as the season progresses this will increase, and during the month a large movement in staple goods is expected. There is still a good demand for land, and the C. P. R. land sales last month were double those for the same month last year.

At the coast business has been quite active. Dairy products are not so plentiful, and prices have advanced lately. The new crop of grain is beginning to offer, and oats and wheat are lower. The salmon industry has not been satisfactory to the canners this year, and as salmon are selling at 25 cents each, a continuation of the season, though a great benefit to fishermen, would be disastrous to canners. The salmon prices are, however, advanced.

CANADIAN BEET SUGAR

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The subjoined statement describing the beet sugar manufactory of Claus Spreckles at Salinas, Cal., is the substance of a long editorial in the Salinas Index of August 21st, 1898.

It will be observed by your readers that 30,000 acres of land are expected to produce 120,000,000 pounds of sugar. There is consumed in Canada about 360,000,000 pounds annually. If we assume that 100,000 acres of land will produce 360,000,000 pounds of sugar, or an amount equal to the consumption of sugar in Canada annually, we can arrive at the profit to the provinces of producing sugar in comparison to producing wheat. If 100,000 acres of wheat yield 15 bushels per acre, which is sold at 75 cents per bushel, the product will be worth $1,050,000, while the product of 100,000 acres of land planted with beets will be 360,000,000 pounds of sugar, which at 5 cents per pound is worth $18,000,000.

The market in Canada for that amount of sugar is already established, and the demand will increase as the per capita consumption of sugar increases, and also as the population increases, therefore the demand will be a constantly increasing one.

The report of the Secretary of Agriculture for the United States upon the beet sugar industry is a volume of 240 pages. It covers an enormous number of experiments with sugar beets in nearly every State in the Union, which will not be of much interest to your readers, but the following statement is of great importance to them, viz.: That the states of New York and Michigan are peculiarly adapted to the production of the sugar beet, with a high sugar content, and also that the average tonnage of beets per acre is large in these states. This clearly indicates that the Province of Ontario, south of a line drawn from Toronto to Goderich, would also be peculiarly adapted for the production of beets for conversion into pure granulated sugar.

The production of wheat exhausts the land for the production of other crops, whereas the production of beets enriches the land and prepares it for a larger production of other crops. This fact in connection with a greater financial value of a crop of beets should stimulate the farmers of Ontario to at once undertake the organization of a beet sugar manufacturing company and the erection of a manufactory that they may test practically their ability to produce pure sugar from beets grown in the section above referred to.

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Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept.20-23.
Hay Agricultural Society, Zurich, Sept. 21-22.
Center Wellington, Fergus, Sept. 22-23.
North Perth, Stratford, Sept. 22-23.
Northern, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 22-23.
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HAMMOND'S CASE

The Convicted Murderer of Katie Tough To Be Hanged Sept. 15.

[G. N. W. Special to Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—Lord Aberdeen has approved of an order-in-council allowing the law to take its course in the case of W. J. Hammond, now in Barrie jail.

Hammond, as already stated, will be hanged on Sept. 15.

Did you see the Fly? Yes. 34-tf

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FAIR -- SHOWERS TONIGHT.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 7, 11 p.m.—The western high area which was nearing Lake Michigan yesterday, has moved southeastward, and is now covering the middle United States. The low temperatures which have accompanied it, are becoming modified, and there is a general indication of slowly rising temperature over the lake district. Showery weather prevails in Eastern Canada, and fair, cool weather from the Rocky Mountains to the Province of Quebec. A low area is coming in eastward from the Pacific Ocean, and is giving warmer weather in British Columbia. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48—84; Kamloops, 48—82; Calgary, 40—64; Battleford, 38—56; Qu'Appelle, 38—52; Winnipeg, 38—56; Port Arthur, 38—58; Parry Sound, 58—64; Toronto, 62—70; Ottawa, 60—68; Montreal, 66—72; Quebec, 62—70; Halifax, 60—68.

Toronto, Sept., 8, 1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes—West to south winds: fair, stationary or a little higher temperature; local showers at night.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday were 72 and 54.5 degrees.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mrs. H. B. Archer and daughter are visiting friends in Woodstock for a few days.

—Mr. Charles Plant, of Hastings, is visiting his uncle, Mr. F. Plant, 790 Queen's avenue.

—Miss Mary Friend has returned home after visiting friends in Exeter, Seaforth and Goderich.

—Miss L. W. Whyte, of Aylmer, is taking a course of instruction at the Conservatory of Music.

—Miss Grey, of Hamilton, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Marshall, has returned home.

—Mrs. Sarah Crawford and her daughter Carrie, of Newcastle, Pa., are visiting relatives in the city.

