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Brimful of News!

From one end to the other of this store, from top to bottom, our shelves and tables are overloaded with new goods, newness reigns throughout and issues to you a strong appeal to come, see and feast your eyes.

New Jackets.

Berlin's latest productions of Ladies' Misses and Children's Jackets are here for you to see. Hundreds of them from which to make your selections, and all of them cut after the very latest New York ideas.

Ladies' Black Jackets, 28 in. long, fitted back, stole front, deep single cape, made of good heavy frieze, very special at \$5.00

Ladies' Jackets, made of check back, Zephyr cloth, collarless, banded with stitched black cloth, fitted back, single deep cape, special at \$7.00

Ladies' Black Jacket, made of fine Kersey cloth, lined throughout, stole front, fancy cape, fitted back, 32 in. long, extra, at \$18.00

Misses' Fawn Jackets, Kersey cloth, made with double cape and military collar, piped with green velvet, new sleeves and cuffs, very special, at \$10.00

Dress Goods.

Our showing of Black Dress Goods has never been equalled in this city. Here is a variety a New York store might be proud of, and values that only direct buying from the manufacturer could allow.

44 to 48 in. wide, fine all wool Black Satin Cloths, Armures, Vene- tians, Canvas Cloths, Knoppe Cloths, etc., suitable for drapery, mourning wear, tailor-made suits and skirts, very special values at 75c

52 in. wide fine all wool French Cheviots, Black only, most correct for suits and skirts, full range of different weights, special at 65c, 75c and \$1.00

48 and 50 in. Knoppe Cloths in Canvas and Cloth back grounds with Black Mohair, knos and tufting, very new and stylish, special values at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75

Special Black Taffeta Silk.

Black Taffeta Silk, 21 in. wide, good weight and bright finish, suitable for waists and linings, very special value, at a yd. 50c

Extra heavy fine finish and durable Black Taffeta Silk, 22 in. wide, very special at 75c

Blankets.

Guaranteed pure wool Blankets, size 62x82 in., colored borders, very special, at per pair, \$2.75

Finest imported Saxony Wool Blankets, pink and blue borders, weights 5 lbs., 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 lbs., full sizes, soft fluffy lofty finish, extra values at per pair, \$3.85 to \$6.50

THOS. STONE & SON..

G. Stephens & Co.

Come to the Peninsular Fair and see our exhibit. Biggest display by one firm. Exhibits direct from Toronto and London fairs. Best and biggest manufacturers in Canada will be represented in the Peninsular in our exhibit. Come and see some really choice goods.

G. Stephens & Co.

Don't You Make a Mistake

and purchase a Dinner, Tea or Chamber Set until you have seen and learned our prices. We have a quantity of New China for presents, the latest goods out. The quality and price will certainly please you. Call and be convinced.

GRANDES—The business we are doing is positive proof of the satisfaction we give in quality and prices, this also insures fresh goods all the time.

7 lbs. Rolled Oats 25c; Ginger Snaps 6c lb; 2 lbs. Pure Lard 25c; Corn Starch 7c package; Pickles, 10c bottle; 3 Large Cans Mustard Sardines, 25c; 6 lbs. Tapioca 25c; 1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c; Vinegar and Spices—A quality at lowest prices.

John McConnell,
Phone 190, - Park St.

A good field of corn is one thing, a farmer doesn't care to have crowded over.

FIRE PROTECTION!

This is a dry time. Beware of fire! See that you are provided with a good long ladder, it may save you many dollars! The Wagoner Extension ladder is the strongest and lightest ladder made. Just what you want during the fruit season. Also on hand a good stock of the best step-ladders. Call and inspect them.

Office King St. T. O. O'Rourke
Opp. P.O. Chatham.

GOOD FARMS TO RENT.
1st, Pt. Lot 3, Con. 4, Tp. Harwich, 2nd, Pt. Lot 1, Con. 3, Tp. Harwich, 3rd, Pt. Lot 2, Con. 3, Tp. Harwich. Apply to SMITH & SMITH

A WALK may improve your appetite, but a tramp will eat you out of house and home.

MATERIAL MUST PAY DUTIES.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's Amendment to the Railway Bill.

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—For another day the Government's bill relating to the construction of the national trans-continental railway has been under consideration, and when the House rose at 1 a.m., the end of the labors of the committee was not visible. Numerous amendments were again offered by the Opposition, and for the purpose of rendering clear the intention of the bill and contract respecting the payment of duties upon the material and supplies imported for the construction of the road, an explanatory clause was inserted. An amendment offered by Mr. Clancy to defer work on the Winnipeg-Moncton division until the surveys were completed and plans and estimates submitted to the House, was rejected. The Minister of Justice pointed out that its adoption would probably result in making a reality that improbable diversion of traffic from Canadian routes, which the Opposition had striven so strenuously all the previous day to render impossible. The desultory debate was culminated at a late hour this evening by a brisk encounter between Hon. Mr. Fielding and the leader of the Opposition. The Minister of Finance took the ground that the Government relied upon the patriotism of Canadians to patronize the Canadian route where the rates were the same as by other lines. Mr. Borden taunted Mr. Fielding with having once proposed that the Maritime Provinces should secede from confederation. Mr. Fielding retorted that Mr. Borden had once supported a candidate for Parliament who was opposed to the National Policy, and that his own conduct had been endorsed by the electors of Nova Scotia, who had constantly increased the Liberal majority.

THE BOUNDARY CASE.

Sir Robert Finlay Closes and Mr. Watson Begins.

London, Sept. 24.—Late yesterday the Attorney-General, Sir Robert Finlay, took up the question of the maps subsequent to the treaty of 1825, and argued that no weight should be attached to them, for the reason that the region was imperfectly known, had never been surveyed, that the map makers had no precise knowledge and either copied from one another or differed materially among themselves and ignored the cardinal provisions of the treaty.

Messrs. Root, Lodge, Turner and Dickinson personally complimented the Attorney-General on his erudite presentation of the British case. Mr. Watson then proceeded to open the case for the United States. He began by stating that in 1867 Russia offered to sell Alaska to the United States, and showed her title in various ways—by discovery, by occupation and by general consent of the Great Powers, and finally by the treaty with Great Britain. Russia asserted that the line went round the heads of all bays and inlets. The maps of the period confirmed this, notably the Russian map of 1826, made when recollections of the negotiations of 1825 must necessarily have been fresh. Mr. Sumner of the United States Senate minutely investigated this title, and, satisfying himself of its authenticity, purchased the property. The President formally announced the fact, yet neither Great Britain nor Canada raised any objection or questioned Russia's title.

Mr. Aylesworth here remarked that in 1867 Canada had no concern in the question, nor any right to interpose any objections, as her territory did not extend to the Pacific till 1871.

Mr. Watson then quoted Dennis, Surveyor-General of Canada, in his report made in 1874, which agreed to drawing the line across certain rivers which empty into the head of Lynn Canal, and argued that Canada thereby admitted and acknowledged the United States' claim to the heads of inlets.

Horses Suffocated at Hamilton.

Hamilton, Sept. 24.—Early yesterday fire broke out in Cocking Bros' livery stable at 15 Vine street. The stables and rigs were destroyed, and nine horses suffocated. The loss will be about \$3,000. Both the buildings and horses were well insured. The Cockings appear to have been the victims of a conspiracy, and Chief Smith has detailed a couple of men to make investigations about the origin of the fire.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

The trouble with the Crow's Nest coal miners has been settled.

Between 400 and 500 builders' laborers are on strike at Montreal.

The stables occupied by B Field Battery at Kingston were burned.

Archie R. McAuslan was fatally injured in jumping from a moving train at Galt.

Hull is asking the Government for \$30,000 for ten years, to beautify the city.

Lord Dunsford unveiled a monument to the late Major Harold Borden at Can- ning, N.S.

Mr. F. H. Clergue had an interview with the Ontario Cabinet. Mr. Clergue in the interview gave a statement of the company's affairs.

Mr. Ulrich Wilson, M.P., was nominated for the Commons by the Conservatives of Lennox and Addington.

Mrs. William Roy was committed for trial at Owen Sound on a charge of throwing acid in Mrs. Emma Boyce's face.

SPLENDID SUCCESS OF FAIR; SERIES OF ROYAL EXHIBITS

Directors and Merchants Have Done Themselves Proud—
Fine Series of Horse Races—Darrell Wins the Foot-
ball Match—Other Attractions.

Yesterday was a record breaker at the Peninsular Fair. The crowd was the largest that has yet attended the fair on the second day, there being between five and six thousand people on the grounds. Yesterday \$1,245.35 was taken in at the gate and grand stand. Last year the total receipts for the second day were \$1083.85. The exhibits are good this year in the main building, Chas. Austin & Co., Westman Bros., The Urban, Hugh McDonald & Co., J. C. Wanless, Geo. Stephens & Co., all deserve special mention for their exhibits. Chas. Austin besides having one of the swiftest displays ever seen at the fair, has worked hard, and yesterday he was busy all day looking after things generally. Spencer Stone and President Chinnick are two others who have worked hard for the success of the fair.

The races yesterday afternoon afforded plenty of interest and were good. In the 224 trot Polly Stanton was set back for crowding. In this race Lou Alto was an easy winner and there was no other horse in the race that even offered an argument. The contest was for second place.

In the 217 class Maggie L. Thos. Brady's horse, won in straight heats. Joe Brady was driving and his win was very popular with the crowd. In the second heat Dolphy W. was put back to third place for interference. The judges were prompt in checking any foul tactics. When the judges had given their decision in regard to Dolphy W. a long leaver came up and touched Dr. Cornell on the leg. "Say, Sir," said the leaver, "are you going to declare all bets off on the race?" Dr. Cornell said that he had no power to do that. "Oh, I suppose you want to keep all the money here in Chatham," responded the stranger without the least trace of sadness in his tones. Then he pulled a long bottle of gin from his pocket and took a pull.

Dr. Cornell, Jerry O'Brien and Will Hadley were the judges; W. D. Sheldon was secretary of the course and Mr. Corey, Petrolia, was the starter. An interesting feature of the track events was the half-mile race for two-year-olds. After scoring repeatedly, the horses made the circuit in 1:21 1-2.

224 trot or 228 pace, purse \$200—
Low Alto, F. Delaurier, 1 1 1
Sister Jane, W. F. Hepburn, 2 3 4
St. Thomas, H. Marchant, 4 4 2
Detroit, 5 2 5
Texas Dick, A. Trudell, Tilbury, 5 2 5
Polly Stanton, L. Edmunds, 3 5 3
Blenheim, 3 5 3
Miss Ray, Thos. Brady, Chatham, 6 dis.
Time, 2:28 1-2, 2:29 1-2, 2:30 1-4.
221 class—
Maggie L. Thos. Brady, Chatham, 1 1 1
College Queen, D. McLachlan, Chatham, 2 2 2
Dolphy W., A. Leaky, St. Thomas, 3 3 3
Golden Tex, A. Wigle, Leamington, 4 4 5
Tom Woods, W. R. Rowe, Blenheim, 5 5 4
Time, 2:21 1-2, 2:22 1-4, 2:24 1-2.
2-year-olds, half-mile, two in three heats (unfinished)—
Tartar, Henry Brewer, Bothwell, 1
King Parole, Tom Jones, Ridgetown, 2
Arto Pells, John Glassford, Chatham, 3
Queen Rosa, A. Trudell, Tilbury, 4
Time, 1:21 1-2.

THE FOOTBALL MATCH.

The exhibition football match between the Darrell and Chatham teams was a bit disappointing owing to the poor grounds, but was nevertheless a close and exciting struggle. At the outset the Darrell team seemed to outplay the Chathamites, while at the finish Chatham was having things more its own way and rushing matters around their opponents' goal.

Wm. McDonald, of Detroit, made a splendid referee. The first goal was scored by Allison for Chatham and the remaining two were scored for Darrell by Benjie and Jenks.

The Chatham team played a strong defensive game. It cannot be denied that they showed up splendidly, Neil and Ross being particularly effective.

Captain Sissons and Harry Flowers made a splendid defence and worked hard throughout.

The game was a splendid one from a spectator's standpoint.

THE URBAN EXHIBIT.

Now, the Uly cannot well be painted, and the only thing for the ladies of the Maple City is to see the beautiful and fascinating exhibit of the famous Urban Store for themselves.

Eugene Peltier, the energetic young proprietor, make this quite possible—even at this late date. The dust and dirt emanating from the machinery in the building—surely a grievous oversight on the part of the directors—forced the Urban proprietors to early take down and cover the large portion of their magnificent exhibit. To allay the disappointment of scores of patrons, it was decided to give all an opportunity to see the exposition exhibit in the large window of the Urban Store on King street to-morrow and on Saturday. And there is a veritable treat in store for all lovers of the beautiful in this rich and enchanting display.

Never before, in the history of the Maple City, has such a magnificent display of furs been presented for exhibition. Miss Arnold, the courteous young lady who was in charge of the display, was the centre of a constantly growing and admiring throng of spectators, eagerly enquiring as to price and workmanship on the beautiful goods. The exceptional interest resulted not alone from the perfection of the goods, not alone from their marvellous workmanship, but also from the invariable surprise with which even the connoisseur heard the prices quoted.

"Oh, how perfectly lovely," declared one lady in ecstasy, "and the price is nearly \$10 less than I paid for the same fur in Toronto."

The Urban stand was perhaps the most alluring in the whole building. The rich and magnificent furs and mantles were displayed on charming wax and nickel-plate figures, perfectly arranged and completing a most elegant exhibit.

The 24-foot space was daintily decorated throughout. Three pretty tables were artistically arranged to lend effect to the whole display. These were tastefully adorned with sparkling novelties in gloves, belts, umbrellas, rugs and pelts of all kinds, making a most attractive and enticing appearance.

The Urban shoe exhibit was one of the features of the display and the varied designs of dainty footwear met with great favor from the fair sight-seers. There is no more popular shoe with the ladies.

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WILSON CORDAGE CO.

The exhibit of the Wilson Cordage Co. was the centre of attraction. The machines used in making binder twine were shown in active operation.

Wilson, the manager of the Company, was present explaining anything about the making of twine that the spectators didn't understand. The fine, even binder twine, made from the raw material right before their eyes, was a marvel to all. The enterprise of the Binder Twine Co. was much commended.

AUTOMATIC SAFETY GATE.

Another exhibit of more than ordinary interest was the Sanford Automatic safety farm and railway gate, patented June 30, 1903.

This gate is a most valuable one for all farmers and is, without doubt, one of the very best ever put on the market. It combines strength, economy, speed and durability. It does not sag and there is no strain on the gate or gate posts and it rolls and swings on a perfect balance. It is easier and quicker to work than any other gate made and it closes and locks with patent automatic stop. It cannot be moved, strained or displaced by stock and will outlast any other gate in the market.

This invention will prove a great boon to the farmers and everyone who witnessed its workings yesterday was delighted.

The enterprising agent is Wm. F. Sanford, of Leamington, and intending purchasers will do well to consult him. The price of the gate made and put up complete is \$5.

HUGH McDONALD & CO.
The exhibit of Hugh McDonald & Co. has won many economies and well

it deserves it.
The display occupies the half of the western alcove and is very artistically arranged. It consists of par- quet rugs, Brussels carpets, tapestries, brass bedsteads, furniture and Ostermon mattresses. The handsome articles of household furnishings are in good part responsible for the excellence of the display. A brass and tile bedstead was attracting very favorable comment. This bedstead is probably the most expensive ever shown in Chatham. It is a beauty. Another bedstead, all brass, was also attracting a great deal of attention. This was purchased by Dr. James W. Rutherford. The walls of this booth were hung with parquet rugs and the colorings were so exquisite and the workmanship so fine that the rugs most resembled hand painted curtains.

Mr. McDonald also had on display samples of the high grade mahogany, oak and walnut furniture which he handles. The special feature of this exhibit was the mattress exhibit. These mattresses were made by Ostermon & Co., New York. They are noted for their durability, comfort and comparative cheapness. One of these mattresses used by J. J. M. Hale, Ottawa, for 50 years was shown. The mattress is still in good condition. During the 50 years it was covered three times. Mr. McDonald will be pleased to meet, at his show rooms, all who were unable to attend the Fair.

J. C. WANLESS.

The splendid exhibit of Favorite Stoves made by J. C. Wanless, occupied the west alcove in the Crystal Palace. The display was in charge of Edward Wanless, and the people attracted by the stylish and neat appearance of the stoves kept Mr. Wanless busy. The Favorite base burner is made by the Doherty Mfg. Co., of Sarnia. It is ornamented with the swiftest nickel work to be found on any stove. There are no bolts in the nickel work, so that it can be easily removed when the stove is put away. The drafts are as near perfect as can be and the result is that the stove is very economical in the consumption of fuel. Another feature of the Favorite is the ease with which the magazine and fire pot can be changed. The latter has only to be taken out of the door. Another feature is that the ash pan is wider than the fire pot and as a result, catches all the ashes.

Steel plate triple fuel ranges are also shown. All the heat from the firepot circulates round the oven three times. Mr. Wanless says that it is the handiest and strongest-built steel range sold.

A fine display of New Era high grade prepared paints. These paints are both durable and economical and can be purchased at the Wanless store on King street, four doors from the market square.

A favorite cook stove, made by the Doherty Mfg. Co., Sarnia, is being given away. This is an exceedingly generous offer. Each person is given one guess as to the exact weight of the stove. The name and address and weight are written on a card provided by Fred Sheldon, who is in charge. The card is then deposited in a sealed box. The box will be opened at the close of the fair and the stove awarded to the person guessing nearest to the exact weight.

All interested in stoves should make it a point to call at the J. C. Wanless store and inspect their stock of cook and heating stoves. Their display at the fair gives assurance that their stock will bear the closest inspection.

MISSING BOY

Dunny Gagnier, Jr., aged 15, son of Dunny Gagnier, proprietor of the Pain Court hotel, is missing. The father was in this city to-day looking for tidings of his boy. Four weeks ago to-day the father gave his son permission to take a trip to Detroit. Dunny, Jr., said he had all the money he needed but the father gave him an extra five dollars. The boy went to the City of the Straits and took a room at one of the hotels. In the morning he got up about five o'clock and said he was going out to buy a clean shirt. The father has not been seen since. Mr. Gagnier, Sr., is very much worried and was in the city to-day making arrangements to send pictures of the boy to different places to see if any trace can be found of the missing boy.

WON MANY HONORS

A. M. Fleming, the Maple City artist won the special prize at London this year on his exhibit. The special prize is given for a painting, any subject, and was won in competition against the leading painters of Canada, including F. M. Bell Smith, R. C. A.; W. St. Thomas Smith; instructor at Alma College, and also Miss Florence Car- lyle, winner of the \$200 prize at the Ontario Society exhibition, Toronto. The painting which won this special prize was a view of rain storm in the Disunni Valley, Wales. The value of the prize was \$75. Mr. Fleming also won prizes for four other classes. There are only eight classes, and Mr. Fleming got five of them. He is a very clever artist and his paintings have made him famous all over Canada.

Scotch woollen manufacturers say their trade with Canada has increased and is likely to further increase under the preferential tariff.

Captain Luke was held responsible for the stranding of the Holmea off Newfoundland last July, and his certificate was suspended for three months.

TRAIN CRASHED INTO PHAETON

Terrible Accident on M. C. R. Crossing at Charing Cross Last Night

Marvellous Escape of 2 Young People—Lady Badly Injured—Horse and Rig Belonged to Chatham

From The Planet's Correspondent.

Charing Cross, Sept. 23.—To-night, about seven o'clock, a very serious accident occurred on the Rideigh-Har- wich townline at the M. C. R. R. crossing here.

John Brown, of Bothwell, a driller on Mr. Cameron's drilling rig, and Miss Nellie Parsons, of McKays's Cor- ners, were out driving, when they were struck by No. 6 express, running about 55 miles an hour.

The phaeton is a total wreck, but the horse, which got away with har- ness, and was caught later at the hotel.

When Mr. Brown was seen to-night he seemed to be all unstrung, but not hurt in any way seriously. He was thrown out of the rig in the road and had a marvellous escape. Miss Parsons is severely injured, but the doctor has hopes at present that she will recover. She has a large cut behind the ear, which took several stitches, and is bruised terribly about the body. She was carried with the buggy about seventy-five or eighty feet, and is supposed to have struck on a tie and thus caused the gash behind the ear.

Mr. Fraser, of Merlin, who was driving along at the time, picked the lady up and took her to Mr. Walker's hotel, where she was taken in and every possible aid was given by Mr. Walker's family to relieve her sufferings until Dr. Langford, of Blenheim, arrived.

The horse and buggy is a lively turnout, and is owned by George Lamphert, of Chatham.

SAD DEATH

James Dowley passed away at noon to-day as a result of injuries received on Tuesday. Mr. Dowley was employed at the S. Hadley Co.'s factory. Tuesday afternoon he was struck in the abdomen by a plank from a saw. His injuries were not considered serious and a couple of the employees helped him home. Yesterday Mr. Dowley was taken worse and passed away at noon to-day.

Mr. Dowley came to this city when the Dowley factory was moved here Owen Sound. His widow survives. T. B. Dow- ley, Owen Sound, was his father. Fred. Dowley and Arthur Dowley, Toronto, are brothers.

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THE FALL CAMPAIGN BEGUN.