—The many friends of Mrs. W. A. Libby (nee Miss Rose Nicholson) will regret to hear that she has lost her daughter by death.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Empey and daughter Etta, of Brockville, are visiting with Mr. Ernest Fitzgerald, 594 Dufferin avenue, city.

—It is understood the rectorship of St. James' Church, Hamilton, has been offered to Rev. C. J. James, M.A., of St. George's Church, Montreal.

—Mrs. John Nicholson and daughter Ethel, of Talbot street, have returned home after two months' pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Detroit.

—St. Marys Journal: Mrs. W. A. White and Master Harry returned to London on Monday. The latter will attend the Collegiate Institute there.

—Mr. Albert Moran, of this city, has again been successful at the Toronto fair, winning three first prizes out of four entries in mechanical and architectural drawing.

—Messrs. Toon and Thomas, of this city, carried off several prizes on their entries in the field spaniel, bull terrier and Irish terrier classes at the Toronto Bench Show.

—Messrs. Wm. McNeil and Richard Oke, poultry fanciers, of this city, had many fine birds suffocated in sending them to the Toronto fair. Other city fanciers were also losers.

—Mrs. Gordon Wright, of South London, editor of the missionary paper Outlook, and president of the W. C. T. U., delivered a lecture in Galt yesterday afternoon on the plebiscite.

Rev. Prof. Ballantyne, of Knox College, formerly of South London, has consented to become a candidate for the senate of the University of Toronto at the approaching elections.

—Miss Floy McNab, daughter of the late George McNabb, barrister, has returned to Berlin to continue her studies, having spent her summer vacation at Sassnitz auf Rugen, on the Baltic Sea.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Lister and Master Clifford, 223 Waterloo street, left Tuesday morning for Boston, Mass., where they intend spending a couple of weeks visiting Mrs. Lister's brother, Mr. Myles Young, a former Londoner.

—The Canadian Horticultural Association yesterday elected officers as follows: President, Wm. Gammage, London; vice-president, F. G. Foster, Hamilton; treasurer, John H. Dunlop, Toronto; secretary, Hugh C. McLean, St. Thomas.

—The piano scholarship of $50, presented by the Heintzman & Co. piano manufacturers, of Toronto, to the best pianist, all comers, at the competition held at the London Conservatory of Music, was won by Miss Bertie MacAlpin, daughter of Dr. MacAlpin, of Petrolia.

—Robert Harris, of Detroit, the self-confessed bicycle thief, who stole Miss Poole's wheel, came up at the police court this morning for sentence. He was again remanded for a week to allow of inquiry being made as to his character. Frank Rourke and Beverly Burwell, two drunks, were discharged.

—St. Thomas Journal: The L. E. and D. R. R. will give a splendid service for the London fair on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, of next week. Trains will leave St. Thomas for London at 8:07 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 4:30 p.m., and 6:55 p.m. A special will leave London and St. Thomas at 10:45 p.m., and on Wednesday night it will run through to the Port.

—No. 1 committee of the city council met last night for the purpose of discussing the L. and P. S. R. switching privileges. There was no quorum, and the meeting was adjourned to a future date. In the meantime, Mr. Coburn, Walkerville, the secretary of the L. and P. S. R., will be asked to attend the next meeting.

—Mr. Jesse Sage, of 250 Burwell street, yesterday received word of the death of his son Joe, who left Camp Tanner, Ill., with Company I, First Regiment of United States Cavalry. Joe was formerly an employe of the Dennis iron works here, and left about two years ago. He is said to have died of fever while at Tampa.

—Rev. G. Trotter Carr, the pastor of the Congregational Church, Stratford, formerly of this city, is about to resign to undertake mission work at Training Colony, Lingfield, Surrey, England, where there is located an institution for the uplifting of drunkards and criminals. Mr. Brooke, the director of the colony, will assist the reverend gentleman. Mr. Carr will leave early next month for his new field of labor.

—Windsor Record: At an early hour on Tuesday morning Mrs. Sarah Ann Aston, relict of Thomas Aston, died at her residence, corner of Church and Wyandotte streets. She had been long an invalid. All the family were at her bedside when she passed away. She leaves four sons and three daughters, two of whom, T. W. and John E., are married, residing in Sandwich and Battle Creek respectively. It will be remembered that the latter was at one time Windsor correspondent of the Detroit News, and represents that paper still. The funeral will take place at London on Thursday, and the four sons, including William Henry and Joseph D., will act as pall-bearers.