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A DRESS GOODS BARGAIN.—For Friday only 6 pcs fine imported ZebeLine and all wool Flaked Cheviot Suitings, 42 and 44 ins wide, costume weight, latest fall colorings, regular value 50c a yd, Friday price 38c.

LINEN CRASH TOWELING AT 5c YD.—400 yds pure-bleached linen crash toweling, regular value 7c yd, special Friday 5c.

He succeeded to the baronetcy
7. Their one child, May, mar-
ried. Gordon of the Imperial
afterwards Commodore Gor-
the Canadian naval service.
Parker died about three years

for action. . . . office

Quite so, but, in view of the "verdict" of the Stratton commission, the

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Together with number and price, we publish here a list of special Birthday Rings.

All stones mounted in 14k. gold.

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February	No. 4776—Price, \$2.50	Amethyst
March	No. 4777—Price, \$2.50	Rhododite
April	No. 4778—Price, \$2.50	Diamond
May	No. 4779—Price, \$2.50	Emerald
June	No. 4780—Price, \$2.50	Agate
July	No. 4781—Price, \$2.50	Ruby
August	No. 4782—Price, \$2.50	Sardonyx
September	No. 4783—Price, \$2.50	Sapphire
October	No. 4784—Price, \$2.50	Opal
November	No. 4785—Price, \$2.50	Topaz
December	No. 4786—Price, \$2.50	Quartz

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Radley's Cough Cure

25c per Bottle

Is the best preparation on the market for Coughs and Colds.

Township Councils.

CAMDEN COUNCIL.

Council met Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 21 and 22; all members present.

Accounts and communications were read.

By-law for closing up part of 5 and 6 sideroad in 5th Con. read and introduced.

Parties heard in reference to closing said road.

Elzy Robinson applied for privilege to straighten north branch of Pike's Creek through lot 5, Con. 2.—Granted.

Court of revision on Baxter drain opened at 10.30 a. m., and adjourned until Oct. 6th.

Com'r Paul reported completion of Young-Greenwood drain.

Revisions on Norton drain was opened.

The appeals were heard and the following changes made:—

The assessment on s. e. 1st lot 1, 3, reduced \$20.

The assessment on n. e. pt. lot 2, increased \$12.

The assessment on s. w. pt. lot 3, Con. 2, increased \$6.

The assessment on n. w. pt., n. e. pt. lot 2, Con. 2, increased \$2.

Communication from T. p. of Zone, re Base Line award, was read and placed on file.

The Clerk was instructed to notify Zone T. p. to pay over to Camden's treasurer the amount due.

Zone on Base Line award, as per engineer's certificate.

Report of engineer on Crowell's Creek drain, served on Reeve of Camden, by Zone T. p., was read and adopted.

Application of Alfred Brown for title to place in road ditch. Left with Com'r Stewart.

Court of Revision on Dunlop drain was opened at three o'clock p. m.

The ratepayers appeared and signed agreement to pay all costs so far incurred if Council would abandon the work.—Granted.

Application of Hugh McPeagan for title to drain Camden-Chatham Township line; left with commissioner division No. 4.

Engineer's report on Cryderman drain read and adopted.

Engineer's report on Drummond's Creek drain served on Camden by Dawn Township read and adopted.

Norton drain by same read third time and finally passed.

Petition from Jas. Blackburn and other for a new drain read and adopted.

Reeve and Clerk and Township Solicitor appointed a committee to revise Township by-laws.

Tuesday, Sept. 22, at 10.30 a. m., the Court of Revision on Holsome drain was opened. Appeals were read, evidence taken and Court adjourned until Monday, October 5th, 1936.

Commissioner McCutcheon reported sale of McLeinly drain, Vance drain and McDonald-Badder drain. Reports adopted.

The following rates were struck for year 1936—County rate 17 mills, general school rate 17 mills, Dawn Mills bridge rate 1.2 mills, Township rate 4 mills.

Council made grant of \$30 to Camden Agricultural Society.

By-law on Cryderman drain read first and second time and provisionally adopted.

At three o'clock p. m. the Court of Revision on Runcom drain was opened. Appeals read and evidence taken and Court confirmed engineer's assessment and allowed Jos. Wannamaker to straighten Runcom drain across his property and allow him his assessment for benefit when he did the work to the satisfaction of the commissioner.

By-law on Runcom drain was finally passed.

The following accounts were paid: T. G. Sayers, repairs to buggy broken in culvert on 7th con., \$1.

C. H. Gordon, publishing notice closing up 5 and 6 sideroad, con. 5, \$4.

Drs. Rutherford and Rutherford, for medical attendance on one E. H. Good, indigent, \$30.

J. W. Stewart, hire of men on Cryderman drain, \$11.

By-law for closing up part of 5 and 6 sideroad in con. 5, was read a second time, and proceeding adjourned until Monday, Oct. 5th, 1936.

Council adjourned.

M. S. BLACKBURN,
Township Clerk.

APPENDICITIS

Increase of This Terrible Disease
Charged up to Indigestion—Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets the One Sure Preventive.

So eminent an authority as Dr. Sir James Crichton-Brown has declared that Appendicitis, the terror of the present age, is caused by indigestion. In a lecture delivered recently in London, England, he said:

"The increase of Appendicitis is largely due to indigestion resulting from imperfect mastication and the hurried methods of living."

In plain words, this means keep your stomach right and you need have no fear of Appendicitis. And Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will make and keep the stomach right. That's the experience of everyone who has used them. Hene Trudel, a student of Three Rivers, Que., says:

"I had indigestion so badly that I was discouraged and had resolved to give up my studies when an advertisement induced me to try Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They made me better. To-day I have no headache, no pain, no weariness. I am cured." Take these two statements together and they prove conclusively that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the one sure safeguard against Appendicitis.

The rising generation owes much to the inventor of the alarm clock. If vanity were a deadly disease, every underfaker would buy fast horses.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

Wee MALLERSON.

(By J. B. J. B.—ll of the Finnan Haddis School of Literature.)

When Robert came home from the day's work Mary said solemnly: "Robert, I want you to punish McPherson and give him a good spanking."

"Dad, ay! The wean's fine. I'll no skelp him," replied Robert with a fond glance at wee McPherson, who was asleep on small pieces of the cat's tail.

"He's a wee Mollie doon the well, an' she was sair drookit an' about drooned."

"He's the wean," said the father, though with a cautious admiration.

"Whit dae ye want me to dae? I canna skelp him."

"Ye munna gie him any curran'-cake the night, he dianna deserve it. Tell him so, Robert, McPherson, stop mutilating the cat, an' do wot to your paw."

"Aweel," said Robert, gloomily. "Come here, noo, McPherson."

Wee McPherson finished the cat's tail with one last nip and walked over cockily to his parent. "Whit ye do a cat greet when ye cut aff its tail, paw?"

"McPherson," said Robert, affecting severity, "yer maw is fair affrontit. Whit ye did ye trun wee Mollie doon the well? Didda ye ken she canna soom?"

"Whit wey canna she soom, paw?"

"Fine wean!" said Robert.

"Haud yer tongue!" spoke up Mary.

"He's no fine."

"McPherson," said Robert, nervously, "ye maw says ye are no fine, an' ye are no to have any curran'-cake the night."

"Boo-hoo!" bawled McPherson, and Robert went with him. "Mary?" he whispered, "I'm thinkin' the wean's been punished enough. He's unco tender of hairt, Dad, ay!"

"Hoots, mon! But aweel!" replied Mary. "Ye may gie him the curran'-cake noo, Robert."

Wee McPherson seized the curran'-cake and retired triumphantly to a corner, followed by the fond glances of both parents.

"He's such a wee devil!" murmured Mary, softly.

"Dad, ay!" said Robert.

GLOSSARY.

"Bawl," to cry.

"Cat," a domestic animal.

"Cockily," partly.

"Gloomily," moodily.

"Paw," father.

"The," definite article.

"Trun," to throw.

"Weep," to shed tears.

"Well," a water supply.

"Work," labor.—Chicago "Tribune."

Overcoming the Obstacle.

"Yes," said the young man who was taking the young woman for an auto ride, "the auto has its advantages; but still there is a great difference between it and the good old horse."

"Oh, yes; I suppose there is," answered the young woman.

"For instance," went on the young man, "with the horse, when one was driving with what is known as the Department of Sea Alps in France, the strip of mountainous country which lies along the Mediterranean east of Marseilles. The soil, the climate, and the sloping hillsides facing the southern sun, make this a most favorable location for the cultivation of flowers, and the annual harvest is about 6,000,000 pounds of roses, 5,000,000 pounds of carnations, 1,000,000 pounds of violets, 9,000,000 pounds of lilies, 600,000 pounds of tuberoses, and other flowers in proportion. These flowers are mostly raised by peasants, who own small farms and do their own work. They sell their crop of flowers to the agents of Paris perfumery manufacturers, and train-loads are shipped to that city every night during the season, just as milk from the Western farms is shipped to the creameries. When there is an abundant harvest, the buyers will pay six cents a pound for rose leaves, seven cents for orange blossoms, twenty-five cents for jasmynes, fifty cents for violets, and similar rates for other flowers. After the day's harvest is done, the flowers are dumped upon tables or benches and the stems are nipped close, but the leaves that protect the blossoms are allowed to remain, because otherwise they will quickly, and freshness is desirable. Each leaf contains only a particle of oil, and it takes a great many particles to make an ounce. It requires 32,000 pounds of rose leaves, or 5,000,000 single blossoms, to make one pound of rose oil, and 40,000 pounds of violets, or 12,000,000 flowers, to make a pound of violet oil, and one may judge of the enormous amount of flowers that are gathered annually for this purpose when it is known that the perfumers of Paris consume nearly a million pounds of the oil of flowers every year."

"Oh-h-h-h! you awful thing!" exclaimed the blushing young woman.

"They speel along in silence for several miles. At last the timid young thing said:

"But I should think that difficulty could be easily overcome."

"What difficulty?" asked the young man.

"Why, that—what you said about the times when the men took the girls driving behind a horse, and—when they wrapped the lines about the whip, and when they—they—oh, when they did what you say they did."

"I don't see how it could be overcome," said the youth. "If you stop the auto it's liable to start up of itself and upset you in the ditch, and a fellow simply has to keep both hands busy while it is in motion."

"I know," faltered the girl; "but—but it seems to me there would be a way."

"I'd like to know what it is."

"Well, couldn't the girl—couldn't she hug—hug the man?"

Items of Interest.

(With acknowledgments to the "Informative" journals.)

In England two-and-sixpence is equivalent to half a crown.

There will be seven days in next week. Roughly speaking, there are twenty-four hours to every day. Statistics show that three hundred and sixty-five of these days go to make up a year.

In North street, Kentish Town, there are only five lamp-posts and five lamps. This is not unlike a street in Bishop Auckland, where there are six lamp-posts and six lamps.

In connection with the Stockbrokers' walk to Brighton it may be noted that there are 1,700 yards in a mile. A mile is one of our accepted standards of measurement.

Decimal coinage is accepted in France. The English value of a franc is slightly under tenpence. Our own shilling is, of course, worth rather over two-pence more.

The present Edward is the seventh who has ruled over England. His predecessor of the same name was Edward VI.—"Punch."

His Great Sorrow.

"I am so worried about baby," says the fond young mother to the proud young father. "What's the matter? He isn't sick, is he?" asked the husband, with some natural alarm showing itself on his countenance. "No, but he is beginning to talk, and—"

"And what does he have an impediment in his speech?" "No. Worse than that. He says things that don't sound any more sensible than the choruses to the popular songs!" That night, with strained, tearless eyes, a man and woman sat by a little crib, wondering why this great sorrow should come upon them.—Chicago "Tribune."

Poet (with emotion)—All people seem to scorn my poetry—but I suppose when I die everyone will go into raptures. Editor—Oh, yes—at least, all the editors will, I should think.

Nice old man—Good heavens, boy! Are you smoking? Muggs—Me smokin'! Say, de very suspicion cuts me t' de quick. Why, I'm just keepin' dis butt lighted in case de guy who dropped it comes back.—New York "Sun."

The Dinner Pail

Of the American working man is generally well filled. In some cases it is too well filled. It contains too many kinds of food, and very often the food is of the wrong kind—hard to digest and containing little nutrition.

As a consequence many a working man develops some form of stomach trouble which interferes with his health and reduces his working capacity.

Where there is indigestion or any other indication of disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will invariably produce a perfect and permanent cure.

Mr. Thomas A. Swanson, of Columbus, O., writes: "I was taken with severe indigestion, then cramps, then flatulency, then constipation, and my food would not digest, then kidney and liver trouble and my back got weak so I could not do my work. I had become so poorly I could only walk to the house by the aid of a chair, and I got so thin I had given up all thinking that I could not be cured. The first bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and a new man out of myself. The first bottle helped me so I thought I would get another six weeks, I was weighed, and found I had gained twenty-seven (27) pounds. I am as stout and healthy today, I think, as I ever was."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Where Perfumes Come From.

William E. Curtis declares that ninety per cent. of the perfumery used in the world comes from what is known as the Department of Sea Alps in France, the strip of mountainous country which lies along the Mediterranean east of Marseilles. The soil, the climate, and the sloping hillsides facing the southern sun, make this a most favorable location for the cultivation of flowers, and the annual harvest is about 6,000,000 pounds of roses, 5,000,000 pounds of carnations, 1,000,000 pounds of violets, 9,000,000 pounds of lilies, 600,000 pounds of tuberoses, and other flowers in proportion. These flowers are mostly raised by peasants, who own small farms and do their own work. They sell their crop of flowers to the agents of Paris perfumery manufacturers, and train-loads are shipped to that city every night during the season, just as milk from the Western farms is shipped to the creameries. When there is an abundant harvest, the buyers will pay six cents a pound for rose leaves, seven cents for orange blossoms, twenty-five cents for jasmynes, fifty cents for violets, and similar rates for other flowers. After the day's harvest is done, the flowers are dumped upon tables or benches and the stems are nipped close, but the leaves that protect the blossoms are allowed to remain, because otherwise they will quickly, and freshness is desirable. Each leaf contains only a particle of oil, and it takes a great many particles to make an ounce. It requires 32,000 pounds of rose leaves, or 5,000,000 single blossoms, to make one pound of rose oil, and 40,000 pounds of violets, or 12,000,000 flowers, to make a pound of violet oil, and one may judge of the enormous amount of flowers that are gathered annually for this purpose when it is known that the perfumers of Paris consume nearly a million pounds of the oil of flowers every year.

How Nordica Stood Up for Duss.

Atlantic City society is excited over a snub administered by Mme. Nordica and Edouard de Reszke, who appeared there the other day in concert. It occurred to several leaders that it would be a nice thing to entertain the singers. The details were worked out by Mrs. Wilfred Lawson Peel, and Frank Weldon, acting for Mrs. Peel, issued invitations to Mme. Nordica and M. de Reszke. The singers accepted, and elaborate preparations were made for the affair. Society people were on hand to meet the artists, but they did not appear, or send excuses. When the guests realized the situation, they were thoroughly disgusted and chagrined. It appears that when Mme. Nordica and M. de Reszke accepted the invitations they supposed that John S. Duss, with whose band they are traveling, had also been invited. When they learned that Mr. Duss had not been invited, they resolved not to go.

"And you don't see Reggie any more?" "No; he has ceased to interest me."

"Dear, dear! And how does he take it?" "That's what I'm divine to know."

SAND and GRAVEL

Having the tug "Vick" and a san scow, I am prepared to enter into contracts for the supply of sand and gravel at lowest prices. Apply to

Capt. V. Robinson

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians.

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—

Perry O'Dell & Dee—Sept. 22, 23 and 24.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer,"—Sept. 29.

Side Tracked.—Oct. 6.

Pauline & Co.—Oct. 12-19.

Lycium Course.—Oct. 26.

SADIE MARTINOT.—Oct. 27.

Firemen's Benefit.—Oct. 29.

Over Niagara Falls.—Oct. 30.

Perry, O'Dell and Dee's Comedians drew a packed house for the Grand last night, and all who witnessed the performance were more than pleased, which will assure another bumper house to-night. Manager Dee deserves credit, as he has one of the best high class vaudeville shows that ever toured Chatham and will always be welcomed to Chatham at any time.

The program consists of eleven acts, and every one of them is worthy of especial mention.

Mr. Hugh V. and Bessie Lee had probably the best act on the program. To-night will be the last engagement of the Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians at Chatham, and a good big house is looked for, as the company are very deserving.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

COMEDIANS TO-NIGHT.

Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians and Vaudeville Company will appear here on Fair Nights. This company enjoys the reputation of a splendid evening's entertainment. Speaking of their appearance in Guelph the Daily Herald says:—Perry, O'Dell & Dee's Comedians opened a four nights' engagement at the Royal Opera House, and by the applause the artists received, went to show that the audience was more than pleased with the performance. Among those taking part was Baby Bonnie Des, the youngest actress on the stage to-day. W. B. Debel which is intensely interesting and very clever. The balance of the company goes up to a very high standard, and all the acts brought forth loud applause. This entertainment is one of the best and cleanest of the kind that has ever visited this city, and should draw large houses." The press all over the country seem to have nothing but praise for the performance given by the Perry, O'Dell & Dee Company, and a most satisfactory engagement is looked forward to upon their appearance here.

They appear at the Grand to-night with a complete change of program.

ELABORATE PRODUCTION OF

"QUINCY ADAMS SAWYER."

The dramatization by Mr. Just'n Adams of the "best New England story ever written" and one of the most popular and best selling books of the day, entitled "Quincy Adams Sawyer," which will be given with the new production and cast as seen at the Academy of Music in the big New York run, at Grand Opera House on Tuesday, Sept. 29, is presented by a carefully selected company of well known artists and is given in four acts and five scenes, all specially built and painted for this production. The first act is the interior of Benoni Hill's grocery store and the village post-office at Mason's Corner; the first scene of the second act is the cross-roads between Eastborough and Mason's Corner; the second scene of the second act is Mrs. Putnam's "settin'-room" at the Putnam farm; the third act is at the Pettengill farm-yard, showing an old-fashioned husking bee in the great barn and the fourth act is the interior and exterior of the Pettengill household, showing a good old New England snow storm.



G. W. CORNELL
DENTIST
Corner Sixth and King Street,
Over the Bee Hive.
Phone 317.

TO-NIGHT.

Bazaar, St. Joseph's Hall, Cross St., at 7.
Daughters of Rebekah, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.
Perry, O'Dell & Deo, Grand Opera House, at 8.15.
Meeting of officers 24th Regiment in office of J. B. Rankin.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—11 a. m.—Fresh northwesterly winds, partly cloudy and much cooler. Friday, cooler; frost in early morning; fair and cool with moderate variable winds.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Barometer 29.52.
Thermometer 43.
Highest yesterday 79.
Lowest yesterday 41.
Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Just in, select Oysters, at Wigzell's. Mrs. A. Paupet, of Dresden, is a city visitor to-day.

L. F. Baker, of Walkerville, was in the city yesterday.

Oysters served in any style at Wigzell's.

John C. Way, of North Buxton, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

A. W. Grant, of Windsor, is spending the day at the Chatham Fair.

Postmaster Baker, of Tupperville, spent yesterday at the Peninsular Fair.

Wait for special sale Saturday at Thibodeau & Jacques. Particulars to-morrow.

James Hicks, of St. Thomas, is spending a couple of days with his son, Dr. A. A. Hicks, of this city.

Thamesville bowlers visited Bothwell yesterday afternoon, and were victorious in a friendly game there.

Samuel Chew, of Midland, who has been visiting Mrs. Albert Bogart, Queen street, for the past three weeks, has returned home.

Anniversary Concert, St. Andrew's Church, Monday, Sept. 28th. An excellent program, comprising choruses, quartets and solos, will be given.

There will be no lacrosse game at the Fair this afternoon. Capt. Frank Babcock found it impossible to arrange with any club to come here. Wallaceburg, Detroit and Thamesville were all asked to come but none of them could make arrangements to come.

Last night the gale of wind blew refuse paper from the rear of the Opera House block onto King street. There was a great deal of paper and besides littering the street, it made the thoroughfare dangerous to drive upon. This morning Chief Pritchard notified the tenants and they had the paper destroyed.

The funeral of the late Mrs. George Merriman was conducted this afternoon by Rev. J. J. Ross, of St. Catharines. It was very largely attended. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. H. Oldershaw, H. Macaulay, Wm. Foy, J. McConnell, J. W. Dyer and O. J. Dolson.

Lost, on September 23rd, between the Fair Ground, Chatham, and St. Joseph's Hall, Cross street, a lady's gold watch, medium size, chased Hunting case, short heavy silver chain with friendship heart attached, initials J. H. O. R. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Miss Alice Doyle, Chatham, or to The Planet Office.

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NOTICE.

Two story brick house and one acre of land just outside of the city limits for sale. Nine rooms—bath, furnace, city water, large verandah, fine stable, hen house, etc. The above is a most desirable property.

The house having been built two years ago, is modern and up-to-date in every way. The owner is anxious to sell as he is leaving Chatham. Better look this up soon as it will not be in the market long. Money to Loan on Real Estate.

DUNN & MERRITT,
5th Street. Phone 295

Eye Strain

is responsible for much suffering that is called headache, biliousness, dyspepsia, vertigo, etc. Besides this, many school children are the dull child is handicapped by an error of refraction in the eyes or muscular insufficiency, which is hourly exhausting the nervous energy of the child to the detriment of his or her progress in studies and reputation as a diligent student. If your child appears dull—does not seem as smart as other children, call in and let our optician examine the eyes. If there is nothing wrong it will cost you nothing to find it out.