—The congregation of St. James' Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning held their first communion under their new pastor, Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A. Over 150 members partook of the sacrament. The preparatory services were held on Friday evening in the church, when a large congregation listened to a stirring address from the Rev. Mr. Wilson, of King Street Presbyterian Church, after which a number of new members were received by certificate and profession of faith. The appreciation of the ministration of the Rev. A. J. MacGillivray is apparent by the large congregations that gather to hear him preach, and although only two months in charge of St. James', the hearty interest which the officers and members of the congregation take in their new pastor is a sure sign that St. James' will be a power for good in this city of churches.

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No. 3 committee of the city council, at a regular meeting held last night, discussed the placing of the 25 new electric lamps to be furnished under the recent ten year agreement.

It was decided, on motion of Ald. Hunt, to place four lights in each ward, the extra light to be put at the corner of Regent and Wellington streets. The placing of the lights in each ward will be attended to by the member of the ward and the city engineer. The company will be asked to put up the lights at once.

Ald. Jolly was inclined to censure someone because of the delay in putting up the fire alarm boxes in West London. He was told that the boxes were in the customs house now, and they would be put up immediately.

When the Canada Rubber Company submit a guarantee satisfactory to the city solicitor, their account will be paid.

Chief Roe reported that the overcoats for the firemen had been supplied by Galpin & James, and were satisfactory.

WANT HIM IN TORONTO

Erskine Church Extends a Call to Rev. W. J. Clark, This City.

A Unanimous One—Mr. Clark Highly Spoken Of.

[Toronto Mail and Empire, Sept. 7.]

The Presbytery met again in the evening at Erskine Church for the purpose of moderating a call by the congregation of that church to Rev. W. J. Clark, of First Presbyterian Church, London.

Rev. Alex. Gilray, acting moderator, presided, and there was a large attendance of members of the Presbytery and of Erskine congregation. After devotional exercises the acting moderator called upon the congregation to state their wishes to the Presbytery.

On the motion of Mr. Thomas Yellowlees, seconded by Dr. R. J. McLaughlin, it was unanimously resolved to proceed with the call.

Mr. John A. Paterson then moved that a call be extended to Rev. Wm. J. Clark, of London. He explained that Mr. Clark's name was the only one mentioned or even hinted at in connection with the pastorate of Erskine Church. Mr. Clark had not preached there, but a number of the congregation heard him when he occupied the pulpit of another Toronto church some time previously. They were satisfied beyond all doubt and peradventure that Mr. Clark was the right man for pastor.

Inspector Stark seconded the motion, and in the course of his remarks said: "We have been charged with presumption in seeking to take the step which we are now taking, and the reply which has almost invariably met us when we have looked about and canvassed has been: 'You will never get Mr. Clark.' Well, Mr. Moderator, we can try, and if we fail we will have the satisfaction of knowing that we have failed in a good cause." (Hear, hear.)

The motion to call Mr. Clark was put to the meeting and carried unanimously. A recess of half an hour was then taken in order to enable the congregation to append their signatures to the document, after which the Presbytery declared its approval of the action of the congregation, and appointed Rev. Dr. Parsons, Rev. Dr. Milligan and Prof. Ballantyne to support the call before the London Presbytery.

Usually the Presbytery deputes one of its members to moderate a call. Last night, however, the Presbytery departed from its usual practice, and undertook the duty itself. By this means a delay of two months has been saved in putting the call through. The pastorate of Erskine Church has been vacant for nearly twelve months. Rev. Dr. Hunter, who formerly ministered in the church, and gave great satisfaction, was obliged to leave for Colorado owing to ill-health. He at first settled in Denver, but afterwards moved 60 miles north to Greeley, where he is now located. Since his sojourn there his health has greatly improved but it is not believed that he will ever be able to reside in Canada again for any length of time. In a recent communication to a member of the congregation, he intimated his intention of resuming the work of the pastorate. Rev. Dr. Hunter's brother is also located at Greeley. He was formerly a pastor at Ridgetown, but accompanied Dr. Hunter in his trip west. While in Colorado he preached in a Greeley church, and so edified the congregation that they immediately extended a call to him, which was accepted.

Rev. W. J. Clark, who has been asked to become pastor of Erskine Church, is one of the ablest divines in Western Ontario, and is exceedingly popular in London. He is a preacher of much eloquence and force, and won golden opinions for himself a few weeks ago when he temporarily occupied the pulpit of St. James' Square Church. Should he accept the call he will undoubtedly take a leading position among the clergy of this city.

[Toronto Globe.]

The pulpit of Erskine Church was declared vacant on July 10 last owing to the continued illness of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Hunter. The Rev. Mr. Clark has preached in St. James' Church here, and is an eloquent and powerful minister of the Gospel. He is about 40 years of age.

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