A. I. McCall & Co., Ltd.

Chatham and Dresden. DRUGGISTS and OPTICIANS.

Judge Woods will hold division court in Ridgetown to-morrow.

P. L. and D. Gilbert, of Ridgetown, were in the city yesterday.

T. N. Wells, of the Dresden Times, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Isaac Brown, of Blenheim, is spending a couple of days in town.

Miss Hamblay, of Cedar Springs, is visiting Miss Rose Trewin, Gray street.

R. E. Bennett and Owen McKay, of Walkerville, were Chatham visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Essex Centre, are visiting Mrs. George Cracker, Head street.

R. R. McKellar, M. C. Campbell and D. L. Cameron, of Glenora are attending the Peninsular Fair.

A meeting of the officers of the 24th Regiment will be held this evening in the office of J. B. Rankin.

H. E. Harmer, Nelson Graves and D. J. Davies, of Thamesville, were registered at the C. P. R. Hotel yesterday.

Thos. Syer was cross-examined on his affidavit to continue the injunction in Syer et al vs. the village of Thamesville. W. E. Gundy appeared for the plaintiff and J. B. Rankin for the defendant.

The funeral of the late Frederick Robinson took place yesterday at the Maple Leaf cemetery. The pall bearers were M. Houston, Chief Holmes, W. Lambert, T. H. Baxter, W. H. Gonne, and J. H. Bogart.

Women Who Insure.

According to a successful woman insurance agent of Chicago, more and more insurance is being taken out by women every year. "They are now considered good risks" she says.

"Whereas formerly a woman had to pay an extra premium to secure insurance. About six years ago that hindrance was removed, and now nearly all of the life insurance companies accept them on the same basis as men. One of the old conservative companies just yielded the point a few weeks ago, but still makes an exception to married women, as several of the other companies do. The mortality among women is not greater than among men, and their liability to accident is not so great. As for the class of women that take out insurance, I suppose that trained nurses and women physicians have a larger percentage than have other professions. After come the teachers in schools, then dressmakers, milliners, cashiers, clerks in department stores, and others, but very few stenographers. It is a singular thing that we always find it difficult to convince a stenographer of the value of life insurance. Professional women are more apt to insure than others, and insurance has recently become popular among actresses. They are taking out twenty-year endowment policies as investments for old age. As a rule, actresses do not save their money, and do not have anything left after their popularity has passed.

We insure a good many women in private life also. It is becoming quite common, and very soon as many women as men will take out policies upon their lives, particularly those who have others dependent upon them."

Mrs. Leland Stanford, it is said, carries a larger amount of insurance than any other woman in the world. Her policies amount to more than a million dollars. Mrs. Frank O. Lowden of Chicago carries \$250,000, probably more than any other woman in the West, and Mrs. McReynolds carries \$200,000. Helen Gould and one of her sisters have \$100,000 each. Anna Held carries \$100,000; Mrs. Leslie Carter, \$60,000; Nordie, \$60,000; Maud Adams, \$35,000; Blanche Walsh, \$10,000; Katherine Grey, \$10,000; Blanche Bates, \$10,000; Maxine Elliott, \$10,000; Lulu Glaser, \$10,000; Pauline Hall, \$10,000; Laura Joyce, \$10,000; and others similar amounts.

Science and Religion.

The last word from science is that each of us actually contains both good and bad microbes, and that the two parties are constantly at war. This seems, says New York "Life," to bear out Dr. Lyman Abbott, who maintains that hell is within us.

Very Forgetful.

—That family next door is the limit for borrowing things. Maccan—What have they been after now?

Bacon—One of their lady guests at dinner on Sunday forgot her teeth, and they came over to borrow my wife's—Philadelphia "Telegraph."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

WEDDING STATIONERY

—The latest in Wedding Stationery and Cake Boxes can be had at the PLANET Office.

Offers to Sell Stonehenge.

Sir Edmund Antrobus has, through Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice, Chairman of the County Council of Wiltshire, made a definite offer to sell Stonehenge and eight acres of the land occupied by these magnificent Druidic ruins to the English Government for \$350,000, on the understanding that they will be preserved for the nation. Some years ago Sir Edmund made an offer to dispose of Stonehenge and twenty acres of the land on which the great stones stand for \$750,000 to any one who is willing to pay that price, and a great alarm was expressed lest some American multi-millionaire might purchase the celebrated megalithic monument and carry them off to the United States. But fear has not been realized. Sir Edmund's desire to get rid of Stonehenge is in no small measure due to the annoyance which he has been subjected in the last few years in connection therewith.

It was shortly after his accession to the baronetcy and estates on the death of his father in 1880 that he determined to surround Stonehenge, which forms part of his property, by a high stone wall, and to charge an admission fee of 25 cents, his object being to protect the stones from the depredations of the public, which they were being subjected by people without any reverence for the hoary past. Moreover, some of the stones were in danger of falling he feared that the might of anybody being injured thereby he might be held financially responsible.

Exception, however, was taken to his attitude. It was said that inasmuch as Stonehenge had been open to the world since English history began, the public had acquired a right to see the stones, and every portion of the grounds on which the stones stood, and likewise a proprietary interest in the stones themselves. Therefore, it was pointed out that anything in the shape of a modern inclosure destroyed the spell created by the aspect of those immense stones standing alone in strange midst of a vast, open, rolling plain. And the result was that not only the general public but likewise men of culture interested in the preservation of national monuments raised a fund with the object of testing the offer to sell Stonehenge. The proprietors of the ruins, but it is not to be known whether with a wife fence.

Sails of "Length Chasers."

In view of the talk about the immense spread of canvas on the Reliance and the new Shamrock, it will be interesting to learn that in Australia a little 22-foot rock-sheep-like Wonga carries 3,425 square feet of canvas, and she is running MacLaurin, a well-known New South Wales yachtsman.

"Length Chasers," as they are known in Australia, says—"They are extraordinary affairs. They are known in the type of 10, 14, 18 and 22 feet. The type with powerful bodies, carry the most colossal sails ever put upon mortal fabric of wood, iron and copper. To give Yankee yachtsmen some idea of what the sizes of these sails really are, I append the dimensions of the 22-footer Wonga—

Length over all 22 feet
Beam 11 feet, 8 inches
Depth 7 feet, 8 inches
Sail Area.

Mainmast 700 square feet
Jib 200 square feet
Spinnaker 100 square feet
Halteroon 50 square feet
Ringsail 50 square feet
Topsail 100 square feet
Jib topsail 100 square feet

Spar.

Mast 34 feet 6 inches
Boom 33 feet 6 inches
Bowsprit 21 feet 6 inches
Spinnaker pole 44 feet outward

"One need hardly remark that to handle these gigantic masses of sail extraordinary skill is necessary. The crew of the Reliance has grown so does the skill seen in the past competition."

"For a man standing on a platform like the forepeak of a 22-footer to reef a 700 square foot sail, and shove it forward in the tack of the spinnaker, run up the sail—a thousand square feet of canvas—is a feat of strength and moment which would carry him flying into the water about after reaching the mark."

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THE MARKET REPORTS.

Big Fall in Wheat—The Live Stock and Cheese Trade.

Wednesday Eve., Sept. 23.

Toronto St. Lawrence Markets.

The grain receipts at St. Lawrence Market to-day amounted to 2,300 bushels.

Wheat—Six hundred bushels of white sold at \$2.00 to \$2.05; 100 of red sold at \$2.00 to \$2.05.

Barley—Fifteen hundred bushels sold at \$1.00 to \$1.05.

Oats—Five hundred bushels of new sold at \$1.00 to \$1.05; 100 of old brought \$1.00 to \$1.05.

Dressed Hogs—Trade is quiet and the movement continues light. Quotations are unchanged at \$7.50 to \$8 per cwt. for choice light weights.

Straw—Thirty-five loads of No. 1 timothy sold at \$9 to \$11 per ton.

Straw—One load sold at \$11 per ton.

Cheese Markets.

Pieton, Sept. 23.—To-day ten factories boarded 740 boxes. Highest bid, 11½c. No sales.

Peterboro, Sept. 23.—Five thousand and four hundred and forty-seven cheese boards, first half of September make, all colored. The price to-day was of wide range, from usual, being from 11½c to 12½c. About four-fifths realized 12½c, and over one-third on the board sold for 12½c.

Eight factories unsold, refusing offers of 11½c to 12c.

Stirling, Sept. 23.—At Stirling Cheese Board to-day 700 boxes were boarded. Sales—Hodgson, 500 at 11½c; balance refused 11½c.

Woodstock, Sept. 23.—At the Cheese Board meeting here to-day there were 2,250 boxes of cheese offered, and cheese boarded; 11½c was bid. No sales.

Madison, Sept. 23.—At Madoc to-night 900 boxes of cheese were offered; \$50 sold at 12½c; balance refused this.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Sept. 23.—Business was good at the Montreal Stock Yards, Point St. Charles, to-day. Receipts of cattle were 600 head. Prices ranged as follows: Choice butchers, 4c to 4½c; good, 3½c to 3¾c; medium, 2¾c to 3c; common, 1½c to 2c; canners, none.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts were 300, and there was a good demand. Calves brought \$2 to \$3 each, according to quality.

Sheep—Receipts were 1,200 head. Sheep sold at 3c to 3½c, and lambs at 3½c to 4c. The demand was good.

Hogs—Receipts were 1,000. Prices ranged at \$4 to \$6 on a strong market. There was a fair trade in all lines, and the demand was steady.

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CHIEF SICK HEADACHE.

Hugging an Illusion.

The newspaper editors and very special correspondents who have lately been discussing Papal possibilities with such owlish gravity, must have felt rather cheap when the news came that Giuseppe Sartio, whom they had never even heard of, had been elected as the two hundred and sixty-fourth Pope, under the name of Pius the Tenth—a name, by the way, endowed with no particular odor of sanctity by its last Papal possessor. But the new Pius seems to be a man of character. "Cautious," "religiose," "mild-mannered," "pious," "a country mouse," "quiet," "kind-hearted," "liberal," "timid"—these are some of the epithets applied to the late Patriarch of Venice and new Pope of Rome. The same authorities, however, deny him political shrewdness, diplomatic craft, and executive ability. They predict that he will be not a statesmanly but a "religious" Pontiff.

All interest at this time, of course, centers on the policy of Pius with reference to the Italian Government. It is already clear that it will differ in no vital particular from that of Leo the Thirteenth. The new Pontiff is even quoted as saying significantly: "My first pleasure will be to explore the gardens which now confine my little world. Heigh ho! How I shall miss my long country tramps—and the sea!" This, if authentic, shows plainly enough that Pius, like Leo, will be a prisoner in the Vatican. Doubtless, however, as the despatches indicate, his personal liking for the King and Queen, especially the latter, will make the relations between Quirinal and Vatican smoother and more amicable than heretofore.

It is not an altogether admirable policy this, that the Pope is about to continue in the twentieth century. He himself cuts not a very dignified figure. He is "an alien and an enemy in the modern Catholic country of Europe." A play monarch in a toy monarchy, playing at ruling a few score soldiers and servants—a man of supposed intelligence, shutting his eyes to fact, and hugging fast an illusion—deaf to common sense, but with ears open to moss-grown tradition—mediæval in the midst of modernity—nursing a grievance, and longing for the impossible—such is the Pontiff Maximus, scarcely more impressive than that noble person named Fitz-James, who lays claim to the throne of England as a lineal descendant of the Young Pretender. The temporal power of the Pope can never be won back; should Italy cede back the Papal States, the Pope could not rule them; they were ill-ruling when they were his. Yet the moldering institution of Papal sovereignty clings desperately to the last vestige of its vanished power, ever hoping, denying, as it were, the sun at noon—"Argonaut."

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THE DOCTOR'S LARGEST FEE.

A Tale of a Rural Practitioner.

Th

e doctor was a good doctor—too good for Bancroft, it was sometimes said—but his wife asserted that, however able he might be in other ways, he was no financier. He kept no books, and in payment for his services was willing to accept, in lieu of cash fees, anything that his patients might be inclined to offer.

Sometimes this proved a convenient arrangement; more often, however, it was not, for the village people soon learned that it was only too easy to impose upon the kind-hearted, gentle old doctor. They loved him, of course—they could not help doing that—but apparently the village conscience slept when it came to settling with the easy-going physician.

There were those who said that the reason he submitted so tamely to being underpaid was because he feared to risk making his patients ill again by demanding larger fees. The truth of the matter was, however, that the overworked doctor undervalued his own worth.

But, James, would you remonstrate, "it's all very well to take it out in potatoes, but you know just as well as I do that Timothy Peck always sells his best potatoes, and brings us only the little undersized ones that nobody would touch. Those large ones weren't bigger than marbles. You must stand up for your rights."

But the doctor, apparently unmoved by these protests, continued to accept his patients' excuses along with their offerings of wormy apples, bread that was full of knots, eggs that were more than doubtful, and milk that was guilty of cream. The Bronsons were ever short of ready money, but all their other wants were, in a measure, supplied, if not always to the Bronson's satisfaction.

"I really need a new horse," said the doctor one morning, as he stepped into his shabby buggy to make his usual round of visits. "The old one is pretty sure to give out before the summer is over."

The "old" which was a colt only by courtesy, being twenty-two years of age and old for his years, certainly looked as if he might give out at any moment. He limped slightly, he was blind in one eye, and something was wrong with his breathing apparatus. His owner drove him with the utmost tenderness, but it was plain that the doctor needed a new horse, and that without delay.

"Here's a letter for you, father!" called Cleely, the Bronson's only daughter, as the doctor turned in at the gate that noon. "I'll put it at your place at the table, so you can read it while you are eating the beans that Mrs. Plaker Sam is giving you for setting Johnny's leg."

"Now really," said the doctor, when he had read the letter, "this is very fortunate. I've tried all the spring not to wish that Sam Peters would fall ill, but it's been a great temptation for me to be the only person I could think of that would be likely to pay him with a horse. But it seems, my dears, that Sam was not my only dependence, after all. This note is from a man who has no cash to pay what he owes me, so he is sending me a driving horse—a nice, quiet horse, he says."

"A quiet horse? Humph!" said Mrs. Bronson, with mild sarcasm. "He probably means that the horse is dead. You'd better see what you're getting before you make any bargain with him."

"I'm afraid," said the doctor, apologetically, "that it is too late for that, for the man is already on his way to New York, and the horse is to be delivered to-day. Now what did that man's wife tell me about that horse? Really, it seems so long ago that I have forgotten, but that the man was in some sort of business—I forget just what—and when his employer failed—or the concern broke up—this man's wages were paid in horses. Yes, that was it, in horses. His wife, a pretty little woman, was ill for months, eight months, the carp road at a farmhouse near Clevery's—the business went to pieces at Clevery's—and those people seem to think that the woman owes her life to me."

"I guess they think right, too," said Cleely, who approved of her father with all her sixteen-year-old soul. "Isn't she the person that you sat up with for six consecutive nights when she had pneumonia? You deserve a dozen horses as a reward for all the beautiful, unselfish things you do."

The doctor smiled gratefully at this tribute. For all the years of his married life he had cherished a mild ambition to show Mrs. Bronson that he was really a better financier than she.

No one suspected it—Mrs. Bronson least of all—but the unappreciated doctor was exceedingly sensitive over his repeated failures in the matter of fees, and he longed after a very human fashion to show his family that he was at least capable of a business man as a physician.

The opportunity, however, seemed slow in coming. While everyone admitted his medical skill, there seemed to be grave doubts concerning his executive ability. All through the spring each bargain had proved worse than the preceding one.

Before the doctor had finished his meal the horse arrived, and was tethered to the hitching-post outside the gate. Impetuous Cleely rushed out at once to make his acquaintance. At sight of him, however, the girl stared in amazement.

"Oh!" she gasped, gazing at the doctor's latest fee. "That man said he was quiet, but he certainly doesn't look it. Why, positively, he is quite the loudest-looking horse I ever saw."

Cleely was right. However mild the horse might prove in disposition, he was anything but quiet in appearance. His cream-colored surface was irregularly marked with large reddish-brown blotches, his left side resembled a map of the eastern hemisphere, and a brownish patch on his hind countenance, shaped not unlike the arms of Russia, gave his face a curiously distorted expression. He was certainly not a prepossessing horse, and it was not surprising that Mrs. Bronson regarded him with consternation when she, too, joined the little group at the gate.

"James," said she, in an accusing voice—"It was some moments before she could summon a voice of any sort—'was that man's late employer by any chance the proprietor of the circus that disbanded in Clevery last year?'"

"Now you mention it, my dear," said the doctor, mildly, "I recall that that is exactly who he was. The man succeeded in selling one of his horses, and it seems

to me he said he could get a good price for the one if he could only bring it to the right market. He said in his note that his wife was anxious to get home to her own people, and that he didn't see his way clear to selling the horse. No one in Clevery seemed to care to buy the animal."

"I'm not surprised," said Mrs. Bronson. "His looks are decidedly against him."

"Still," said Cleely, whose darkest cloud always had its silver lining, "he is much better than a lion or a hyena. Suppose that this scrobbled and his wife had been obliged to take their pay in monkeys or giraffes or bo-constrictors! Where would the poor Bronsons have been then? I think we've had a fortunate escape."

The horse, except for a few peculiarities, proved an excellent animal. He was gentle and tractable, a good traveler, and he seemed to be possessed of more than ordinary intelligence. The townspeople soon became accustomed to the gorgeousness of his exterior, and the Bronsons would have forgotten that he had once been a circus horse had it not been for a certain singular trick which he frequently played.

If he happened to happen to twitch the reins in a certain way, the horse, whose name was Aladdin, would suddenly stop short wherever he happened to be, and regardless of both harness and consequences, would seat himself on his haunches, with his forefeet still resting on the ground.

Nothing that the doctor could say or do would induce his colic steed to rise. Aladdin would turn his head and look back over his shoulder, as if imploring him for permission to stand on all fours; but the bewildered doctor was powerless to help him.

At last, when the horse could no longer endure his cramped and uncomfortable attitude, he would cast a final reproachful glance at his puzzled master, and, as if abandoning all hope from that quarter, would scramble to his feet and proceed on his way like any ordinary horse.

The doctor was finally obliged to use a patent harness without breeching. Aladdin's only other reprehensible trait was his custom of dancing to the music of the Clevery band. Whenever the doctor's business took him to Clevery, he found it expedient to stand on all fours, to be sure, but he would dance to the music of the Clevery band.

By his chances, it happened to be a gala day, the doctor would turn Aladdin out to grass, and would drive the ancient colt; for a summer of idleness had much improved that misnamed animal.

County fair week was approaching, and the usual the Bronsons were short of ready money. Cleely, with her elbows on the table, spent several evenings over her calculations in domestic economy for her autumn wardrobe was in need of replenishing. She had little time for embroidery, and the only thing she had ever painted was, as she said laughingly, the front fence.

"No," she said, "I'm afraid this family doesn't boast a single exhibitable possession, unless—Father!"

"Could you possibly get along with nothing but the colt to drive all next week?"

"I suspect I shall have to," returned the doctor. "The brass bands in the county are coming for the fair. Aladdin dances pretty well for a horse, but it's hard on the buggy."

"Then," said Cleely, giving her father's hand an enthusiastic squeeze, "if you don't mind we'll exhibit him at the fair as a carriage horse. They offer beautiful prizes in the horse department. I'm sure there isn't a more noticeable horse in his being overlooked."

Aladdin did indeed attract much attention at the fair. To be sure, the judges were rather inclined at first to scoff at him because of his gaudy exterior; but partly because there was very little competition, and partly because he possessed certain points not appreciated by the careless observer, he was finally awarded a second prize.

"I'm glad," said Mrs. Bronson, when she heard of it, "that we have one financier in the family."

Before the week was over, however, even Mrs. Bronson was willing to admit that the family contained two. The three Bronsons spent Friday afternoon at the fair, and got out of all to visit their successful exhibit. Even with his scarlet ribbon, Aladdin looked far from cheerful; but Cleely felt the crisp pink premium cheque in her pocket, and swelled with pride.

"This is your horse?" asked a man, stepping up and touching his cap respectfully.

"Yes," said Cleely, who was for the moment alone. "At least, it's my father's."

"I believe I'm acquainted with that horse," said the man, with a humorous twinkle in his eyes. "Used to know him real well—lived with him, in fact. I wouldn't be surprised if I could prove it."

A stunted tree grew opposite Aladdin's stall. The man stepped up to it, broke off a switch and stripped it of its leaves. He touched the ex-circus horse lightly on the nose with the slender switch. Aladdin instantly seated himself on the ground and looked expectantly at the man. Again the switch touched the intelligent animal, this time on the nose. Up came a hoof, and the man "shook hands" with the horse.

"Throw a kiss to the ladies," said the man, touching Aladdin's nose with his hoof, and flung an equine kiss to the delighted bystanders.

"Up," said the man, with another light touch on the switch.

Aladdin, with an expression of positive gratitude, scrambled to his feet.

"Well, I declare!" said the doctor. "I've sat for half an hour at the stretch sitting in the road. I'd have saved hours if I'd just been able to guess what he expected of me. I've felt all these months as if I were a terrible disappointment to him, but I couldn't make out what he wanted me to do."

"Well," said the man, laughing, "two years ago, when I and this horse were in the circus business together, he was considered one of the brightest horses in the country. If you'll sell him, I'll give you eight hundred dollars for him—mind you, I'm not saying that he's worth more, but I happen to know where I can sell this animal and get my own price for him, and my business takes me right to that place next week. Maybe he isn't handsome, but he's got brains, this horse has."

"For my part," said Mrs. Bronson, as the family rode home behind the rejuvenated colt, "I don't know but what Aladdin under makes up for all those underlined potatoes."

At this handsome admission the doctor fairly beamed over his spectacles. Indeed, so pleased was he with his one good bargain that from that moment he felt a positive pang when the time came for him to part with that bargain, even though he received in exchange his first adequate fee—"Youth's Companion."

Smoking in Spain.

Can there be any connection between the marked degeneration of Spain and the abuse of tobacco in that country? People there smoke incessantly, under all conditions, at all hours, and in all places—excepting in church. Men smoke in the railway carriages; they smoke in all the tramcars; they smoke in all the minor theaters; they smoke in all the restaurants; in the hotel dining-rooms, and, of course, in the cafes. In business offices the railway officials the clerks in shops the shopman, while trying to sell goods to a lady, will stop to roll a cigarette, which, when lighted, he will puff in her face.

I have seen no women of the better class smoking cigarettes in public; they may smoke, but if so I suppose they do it at home. The lower-class women, including the gypsy women, smoke freely in the streets. If the cigarette habit is universal in Spain so are its sequelae. On every hand you hear the deep, hacking, pulmonary cigarette cough. Tuberculosis is rife in Spain, and while the doctors say (but what will not the doctors say?) that excessive tobacco, qua tobacco, has nothing to do with tuberculosis, they admit that "excessive tobacco brings about a condition of diathesis constituting a favorable nidus for the growth of the bacillus of tuberculosis."

In Praise of the Dog.

United States Senator Vest once paid this eloquent tribute to a dog in a suit brought against a farmer who shot his neighbor's faithful hound in malice: "The one absolutely unselfish friend that man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog. A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and in poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground, where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer; he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounter with the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him, to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies. And when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad, but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true, even in death. On the strength of this speech, it is said, the jury was so moved that it awarded the plaintiff a verdict of five hundred dollars."

A Story about Du Chailin.

He was a little man of great good humor, says the London "Daily Mail," but of very quick temper, and used to relate with satisfaction his first encounter with the late Duke of Argyll. When the skeleton of the first gorilla ever brought to Europe was on show in London the public were admitted on presentation of cards. The Duke wrote to Du Chailin that on such and such a day "the Duke of Argyll proposed to visit the gorilla."

Du Chailin at once wrote back that the gorilla was to be seen every day between certain hours, and that if the Duke of Argyll presented his card he would not doubt be admitted like the rest of the public.

Order Early.
A United States undertaker advertises: "Why live and be miserable, when you can be comfortably buried for twenty dollars!" We shall expect something of the kind over here soon. Don't be surprised when you take up your morning paper if you read this sort of thing: "Billy Morgan looked down the barrel of his daddy's gun to see where the bullet went to when it went off. The funeral was handsomely conducted by Smith & Co., who have always a large staff on hand, and are open to bury the whole neighborhood at twenty-four hours' notice. A pound of tea given away with every coffin. Order early to avoid disappointment!"

He was Useful.
"Do you think your sister likes to have me come here, Jamey?"
"You bet. You take her to the theater and bring her candles."

"I'm glad I can make her happy."

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Cause and Effect

When you feel unnaturally chilly;
When your back aches with a dull pain;
When your bowels are inactive, or when the
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DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE

Sept. 23.—Mr. Colles, the school inspector, was in town to-day. Mr. Bari Manning, who for the past two weeks has been visiting his parents here, has returned to Detroit yesterday.

Miss Minnie Badder, of Wallaceburg, is spending a few weeks with friends here.

Fred Bambridge has returned to Detroit, after spending a few days among friends here.

Mrs. L. J. Campbell, of Hammond, Ind., and formerly of this place, is the guest of old friends.

DRESDEN

Sept. 24.—Miss Sarah McVean spent Tuesday at Port Lambton. Quite a number from Dresden visited Chatham yesterday. Among the number were:—Mrs. Wm. McVean, Mrs. McPherson and daughter Mary, Miss Ethel and Miss Mae Burne, Miss A. Hughes, Miss Eva Turill, Mr. and Mrs. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Little, F. A. McKim, A. J. Davies, Robert Aiken, John Burnie, Captain Ribble and D. V. Hicks.

Wm. Sayers, who recently purchased the draying business of Abe Woods, took over the business and commenced work this morning.

Miss John McGrade, nee Miss Ella Thatcher, is visiting her mother, in North Dresden.

Wm. Johnson, of Tilbury, was a Dresden visitor last night and to-day.

Yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father, Florence,

Miss Mary Willson was united in marriage to Dr. Kelly, also of Florence. The happy couple have the best wishes of many friends in Dresden and vicinity.

The Dresden baseball team added one more victory to their 1903 list by defeating the Wallaceburg team on their own grounds yesterday afternoon. The game was a good one, as the score plainly shows, 4-2, in favor of the local boys. Young Emory, Dresden's star twirler, was in great form, having no less than 18 strikeouts to his credit.

The marriage of Mr. Allan Hopper and Miss Alice March was solemnized last night at the Methodist parsonage, Dawn Mills, Rev. Mr. Taylor being the officiating clergyman.

To-morrow, Friday, night, Perry, O'Dell & Dees' Comedians will give their one night's performance at the Grand Opera House.

Hotel Rates Reduced

The Queen's Hotel, Toronto, American plan, from \$2.50 per day, with bath from \$3.00 per day.

At Hammerfest, in Norway, there are twenty-eight days of midwinter on which the sun does not rise above the horizon.

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A CALL FOR ACTION.

TRADES CONGRESS TALKING OF A SECRET SESSION.

The Pay of Letter-carriers—Ontario Printing Bureau—Regulating the Barbers—Other Subjects Dealt With.

Brockville, Sept. 24.—There has been a great deal of talk among the delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress as to holding a secret session to discuss labor troubles in Canada, but nothing has yet been decided. The delegates are particularly aggrieved at the report of the royal commission on the British Columbia matters. Mr. Fleet, the President, has a letter from Mr. Samuel Gompers of the American Federation, repudiating the United Brotherhood of Rail-entirely the United Brotherhood of Rail-entirely the United Brotherhood of Rail-

A deputation representing the Lord's Day Alliance visited the congress, and were invited to the platform. Rev. T. Albert Moore of Toronto, on behalf of the deputation, spoke of the work the Alliance is doing to secure for workingmen that by the decision of the Privy Council the Ontario Lord's Day act was declared ultra vires. But there are still valid the acts of the Province to the same end, which extend to a number of large industries. There will likely be a big discussion to-morrow morning on some of these points. There was only one session yesterday, and at noon the congress adjourned for a trip up the river.

For the next place of meeting invitations were read from Montreal, St. John, N.B., and Guelph.

The matter was referred to the committee on Resolutions.

The committee on Resolutions reported concurrence in certain of the resolutions submitted yesterday. The first was the petition of the letter-carriers in favor of increased pay to the extent of 20 per cent., to at least \$2.50 per day at the end of six years service.

The resolution of Delegate Sanderson of Ottawa in favor of asking the Ontario Government to establish a board of examiners and improving the sanitary conditions of the shops was opposed by Quebec delegates, who desired the condition which had arisen there over such legislation. It was explained that in that Province the bill brought forward by the Government was intended to regulate the apprentices, and that was the cause of the trouble. The bill in the resolution got over this difficulty, and was similar to that in successful operation in New York. The bill would "wipe out the five-cent jobs."

The resolution was referred back to the committee for the elimination of the features that tended to create a close corporation, which was declared contrary to the policy of the congress.

Pickles of the Toronto Railway Company's employees against the watering of stock as intended to workingmen, was adopted without discussion. "Nobody wants to touch it," remarked Secretary Draper.

The committee reported against a resolution to ascertain the opinion of members of Parliament on labor matters, as it was considered to be a subject for the respective constituencies. Mr. Puttee contended that the resolution was contrary to the policy of the congress, and showed that it would turn the congress into a political caucus. Several delegates held that this was the only way for the workingmen to fight the manufacturers, and that the resolution was finally referred back to the committee for further consideration.

The resolution endorsing the label of the Boot and Shoe Makers' Union as against the Independent Union of the United States, was adopted. The Toronto delegates resolution about referendum and initiative legislation, regarding a circular from the congress to explain to the independent trades of Great Britain that there were enough mechanics in Canada, and not room for 11,000, as the Manufacturers' Association said.

NEWMARKET ELECTRIFIED.

Everything Seems to Carry an Electric Current.

Newmarket, Ont., Sept. 24.—This town is electrified. Something has gone wrong at the electric light plant, and a great number of the incandescent lamps are so charged that if a person so much as touches the brass part he will get a shock that will knock him over. One hardware man says that with any long steel instrument he can strike sparks from the metal ceiling. In another office a lamp has been hanging over an iron bar for a long time, and the insulation became worn through. The other day when the light was turned on the bar and all the metal fixtures became charged with a current sufficient to knock a man down if he touched any of them.

On Saturday night a short, stout shopkeeper carried a lamp to the sidewalk, and happening to touch the brass, the first thing he knew he was on his back on the concrete walk, and the next he was on his head in the ditch. Though a churchman, his remarks were nearly as strong as the current. His hand across the palm was burned black.

Topics of Toronto.

Walter Pettigrew, a child two years of age, was killed by a street car on Sherbourne street.

Two girls, Edith and Mary Pogue, were convicted of fraud in begging, and sentenced to the Mercer Reformatory.

CANADA AND GERMANY.

Liberal Member's Charge Against Mr. Chamberlain.

London, Sept. 24.—Mr. A. W. Black, M.P., of Banffshire, wrote to Mr. Chamberlain, seeking an explanation as to why the correspondence between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Herr Bopp, the German Consul at Montreal, was withheld from the House of Commons upon the only occasion they were permitted to discuss the Canadian German policy. Mr. Chamberlain's reply, dated September 3, says: "The Canadian Government has caused a communication to be addressed to the Dominion Government expressing the opinion in the future they keep me informed of any official negotiations into which they may enter." In a later letter, replying to Mr. Black, Mr. Chamberlain said: "I have not heard of any intention of Canada to deal with the situation by direct tariff negotiations, nor have I any information whatever to confirm the unauthorized inference you draw from the correspondence referred to. That Canada would be willing, under any circumstances, to give Germany the same treatment as the mother country."

BRITISH CABINET CRISIS.

King Edward Said to Favor Lord Lansdowne.

London, Sept. 24.—The political crisis has taken on a phase which lends to the present situation an historical and constitutional importance of almost unprecedented interest. The King has interfered in the exercise of his prerogatives to an extent never dreamed of in the Victorian era. Premier Balfour's continued presence at Balmoral has given rise to such surmise and comment, but the Associated Press is able to state definitely that it is due to the King's determination not to assent to the formation of a new Cabinet until thoroughly satisfied that its personnel and combination is such as to insure the efficient carrying on of the affairs of the empire pending the resumption of Parliament. For years previous Cabinets were formed or Ministerial vacancies filled with the mere recommendation to the Sovereign of the names of the new Ministers. King Edward has done away with this tradition. He has spent the last few days in constant discussion with Mr. Balfour as to the advisability, from the point of view of the nation's welfare, of the latter's suggested appointments of Ministers, and those nominated for office have been summoned to Balmoral to join in these conferences, and all have been subjected to a degree of interrogation such as has surprised even those who knew King Edward intimately as Prince of Wales.

To such an extent is King Edward holding his power of veto in reserve that now he is almost regarded by the inner circles as more of a cabinet-maker. Though with his usual tact the King has refrained from expressing any political views or infringing upon the initiative belonging to the Ministers, this has not prevented him from expressing his genuine desire, amounting almost to a command, that steps be taken to remedy the scandals in the army administration revealed by the report of the South African War Commission, and insisting that the new Cabinet shall be one adapted to deal with that question.

The King is said to have expressed the opinion that Lord Lansdowne's record as War Secretary was due more to the badness of the system in vogue than to any defect in Lord Lansdowne's own judgment. King Edward has not shared the keen public indignation against Lord Lansdowne aroused by the report of the South African War Commission, and after a minute examination of the circumstances is understood to have consented to his Lordship continuing as Foreign Minister. This decision has not prevented his Majesty from frankly telling the Ministers that he wanted something done to improve the military muddle.

THE TORY WON.

By-Election in Rochester, England—Keenly Fought on Fiscal Question.

London, Sept. 24.—A bye-election was held at Rochester to replace Viscount Cranborne, who resigned his seat in the Commons on his elevation to the Peerage, a consequence of the death of his father, Margrave of Salisbury. The contest, which was keenly fought on the fiscal question, resulted in the Conservatives retaining the seat, and electing Charles Tuft over Sir Henry Johnston, Liberal.

KILLED BY A BULL.

Mr. Hemmingsway of Corinth Trampled to Death.

St. Thomas, Sept. 24.—Peter Hemmingsway of Corinth was killed by a bull. While he was attending to some duties in the barn the animal suddenly turned on him, and, although disarmed, it trampled and bruised him. It was only through the heroic efforts of the hired man with a pitchfork that the animal was finally driven from the barn. Mr. Hemmingsway lived only a few minutes after being rescued.

FRANK AGAIN SCARED.

Another Immense Slide from Turtle Mountain.

Winnipeg, Sept. 23.—Another immense mountain slide is reported to have occurred last night at Turtle Mountain, near Frank, Alberta, where 100 lives were lost in April last. As far as known no lives were lost but all the people of Frank have deserted the town again, and are being hurried to other towns nearby. The slide occurred just as a passenger train was nearing Frank, and as quickly as possible brakes were applied and the train backed for several miles. After waiting some hours the train was run to Frank, and many of the terrified people, who were huddled together at the station, were taken on board.

QUIET AT THE SOO.

MEN TO BE BROUGHT IN FROM THE WOODS TO-NIGHT.

The Result of This Move Causes Anxiety—Much Property May be Sacrificed—Will Next Monday be Pay Day?—Sale of the Property October 1.

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 24.—This has been one of the quietest days ever witnessed in the Sault. A fierce gale was blowing across Lake Superior, and everybody kept indoors. The only topic of conversation that at all interested the citizens was the financial difficulty of the company, and, as there is no authoritative information emanating from this end of the company's business interests, the people are entirely in the dark as to what is going on, save for the vague intelligence which an odd despatch from the east may bring.

Notwithstanding the encouragement derived from these despatches, the fact remains that the order from the east directing that the lumbermen cease operations in the woods has not yet been rescinded, and the present intention is to commence bringing the men in to-morrow night. They will be brought in in sections, probably four or five hundred being transported each day, until all of the camps have been cleared up, and the two thousand bushmen landed in the town. This move on the part of the company does not harmonize with the theory that a plan of reorganization has been effected, because the closing up of the camps will make it extremely difficult to get other gangs back into the bush to get out timber for next year's operations, no matter how speedily the company may be in a position to resume business. It is understood that logs aggregating several million feet of lumber are cut and lying in the woods, and unless they are speedily taken care of a straight loss of probably one hundred thousand dollars will be sustained.

BASEBALL.

First Game.
Newark 000000100-1
Toronto 000000300-5
Summary.—Left on bases—Newark 8, Toronto 12. First base on balls—O'Rourke 2, on Briggs 2. Struck out—By Burke 1, by Briggs 4. Two-base hits—Bannon, Sacrifice hit—Dillard, Rapp, Downey. Stolen bases—Kuhns, White, Double play—Bannon and O'Hagen. Passed balls—Thomas 1. Umpire—Brown. Time—1:45. Attendance—600.

Second Game.
Newark 000020-5
Toronto 002021-6
Left on bases—Newark 5, Toronto 3. First base on balls—O'Rourke 2, on Briggs 2. Struck out—By Burke 1, by Falkerberg 5. Two-base hits—O'Hagen, Falkerberg, Sullivan, hits—Taylor and Falkerberg. Stolen bases—Lawlor, O'Hagen, Walsh, Bruce. Passed balls—Falkerberg 1, Sullivan 2. Umpire—Swartwood. Attendance—500.

R. H. E.
Montreal 00000100-5 11 1
Rochester 00000010-12 18 0
Batteries—Pappalano and Griffin; Beckler and Steadman. Umpire—Kelly. Attendance, 600.

R. H. E.
Jersey City 00000020-3 7 2
Buffalo 00000003-3 7 2
Batteries—Foxen and Dillon; Magee and Lusk. Umpire—Swartwood. Attendance, 500.

R. H. E.
Baltimore 1011003401-10 10 5
Providence 0030100003-10 10 5
Batteries—Crate, Wilkie and Hoarney; McPartlin and Westlake. Umpire, Cauliflower. Attendance, 252.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

Jersey City W. L. P. C.
Buffalo 23 32 729
Toronto 28 46 644
Rochester 28 46 644
Baltimore 20 51 372
Newark 24 51 372
Providence 43 80 352
Montreal 37 80 351
Rochester 34 80 351

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 05220420x-15 23 3
New York 100002130-7 11 2
Batteries—Phillips and Phelps; Taylor and Warner. Umpires, Emale and Johnston. Attendance, 3,649.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Chicago 0000010000-1 7 2
Philadelphia 000100001-2 6 0
Batteries—White and Sullivan; Bender and Powers. Umpire—Adams. Attendance, 4,306.

At Washington—R. H. E.
Washington 40100002-7 7 0
Cleveland 003020000-5 10 1
Batteries—Lag, Townsend and Drill; Killian and Abbott. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance, 1,134.

At New York (first game)—R. H. E.
St. Louis 200101030-7 10 2
New York 010001200-3 7 2
Batteries—Slivers and Kahoe; Wolfe and Beville. Attendance, 1,388.

Second game—R. H. E.
New York 00000004-4 8 0
St. Louis 10000000-1 6 3
Batteries—Howell and Beville; Powell, Kahoe and Sugden. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance, 6,000.

At Boston (first game)—R. H. E.
Boston 003101000-5 9 4
Detroit 000102010-4 10 2
Batteries—Donovan and Buelow; Dineen and Farrell. Attendance, 1,134.

Second game—R. H. E.
Detroit 00300001-8 16 1
Boston 10000000-1 6 3
Batteries—Howell and Beville; Powell, Kahoe and Sugden. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance, 4,216.

Leading Wheat Markets.

	Closing previous day.	To-day.	Sept.	Dec.	Sept.	Dec.
Chicago	77	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
New York	84 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Wheat	81	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
St. Louis	80 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Detroit	79 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Minneapolis	77 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Duluth	80 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2

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On the 29th of this month it will be just 3 1/2 years since we opened our doors in Chatham.

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To enable them to sell at unreasonably low prices many Brewers use inferior grades of malt and hops, and even then, in quite limited quantities, and produce a beer of low gravity and poor keeping quality, and then add preservatives to prevent it from getting sour. It is little better than "Schwein," a beer made exclusively from the last run of the mash, and that has to be used within twelve hours after leaving the cold cellars unless "doctored."

By producing such goods a Brewer not only saves in the quantity of malt and hops, but also pays less excise tax to the Government, as the tax is collected on the malt used and not on the beer produced.

To save the heavy investment in malt, hops, Government tax, etc., necessary when a properly aged beer is sold, many Brewers try to run their beer as young as they can without the public getting on to their deception. Such beer is unhealthy and a limit of age should be set by the Government.

Some hotel-keepers do not know any more than a child about the quality of Lager Beer and buy the lowest priced, others are governed by their cupidity and will sacrifice a patron's health to gain 50c. or 10c. a barrel in the purchase price of beer, while still others think it policy to give a patron a "schooner" of beer that ought to be condemned by the Health Authorities instead of a reasonable quantity of wholesome and pure beer.

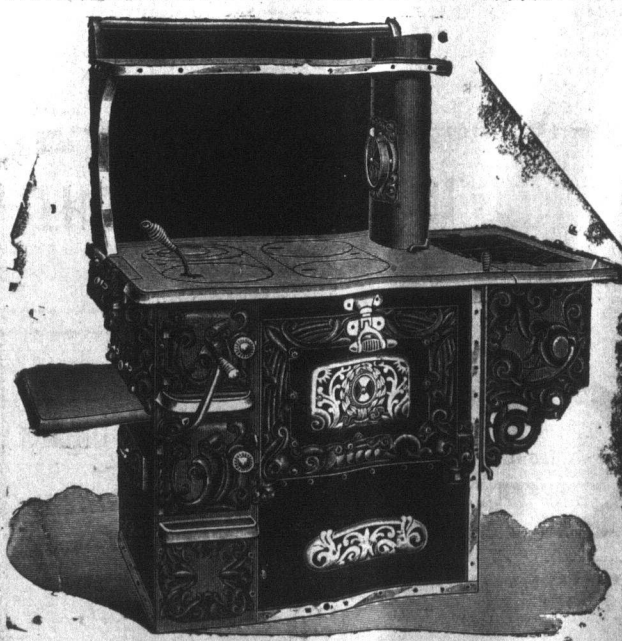
A hotel-keeper interested in a Brewery has every inducement to push their beer, no matter how inferior it may be, and will naturally sell, rather than return beer that may be bad, something he would never do in purchasing from a Brewery in which he has no interest.

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